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GREEN GETS A POSITION

Ex-Minister Said to be Going to Prince Rupert

Is This Final Act in Kaien Island Deal?—Brother is Included in Arrangement

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—A sensational story concerning the purpose for which R. F. Green resigned from the McBride ministry is current here in political circles today. It is said that Mr. Green's resignation is but a final step in the deal with the Grand Trunk Pacific, the initial features of which were the transactions carried out between the government and the railway through the Anderson intermediaries, by which the railway secured a terminal site, for which it had expected to pay an enormous figure, at a merely nominal sum. It will be remembered that the railway paid $40,000, only $10,000 of which ultimately found its way into the provincial treasury.

In return for the valuable consideration then bestowed upon the company, the officials of which admitted that even the $40,000 was a suitably low figure, Mr. Green, who was the minister directly responsible for the deal and who well knew that he was slated to shoulder the load of public opprobrium bound to attach thereto, is to go to Prince Rupert at an early date, there to accept a position with the Grand Trunk Pacific. It is further understood that a secret agreement exists between Mr. Green and the Anderson syndicate which gives the former a quarter interest in the lands outside Prince Rupert secured by Mr. Anderson during the period of nearly two years when the townsite sale was kept secret by the government.

It is positively known that a brother of Mr. Green has been making arrangements for some time to go to Prince Rupert at an early date; and it generally believed (upon good authority, so those who make the assertion say) that Mr. Green himself will soon set out for the same place. He will wait till the elections are over; but almost immediately afterwards his engagement with the Grand Trunk Pacific will be announced.

PUGILISTIC BILL OF FARE.

Jeffries Asked to Fight Five Men in Five Days.

Tonopah, Nev., Dec. 29.—Interest in the coming fight between Joe Gans and "Kid" Herman was subordinate tonight to a statement issued by manager Riley, of the Casino Athletic club, that a great pugilistic tournament would be held in the spring with James J. Jeffries as the chief attraction. Riley stated, "I will offer Jeffries a purse of $50,000 to meet five men, namely, Squires, Burns, O'Brien, Schreck and Kauffman, on five succeeding days. The champion is to receive $10,000 for each appearance.

"In addition to these events, I propose to have as attractions a contest between Jimmy Britt and the winner of the Gans-Herman match; a match between Abe Attell and Jimmy Bowker, and a battle between Joe Thomas and some other well known welterweight. In all I shall offer $100,000 to bring about the proposed matches."

CORPSE CHIDES UNDERTAKER

Chicago, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Augusta Guardmann, 2960 Farrell street, early today arose from the undertaker's slab where she was being prepared for burial and chided the undertaker for handling here so roughly. The startled undertaker rubbed his eyes and pinched himself and then called the police.

By the time the patrol wagon came Mrs. Guardmann, who had swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid six hours before, had put on her clothes and was preparing to walk home. For hours she had lain as dead in her home and her death certificate had been signed by two physicians.

The undertaker had been working over the body and was just about to inspect the embalming fluid when his subject stirred.

"Gently, now; don't be so rough," said the subject suddenly. Then she got up and walked away.

C. P. R. PROFITS

Montreal, Dec 29—The C.P.R. gross earnings for November were $6,234,583; working expenses, $3,971, 460; net profits, $2,263,123. In November, 1905, net profits, $7,361,311. Five months to November 30, 1906 gross earnings $28,472,376; working expenses, $19,152,104; net profits, $12 220,272. For the five months ended November 30, 1905, net profits, $9,840,816.

A $200,000,000 MORTGAGE.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.—The Wabash Railroad company today filed a mortgage for $200,000,000 covering all its properties. The Mortgage is made to the Bowling Green Trust company of New York. Henry Miller, general manager of the Wabash, stated that the mortgage was given to carry out the financial plans of the company, and that the money so raised was to be spent for double tracking the system, extending its lines, and improving its equipment. The mortgage is given to secure an issue of four per cent first refunding extension gold bonds due in fifty years.

A GREAT "AD" FOR B. C.

SUCCESS OF FRUIT EXHIBIT MEANS A GREAT DEAL.

INFLUX OF GOOD SETTLERS BOUND TO FOLLOW.

Victoria, Dec. 29.—"It is surprising the number of people who have come from the northwest and gone in for fruit growing in the interior district of British Columbia," says J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture. He referred to the extensive advertising that had been done by the present government through the bureau of information. There was no doubt that the success of a collection of fruit products of this country in competition with the best grown in the other colonies was the finest possible "ad" for British Columbia. The wise dissemination of large quantities of the finest literature could not, he said, have the same influence as the practical demonstration of the worth of western Canada fruits given by their triumph in some of the most representative horticultural exhibitions of the old country.

This system of teaching the outside world something of the agricultural and other possibilities of the country, Mr. Anderson said, was having its effect. Then, of course, the trend of immigration west was to be taken into consideration. No doubt that also had something to do with the wonderful increase in population during the past few months. But what was attracting the people and keeping them here more than anything else, he thought, was the fertile nature of the soil, its adaptibility for the cultivation of the largest and the finest crops of almost all varieties of fruits and the illimitable market that was to be found among the prosperous residents of the prairie provinces for just such products.

When discussing the possibilities of the interior districts of British Columbia and the southern part of Vancouver island for the growth of fruit, Mr. Anderson became enthusiastic. He went into detail showing a thorough insight into all the conditions prevailing in each distinct section and predicted in effect that the future of the province from the standpoint mentioned was not yet generally realized. He believed that its output would be materially increased in the next year and that ultimately its beautifully verdant valleys, now lying dormant, would become one immense orchard which would supply the wants of the millions of wheat growers living on the prairies and also export largely to the market always available across the Atlantic.

Mr. Anderson laid special stress upon the recent development throughout the Kootenay district. He pointed out that until a short time ago the prevailing opinion was that fruit could not be grown to advantage there. A few of those who had displayed enough enterprise to experiment however, found out differently and now were profiting. Recent reports showed that apples, cherries, pears and small fruits thrived amid the climatic environments of that country. Small fruits also could be grown to advantage. There was only one drawback to the progress of the district along the line of fruit growing, Mr. Anderson said, and that was the necessity of going to some expense in the clearing of land. This was not needed in many of the valleys to be found scattered throughout the interior of B.C. and, therefore, the Kootenays were somewhat handicapped but despite this the district seemed to be advancing steadily, large blocks of land having been taken up during the past few months. Another large and fertile valley, Mr. Anderson said, was that on the upper Columbia, which lies in the neighborhood of the Crow's Nest line. He explained that it had not yet been exploited to any extent but what had been done showed the land to be good and led the authorities to believe that with the advent of settlers it would prove an exceedingly rich section.

For some time past large numbers of inquiries, on an average of one hundred a week, have been received by the department in regard to the agricultural possibilities of British Columbia. He says that it must not be supposed that all the immigration is going to stop immediately on the west side of the Rocky mountains. From what he could see large numbers had the island in their mind as their destination. Indeed that had already been proven by the large numbers who had come and bought up real estate lately. But more he asserted, might be expected. The movement had only commenced. He predicted that it would be continued with the beginning of the New Year, and that its proportions then would be much larger than has been the case heretofore.

DEATHS MOUNT UP

London, Dec. 29—The board of trade has appointed a commission to investigate the Ashtroth railroad wreck. Three more persons who sustained injuries yesterday have died today. This brings the total of deaths up to 22. Gangs of men are working tonight by the light of huge bonfires in clearing away the wreckage. Aberdeen has been cut off since Thursday but the demoralized Scottish train service is being restored.

THE POOL CHAMPION.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Thomas Hueston, of St. Louis, defeated Jerome Keogh, of Buffalo, in the three nights' play ending tonight for the pool championship of America. The total score was, Hueston 600, Keogh, 507.

COTTON TO FACE TORY

Member of Cabinet to be Opposed by Conservative

Sensation Sprung in Richmond—Government Candidates in Yale, Grand Forks and Greenwood

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—A political surprise of the first water was sprung here today in the announcement that Stuart Livingston, a barrister of this city, would run as an independent conservative in Richmond against Hon. F. L. Carter-Cotton. The new candidate has a strong backing in the district, and his entrance makes a four cornered fight, in which J. W. Weart, the liberal, is now confident of success.

It is understood here that W. W. B. McInnes will stand in Alberni. It is thought that he will be safe there so that he can spend his time campaigning at outside points. The coast is also looking for much help along this line from J. A. Macdonald.

Private inquiries of your correspondent reveal the fact that at the present moment Joseph Martin's intention is not to enter the provincial fight at any point. This result is said to be caused by his agreed colleagues failing at the last moment and Martin feels the fight useless unless he is supported.

MILLER IN GRAND FORKS

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, Dec. 29.—The conservative nominating convention was held here today. Eleven delegates were present from Phoenix, four from other outside points, and 16 from Grand Forks, or 31 in all. Ernest Miller was the only one whose name was proposed, and his nomination was accordingly unanimous. Mr. Miller, formerly of Rossland, has been here eight years, and is the city solicitor.

SEMLIN IN YALE.

(Special to The Daily News)

Kamloops, B. C., Dec. 29.—Twenty-seven delegates attended the conservative convention for Yale district at Ashcroft this afternoon. Finance minister Tatlow was amongst those there, as were Messrs. Fraser and Law, aspirants for the nomination. The only name placed before the convention, however, was that of ex-premier Semlin, who accepted. It is understood the presidency of the council has been offered to Semlin as an inducement to run. Despite Semlin's popularity, however, Stuart Henderson will win.

WARREN IN GREENWOOD

Greenwood, Dec. 29.—The conservative nominating convention for Greenwood was held here last evening in the Imperial hotel, about 30 delegates being present. J. R. Jackson, of Midway, Duncan McIntosh, and E. G. Warren, of Greenwood, were placed in nomination. After a ballot was taken, Mr. Warren was seen to be in the lead; and, on motion of the other two, his selection was made unanimous. Mr. Warren is local manager of the electric light campany, and as such is well known throughout the district.

FERNIE UNDECIDED

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Dec. 29.—With the date for the provincial elections set, all sorts of rumors are in circulation as to who the candidates of the different parties will be in this constituency, but as no nominating conventions have been held yet, it is impossible to say with certainty who will contest the riding. It is a foregone conclusion that W. R. Ross will once again be the standard bearer of the conservative party, and, if rumor is to be believed, he will be opposed by a liberal and also a socialist candidate.

YMIR SOCIALISTS

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, Dec. 29.—Yesterday a special meeting of the Ymir Miners' union was called to devise ways and means to carry on the coming campaign. Mr. Daly was unanimously elected as chairman, and, in a few well chosen words, laid the situation before the meeting, inviting all the members to express their views. The subject was then discussed at length, after which the following motion was carried without a dissenting vote: "That we, the members of Ymir Miners' union, pledge ourselves to support, financially and otherwise, a socialist candidate for the Ymir riding."

CHINESE POLICEMAN

Montreal, Dec 29—L. Johnson ,a Chinaman, who says he is a commercial traveller, was sworn in yesterday as a special constable He is the first one of his race to take that oath of office in the province of Quebec He will pay particular attention to the Chinese district and as he will be privileged to carry a revolver, serve warrants and display his badge of authority whenever occasion arises for doing so, it is thought by the police officials that it will be much easier for him to keep order in Chinatown.

CALL FOR HELP.

Spartansburg, S. C., Dec. 29.—"I am penned up in block-house and surrounded by a mob of negroes who have threatened my life. They are beating down the doors. Send help."

This message was sent here tonight by telegraph operator Porter, in charge of the block station at Mount Zion on the main line of the Southern railway, six miles from Spartansburg. The cause of the trouble is not known. Sheriff Nichols will be notified at once and two cars filled with armed men have left for the scene.

ELECTION VS. CARNIVAL

DATE OF ROSSLAND SPORTS HAS TO BE CHANGED

WILL START FEB. 12 INSTED OF JAN. 29.

One direct result of the remarkable time the provincial government has chosen for springing the general elections is an enforced change in the program of the Rossland winter carnival. The Daily News is in receipt of the following self-explanatory communication thereanent:

Editor, The Daily News: I beg to call your attention to the change of date of the Rossland winter carnival, which will now be celebrated for four days commencing February 12 instead of commencing January 29, 1906, as at first proposed. This postponement has been necessitated on account of the date of the provincial elections having been fixed for February 2.

E. ADAMS.
Sec. Rossland Winter Carnival Com.
Rossaind, Dec. 27.

LET THERE BE LIGHT

TRYING OUT OF CITY POWER PLANT COMPLETED.

MACHINERY IS RUNNING SMOOTHLY—CITY CURRENT TOMORROW

Mayor Gillett spent yesterday at the city power plant and saw the first lights turned on from the city current at the station. Everything is working satisfactorily. The machinery was run all last night and by Monday the generator and transformer will be sufficiently dry for the full current to be turned on. The city will positively have its own light tomorrow.

TALKS AT NINE MONTHS

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 29.—Although she is but nine months old, Eugenie Barbara Jacques, of 519 Fairmont avenue, is able to talk, and talk plainly. Every word she says can be distinctly understood, and the child apparently exercises reason in using her words, as they are seldom in the wrong place.

Doctors who have examined the little miss declare that her mental faculties are as well developed as a child of three years and declare her talking is nothing short of marvelous.

FLED FROM FIRE

Montreal, Dec. 29—Policemen had to rouse ten women and children out of bed tonight when a fire broke out at the back of an old tenement house on St Urbain street. The flames on the roof were noticed by patrolman Le Febevre, who gave the alarm and than ran to warn the inmates who were all asleep Two large families were crowded in two flats and as the inmates did not have time to dress properly they had to be carried through the snow to nearby houses Conveyances shortly arrived on the scene and the policemen soon had all housed comfortably

THE RUSSO-JAP TREATY.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 29.—The Russo-Japanesse negotiations for the conclusion of a treaty of commerce, were interrupted today by the departure of Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister to Russia, for a fortnight's stay in Paris. The conferences were continued up to the last moment, but no final agreement was reached, the two principal points of contention, namely the fisheries question and the navigation of the Sungari river being difficult of solution.

WIFE AS SECURITY

Omaha, Dec. 29—James Bean, a railroad man, startled the office by offering to leave his wife with a company for three days as security for a loan he was trying to negotiate. Mrs. Bean accompanied her husband to the offices of the company and expressed her willingness to be turned over as security for the loan. "I have just come in off the road and I am dead broke," said Bean, "and I have got to have some money at once, and will turn my wife over as security."

SLOCAN LABOR MEN.

A convention is to be held in New Denver on Saturday next, January 5, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest Slocan riding in the labor interests. Working men in the different districts are urged by the leaders to make an effort to have delegates attend.

TRAVELERS WANT VOTES

Toronto, Dec 29—The Canadian Commercial Travellers' association of Toronto, proposes that members be given the privilege of voting on parliamentary elections by registered letter addressed to the returning officer in the constituency in which the traveller has a vote.

THE RING WINS OUT

Blind Nominations Agreed to by Conservative Gathering

Advocates of Open Method Sit Silent—Convention Harmonious—Delegates Appointed

The public meeting of conservatives last night in the board of trade rooms did not nominate a tory candidate for Nelson in the provincial elections, but appointed 16 delegates who, at a convention to be held later, will make a selection. The meeting was well attended, some 80 electors being present. Early in the proceedings a resolution was carried pledging the meeting to support the candidate selected by the delegates.

If the "Rebels" entertained any idea of having their own way and insisting upon naming a candidate forthwith, they made no sign, and the proceedings ran along smoothly enough.

R. S. Lennie, as president of the local conservative club, took the chair, without any opposition.

At 8.50 Mr. Lennie called the meeting to order. He at once announced that the meeting was called to elect delegates to a convention to be held later which would select a candidate to represent the conservative interest for Nelson city in the forthcoming provincial election. The chairman explained that the procedure adopted had properly been provided for and was the constitutional method.

Before any business was discussed F. A. Starkey moved and M. S. Parry seconded the following resolution:

"Resolved: That this public meeting of conservatives of the Nelson city electoral district pledge itself, and each individual present pledges himself, to support the choice of the delegates elected at this meeting as the conservative candidate at the forthcoming provincial election."

The chairman asked for a standing vote on the resolution and every one present, with a single exception rose. The single exception declared he would not promise to vote for anyone unless he voiced his, the speaker's, opinions.

The chairman declared the motion carried and called for cheers which were enthusiastically given.

Mr. Lennie announced that captain D. C. McMorris had been appointed secretary for the campaign and would act as secretary for the meeting. The captain took his place at the chairman's table amid applause.

Names of 16 delegates for a nominating convention were then asked for and the following 33 names were handed in:

J. A. Irving, W. E. McCandlish, H. H. Pitts, W. O. Rose, F. A. Starkey, I. G. Nelson, Thos. Sproatt, R S. Lennie, W. R. McLean, D. M. Macdonald, R. W. Hannington, Ed. Kerr, W. A. Macdonald, H. Gibson, C. Sewell, R. G. Joy, G. Horstead, W. W. Baer, P. Lamont ,J. E. Annable, E. C. Wragge, J. A. Kirkpatrick, G. Erickson, W. R. Meclean, J. Smart, G. F. Motion, W. Gosnell, F. Fletcher, Joe Thompson, J. Fraser, R. Reilly, J. Nagle, J. Dancey.

Upon a ballot being taken, the chairman declared the following delegates duly appointed, in the order named:

Rose, Irving, Lennie, McCandlish, Kirkpatrick, Pitts, Starkey, McLean, D. M. Macdonald, Motion, Lamont, J. Thompson, W. A. Macdonald, Annable, Wragge, Gibson.

Alternates: Kerr, Sproatt, Brewer, Sewell.

The chairman announced that the delegates would meet at their convenience, elect their chairman, and make their selection.

J. E. Annable, moved, seconded by R. J. Clark, the following:

"That this public meeting of conservatives of the city of Nelson heartily endorses the stand taken by the honorable Richard McBride at the conference of provincial premiers at Ottawa, on the subject of 'better terms' for this province and expresses its confidence in his administration of the affairs of this province during his tenure of office."

Mr. Clark made a brief address eulogistic of every thing conservative, including Richard McBride, and the resolution was carried by a standing vote.

Then the meeting cheered for McBride, for the Nelson conservatives, for chairman Lennie, and for the king. The chairman announced that the chosen delegates would meet in private conference, and the meeting adjourned.

After the delegates held a short conference they decided to hold the nomination meeting in the committee rooms at the opera house next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when a candidate will be chosen.

FOR SIMPLIFIED SPELLING

Modern Language Association is Evenly Divided

New Haven, Dec. 29—An unsuccessful attempt was made today to have the modern Language association of America reconsider a resolution adopted yesterday in favor of simplified spelling. When the session was resumed today at Yale university, Prof. F. J. Coar of Brooklyn, said he thought the members voted in favor of simplified spelling under misapprehension. He wished the motion reconsidered. Prof. W. J. Cunliffe of McGill university, Montreal, did not believe the members were misled. Prof .Todd of Columbia favored letting the matter stand as it was. At the request of Prof. Cunliffe, the motion as passed yesterday was read for the information of the members. The record showed that the vote on its adoption was 38 to 31. Prof. Coar then withdrew his motion to reconsider.

WILL NOT BE DEPORTED

HINDUS MAY REMAIN IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

REPORT OF IMMIGRATION OFFICER HANDED IN.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—A report has been made by superintendent of immigration Blake Robertson, who was sent to the Pacific coast to deal with the question of Hindu immigration. He finds there was no need on the part of the dominion government to deport any of these people, because all either are employed or are being looked after by their own people, and have not become in any sense a burden on the public at large. The only case Robertson encountered in which he considered deportation would have been warranted was that of a Hindu too ill at the time to be removed. Robertson sought to ascertain what agency had been employed to bring so many of these people to Canada but was unsuccessful.

Washington, Dec. 29.—An interesting, and what is regarded by the immigration authorities as an important, case is under consideration by Mr. Strauss, of the department of commerce and labor. It relates to the admission into the United States from Vancouver of ten Hindus who desire to go to San Francisco. The statement of the case shows that six of the ten are diseased and four are in good physical condition. They have no friends in this country, none of them speak English, and they have barely enough money to enable them to reach San Francisco. In the opinion of the immigration officials they are likely to become public charges. In the past few years 2500 Hindus have arrived in British Columbia.(?) They are, according to the reports of the dominion authorities, a very undesirable class of immigrants. The feeling in British Columbia is so strong against them, on account of their habits and unsanitary methods of living, that the inhabitants have resorted in some instances to the drastic method of destroying the squalid houses of the Hindus by fire in order to compel them to leave the community. The immigration officials on the Canadian border denied the Hindus admission to the United States and the case now is on appeal to secretary Strauss .

BOOK IS CONFISCATED

KUROPATKIN'S REVIEW OF RUSSO-JAP WAR.

CRITICIZED THE RUSSIAN SYSTEM TOO FREELY.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 29.—Local newspapers declare that the book written by general Kuropatkin on the Russo-Japanese war, which has just been published, has been confiscated by the authorities. General Kuropatkin's work on the war is in several volumes. It is understood the work frankly points out the faults of the Russian system and sets forth the general's troubles with the war office and his subordinates during the campaign. General Kuropatkin, who but recently finished the fourth and last volume of his history of the war, has just returned to St. Petersburg. This last volume is entitled "The Lessons of the War." In it the general sums up his criticisms of the war office in its conduct of the campaign.

ROSSLAND MINES

Rossland, Dec. 29—As announced in The Daily News last week, the Northport smelter has resumed operation, starting one furnace. Another furnace will be blown in on Monday and one or two more as soon as there is a sufficient supply of coke available to keep them in continuous operation. It is the present intention of the Le Roi mine to increase its daily output of ore to about double what it is at present. As there are still about 30,000 tons of ore due from the Le Roi to the Consolidated company, a portion of the shipments from the mine will continue to go to the Consolidated company's plant at Trail. Work on both main shafts of the Le Roi and Centre Star is making good progress, the former being 80 feet below the 14th level and the latter 100 feet below the 1350 foot level.

TARIFF NEGOTIATIONS

Ottawa, Dec. 29—The government of Canada has reopened negotiations with the Commonwealth government of Australia for a mutual tariff preference between the two countries and with New Zealand for an enlargement of the scope of the preferential arrangement now in force. The Australian parliament reassembles in February and the New Zealand parliament in June.

WENT THROUGH THE ICE

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 29—Ernest Instant and Charles Gibson ,two young men of Amherst island ,were drowned last night at 9 o'clock while driving over the ice of the Bay of Quinte to Bath, to get a doctor for a friend who was sick. Two other men who were with them had narrow escapes. The horse and cutter were lost.

STRATHCONA MAY RESIGN

Lord High Commissioner is on a Visit to Ottawa

Desires to Relinquish Duties of His High Office—News of the Dominion

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Lord Strathcona has frequently signified a wish that the government should release him from the responsibility of the office of Canadian high commissioner in London, but under persuasion he has continued to discharge his duties up to the present. Although the purpose of his lordship's present visit to Canada is not known at Ottawa, it is quite possible that he comes to again ask that his proffered resignation be accepted in view of advancing years and the many calls upon his time incident to the large financial interests he controls. If this proves the case, and his lordship's mind is made up to retire, the government cannot hope to disuade him from that purpose, and there will be nothing left but to choose his successor.

Laurier's Brother Dead.

St Lin, Que., Dec. 29.—Charlemagne Laurier died last night. He was a half brother of the premier, both being sons of the late C. Laurier, member of commons for L'Assomption.

The Guggenheim Game.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—A rumor is curren putting altogether a new face on the Nipissing-Guggenheim situation. It bears directly upon the report of the projected sale of the Gillies mineral land by the government. According to the story, the forty million dollar offer for the mineralized portion of Gillies' limits, which has been reserved hitherto by the Ontario government for public development, comes from the Guggenheim firm in New York. Special significance is attached to the fact that this offer followed close upon the sensational withdrawal of the Guggenheims from the Nipissing option and the consequent collapse in Nipissing stock.

Public Ownership Pays.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The provincial treasurer has received from the Temiscamingue & Northern Ontario railway commission a certified check for $158,000, which represents part of the net earnings of the government railway line for the year just closing. When the December returns are received, it is expected that the year's operations will show net earnings in the neighborhood of $180,000.

Wounded by Pencil.

London, Ont., Dec. 29.—Gertie Williams, an eight year old girl, fell on the pavement today and a lead pencil four inches long which she had in her pocket buried itself in her hip. An operation was necessary to remove it, and there are fears that blood poisoning may render the case serious.

Kenora Beaten.

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—The Ottawa hockey team tonight defeated the Kenora Thistles by a score of seven to five.

Vancouver Won Again.

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—The local Rugby team defeated Stanford university in the second game of the international series today, by a score of 13 to 0. The game was played on a field which was a sea of mud, rendering form impossible. Vancouver had the advantage throughout the game, scoring on a magnificent run by Churton.

Nicola Line Delayed.

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—The announcement is made that the C. P. R. will not operate its Spences' Bridge-Nicola line until March 1st. It was intended to start the first of the year, but bad weather has seriously delayed construction.

WOMEN AS PROMOTERS

Organize Big $1,000,000 Concern Without Aid of Man

St. Paul, Dec. 29—The Alaskan Garnet Mining and Manufacturing company of Minneapolis ,filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state today. The board of directors is composed entirely of women. In fact, there does not appear to be a man connected with the company. The company is capitalized at $1,000,000 and it will mine and manufacture garnets for use in jewelry and other things. Among the incorporators are Anna Durkee, Mary T. Miller, Pearl Gunder and Pearl Everett all of St. Paul. Minnie R. Fowler of Minneapolis, is president of the company.

IN DEATH TOGETHER

Toronto, Dec. 29—At the same moment of the same disease, Robert Sharpe and his aunt, Mary Sharpe, died at the general hospital of pneumonia. The young man was 23 years of age and his maiden aunt in her 84th year. They contracted the malady at the same time and together were removed to the hospital.

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5000	Virginia	.05	2000	Nicola Coal Mines	.07
1000	Diamond Vale	.24	4000	Sullivan	.07¼
10000	Reco	Offer	2000	Rambler-Cariboo	.28½
4	Imperial Develop, Synd.	$400.00	1000	Tel-Kwa	.13
5000	White Bear (9½c paid)	.04	500	Denora Mines	.12½

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A MINISTER'S DUPLICITY.

The sensational story published on another page announcing that R. F. Green, ex-chief commissioner of lands and works, in the McBride minstry, is to go to Prince Rupert to accept a lucrative position with the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, will, if true, give a remarkable insight into the real reasons which prompted Mr. Green's resignation, and at the same time will throw a good deal of light upon the causes which led the government to make the deal it did nearly three years ago for the sale of the Kaien island townsite and harbor.

When the first details of the Kaien island transaction were made public, people refused to believe them; for it was held impossible to conceive how sane, honest men, acting in the interests of the public, could barter away such valuable properties for so insignificant a consideration. Later they grew more credulous when it was learned that $40,000 had left the hands of the railroad, while only $10,000 had been paid into the province; for therein a glimpse of possible motives was given. But now, if, as asserted, part of the arrangement was that the minister, who thus agreed to sell the people's rights for a nominal consideration, was to be provided for when the pressure of condemnatory public feeling should force him out of office, they will be convinced at last.

No wonder the Grand Trunk Pacific got Kaien island for a song; and no wonder Mr. Green has ever since averred that he was quite prepared to accept full responsibility for the deal. If the statement now made is true, he knew all along that he would be well paid for all he should suffer politically or socially, and so his heroism was but of the mercenary kind.

It is furthermore evident that Mr. Green had not calculated on being compelled to accept the Grand Trunk Pacific's hospitality so soon. He knew the sale of Kaien island would provoke a public storm; but did not imagine that a large and powerful section of his own party would turn on him just as fiercely as would the general populace. His plans doubtless were to remain in the cabinet and enjoy all its privileges until work at Prince Rupert advanced to such a stage that his services would be needed there. But he counted without his host. The Vancouver conservatives refused to condone his betrayal of public interests even for the sake of party harmony and victory; and so, at the eleventh hour before election, he was forced out.

However, he has a pleasant refuge to fly to, if the coast despatch be true; and doubtless, when he is snugly ensconced therein, he will deem it but a fitting reward for all the troublous waters through which he has had to pass ere he could earn the goal.

If Mr. Green is going to Prince Rupert, such a storm of public reproach should burst forth as to make every member of the McBride government hide his head for shame; for, while Mr. Green was the minister directly chargeable with the infamous Kaien island deal, he could not have completed the arrangement without the sanction and consent of his colleagues. The latter are, morally, as guilty as he.

Undoubtedly Mr. Green will deny this whole story, as he has denied many others in the past; and will continue to deny it until election day. But his denials will be received with a certain amount of reserve by those who know; for, our correspondent informs us, the story comes from a source so close to Mr. Green himself that it is impossible to doubt that an element of truth lies therein.

WORDS THAT HIDE THOUGHT

Wonderful and touching to a degree is the sublime faith the government organs manifest in premier McBride. In triumphant tones the New Westminster Columbian proclaims:

"Premier McBride, it is understood, announces that he goes to the country to stand or fall by the policy which was enunciated and to which he faithfully adhered throughout the term he has had control of the reins of government.

Grand language this, and calculated to impress the ignorant. But what does it mean? "Stand or fall by the policy which was enunciated!" — When? Where? By whom?

If we remember correctly, Mr. McBride, in appealing to the electorate three years ago, made but one plea; and that plea was "Give us a chance." He laid down no policy. He enunciated no platform. He merely warned the electorate of the danger of changing governments too often.

And since that day, when has premier McBride taken the time to formulate or declare a policy? Never, as far as we know. The party press, in some sections at least, sees the danger of indulging in such dangerous and tripping generalities as those quoted above; so it has resorted to a well simulated frankness. It admits that no policy, as a declared policy, exists; that it has been kept suppressed by a course of "masterly secrecy;" and that the only tangible policy of which the government can boast is its record. This is better. But it does not explain away the high flown and deceptive language used by the Columbian,—language, we believe, which is practically a quotation of words used by the premier himself.

If premier McBride thinks he can confuse the electorate by such grandiloquent indefiniteness, he is mistaken. Any one will acknowledge that

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rolls well in the mouth and sounds heroic. But few will see the exact force of the reasoning. And fewer still will be inclined to give a man who hides his paucity of ideas under such a wealth of meaningless words their support on election day.

Contrast with this ministerial indefiniteness—the result of "masterly secrecy", no doubt—the definite and clear cut statement of the opposition leader. There is no ambiguity in Mr. Macdonald's words—no palpable effort to confuse the reader's mind and make it slip off the track of the issue. Mr. Macdonald uses short, concise sentences; makes categorical assertions; outlines a definite, easily understood, and popular constructive policy. He speaks in plain terms, simple and very direct; and his declaration is stamped all over with marks which indicate that it emanates from one who is sincere and earnes in his desire to promote the interests of the people and serve his province well and faithfully. Mr. McBride, on the other hand, appears at every step afraid to commit himself on any issue, lest he may thereby deprive himself of the support of those who can not or will not agree with the wisdom of his course.

Mr. McBride is the time serving politician; the man who tries to be all things to all men; the speaker who uses words merely to hide his real thoughts and intentions.

Mr. Macdonald is the very opposite—the bold statesman, the frank leader, the outspoken champion of public rights, and the ardent advocate of progress.

GREEN'S WORD DOUBTED.

Its ardent atachment to the ex-chief commissioner of lands and works leads the Kaslo Kootenaian into a strange blunder. Commenting on Mr. Green's retirement and the announcement made generally by the press of the province that he intends to quit politics for good, the Kootenaian allows that the first statement may be correct; but it emphatically denies the second one. It goes farther. It insinuates that the man who is responsible for the statement is a liar.

Very queer. That man is R. F. Green himself. The ex-chief commissioner, in an interview with the Victoria Colonist, (conservative), said that he was leaving the cabinet because he had made private business arrangements which would necessitate his entire withdrawal from public life. When the story was first published the liberal press was inclined to be incredulous. But now, understanding better the circumstances under which Mr. Green was compelled to resign his portfolio, it accepts the statement as correct.

The Kootenaian, however, declines to believe. It may know more about the matter than Mr. Green himself, but we are inclined to entertain doubts. However that may be, it is certain that if any person has lied, it is either Mr. Green or the Kootenaian. We are pleased to leave them to fight the matter out.

NO CHANGE OF LEADERS

Certain clever politicians, whose place is in the government camp and who know as little of the opposition's real plans of campaign as the small boy on the street, are shouting themselves hoarse in their excitement over the alleged "discovery" of a liberal plan to change its party leader. We assure them, kindly yet candidly, that they are barking on the wrong scent. There is absolutely no truth in the yarns they are spinning; and there is as little ingenuity. It they remain patient for a few days until Mr. McInnes has time to reach British Columbia, they will be able to learn from the most reliable source of information the motives which have led him back to provincial politics. They will learn that when Mr. McInnes went to the Yukon he did so with the avowed purpose of returning to British Columbia in time to take a hand in the next election battle; that when he left the Yukon on his present trip, he had no idea that an election was so near at hand; that Mr. Macdonald's own importunity led him to decide that, if necessary, he would not spend another year up north, as he had at first intended; that he went to Ottawa, exactly as he stated when he landed at Victoria, on departmental business; and that, when his business was concluded, he tendered his resignation.

Moreover, if they have patience to wait a little longer, they will learn some other things. They will learn that Mr. McInnes is not to be leader of the liberal party; that he will fight under Mr. Macdonald even as others are fighting; that, should the liberals win, Mr. Macdonald will be the new premier; that Mr. McInnes will be given a place in his cabinet; and that still there will be no change of leaders.

These are straight statements made by those who know more about the liberal plans than any conservative paper can know; they will be repeated by Mr. Macdonald and Mr. McInnes when the platform campaign opens; and their truth will be vouched for by liberal leaders in every riding of the province.

Can a more complete, emphatic and categorical denial of these baseless tales be asked?

FERNIE MAY CURL.

Fernie, Dec. 29.—A movement is on foot to promote the formation of a curling club and the erection of a rink for that purpose. No town in the west possesses better climatic conditions for the success of this popular sport, the winters being steady and the ice lasting well throughout the winter months. Though it is rather late to expect much to be done this season the promoters hope, however, to secure sufficient support to guarantee the success of the venture next fall.

MR. BRYCE ACCEPTED

London, Dec. 29.—The formal acceptance by the United States of James Bryce, as British ambassador at Washinton in succession to sir Mortimer Durand, was received in a cable despatch which reached the foreign office here during the night. Thereupon it was determined that Mr. Bryce's appointment shall be gazetted on Monday.

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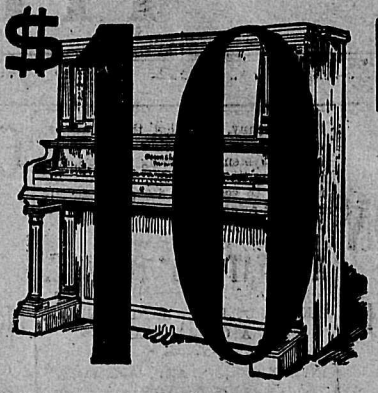

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1000	Nicola Coal Mines	.08	500	Diamond Vale Coal	.25
1000	B. C. Amalgamated Coal	Bid	200	Dominion Copper	$6.50
1000	Rambler	.29	1000	Suddivan	.03 1-2
1000	Denora	.13 1-2	10	B. C. Copper	$12.50
300	Eva	.25	10	Nipissing (Cobalt)	15.00
200	International Coal	.68	100	Canadian Marconi	$3.00
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We again wish you most heartily the compliments of the season and gently remind you that we are always ready to serve you to the best of our ability.

R. H. Ewert

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WRECK IN SCOTLAND

LIST OF DEAD NOW NUMBERS NINETEEN.

THREE HAVE DIED OF INJURIES AND EXPOSURE.

London, Dec. 29.—A thaw has set in here and the weather conditions in the provinces are ameliorating. The snowbound trains are gradually being dug out and the railroad companies hope that the usual traffic will be resumed in the course of the day. Several of the Scottish lines, after having been blocked for two days, were reopened today.

Dundee, Scotland, Dec. 29—The wrecks of the two trains which were in collision near Arbroth yesterday, resulting in the death of 16 people and seriously injuring 30, have been cleared away sufficiently to permit traffic being resumed.

The fireman of the wrecked express died this morning in the hospital at Arbroth where all the dead and injured were taken. His death was partially due to his lying in the snow pinned down under his cab for eight hours. Two of the injured passengers also succumbed today, as the result of exposure before being succored, raising the total number of deaths to 19. Wm. Black, the novelist, and a member of the house of commons for Banffshire, Scotland, who was among the passengers severely injured, is making fair progress towards recovery. The other injured persons include the editor of the Scottish Farm.

STOCKS FOR THE WEEK

(eReported by B. B. Mighton & Co.)

Owing to the holiday season, stocks in general were inactive and tradings dull, with depressed prices in evidence. This condition was general on all markets and is expected at this time of year. If there was one stock more than others in demand it was Dominion Copper. These shares held slightly firmer than the majority of securities and created quite a demand during the latter part of the week and show every indication of a sharp advance within the near future. Rambler was another stock traded in to an etxent, but with all the demand the shares remained almost unchanged for the first few days and toward the close of the week there was a noticeable weakness. Denoro Mines caused no interest or inquiries and was weaker than for some months.

B. C. Copper and Granby made only their usual changes, with no tradings recorded on this market. Tel-Kwa Mines was offered a little more freely than since the early fall. Sullivan declined a point or so and is offered lower than for some months. North Star and California remain unchanged. Intrehational Coal dropped a point or so with several sales at the lower figures. Giant and Novelty created some inquiries though at low prices, and no sales were recorded.

Following are the approximate quotations for the week ending yesterday:

	Asked	Bid
American Boy	$ .3	$ .2
B. C. Copper	14.00	12.00
California	.7	.6
Consolidated Smelters	148.00	140.00
Canadian Goldfields	9	8
Cariboo-McKinney	.5	.4
Denoro Mines	.13	.11
Diamond Vale	.27	.24
Dominion Copper	6.75	6.25
Eva Mines	.35	.33
Granby	14.00	12.00
Internatoinal Coal	.65	.63
Novelty Mines	2½	1¾
North Star	.20	.15
Nicola Coal Mines	.7	.6
Rambler-Cariboo	.29	.28
Sullivan	7¾	.7
Tel-Kwa Mines	.15	.12
Virginia	.6	.4
White Bear, 9 1-2 paid	.5	.4
Western Oil	.19	.17

STRIKE RICH ORE.

Just as we go to press, says the last issue of the Kaslo Kootenaian, we learn that a strike of rich ore has been made at the Whitewater Deep. The find is a solid vein of clean galena, over three feet thick, and permeated throughout with rich grey copper. Work is going on to define the extent of the new vein, which is beyond doubt the richest yet uncovered in the history of the Kaslo-Slocan country.

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DOES NOT WANT HONORS FROM NELSON A. & I. ASSOCIATION

The following letter, says the Kaslo Kootenaian, has been forwarded to the secretary of the Nelson Agricultural & Industrial Association:

D. C. McMorris, Esq., Secretary Nelson Agricultural & Industrial Association, Nelson, B. C.:

Dear Sir,—I have just been informed, from an outside source, that at the annual meeting of your association, you saw fit to appoint me as one of your honorary directors. In view of the manner in which I, (as representative of the Kaslo district), was treated by the directors of your association at your last fair, I cannot and will not accept any office from your association, either honorary or otherwise ,and I hereby absolutely decline the honor proffered to me. Your due acknowledgement will greatly oblige. Yours faithfully,

THEODORE F. ADAMS.

Park Mine, Mullan, Idaho, U. S. A.

CHURCH SERVICES TODAY

The services announced for today in the churches of Nelson are as follows:

Anglican—St. Saviour's church, corner of Ward and Silica Streets. First Sunday after Xmas. Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and litany, 11 a. m. Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; evensong, 7:30; Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

Catholic—Church of Mary Immaculate, corner of Ward and Mill streets. Low mass, 8 a.m.; high mass, 10:30; evening service, 7:30. Rev. Father Althoff, priest.

Salvation Army—Barracks on Victoria street, west of Josephine. Special services will be held today. Knee drill, 7 a.m.; holiness meeting, 11 a.m.; praise meeting, 3 p.m.; evening meeting, 8 o'clock.

Baptist church—Stanley street, near Mill. Morning service, 11 a.m.; evening service, at 7:30; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; Rev. E. H. Shanks, pastor. Morning topic, "Looking Backward"; evening, "Angels of Prophecy."

Presbyterian Church—St. Paul's, corner Victoria and Kootenay streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m.; Rev. J. T. Ferguson, Pastor.

Methodist church—Corner Silica and Josephine streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school and pastor's bible class 2:30. Friends and visitors cordially welcomed. Rev. R. N. Powell, pastor. Morning topic, "One Day at a time"; evening, "His Star," a post-Christmas sermon. The chief items of last Sunday's musical program will be repeated and Mr. Charles Reilly will sing "A Dream of Paradise."

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Sirloin Beef, au jus
Young Pork, Apple Sauce

VEGETABLES
Boiled and Mashed Poatoes
Green Peas

DESSERT
Green Apple Pie Pumpkin Pie
Steamed Suet Pudding, Wine Sauce
Fresh Fruits Tea, Coffee

ONE DIED—OTHER LIVES.

Rome, Dec. 29.—Cardinal Cavangal was found dead in bed this morning having succumbed to paralysis of the heart. Cardinal Tripsi was also reported to have died of paralysis during the night but after remaining unconscious for a short time he revived.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all the kind friends who have extended to me their sympathy in my bereavement. For myself and my children I hereby tender you our thanks for your kind attentions, for the floral tributes and the expressions of sympathy. This to all those kind friends, but especially to Queen City Rebekah Lodge No. 16 and the Ladies of the Maccabees. GEO. M. HOLT.

SHAH REVIVES.

Teheran, Persia, Dec. 29.—The shah has again surprised his attendants who have ben hourly watching for his death. After a long period of unconsciousness during the night, he rallied, became fully conscious, and today is distinctly better.

SPAIN USES FORCE.

Cadiz, Spain, Dec. 29.—The Spanish armored cruiser, Emprador Charles V., and the battleship Pelayo, have been ordered to sail for Tangier January 2.

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8 lots, town of Silverton	1,000
Half interest 200 acres Slocan Lake,	750
Quarter interest Trout Lake City	2,500
Lot Atlin City	250
Half interest 160 acres near Kaslo	750
160 acres Pass valley	5,000
Half interest 70 acres, 3 miles up Cottonwood Creek	250

J. FRED HUME

LAND NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B.C., for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked by name "Gerald Rees N.E. corner post," at the north west corner of the purchase claim staked April 20th, 1906, by D. A. Boyd and F. J. Sammons, thence 40 chains west, along the C.P.R. right of way; thence 10 chains south; thence 20 chains east; thence 10 chains north to post of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 15, 1906.
GERALD S. REES.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of section 21, township 69, and marked "P.W.G.'s N.E. corner," thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906.
PETER W. GORDON.
11-24 W. A. CALDER, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district: Starting 400 feet west of post marked "R. Corlett's southeast corner post," about ten chains from Kootenay river, 15 chains west to lot 5082, more or less; thence 15 chains north; thence 15 chains east, more or less; thence 15 chains to place of commencement.

Dated this 13th day of Oct., 1906.
R. CORLETT.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district, and adjoining N. D. Stewart's pre-emption, starting 15 chains west from N. D. Stewart's northeast corner post, thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated Sept. 22nd, 1906.
N. D. STEWART.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of section 22, township 69, and marked "D.A.McC.'s S.E. corner," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the place of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906.
D. A. McCULLOCH.
11-24 W. A. CALDER, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of section 23, township 69, and marked "W.A.C.'s S.E. corner," thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906.
11-24 W. A. CALDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "Howard Pepin's N.E. corner," 1 1-3 miles west of Material Yard on the C. and W. railway, thence 20 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 20 chains north more or less to C. and W. railway; thence 80 chains east following the C. and W. railway to point of commencement.

Located this 19th day of November, 1906.
HOWARD PEPIN 11-24
G. B. MATTHEW, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Fire Valley, and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of section 21 ,and marked "D.W.J. N.E. corner," and running 40 chains south; thence 40 chains; west thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

Nov. 18th, 1906.
D. W. JOHNSTON
11-24 L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Fire Valley, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "A.M. N.E. corner," and planted at the northeast corner of section 28, township 69, and running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east, to place of commencement.

Nov. 18th, 1906.
A. MORRISON
11-24 L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of lot 4368, Lower Arrow lake, and marked "H.A.M. northeast corner post," thence 20 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 20 chains more or less north to the Columbia and Western railway boundary; thence 40 chains east along the Columbia and Western railway boundary to the place of commencement, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Dated at Westley, B.C., this 22nd day of November, 1906. 11-24
HENRY A. MATTHEW
G. B. MATTHEW, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Fire Valley, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "J.H.M. S.E. corner," and planted at the southeast corner of section 33, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to place of commencement.

Nov. 18th, 1906.
J. H. MORRISON
11-24 L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "B. Bissell's N.E. corner," planted about 3 1-2 miles on the west shore of Upper Arrow lake, half a mile south of Fosthall creek, thence 80 chains west; thence 40 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 40 chains north to point of commencement. Containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated this 18th day of Oct., 1906.
BELLE BISSELL
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent 10-27

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days from date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Misquoto lake, and marked "Smith Toye's N.W. corner," thence 60 chains east; thence 80 chains south to north side of R. Andrew's application to purchase; thence west 60 chains, more or less to shore of lake; thence along lake shore north 80 chains to point of commemncement.

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That is to say, your hundred-dollar investment would earn you over forty dollars every year, if you wished to sell at any time—shares earning 20 per cent. would readily bring four times their par value or $40.00. Then the stock, which had cost you a hundred dollars, would be worth eight hundred dollars—a net profit to you of $700, besides your dividends.

Until January 4th, 1907, (unless the whole offer is subscribed for earlier) you can buy this guarahteed stock on these terms, namely, 10 shares Preferred Stock and 10 Shares Ordinary Stock of a par value of $10.00 each for $100.00

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Born, in this city on Dec. 29, to the wife of John Byers a daughter.

Born, in this city on Dec. 27, to the wife of A .T. Nooxn, Cedar street, a son.

John Mason, assistant manager of the Strathcona, has returned from a trip to Edmonton.

The city band turned out last night and serenaded a number of business houses on Baker street.

Mrs. Garland and children of Kaslo are spending the holidays with Mrs. Jennie Harris, Vernon street.

The Young People's society union will hold an At Home in Fraternity hall on New Year's day from 2 to 6 p.m.

Dr. T. G. Gibson has consented to stand as school trustee for the vacancy created by the retirement of Dr. Hall.

The roll service and annual business meeting of the Baptist church will be held on Wednesday evening in the church. Refreshments will be served.

P. M. Sheppard, wife and child of Gerrard leave here this morning for Liverpool. They will sail from St. John on the Lake Manitoba, Jan. 5.

The Baptist church has greatly increased its facilities for work by the addition of a young people's room. A public opening of this room ,with appropriate services will be announced in a few days.

The following music will be given at the Methodist church this evening, anthem, "I Will Praise Thee," Farmer's Mass; anthem, "It came upon the midnight clear." Solo, sung by Mr. Charles R. Lily, "A Dream of Paradise."

H. Wright, M.P.P., returned to the city last night from a week's trip through the Ymir district. He announced that a conservative nomination convention would be held in this city for Ymir on next Saturday week.

Preparations for the ball to be given New Year's night by Queen City Rebekah lodge No. 16, I.O.O.F., are well under way. The committee is decorating the hall with ever greens, bunting and mystic letters of the society. Irwins' orchestra will furnish the music. Dancing begins at 9 o'clock and the Rebekahs promise all who attend a swell time.

Rev. Father Mahoney of Spokane, who has been the guest of Rev. Father Althoff during the Christmas holidays will remain till after New Year's and will preach at high mass this morning and on New Year's day.

The Christmas music will be repeated at St. Saviour's church today and tomorrow evening at 11:30 a watch-night service will be held consisting of the litany, a brief address and a midnight celebration of the holy communion.

A telegram was received yesterday morning by Charles Scott announcing the unexpected death of his sister-in-law, Miss E. P. Knowles at Rochester, N.Y. For the last three years Miss Knowles had spent her summer vacation here with her sister, Mrs. Charles Scott of this city.

A reception of members, adherents and friends of the Methodist church of this city will be given in the church and school room tomorrow evening from 10 to 11. Refreshments will be served. The pastor and officials hope to have a large number in attendance. From 11 to 12 midnight, service will be held.

The La Plata mine is now shipping the whole of its product to Trail. The roads are good and about a car a day is being sent out. The cessation of shipments did not last any time, the output for the month being about 1725 tons milled and two cars of clean ore. Seventeen cars of concentrates have been shipped from the mill.

The concert to be given by the Polmatier Sisters under the auspices of the R.M.R. on New Year's night at the armory, should be a success if the sale of tickets is an indication of the popularity of this troupe. Anyone wishing to obtain tickets is requested to purchase same from any member of the militia not later than Monday noon if possible, so as to enable the committee to make final arrangements regarding the seats. The audience is requested to be seated by 8:30. Guests will enter by the north door at the rear of the building.

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LAKEVIEW—P. Walgene, Koch siding; C. E. McKee, Colville; W. Neseloff, F. Smoke, Arrowhead.
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NOMINATIONS FOR COMING ELECTIONS, 1907.

(Some of these have not yet been nominated: but if nominations have not actually taken place, there is no question as to who will be the candidate.

Constituency—Retiring Member	Liberal	Conservative	Socialist, Labor or Independent
Atlin—Dr. Young (Con.)		Dr. Young	
Alberni—Wm. Manson (Con.)	H. Brewster	Wm. Manson	
Cariboo—J. Murphy, (Lib.)	H. Jones		
2nd Seat—H. Jones (Lib.)			
Chilliwack—C. Munro (Lib.)	C. W Munro	R. H. Cairns	
Columbia—W. C. Wells (Lib.)	W. C. Wells	H. G. Parsons	
Comox—R. Grant (Con.)	J. B. Bennett	R. Grant	
Cowichan—J. N. Evans (Lib.)	J. N. Evans	W. H. Hayward	
Cranbrook—Dr. King (Lib.)	Dr. King	J. A. Harvey	
Delta—John Oliver (Lib.)	John Oliver	F. J. Mackenzie	
Dewdney—R. McBride (Con.)	R. Jardine	R. McBride	
Esquimalt—C. E. Pooley (Con.)	John Jardine	C. E. Pooley	
Fernie—W. R. Ross (Con.)		W. R. Ross	
Grand Forks—Geo. Fraser (Con.)			John McInnes (Soc.)
Greenwood—J. R. Brown, (Lib.)			
Islands—T. W. Paterson (Lib.)	T. W. Paterson	A. E. McPhillips	W. J. Ledingham (Soc.)
Kamloops—F. J. Fulton (Con.)	J. D. Swanson	F. J. Fulton	
Kaslo—R. F. Green (Con.)			
Lillooet—A. McDonald (Con.)	M. Eagleson	A. McDonald	
Nanaimo—J. W. Hawthornthwaite (Soc)			J. W. Hathorthwaite, (Soc.) H. Sheppard (Lib. Lab.)
Nelson—J. Houston (Con.)	Dr. G. A. B. Hall		
Newcastle—P. Williams (Soc.)			P. Williams (Soc); H. Fulton. (Lib Lab)
New Westminster—T. Gifford (Con.)	F. W. Howay	T. Gifford	
Okanagan—P. Ellison (Con.)	Dr. Macdonald	Price Ellison	J. W. Logie, (Soc.)
Revelstoke—T. Taylor (Con.)		Thos. Taylor	
Richmond—F. L. Carter-Cotton (Con.)	J. W. Weart	F. L. Carter-Cotton	Robert McBride (Ind.)
Rossland—J. A. Macdonald (Lib.)	J. A. Macdonald	A. P. McDonald	
Saanich—H. Tanner (Lib.)	H. Tanner	D. M. Eberts	
Similkameen—L. W. Shatford (Con.)		L. W. Shatford	— Winkler (Soc.)
Skeena—C. W. D. Clifford (Con.)			
Slocan—Wm. Davidson (Lab. Soc.)	A. B. Dockstseader		Wm. Davidson (Soc. Lab.)
Vancouver, 1—R. G. Tatlow, (Con.)	R. R. Maclennan	R. G. Tatlow	W. Kingsley (Soc.)
" 2—C. Wilson (Con.)	T. F. Neelands	J. F. Garden	J. Mortimer (Soc.)
" 3—J. F. Garden (Con.)	H. Gilmour	A. H. MacGowan	
" 4—W. J. Bowser (Con.)	J. W. DeB. Farris	W. Bowser	
" 5—A. H. B. Macgowan (Con)			
Victoria, 1—R. L. Drury (Lib.)			Dr. Ernest Hall (Lab.)
" 2—W. G. Cameron (Lib.)			A Johnson (Lab.)
" 3—J. D. McNiven (Lib.)			
" 4—R. Hall, (Lib.)			
Yale—Stuart Henderson (Lib.)	Stuart Henderson		
Ymir—H. Wright (Con.)			

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, Dec. 29—In the first place all suits intended for service wear have short skirts and coats that are decidedly mannish in cut and finish. The goods most often seen are the broadcloths, sometimes plain but more frequently thqis season in plaid. Striped patterns are also much in evidence especially those of woolen mixtures, while the tweeds and serges are always in use. The walking skirt that is intended for the morning is usually plain in the matter of trimming, machine stitching being considered the most appropriate style. On the more dressy suits for afternoon wear, braid seems to have the lead by all means and two or three varieties may be used on the same garment and in this way very handsome patterns may be carried out. Another trimming is use of straps of velvet and also those of dress materials. Even in the afternoon dress there is great plainness evident this winter, a collar and cuffs being the only relief to a studied severity. Much of this lack of decoration is owing to the much trimmed styles of the past two seasons.

Several walking suits seen this week carry out the ideas mentioned above and interesting from some of their novel features. One emphasized the Norfolk jacket, a style that is always popular with those women who have retained their youthfulness of figure, while it is the most serviceable mode for a business suit. Hunter's green broadcloth was the material used and self strapppings the mode of decoration. The cut of the coat was that of the box model, depending upon the fit of the under arm seams for its adjustment to the figure, while two broad straps are placed on the side front and side back of the coat, extending across the shoulders. The sleeves are in regulation coat style finished with two buttons at the bottom. The collar is a tailored turnover with velvet set-ins and a belt and fancy buckle, carrying out the Norfolk idea. A deep hem having many rows of machine stitching is its only decoration.

The second model was developed from striped tweed in three tones consisting of a seven-gored skirt laid in clusters of three plaits and finished at the bottom with a stitched hem. The coat has a semi-fitting affair with a notched collar, hip pockets and turn back cuffs, all stitched, as its only trimming. In each case these skirts were of instep length and well adapted for the women who desire to have their hands free while walking. The hats worn were small, of felt and plainly trimmed with velvet bows and quills. Heavy mannish gloves with dark stitchings and a tailored shirtwaist would be an accompaniment in good taste.

A very modish design was shown in an entirely up to date suit intended for the afternoon which was of a plainer style than is usually seen. The peculiar note was found in the jacket which was tight fitting and tucked. Fronts, side fronts, backs, side backs and under arm gores are used to give the garment a close fit. A graduated hem tuck is formed on the back edges of the fronts, under which the side fronts are stitched and a corresponding tuck is made in the latter, giving the effect of a pair of tucks in each front extending to the lower edge, the seams not being in evidence. The joining of the backs and the side backs is done in the same way, the tucks turning towards the armholes. A belt attached under the last tuck in the front and the one nearest the armholes in the back adds much to the jaunty effect. The closing is made with buttons and button holes. The collar is in military style and the cuffs are turned backs while the sleeves are in plain coatsleeve mode. While it has rivals the plaited skirt is still holding its own and women seem to get more comfort from its wearing than from any other and to the short woman it is indispensable. The skirt to go with this costume is made with four gores with inverted sections at each seam. The inverted sections are laid in plaits that face each other and also conceal their joinings to the gores. Pointed sections or straps cut either bias or straight and tapering gradually to the belt, cover the seams and overlap the plaits. This skirt is not so short as those of the two suits already described, but it is yet quite clear of the ground. It should measure at the bottom with the plaits drawn out five and a half yards round.

A pretty suit that is a combination of velvet and broadcloth was very smart in appearance, using the velvet for the coat and the broadcloth for the skirt. The jacket is equally as stylish as an Eton or a bolero. Its feature is the tuck which is becoming so prominent in this year's jackets. This jacket is short, coming just to the waist line. A narrow tuck passes over the shoulders and a wide plait stitched in graduated tuck effect etendsx over the top of the sleeves. Shirrings are made some distance from the bottom of the sleeves, which are short in length. The opening has a Tuxedo collar covered with lace over colored silk and showing a lace blouse inside. A deep girdle coming to a point in the center of the front is worn with the bolero and forms a natty finish. Buttons and button holes are used for closing. The skirt is a plain mode having a front panel and hip gores that come half way down on the sides and back and to which are attached deep plaits. This costume constructed in black broadcloth and velvet decorated with crochet buttons and collar and cuffs of creamy lace, would be extremely fetching, and to this should be added long gloves in black or white, a set of sable furs, a white felt hat trimmed in black velvet and white cock feathers.

A suit having a modish long coat, was constructed of brown velvet and vest and cuffs and revers of tan silk overlaid with heavy lace of a creamy tint. Tucks are taken up at each side of the front in such a way that they simulate box plaits stitched to yoke depth, the same number in the back being continued to the waist line. A flat collar, square at the back outlines the slightly open neck, and the fronts lap broadly and fasten with buttons and cord loops when needed, but there is a vest and the revers are formed of the broad laps and are highly decorative when covered, as in the case with lace or embroidery. The sleeves are full being put in with wide tucks and finished at the bottom with revered cuffs covered to match the vest and revers. The skirt is of the ordinary but popular plaited mode having a broad panel in the front formed by the plaits themselves. Made in black broadcloth this suit would be a most useful addition to the wardrobe and the coat would be found equally in good taste with other skirts. This same costume was developed in green prinella and trimmed with yhite satin satin cloth, embroidered with bold silk. The coat was in this instance made with just a slight peplium instead of the long skirts.

Ruffles of lace or net are being made use of as a form of trimming for the thin silk waists, indeed, the waist appears to be composed of ruffles, and as many are worn as the figure can stand, the care being given not to bring them too low about the waist.

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VICTORIA COLONIST (Con.)

A Gazette extra issued last evening nounces the dissolution of the local islature. Nomination day is fixed for uary 19, and election day for February 2. The new house is to meet on arch 8.

While the campaign will be a short e, it will be long enough for every egitimate purpose. Everybody has been ooking for an election, and preparations re already well advanced.

The contest will doubtless be vigorous. The government, while confident of success, will spare no effort to make that uccess as complete as possible. The opposition claim to be very hopeful, and t any rate say that they will make a trenuous fight. What effect the independent labor movement will have no one can foretell. It may be a formidable factor, and it may have only a disturbing influence. The socialists will make the most of every opportunity afforded them.

The government enters upon the campaign with the resolve to secure a majority that will strengthen its position n the legislature. It will act in alliance ith none of the other elements in the olitical field, and will have candidates every constituency. It appeals to the electorate upon its record, and with very confidence that the verdict will be its favor.

On the present occasion, for reasons t are obvious, the Colonist will not l with any of the campaign issues. will content itself with asking government a consideration of its rse during the three and a half years which it has been in power.

VICTORIA TIMES, (Lib.)

he announcement on Monday evening he dissolution of the legislature did occasion much surprise. Although mbers of the government and newsers supporting the government had months pooh-poohed the idea of an al to the constituencies of the pro-e, it was evident that the premier made up his mind never again to t the old legislature. His experience his conservative friends, and his e easily managed supporters affect-to stand for revolutionary doctrines, ng three sessions of the now dis-ed assembly had convinced him that risked another meeting of the house he face of a desire on the part of all members behind the government to re themselves in the estimation of constituents, he would be inviting r—the greatest disaster which befall any such government, the t of appeal to the people as a gov-ment. The premier is not a profound tesman; as his most devoted admirers ll admit, but he does possess some of qualifications necessary in a politi-of his narrow calibre, and he knew if forced by dire political circum-ces to go before the electorate of ish Columbia as the leader of the sition, only the remnant of his al-d conservative organization could rge from the fight. Therefore he rmined to make the most of the sit-on in which he found himself. This rmination has been manifest in all doings since the prorogation of the e last spring. His program has been et everything in readiness for an al, while at the same time endeavor-to lull the opposition into the be-that dissolution was the very last g in his thoughts. But his work was transparent to deceive the public. muddling of the better terms agita-n was especially crude and clumsy. the time he went to Ottawa to at-d the conference of provincial prem-s the Times pointed out that prem-McBride started on his mission not r the purpose of serving the interests the province, but to promote his own rsonal ends as an office-holder. He nt to Ottawa determined to secure an ction cry; determined to create the pression that as the champion of the ople of British Columbia any measure conference might propose for the ad-stment of the financial relations be-n the province and the dominion d not be satisfactory. If endowed the capacity to understand and e the case of the province, he ap-red before the conference absolutely prepared to discharge any such office, rding to the testimony of his fellow-servative premiers from the other vinces. Either that or a satisfactory angement was the last thing he de-sired. When he foresaw that the conference and the dominion government were really anxious to do the fullest justice to British Columbia, when overtures were made for further discussion and fuller consideration, he became alarmed lest his election cry might be endangered, incontinently withdrew from the conference, fled to New York hastily came to British Columbia, and immediately took the stump and elected to have his government stand or fall upon the cry of better terms. And this premier McBride calls keeping the issue out of party politics, a claim which will bear no other interpretation than that we must accept the government as the only champion of provincial rights, putting aside the Kaien Island transaction, the gross disregard of public interests and the ignominious surrender to the demands of corporations in every transaction in which the rights of the people came in conflict with such interests.

But the premier has deceived no one by his coarse political methods. His hand could be read as easily as though it had been held up for the inspection of the whole community. His organs tell us that his government will appeal to the people upon its record. It will do this because it has no alternative. There is an evident belief in the mind of the premier that such portions of this record as give forth an unsavory odor can be obscured by a process of eliminating members of the government who appear to have had most to do with their consummation. The chief commissioner is to be made the scape-goat. But Mr. Green's back is not broad enough to carry all the sins of the ministry off into the wilderness of oblivion. All the members of the administration are equally responsible with him for the Kaien Island land deal, the scandalous irregularities in connection with the disposition of the Kitamaat lands, the surrender to one corporation of public property worth millions of dollars to which the corporation had neither moral nor legal right, or for the intention to commit more scandalous abuses, still, designs which were only frustrated by reason of the unwillingness of two conscientious conservatives to agree to any such iniquity and the assured solid opposition of the liberal party.

In the elections judgment will be pronounced upon the record of the government, not upon the actions of any members or ex-members of it.

KASLO KOOTENAIAN (CON.)

Kaslo is full of political rumors at present, some of them reliable, some not. That Hon. R. F. Green has resigned from the cabinet we readily admit, but that he has retired from public life we are inclined to doubt. That his resignation came as a surprise to his friends and supporters here is putting it mildly, but that he retired from public life, is simply beyond belief. The cause which led to his sudden step is yet unknown. Coming at such a time and in the zenith of a brilliant career, his action is astonishing. Admitted to be the strong man of the McBride ministry and the most efficient head that ever managed the lands and works department of British Columbia, the surrender of his office is inexplainable. We know of no explanation for his action, and being unacquainted with the facts, offer no solution ourselves. Explanation is expected and no doubt will be forthcoming in a few days. That everything will be satisfactorily accounted for we haven't the slightest doubt, and that when explanation is offered the Hon. R. F. Green will be more popular than ever before, we are equally certain. Meanwhile we would ask our conservative friends to delay judgment a short time longer, to carefully consider the many false rumors afloat, to value at their true worth the unreliable political rot appearing in such sheets as the Nelson Daily News and others of its ilk. For months' announcement followed announcement all founded on rumor, all devoid of fact. This time they struck a little truth and inflated it, through habit, with fiction. The effect of some veterances of the News in a little hard-shell Grit circle here was marvellous. They swallowed the dope as unanimously as governments and hurried off by themselves to reconsider the after effects. Believing that R. F. Green had left the political arena, hope has been revived in their fallen breasts. Let them gloat, it may do them a little good and others certainly no harm. If they imagine the member for Kaslo is down and out, they will soon be disillusioned; if out of the race and are carried away with the idea of success in the coming election, their visions will soon be dispelled. Although we have no authority for saying so, we are confident that the Hon. R. F. Green will be the conservative candidate for Kaslo riding, that should he decide to run, his election is positively certain, and whether he does or not a liberal—very liberal defeat is assured. Meanwhile we counsel the electorate to have a little patience and the political sky will clear. The late chief commissioner will be here in a few days, that he will explain his action is certain and that whatever explanation he may have to offer will be found to be in the interests of good government will prove to be true, but that he has retired from public life we don't believe for an instant.

VANCOUVER WORLD (LIB.)

The dissolution of the house and the general election have come most opportunely with respect to the principal issues of the day, the one great issue for British Columbia, better terms. It is unfortunate for the government but fortunate for the province, that the constituencies should be able to pass judgment on the mismanagement of the premier while the Ottawa fiasco is still so recent that the facts are still in the public mind. From the party standpoint, indeed, the advantage to the opposition is so great that it is inconceivable that the government would have gone to the country had there been an alternative. Mr. Green's sins, both of ommission and commission having, however, found him out, and his delayed but inevitable retirement having become an accomplished fact, Mr. McBride was confronted with the necessity of opening two constituencies to fill the vacancies in his cabinet or of meeting the house short of two colleagues and short of two supporters. The first was impossible and his refusal of the second demonstrated his knowledge of his own weakness. With a generalship having the merit of knowing and choosing the lesser of two evils he goes to the country putting his faith in the lucky chapter of accidents. He has avoided the Charybdis of defeat in the house and the Scylla of retirement at the request of the lieutenant governor who demands a full cabinet, and he now awaits what the turmoil of a general election may bring forth.

Failure to negotiate for better terms is not by any means the only charge which can be brought against the government. In the retirement of Mr. Green from the post of chief commissioner of lands and works and the announcement that he will not again stand for election, the country at large will find all the confirmation needed of the truth of the charges of malfeasance brought against the member for Kaslo.

The government could not go to the country with the late chief commissioner Green in the ministry. Its organs may smear the ministrial policy thickly with veneer and whitewash ,they may assert that Mr. Green's private affairs need his attention and may say that the premier parts from his officer with regret; that the county has lost a useful and valuable servant, and that his departure was voluntary. But the constituencies know better. They know that Mr. Green has retired, if not by commaad, at least at the urgent request of his colleagues, and of many of their influential supporters. He was too heavy a load for the party to pack, and although he objected at first to being brushed aside while others who will remain as richly deserve extinction, he was at last forced to submit to the inevitable and step down from a position which he has discredited. The "band of adventurers, male and female," who have practically controlled the chief spending department of the government, are disconsolate. In the deposition of Mr. Green their own ruin is foreshadowed. They see that the government has practically pleaded guilty to the grave irregularities practised by the department and with a popular defeat staring them in the face they know that proceedings to recover the valuable assets of which the province has been spoiled ,will be among the first duties of the incoming government.

From the date of the inquiry into the Kitimaat transaction down to the Kaien island scandal there has been a chain of ill doing beside which the acts of the late minister of crown lands in Australia seem pure as the driven snow. Is it any wonder that Mr. Green has been forced out of office, or that his colleagues refuse to sit at the same council board with him, and condone his acts? That they have done so for a long time, since they were possessed of unassailable evidence of his short comings and tergiversations stamps them as little better than their late colleague. The premier did come to the rescue of the chief commissioner when the session was drawing to a close, but Mr. Green himself had not a word in his own behalf. The public is to be congratulated. The day when a "band of adventurers, male and female," can dictate the policy of the government, preside over the expenditure of public funds and the awarding of contracts, appropriate a whole countryside for their own behoof, and make millions by these practices, is drawing to a close. The period of spoliation is at an end and the age of retribution and restitution is at hand. The constituencies will soon have it in their power to express an opinion as to the policy of the government. We have not the slightest doubt as to what the verdict will be. The government will be defeated and ignominously sent to limbo. Not one of their number should scramble back into the house. Since all are bad al imust hang together.

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TENDERS FOR A LICENSE TO CUT TIMBER ON DOMINION LANDS IN THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked "Tender for Timber Berth No. 503, or for Timber Berth No. 504," will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1907, for licenses to cut timber on Berth Nos. 503 and 504, comprising lands situate in the Province of British Columbia on Suicide or Silver creek and described as follows:

Timber Berth No. 503—Commencing at a post planted on Suicide or Silver creek, where the same is intersected by the north boundary of the south half of Section 3, Township 21, east of the Coast Meridian (or the same produced east or west) thence northerly up the said creek three miles in direct distance with a depth of half a mile on each side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of the creek within the berth, containing an area of 1902 acres, more or less.

Timber Berth No. 504—Commencing at a point on said Suicide or Silver creek at the upper boundary of Timber Berth No. 503 thence northerly up said creek a distance of two miles in direct distance, with a depth of one-half mile on the west side and one mile on the east side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of creek within the berth, the lower boundary to be the upper boundary of Berth No. 503, containing an area of 1920 acres, more or less.

The berths must be surveyed within a year from the date of the notice awarding the berths.

The regulations under which the license will be issued, also printed forms of tender and envelope, may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster, B.C.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES, Secretary.
Department of the Interior, Ottawa, December 13th, 1906.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 505," will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1907, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 505, situate in the Province of British Columbia, and comprising five Blocks, described as follows:

BLOCK 1—Commencing at a post planted on and about one-half mile from the mouth of an unnamed creek which enters Suicide or Silver creek from a northwesterly direction at a distance of about five and one-half miles North of the Southern Boundary of Township 21, East of the Coast Meridian; thence up the said unnamed creek a distance of three miles, in direct distance, with a depth of three-quarters of a mile on either side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said creek within the block, containing an area of 2880 acres, more or less, but not to interfere with Timber Berths 503 and 504, also excluding any lands that may be settled on.

BLOCK 2—Commencing at a post planted on and about half a mile from the mouth of the Westerly Branch of Suicide creek, on the rear boundary of Timber Berth No. 501 (said Westerly Branch joins the said creek from a northwesterly direction at a point about ten miles north from the Southerly Boundary of Township 21, East of the Coast Meridian; thence up said Westerly Branch three miles in direct distance, with a depth of one mile on the Northerly side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of the creek within the block, the lower or easterly boundary to be drawn due north from starting point. Also a piece on the southerly side of said Westerly Branch commencing at same starting point and running up stream two miles, with a depth of half a mile on the said southerly side, measured on same bearing as portion north of creek, the lower or easterly boundary to be the rear boundary of Timber Berth 501, the whole containing an area of 2640 acres, more or less.

BLOCK 3 — Commencing at the same starting point as Block 2; thence northeasterly following the northwesterly boundary of Timber Berths 501 and 502, a distance of two miles, more or less, to a point half a mile east of first unnamed creek; thence northerly and parallel to said unnamed creek, a distance of one mile; thence southwesterly parallel to the said northwesterly boundary of Timber Berths 501 and 502 a distance of two and one half miles, more or less to the easterly boundary of Block 2, or the same produced, to point of commencement, containing an area of 1440 acres, more or less.

BLOCK 4—Commencing at a post planted on and about one mile from the mouth of an unnamed creek entering Suicide creek from an easterly direction, at a point situated about nine miles north from the southerly boundary of Township 21, east of the Coast Meridian, said post being on the rear boundary of Timber Berth 501; thence up said unnamed creek one mile in direct distance, with a depth of one half mile on each side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said creek within the Block, containing an area of 640 acres, more or less.

BLOCK 5—Commencing at a post planted on and about one mile from the mouth of an unnamed creek entering Suicide creek from an easterly direction, at a point situated about six and one-half miles north from the southerly boundary of Township 21, east of the Coast Meridian; thence up said unnamed creek a distance of one and one-half miles in direct distance, with a depth of one-half mile on each side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said creek within the block, excluding therefrom any portion of Timber Berths 501 and 504 which may fall within the same, containing an area of 960 acres, more or less.

This berth must be surveyed within one year from the date of the notice awarding the berth.

The regulations under which a license will be issued, also printed forms of tender and envelope, may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster, B.C.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy Minister of the Interior for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES, Secretary.
Department of the Interior, Ottawa, December 13th, 1906.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 506, will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1907, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 506, on Stave River, and commencing at the center of Section 32, Township 5, Range 2, west of the 7th Meridian, thence northeasterly following the trend of the mountains, to the east and west center line of Section 4 in Township 6 of same range; thence east along said center line of Section 4 and of Section 3, to the center of said Section 3; thence due north half a mile; thence due west 20 chains; thence northwesterly 150 chains, more or less, to the east and west center line of Section 16, about 35 chains west of the center of said section; thence due west 35 chains, more or less, to east side of Stave river; thence southeasterly along Stave river to north and south center line of Section 3, in Township 6; thence due south two miles, more or less, to point of commencement, containing an area of 2570 acres, more or less.

This berth must be surveyed within one year from the date of the notice awarding the berth.

The regulations under which the license will be issued, also printed forms of tender and envelope, may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster, B.C.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for a license.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES, Secretary.
Department of the Interior, Ottawa, December 13th, 1906.