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INVASION OF HINDUS

Excitement in Vancouver Over Arrival of Last Contingent

Mayor Buscombe Orders Police to Prevent Them Leaving Detention Shed--Too Many Without Means of Support

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Oct. 15.—When the Empress of Japan arrived in port this afternoon having 130 Hindus on board she was met at the wharf by chief of police Chisholm with a force of constables, who refused to allow the immigrants to leave the wharf. This action was the result of the agitation against Hindu invasion which has become intense, culminating in the following letter being sent this morning to general superintendent Marpole by the city officials:

"I am instructed to request that your company detain all East Indians now en route to this port on arrival until such time as the city council shall receive definite and satisfactory assurances that they will not become a charge upon the community.

"I am further instructed to state that pending the receipt of such assurances, the city police has instructions to prevent any such East Indians leaving the detention shed.

"ARTHUR McEVOY, City Clerk."

There threatened to be trouble at the wharf for a time as the C. P. R. claimed that the local police had no right to stop the Hindus after they were passed by immigration officer Munro. This latter official finally solved the difficulty by turning down the whole lot on the ground that they were liable to become charges on the community. The whole crowd are now in the detention sheds under guard. Unless the order is changed all will have to be sent back on the next steamer.

Public interest in the question here is at white heat and a public meeting has been called for tomorrow night in the city hall by mayor Buscombe.

(A. P. Despatch)

Vancouver, Oct. 15.—Acting under instructions from mayor Buscombe, the Vancouver police are guarding the dominion government's immigration detention shed on the waterfront, to prevent the landing of the Hindus now held there. The local objection to the Hindu immigration has reached the acute stage here, and trouble similar to that which marked the Chinese riots several years ago is anticipated by many people. The mayor has notified the C. P. R. authorities that the city will not permit any additional East Indians to leave the detention shed until assurance is received that they will not became a charge upon the city. The mayor says he daily has applications for aid from scores of Hindus already here and who are in a starving condition.

The steamer Empress of Japan brought in over 100 Hindus this afternoon, none being allowed to land.

Just what right the city has to take this stand will likely be the subject of legal controversy, but as might is right before such cases get to the courts, the police will probably have things all their own way for the time being. It is claimed on one hand that the Immigration Act contains no clause which will permit the city to prevent the Hindus from spreading through the city. It is admitted that the act declares that any person, who, within two years from the time of landing in Canada, proves a charge upon the community, such person may be deported. However, it is held that to become a charge upon the community the people affected must first be allowed to land. The act says no indigent persons are to be admitted, but it is said that the dominion medical health officer, and not the city, is appointed to pass upon that point.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The department of trade and commerce received today a complaint from the colonial office which was forwarded there from British Columbia, against the influx of East Indians.

The collector of customs at Vancouver informed the department that arrivals to date number 1486.

LAUNCH PARTY'S CLOSE CALL

Narrowly Escaped Plunge Over Niagara Falls Cataract.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 15.—A disabled launch containing a party of six men and women, was swept into the rapids and within half a mile of the brink of the falls late tonight. They were saved from a plunge over the cataract by Albert Greenwood, of Chippewa, Ont., who brought them ashore in his launch.

The party consisted of Charles B. Lentz and Mrs. Lentz, Mrs. Charles Clapham and daughter Nellie, C. W. Clendenan, and engineer James Herschell.

Captain Lentz lost his bearings in the dark and struck a bar near the foot of Buckhorn island, smashing the launch's rudder and leaving the little boat helpless. The first anchor chain snapped and the boat started down the river in a 17-mile current. The second anchor dragged along the bottom of the river for some time, the occupants of the boat frantically calling for help. Nothing could be done for them. The second anchor finally caught on a ledge near the Candian shore and within sound of the falls. Captain Lentz attracted attention from shore by using the launch's flashlight. Word was sent to Albert Greenwood, owner of a small steam launch. Greenwood volunteered to attempt a rescue. He made two trips through the dangerous channels and brought the party safely ashore.

STRIKE OF BROOM-MAKERS

Several Factories Closed and Price of Brooms Advanced 25 per cent.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The factories of the Amsterdam, Gardner and the Pioneer Broom companies of this city and that of the Mohawk Valley Broom company, of Fonda, are closed down because of a strike. The sewers and winders refused today to work.

The strike embraces several hundred men, all unionists. Last week the American Broom and Brush company here advanced the wages of its employees, who are non-unionists.

The union men in the other factories forthwith demanded an increase in wages of from 12½ to 20 per cent, which is grater than that granted the non-union men. This has been refused. The American company has now advanced the price of brooms 25 cents a dozen.

PROVIDENCE DIRECTORS

EN ROUTE FROM CHICAGO TO GREENWOOD FOR MEETING

B. C. MINES GROWING IN FAVOR IN THE UNITED STATES

Financial secretary H. J. Fitzgerald, and directors judge H. Hildreth and Rev. J. Gill, all of Chicago, passed through Nelson last night on their way to Greenwood where they will meet M. S. Madden, president, with others and will hold this evening the annual meeting of the Providence Mining company. Mr. Fitzgerald had little to say about the mining outlook before his property, not caring to talk before the publication of the information which will undobutedly be given out this evening at the meeting. The mine, he declared, was looking very well, and the only thing troubling him was a notification he had received from the Trail smelter that it could receive no more ore from the Providence at present. This, however, he understood from another source was not altogether due to the coal troubles but rather that the extensive improvements recently inaugurated at that smelter necessitated a temporary close down in order to better start up under the new system.

Mr. Fitzgerald is deeply interested in this country and declared that British Columbia was receiving all kinds of attention both in the east and in the middle west. Copper was jumping. The whole visible supply was seemingly contracted for and today, in his opinion, British Columbia held the best position as a potential and actual copper producer. The Granby company was well advertised and everywhere held up to admiration as a well managed and prosperous concern. Its stock was listed on the New York Exchange just like that of the railroads and a very general interest was being excited in the mines of this province in the United States.

Mr. Fitzgerald had read in The Daily News of the determination of manager A. W. Hodges of the Granby, to get a supply of coke from the east and thought the project eminently feasible. "If Hodges can run that Granby smelter for two weeks with eastern coke he will break up the Fernie strike. Manager and men alike know what is going on." Mr. Fitzgerald went on to point out that in Milwaukee, a much nearer point to the west than any other, the Solvey company could supply all the coke that was necessary and could indeed give a hundred tons a day to British Columbia if the demand were made. Moreover he said, that the coke could be supplied at bottom figures as the product was not the chief end of the Solvey company and the freight should be cheap, especially at the present as there were trains of empties returning west after having carried the harvest eastward. The railways would be sure to give an extremely reasonable rate.

Asked how the Solvey company, so far removed from the coal fields, could be a coke producer, Mr. Fitzgerald said that it had been founded by Ferdinand Schlessinger, the man who bought up all the iron properties in the northwest before 1893 only to go down in the financial depression of that year and have his properties bought in for a song by Andrew Carnegie who bought for under $10,000,000 what was afterwards probably worth fifteen times that sum to him. Schlessinger, a German, had then gone to Germany and had there, with the help of German capital and a German chemist come back to the centrally situated German city of Milwaukee and there started the extraction of all kinds of by-products from coal and coal tar, going into the composition of almost every manufacture in the country. The coal was brought in from Pennsylvania, the gas sold to the local gas company, the by products elaborated and sent out in every direction while for the coke a market was being attempted by getting it into domestic use.

"For this reason," said Mr. Fitzgerald "I think you people can easily solve your problem by getting your necessary coke supply from the nearest situated supply point to you, east of the Rockies."

COLLIERY DISASTER

Twenty-Five Miners Killed and 200 Temporarily Entombed

Work of Rescue Proceeding and Hopes Are Entertained That All Survivors Will be Brought Out by Morning

Durham, Eng., Oct. 15.—As a result of an explosion in the Wingate colliery near here at about midnight last night, 25 miners were killed and 200 are entombed temporarily. It is fortunate that only a small portion of the 200 men employed in the mine were down in the workings when the explosion occurred. The cause is supposed to have been fire damp.

The explosion was one of terrific force and in Wingate town many windows were broken. Immediately the news of the disaster became known crowds of half clad persons were rushing toward the mine, and there were heart rending scenes at the mouth of the pit among those whose loved ons were below.

The first report represented the disaster to be worse than subsequently was found to be the case. At daylight signals had been exchanged with the bottom seam, where a majority of the men were entombed, to the effect that they were safe and with this message a sense of relief passed over th crowd of anxious relatives waiting at the mouth.

As the morning advanced the bodies of dead men were slowly brought up. The first dead to appear were mostly men who had been employed as shifters and stonemen. The work of rescue was continued throughout the day. Eighty men were brought out alive. Many of these, however, were in a critical condition and unconscious. Later supplies of coffee and sandwiches were passed in to those still entombed.

At a late hour tonight, to the joy of their relatives, four men were brought up from the lower seam where the deaths had occurred. These men had been reckoned among the dead. Although they were exhausted they will probably recover.

The shaft still is blocked with wreckage but the ventilation is good and it is hoped that all the entombed men will be rescued before morning.

DISCUSS FREIGHT RATES

WHOLESALERS' ASSOCIATION TO MEET THIS EVENING.

ENTIRE KOOTENAY COUNTRY IS CONCERNED.

The next move of this city, as representative of the mountain section of British Columbia, in the matter of freight rates, will probably be taken at a meeting of the Wholesalers' Association this evening at 8:30 o'clock when the question will come up for discussion. It is desired that any citizens feel interested in the situation will be present at that meeting, whether members of the association or not.

Fred Starkey, president of the Nelson board of trade, who is also vice-president of the associated boards of trade of southern British Columbia, speaking yesterday on the subject, declared it to be one of vital importance to every person living in the Kootenay and stated that the high rate of living here was one of the deterrents to immigration. There was no reason, thought Mr. Starkey, why the cost of living should be so much greater here. Some figures had lately appeared in the local press but these had not cleaed up the matter sufficiently. It was not a case of Nelson alone, for the case was equally oppressive upon other portions of the eastern half of the province. Vancouver was raising trouble because Winnipeg and Calgary were underselling its merchants over this section of the province. But Nelson had a far better case; it cost more to get goods from the east direct to Nelson, in car lots, than to get the same goods from Vancouver here, after Vancouver had imported them from the east itself. Mr. Starkey saw neither reason nor justice in the situation.

He said that he presumed the C. P. R. had thought it had done quite sufficient when Nelson was made a distributing centre. As long as the system of distributing centres applied at all in the country, Nelson, as the most convenient place in this part of the province, was naturally enough a distributing centre. As such it should share the advantages of others. But whether Nelson was or was not a distributing cenre made no difference to the fact that Vancouver could undersell Nelson with eastern goods, with an extra haul of a thousand miles. This was flatly discrimination by the railway.

The chief trouble, according to Mr. Starkey, is that as long as the distributing centre did exist, the factitious advantages enjoyed under such a system by one city or another would be played off by the railway company when an amelioration of conditions was sought. There never could be a community of interests and the protests of one city could easily be met by showing how, if they were considered, the system of rates would have to be changed at another, how that would affect a third and, therefore, to touch one iota of that sacred compilation, the freight schedules, it would be necessary to alter every letter through endless ramifications from one end of Canada to the other.

For this reason the president of the board of trade is inclined now to be of the opinion that the freight should be charged upon the mileage system and that distributing points should be done away with altogether. Thus a carload of material from Montreal would have a dearer rate to Vancouved than to Nelson and that to Nelson a dearer rate than to Calgary. The system would then become intelligible to anyone and not merely to the interested compilers of a complicated schedule for ever varying and for ever being qualified by some obscure circular. There should be no more trouble over the freight than over the passenger rate. There wasn't in Australia. The obstacle that Mr. Starkey saw was the objection with regard to sea borne freights. It was cheaper to ship from Atlantic to Pacific by water than by rail and the railway companies maintain that as a matter of business they had to meet those rates by making their through rates very much lower than the rates on freight that stopped short of sea terminals. Mr. Starkey pointed out that the difference in time was a sufficient protection. Where, for instance, machinedy was wanted in a hurry it would be shipped by rail, the higher rate being cheerfully paid, just as the difference between express and freight rates. The express dates did not have to come down to meet the ordinary freight schedule.

The other objection that Mr. Starkey saw was that there might be an interested kick if the distributing centers were done away with, Nelson itself at present enjoying that advantage. Under the mileage system, Creston, for example, could get goods from the east cheaper than could Nelson. But until Cdeston could buy goods in wholesale quantities and import in car loads it could not compete with Nelson or Nelson wholesalers. When it was in a position to do so it would not be fair o wihhold from it that privilege. "And it is," finished Mr. Starkey, "because Nelson is being deprived of its natural adavantages that the whole of the kick is being raised. Moreover it is not a question for Nelson alone, it is for every citizen in the whole country side."

ONTARIO BANK FAILURE

GENERAL MANAGER McGILL ADMITS TO $1,250,000.

E. S. CLOUSTON NEGOTIATING THE TERMS OF TRANSFER.

Toronto, Oct. 15.—E. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, arrived in Toronto this morning to personally attend the negotiations by which that bank assumes the liabilities and takes over a portion of the assets of the Ontario bank.

G. R. R. Cockburn, president of the Ontario bank, stated this morning that an expert would be brought to examine McGill's books.

This morning there was a slight run on branches of the Ontario bank, those who came for money being all small depositors. Outside of each bank stood a clerk of the Bank of Montreal with a stamp of that bank and as each Ontario bank depositor came up the clerk asked to be allowed to stamp his deposit book with the name of the Bank of Montreal. In most cases this satisfied the depositors.

Withdrawals of depositors of the Ontario bank and branches on Saturday amounted to $140,000. At the clearing house this morning the Ontario bank's debit was $700,000 and its credits $60,000. The Bank of Montreal sent over legal tenders for the balance.

McGill, general manager of the wrecked Ontario bank, admits a shortage of $1,250,000.

A director says McGill's operations ran the gamut of some of the most speculative stocks on the New York market and were even carried into the wheat pit of Chicago.

DEATH OF SAM JONES

Was Homeward Bound to Celebrate His Fifty-Ninth Birthday.

Little Rock, Oct. 15.—Rev. Sam Jones, the well known evangelist of Cartersville, Ga., died early today of heart failure in a sleeping car on a Rock Island train near Perry, Ark. Mr. Jones had been conducting a most successful revival in Oklahoma city and left there last night for his home in Georgia. He decided to attend a family re-union tomorrow, it being the 59th anniversary of his birth. Mr. Jones and his daughters, Mrs. Annie Pyron and Miss Julia Jones were with him when he passed away. Mr. Jones arose from his berth in the sleeping car about 5 o'clock and complained of nausea. He drank a glass of water and immediately afterwards collapsed. Rev. W. Holcomb, who had been associated with Mr. Jones for years, took the dying man in his arms and in a few minutes the evangelist breathed his last. The body was embalmed and was sent to Cartersville this afternoon.

WAR STORES' SCANDALS

General Lyttleton Completely Exonerated—Other Officials Censured.

London, Oct. 15.—The war office issued today its decisions in the case of officers involved in the South African war stores' scandals. General sir Neville Gerald Lyttleon, chief of the general staff and first military member of the army council, is completely exonerated, secretary of war Haldane and the army council concluding that it was impossible for general Lyttleton to supervise the system of supply while commanding the troops. Several officers are censured and others retired with and without the pay allowed retired officers. Many others are exonerated and restored to the service.

M'BRIDE'S BABY TRICK

Sacrifices British Columbia's Intersts to His Personal Spleen

Would Rather Have a Grievance Than an Increased Subsidy--His Conduct Censured by Premier Whitney of Ontario

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The dominion will have to pay $2,374,008, under the new subsidy arrangement to the provinces. Of this British Columbia will get $215,000 annually over what she now receives.

The official records show that the extra subsidy to British Columbia was voted after premier McBride had left the room.

Premier Roblin brought him back, but he refused to negotiate and left for good.

The extra subsidy was given British Columbia at the request of the dominion ministers.

McBride was asked if he would accept $30,000 in perpetuity and $40,000 annually for ten years, as something to begin with, so that conference could deal intelligently with the matter, but he would not consider the proposition. The only proposition which McBride laid before conference was that in regard to arbitration, which the provincial premiers voted down 8 to 1. Anything else said or done by him was of an informal character. As Whitney said at the conference:

"McBride was neither frank nor candid. Arbitrations are for settling disputes. There was no dispute in this case. What was wanted was some one to negotiate."

From the proceedings one would think that McBride preferred his grievance to cash and when $100,000 was moved for by Whitney, he disappeared.

HANDICAPPED BY POOR ROADS.

Unfortunate State of Affairs at the La Plata Mine.

Captain Trethewey, manager of the La Plata mine, was in Nelson yesterday evening much vexed at the situation at his property. Lying at the landing on Kootenay lake, ten miles by wagon road from the mine, are four car loads of machinery that cannot be taken up to the mine during the present vile state of the roads. Lying at the mill, ten miles above the lake are 600 tons of concentrates that cannot be taken down on their way to the smelter just for the same reason. The pipe line connecting the new compressor with the mine, a mile and a half away, is in position. The foundations for the plant are ready and waiting. The plant itself is at the lake landing. Until such time as that plant can be assembled the mine must perforce run on the old and expensive hand drilling system and its output cannot be extended.

"We have spent over $1,000 on that road this year and the government promised that it would put it in good shape for us," said the manager, "but nothing has been done. But the government will collect $1,500 to $2,000 on the 2 per cent mineral tax for our summer work and I suppose that if I asked for half that money to be expended on our road I would be laughed at ,although it would permit us to earn them as much more in a short time. I tell you I was a good tory when I came to this province but I'm not sure as to my soundness now."

MRS. DAVIS DYING.

New York, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the confederacy, is dying of pneumonia at the hotel Majestic in this city. It is believed she cannot survive more than a few hours. Mrs. Davis has been ill several days, but it has been believed that she would recover up to last night when a sudden change for the worse was noticed.

VICTIM OF STRIKE RIOT.

Buckingham, Que., Oct. 15.—Detective Warner, who was badly wounded in the battle with striking millmen last Monday, died this morning. He belonged to the Thiel detective agency of Montreal.

COAL STRIKE SITUATION

STATEMENT ISSUED BY PRESIDENT DICKEN OF FERNIE LOCAL.

CHARGES BAD FAITH AND DEMANDS INVESTIGATION.

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Oct. 15.—Though nothing new has transpired during the last few days to outwardly alter the aspect of the strike situation, the publication of several letters by members of the union in which they openly express their disapproval of the action of the district president in calling out the men, is not without significance, and would appear to indicate that the men are far from being unanimous in support of the course pursued by their district officers. The statement of W. M. Dickens, president of Fernie local union, expresses the opinion of the miners, who are beginning to realize that if a blunder has been committed it is time the responsibility for the present lamentable state of affairs be placed where it belongs.

At a meeting of the union held subsequent to the appearance of president Dicken's statement in the Free Press, Dicken resigned and W. H. Moore was elected to fill his place pro tem.

Dicken will meet a committee of the union on Wednesday to explain why he came to issue a statement.

Wm. Dicken was in his second term of office as president of Gladstone (Fernie) miners' union and was only recently nominated by this local for national board member of the United Mine Workers of America. His statement, the publication of which has caused his resignation, is given in full hereunder:

Fellow Workmen: At this time of our present trouble, I feel that I cannot refrain from acquainting you with the facts about the mis-leading notice which was published in reference to us giving non-union men seven days' notice that we intended to cease working with them. I might state here the reason that I am giving this to the press is on account of statements made to the effect that we, as the local officers of Fernie union, are responsible for this strike. I will give an account of this strike from its inception:

For the last two or three months a number of men have notified the company's clerks at Coal Creek that they wished to have their names withdrawn from the check-off book and wrote statements to that effect and signed their names to the same, which meant that they did not wish to pay any more dues to the union. Now complaints were made about these men doing this and after we had endeavored to find out the reason why these men had withdrawn their names, we found that some had grievances against some of the union officials and others were going to send their reasons in writing. I always considered that when a man signed the check-off book, he ought to have stood by it until the end of the agreement, without he left the camp before the agreement expired. I say that it was a moral right but I cannot say that he had a legel right because the law does not compel him unless he signed for it to continue until the expiration of the said agreement. This I do hold, however, that any man receiving the benefits which have been gained through the efforts of organized labor and will not pay his dues comes under the head of those who receive goods from a store and will not pay for them or one who will cheat a widow and rob the orphans, and is not fit for the society of honest working men.

Now after this had been thoroughly discussed in our local, it was decided to put it into the hands of the district officials. I don't know what the district did in the matter only that president Sherman waited upon the management with myself, about this question, and were informed that Mr. Lindsey had gone to Victoria the night previous. The president then told me that he was going to write to Mr. Lindsey about these men who had written on the check-off book, declaring that they no longer belonged to the U. M. W. of A. This I think was in the first week of September. No reply arrived that I am aware of and Mr. Lindsey stated that the letter had followed him from one place to another and that was the reason he did not reply. Well, after this president Sherman, national board member Sharpe and our secretary, Mr. Biggs, waited upon Mr. Lindsey at his office and Mr. Lindsey stated that he would send his reply in writing to the union. A special meeting was called and statements made by president Sherman and board member Sharpe in reference to their conference with Mr. Lindsey and after waiting for the letter in reply to the conference, it was suggested that a special committee be appointed, including president Sherman, to go and see Mr. Lindsey and ascertain the reason why the letter had not been sent and president Sherman refused to go and on his suggestion a resolution (which has already been in print) was passed stating that we would come out when called upon by the district officials. This was sent to Mr. Lindsey by our secretary and in reply Mr. Lindsey sent back a letter with part of the minutes of the conference which drew up the present agreement, stating that our representatives at the conference gave their promise that there would be no discrimination against non-union men; also the reason that it was left out of the agreement. After it was read to the meeting it was decided to call a special meeting for Mr. Sherman to explain what was sent in by Mr. Lindsey, and as Mr. Biggs was one of the members of that conference, he was asked if the statements made by Mr. Lindsey were correct. He said as far as he could remember they were, but one word altered would put a different face upon it. President Sherman was in town after this special meeting was decided upon but there was no special meeting held to explain this or that, but a special district board meeting was called and Mr. Sherman chose his own man to represent the men of Fernie and we knew no more until the notices were posted up, which read as follows:

"Acting under instruction of president Mitchell, we hereby give all non-union miners notice that seven days after this date, we will cease to work with non-union men.

U. M. W. of A.

"September 14th, 1906."

We, acting under this instructions, ceased to work at the end of seven days and the president, well knowing that these notices were posted up because they were put up on the Friday, and he left for Victoria on the Saturday night following, and never turned up until the Tuesday night after we had been out three days, and when I asked him the reason he was not here when the notices us to bring on a strike. Now, I ask all expired, he said that he never expected

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TRAGEDY AT CARMI

Two Men Killed and One Seriously Wounded as Result of Quarrel

Murderer is Now Barricaded in Cabin and Defies Arrest--Police and Coroner on Way to Scene of Tragedy

(Special to The Daily News)

Greenwood, Oct. 15.—Word reached here today at noon of a serious shooting affray yesterday at Carmi, near the head of the West Fork of the Kettle river.

James A. Dale shot and killed Peter Boudereau and Joseph Bell and seriously wounded David Smith. Dale has barricaded himself in his cabin and threatens to shoot anyone who approaches. The cabin is surrounded by armed men and the provincial police and coroner A. S. Black, are on their way to the scene of the tragedy.

Dale, the murderer, is well known here and it is thought that he is either temporarily insance or may be crazed with drink. His brother committeed suicide here some years ago. He is a nephew of James Dale, a well known and highly respected prospector who located the Carmi mine and is promoting the town of Carmi. The Dales are Americans, the uncle having come from Carmi, Ill. They are engaged in prospecting and mining and have always been looked upon as prosperous and industrious citizens. It is supposed that the one guilty of shooting had gotten into an altercation with Smith, who is known to be of a quarrelsome nature, and the quarrel led to the shooting.

Dale is a man some 28 years of age and married. His father also lives at Carmi. Much sympathy is felt here for the father and uncle, both of whom have the respect of the community.

OPENING FOR MACHINE MEN

(Special to The Daily News)

Moyie, Oct. 15—If, on account of the strike in the Crow's Nest Pass, machine men in any part of the Kootenays or Boundary should lose their jobs, such men can probably be supplied with work here, as a number of machine men are required at the St. Eugene.

Ernest Mills, representative of the Western Federation of Miners, has just left Moyie, having spent two or three days here attending to his duties. Mr. Mills informed your correspondent that the W.F. of M. both in the United States and Canada, is now more prosperous and numerically stronger than at any other period in its history. He says belief in the innocence of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone is universal among members of the Western Federation and that they are daily expecting a decision to be issued by the supreme court of the United States to the effect that the prisoners held in Idaho must be released, their ground for this expectation being the fact that the supreme court would have to override all its former decisions in similar cases in order to decide otherwise.

FIGHT OVER MILLIONS.

Philadelphia, Oct. 15.—The fight between two women over the distribution of the $60,000,000 estate of the late William Wrightman, the chemist, who was Philadelphia's wealthiest man, was abruptly halted today in the orphan's court by the production of a small sheet of note paper that had turned yellow with age. What the piece of paper contains was not made public and less than a dozen persons who have seen it have pledged themselves never to reveal its contents. The halt in the proceedings was made at the suggestion of ocunsel for Mrs. Jones Wister who is acting as guardian for her daughter, Martha, the contestant, and the sudden turn in the case has made the beneficiaries of the will jubilant. They freely predict that the case has been ended. Rumors of a compromise are denied.

CONSIDERATE BURGLARS

Carman, Man., Oct. 15.—On Friday evening, last $56 was stolen from the till in the C. P. R. station during the absence of Mr. King the agent. Mr. King was the loser and as he would have ta re-imburse the company, the burglars evidently got wind of this and considerately wrote Mr. King a note telling him he would find the money at a certain part of the station. The money came to hand and Mr. King appreciates the compliment.

MEETING OF O. R. C.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 15.—Three hundred delegates of the Order of Railroad Conductors are holding a meeting here today. The delegates represent 213 divisions of the order in the United States and Canada. The meetings are secret.

LADY EDGAR FOR PRESIDENT.

Hamilton, Oct. 15.—The convention of the national council of women of Canada has practically decided to elect lady Edgar of Toronto, widow of sir James Edgar, president for the ensuing year. The next place of meeting will likely be Vancouver.

ANOTHER FOOTBALL VICTIM.

Plainwell, Mich., Oct. 15.—As a result of being kicked in the back during a football game Saturday, Edward Pyche, aged 16 years, may be crippled for life.

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CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS

It would appear from the despatches covering the conference of provincial premiers at Ottawa that Hon. Richard McBride has acted there in much the same manner as he too frequently acts in the local legislature.

At Victoria when called down by the leader of the opposition premier McBride usually acknowledges his error, apologizes and, with the tact in which he is past master, scrambles out of an awkward place more or less gracefully.

He seems to have got into a bad corner at the Ottawa conference, but instead of gracefully bowing to the inevitable he acted the part of a spoiled child and walked out of the room, despite the efforts of premiers Whitney and Roblin, both conservatives, to induce him to play a man's part.

A private message received from an authoritative source yesterday afternoon by The Daily News, summed the situation up thus:

"McBride's conduct at conference unanimously condemned. He was looking for a grievance and not an increased subsidy and refused to negotiate. Whitney more severe on him than the others. Roblin tried to induce him to get into line. He acted like a big ignorant school boy who sulks when he cannot get his own way."

Our Ottawa despatches show that McBride refused to negotiate, simply insisting upon arbitration, a demand, as premier Whitney pointed out, that was quite unreasonable at that stage of the proceedings there being nothing in dispute, the sole object of the conference at that stage being to arrive at a basis of negotiations.

Happily McBride's sulks do not appear to have seriously injured this province. The despatches state that British Columbia will receive $215,000, annually in excess of the subsidy she is now receiving, the increase being approved of at the request of the dominion ministers.

But whilst this province may not have to suffer in this regard by reason of McBride's unstatesmanlike conduct it is quite obvious that he is totally incapable of properly representing this great province at so important a gathering as the present conference. It is most unfortunate that premier McBride did not take with him to Ottawa, Hon. F. Carter-Cotton, president of the council. Mr. Cotton could have been trusted to conduct himself in a manner becoming a member of the government of this province and whether or not the negotiations resulted to his liking he would never have been guilty of playing the baby.

From the information so far available it would look as if premier McBride deliberately jeopardised British Columbia's interests for the purpose of creating a political issue in the coming provincial campaign. We believe that he will soon realize that in so doing he made the mistake of his political career.

British Columbians, whether conservatives or liberals, will not countenance tactics of that nature. We want men to conduct our affairs, men with a proper sense of responsibility, who will not sacrifice the interests of the province either to their self-conceit or to any partisan advantage.

Further and fuller particulars of what actually occurred at Ottawa will be anxiously awaited.

Presumably the other matters affecting the interests of this province that premier McBride was to have taken up with the dominion ministers, will now be sidetracked. It is hardly reasonable to suppose that after this exhibition of childishness premier McBride will remain any longer at Ottawa We should imagine that he would be only too anxious to hurry away from the federal capital.

The statement issued to the press by W. M. Dicken, who at the time it was written was president of the Fernie local union, U. M. W. of A., emphasises certain aspects of the strike situation in the Crow's Nest Pass to which attention has already been called in these columns. Mr. Dicken up to the time he issued this statement certainly had the confidence of his fellow miners and was recognized as a staunch union man. There is nothing in his statement that justifies any doubt of the integrity of his motives, unless we are to assume that he is deliberately seeking trouble. It must be accepted that Mr. Dicken, rightly or wrongly, believes that the conduct of matters leading up to the strike and immediately subsequent thereto was not altogether well-advised or even characterised by good faith towards the hundreds of miners whose livelihood was at stake. The publication of this statement should lead to immediate steps being taken to clear the whole matter up and we believe when this is done that no great difficulty will be experienced in bringing about an adjustment of differences that will be mutually satisfactory and that will permit of operations being resumed in the course of a few days.

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TO STOP WASTE OF WATER

AMENDMENT OF BY-LAW ADOPTED BY COUNCIL

C. P. R. LOTS TO BE LEASED FOR OLD COURT HOUSE BUILDING

At the meeting of the city council last night there were present Mayor Gillett, Ald. Selous, Ald, Rose, Ald. Irving and Ald. Annable.

Several important questions came up and two decisive actions were taken, the one to lease certain lots from the C. P. R. for the old court house building and the other the reading for the third time of the amendment to the water by-law giving power to the city to stop waste of water by private users by establishing a reasonable rate for water use outside of motors and to put in meters wherever deemed necessary.

Reports were adopted from the finance committee and from the fire and light committee recommending the payment of accounts and for the erection of a couple of extra stalls for horses for the fire department. A resolution covering the authorization of the latter was passed.

A letter was read from P. Burns & Co., stating that they were willing to put in the city electric power and would want about 25 horse power. The shingle mill also notified the council it would want about 15 horse power at first and would probably increase this later to 40 horse power.

Ald. Selous said that he had seen Mr. Isaac who had stated he was quite satisfied with the arrangements being made by the council.

In answer to queries made by J. W. Holmes and W. W. Baer the mayor said that the electric power charge was based on a ten hour day and it would be metered.

Mr. Baer wanted to know what the city would charge him for electric power. He did not know, however, how much horsepower he wanted.

Mayor Gillett said that if Mr. Baer would find out how much he wanted the city engineer might answer his question.

An argument then ensued between Messrs. Baer and Holmes and alderman Rose and Irving as to what should be the rates for electric power. Each expressed his own personal views, the mayor finally sending for the electric engineer to answer a flood of technical questions, in which the council had yet to receive information.

Ald. Selous at last suggested that the city council would be helped if prospective power users woud tell the city how much they would want and at what voltage. The mayor stated that he was of the opinion that by the end of the next two weeks a definite answer could be given to all questions of this nature.

Electric engineer Dixon then arrived and said the question of voltage depended upon the transformers. He would like, where industries were grouped, to have one transformer and, indeed, to have one sort of transformer all over the city. Yet a transformer could be put on to step down the voltage to whatever may be required.

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An offer by the C. P. R. to lease at $120 a year the two lots at the north east corner of Ward and Front streets, the city to pay the taxes, on which the present the present court house might be placed, was accepted on the motion of alderman Annable and alderman Irving; alderman Rose objected to placing any public building on a leased lot.

The request of the union of British Columbia municipalities, meeting at Kamloops on October 24th, to have a representative of Nelson present was considered. It was resolved that mayor Gillett be sent and in the event of his not being able to go that he should appoint a substitute.

The Dominion Securities company sent a telegram to the council, which was read, saying that they would honor a draft for the new city debentures.

A by-law was then discussed to amend the water by-law, affecting private water users not motor users, giving power to the council to place any such consumer on a meter if it desired, and making a rate at about one-fourth of the old rates which were never enforced, being far too high. The rate adopted is that of Vancouver, the cheapest in the province. It was urged that this by-law, by providing a reasonable rate, gave the city power to stop waste. The by-law was then read for the third time.

The city engineer reported that the machinery was now on the site of the power plant and the draught tube would probably be in place durong this week.

In answer to a query from alderman Annable mayor Gillett said it was the intention to better the lighting of the city just as soon as the new power plant was in operation.

WILL NOT CLOSE DOWN

Hall Mines Smelter Has Fuel in Hand For Several Weeks Yet.

Interviewed by a representative of The Daily News last night regarding a report that the Hall Mines smelter was to close down and that its management had sent out a circular notifying shippers that they could not take any more ore for the present, J. J. Campbell, manager of the smelter, declared this to be inaccurate. The Hall Mines smelter was not shutting down and he did not at present think this course probable. A couple of weeks ago, when the coal strike first came on at Fernie, there was only a certain supply of coke on hand, enough to run the plant for a few weeks only. Since that, however, more coke had been coming in from the West Canadian collieries at Lille and there is now enough in stock to keep the smelter going for the next four to six weeks. Only in the event that the Lille collieries became involved in the strike and that coke was unprocurable from any other source would the smelter have to close.

Still, Mr. Campbell pointed out, there was a little uncertainty as to the situation. If Lille were involved in the strike he would have to make further arrangements for coke, which at present had not been entered into. Until he was fully satisfied as to the conditions he was inclined to keep a closer touch on ore sent to him and to know beforehand exactly how much might be expected so that if the worst came to the worst, and a shut down became inevitable, he would not have too large a stock on hand to carry over the strike. Hence he had asked shippers not to send shipments without previous notification. But he had not told them he would not accept their shipments, which would be quite a different thing.

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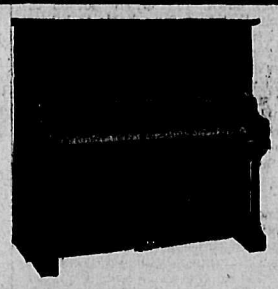

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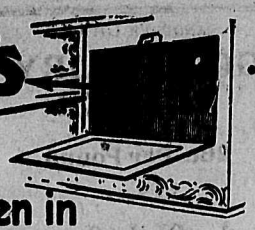

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How is that problem of bringing Canada—and for that matter Australia and other growing British communities in the empire—into full and equal partnership with this country to be solved? How can regions so far apart, and with interests so diverse, arrive at a common political organization and a common policy? How can that end be achieved without interference with the free development of independent national life in Canada, and in this country also? On what lines can we work towards that end; what means can we devise for strengthening existing bonds of union, for increasing the points of contact between our communities, for smoothing out differences and causes of friction, for keeping alive the sentiment of common citizenship? It is sentiment, in the last resort, which will hold the empire together. But it must be strong, living sentiment, not faded sentimental reminiscence; and, to be living, sentiment, like all other things that have life, must have continual sustenance. That sustenance can be found only in mutual intercourse. Much might be done to facilitate the development of postal and telegraphic communications, especially where they affect the press, so mighty a power for union or for severance of sentiment. Much is being done, and may yet be done, to improve steamship communications.

But, if development of communications is essential to the promotion of mutual intercourse that development itself depends upon another factor—trade. The problem of keeping alive the sentiment of unity betwen the different parts of the empire inevitably resolves itself into one of considering how we can best promote mutual trade within the empire so as to stimulate intercourse and to make each part vitally interested in the welfare of the other. To all but those who are hidebound in the prejudices of a musty and highly dubious economic theory, the answer to that problem must be plain. It is no new answer. It was given by Washington and Hamilton over a century ago. It has been given more recently by the founders of the Zollverein, the nucleus from which sprang the German empire. It has been given by almost every leading colonial statesman in the last generation. It has been given by the one British statesman of the first rank who has had the opportunity to come directly into contact with the imperial problem. The burden of the answer is that economic union is an essential condition of political union. Nor is it to the mere fostering of intercommunication that the value of the economic solution is confined. Mutual trade would not only bring the different parts of the empire into contact, but it would also promote their development, and by so doing help to solve many other problems. A large proportion of the population of the Canadian Northwest consists, as our correspondent points out, of immigrants from outside the empire. These readily become good Canadians. But, unlike the old Canadian stock or the British immigrants, they have no inherited sentiment that binds them to the empire. Such a sentiment can grow only by degrees; but its growth can be hastened and the effects of other sentiments counteracted by the influence of material interests. The problem of imperial defence, again, is at the bottom largely one of the distribution of the population in the empire. The development of Australia and of South Africa is essential to the future defence of India. The defence of Canada can in the long run be assured only by the building up in the dominion itself of a people numerous and wealthy enough to defend the many thousand miles of its frontier against aggression. Any other way of attempting to secure the defence of Canada could secure it, if at all, only at a cost ruinous alike to Canada and to ourselves, upon whom the burden would mainly fall. These are some of the wider issues that underlie the great question which, under the name of tariff reform, has for the time being become a matter of party conflict in this country, but the national and imperial significance of which must be recognized by all sooner or later; we can only hope that it will be recognized before it is too late for recognition to be of any avail.

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SOME POLITICAL GOSSIP

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HARRY WRIGHT TO BE SIDE-TRACKED IN YMIR DISTRICT

The Vancouver Province publishes the political gossip hereunder as coming from its special correspondent in Victoria. The Province has all along given the McBride government loyal support and it is to be assumed that its correspondent at least knows something of the plans of the government party's organizers. The Province despatch reads:

At the present moment the capital city is rife with gossip as to the possibilities of the political campaign which will be waged throughout the province shortly after the adjournment of the next sitting of the legislature. There is always more or less question attached to reports concerning political lines so far in advance, but the general tenor of feeling here is that the campaign is to be waged with a fierceness and intensity on all sides that bids fair to cause 1907 to be remembered as a noteworthy year in political annals of British Columbia.

That this statement is warranted may be understood when it is learned on good authority that R. G. Macpherson is considering resigning his seat in the dominion house and standing for election from a Vancouver constituency to the provincial house. In the event of his election and the success of his party it is understood that he would receive a portfolio under the administration.

Another probability which will interest the Vancouver public is that alderman T. S. Baxter will come out in Richmond as the opponent of Hon. F. Carter-Cotton. Ald. Baxter was first approached to stand for a Vancouver seat, but the arrangements were not agreable to him, hence he is now considering other fields. Mr. C. Gill of Squamish, a former reeve of North Vancouver, is said to be another candidate for the same field.

The Vancouver liberal slate as it is now arranged, includes the names of R. P. McLennan, president of the board of trade, F. C. Wade, K.C., and T. F. Neelands as reasonable certainties. If Mr. Macpherson should agree to stand, Mr. McLennan would probably not be in the field. The latter has no strong desire to enter provincial politics, but is understood this year to be in a more receptive mind on the point than ever before.

For the balance of the Vancouver ticket, a section of the party is pressing for the naming of two labor candidates. There is, however, the strongest kind of opposition to this move, and it is possible that a dark horse will develop shortly who will have as his fellow a representative of the Young Liberals.

From the upper country comes most important news to the effect that Hon. Richard McBride and Hon. Charles Wilson have made up their recent differences and will stand together next year for the Cariboo seats in opposition the Messrs. Murphy and Jones. This course is said to have been decided upon after the recent trip through the section. It is felt that both parti s may be defeated by the socialists in Fernie and Slocan, which would make the winning of the Cariboo seats imperative. Originally Mr. Green was slated as the former-attorney general's runing mate, but it was thought that he would have a fight on his hands in Kaslo, hence the premier will enter the lists.

Hon. Mr. McBride will also stand for election in Dewdney, the expectation being that he will capture both seats, thus paying the way for the election of a partisan of his own feather at the bye-election. Hon. Mr. Wilson is thought to be the best man to put forward in Cariboo as he is well known throughout the entire section.

A determined effort will be made to prevent the returning of Harry Wright of Ymir to the house. His colleagues found him a bit obstreperous last session, and when the elections are declared Mr. Schofield of Trail will probably be leader under the conservative banner. On the other hand *it is expected that J. Fred Hume of Nelson* will be the standard bearer for the liberal forces.

Dr. Hall of Nelson has already been nominated by the liberals for that riding and will almost certainly be elected, receiving the support of the Houston conservatives as well as his own party.

The conservatives count on the defeat of J. R. Brown in Greenwood by the socialists, but the liberals appear confident of his return.

H. R. Cairns, formerly principal of the Strathcona school, Vancouver, will accept the conservative nomination in Chilliwack should the offer be made him.

In the Similkameen it is reported that Smith Curtis will oppose Mr. Shatford at the polls, and in Kamloops it is regarded as certain that Hon. Mr. Fulton will be opposed by Dr. Wade.

All of which above notes show that something stirring bids fair to be doing in political circles next year.

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Witness: A. M. Johnson, Solicitor, Nelson, B. C.

CLEARING RIGHT OF WAY

EXPERT TESTIMONY AS TO HOW IT SHOULD BE DONE.

FOREST FIRE DAMAGE SUITS STILL IN PROGRESS.

During yesterday's proceedings at the supreme court the evidence tendered for the defence by Phillip Macleod occupied the major portion of the afternoon session. An adjournment was taken at 4.30 p.m. for this morning at 10 o'clock, the cross-examination of this witness not being proceeded with, E. P. Davis, for the plaintiffs, intimating that his cross-examination would probably occupy a considerable period and had therefore better be postponed for this morning. There were only three witnesses examined yesterday, the two first being expert witnesses, testifying chiefly as to the best method of clearing a right of way. The third was Mr. Macleod whose testimony as to the origin of the fire will probably provoke a severe cross-examination this morning.

H. W. Warrington, chief engineer of the Kettle Valley railroad, was the first witness called. He maintained that a right of way should be cleared in the summer time, saying that there was less danger of fire, there being more verdure, then than when the bushes dropped their foliage. He declared that there should be always, however, a sufficient force of men and a plentiful supply of water at hand in order to combat any sudden conflagration.

Cross-examined by Mr. Davis witness said he could not see why fire should escape from a right of way, even during the summer months, and added that such an escape to some extent, would be evidence of careless handling.

T. G. Hastie, chief engineer of the Spokane division of the Great Northern railway, corroborated the views expressed by his fellow expert as to the clearing of rights of way.

Phillip Macleod said he had worked for Quaiffe during July, 1904, clearing the right of way. It was cleared between 911 and 916 stations ready for grading. The logs were placed in the ravines. There were some trees standing on top of a knoll at 912 and some at 915. He remembered the cedar felled which broke a window in Lever's house, which was less than 100 feet from the edge of the right of way. The other trees left standing were required for culvert timber. He described the felling of the trees and said that some of these trees were felled falling off the right of way but for not more than 10 feet. This was about section 923. There were no fires set out beyond section 917. Nor were there any bush piles except those made by the Elk River Lumber company. The trees were cut into logs and a dozen were awaiting their removal by the Elk River Lumber company.

Witness had noticed burning going on at the that time on some west Fernie lots. On July 22 he was working at station 885 and noticed smoke 500 or 600 feet away, beyond Lever's house. Quaiffe went up to see about it and presently the smoke stopped. That evening he had passed at 918 or 919 a burned patch on the right of way. He noticed no signs of fire in the patch. It would masure about 100 square feet but was a long narrow strip. Next morning he again saw the patch on his way to work but saw no fire there. After starting work witness noticed between 9 and 10 o'clock smoke again start at the patch referred to. The wind was calm but was getting up. The witness was then at station 921 or 922. Witness and a man named Charlie Smith, together with Quaiffe, were working there together. Quaiffe sent witness to get some men. Witness went back along the line past the old mill and brought back two men. On his way back he met Quaiffe going for more. When he got back to the fire at the patch it was spreading. The wind was blowing from the south diagonally across the right of way. It had reached station 919 or 920 and was getting into some brush. This brush was cut but not piled. After working some time witness and others went through the thick underbrush northwards so as to save Cameron's house. When they got clear of the thick timber they noticed a fire about a quarter of a mile ahead. Some of the men went along to try to put out that fire. They worked till about noon but the fires had got beyond control. The wind was rising but it was stronger after noon than before. They then went back to camp. That was about noon. At that time both fires had spread up the sidehill for some distance and were beyond control. When witness went back to camp about noon he noticed the fires were spreading south and were going up the hill near Lever's house.

None of Quaiffe's men were working north of Lever's house on July 22. Witness did not remember any fire on July 22 either on or off the right of way. There were no men at station 920, piling or setting fire on the morning of July 23. There was no evidence of fire there at 7 o'clock that morning. All the work done that morning by witness, Smith and Quaiffe was to cut down two or three scrub cedars and a cottonwood tree. North of 917 there had been no piling of brush piles. Some trees were felled for the Elk River Lumber company and for clearing the right of way. The tops had been cut off and some of the brush slashed where it interfered with the tree cutting. Otherwise it was untouched.

WILL NOT STATE CASE.

Chief justice Hunter yesterday morning after listening to the application of S. S. Taylor, on behalf of Laughlin Bruce, sentenced to three years' imprisonment last Friday for an assault upon Hugh McGarvey of Creston, declared that he would not state a case for an appeal against his judgment.

The point taken by Mr. Taylor in his application was the inadmissibility of the evidence tendered by the crown prosecutor in reference to the statements made by the prisoner when taken into custody. His contention was that the prisoner should have been warned by constable Wilson, to whom the damaging admissions were made, before permitting his to say anything whatsoever, that anything he did say would be used in evidence against him. This Mr. Taylor declared had not been done and in consequence thereof the crown was not entitled to use this evidence as a part of the testimony submitted. The point was that these self-incriminations formed no small portion of the evidence against the prisoner.

On behalf of the crown W. A. Macdonald laid down the thesis that as the accused had not been questioned but had volunteered the statements at issue that they were admissable. He further argued that the nature of the colloquy between the prisoner and the constable was in itself a warning to the prisoner.

His lordship held that Mr. Taylor had not established his point.

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COAL STRIKE SITUATION

(Continued from First Page.)

intelligent men, what did it mean when he instructed our secretary to put up these notices. We thought we were acting under the instructions of president Mitchell but find out that we have been fooled and sadly fooled and I am honestly convinced that had we known what we know now, there would have been no strike or stoppage of work and, moreover, had we known of the promises that were made and the way that this affair had been conducted, we would never have thought one moment of ceasing work because I believe that when a promise is given by one of our officials, he ought to stand by it and face the music, whether it is for him or against him, because if it is known that officials of the U. M. W. of A. make promises, whether verbal or in print, and then deny them, it will bring discredit to our organization and honest men will run shy of having anything to do with us. If we have to get what some claim is our rights by deception and fooling, I, for one, don't want any of it and I think I am voicing the sentiments of a great number of my fellow-workmen. I don't think that if president Mitchell knew the true state of affairs, he would ever have sent the telegram he did.

Then again, Mr. Lindsey has requested to meet that conference committee before the men and prove his statements are correct and even challenged the president by letter which Sherman was very loud in stating he would accept. I am convinced he never intended to do so, because there are men who were present at that conference, honest enough to confess the truth of the statements made there and I think the reason this challenge is not accepted, is obvious to all unbiased minds. I think that when president Mitchell sees this, he will demand a full investigation into this strike and the cause of it, and why the president left his duty to go to Victoria, knowing that these notices were posted. Let me say again that I have no use for a non-union man and if it was understood that every man was expected to join the union when the agreement was signed, why did not our high officials demand it at the start and then we would have known what we were doing. Now we have ceased to work with non-union men and we are told that the agreement has been broken by allowing men to take their names off the check-off. If the right course had been taken, it would have been settled now and I believe that no body of men have a right to be made the catspaw of any man. As the days of feudal wars are past, when men who felt hurt at their neighbor's canduct called all their servants to fight for their own selfish ends, so I believe that we as men ought to vent our own personal opinions and not be led blindly. We have a right to know all that is being done on our behalf and to demand to have a copy of the letter sent to Mr. Mitchell which was the cause of so misleading and mysterious a telegram being sent. I could say a great deal more that I know but will withhold it for the present. One thing I will say, that all I have said here is only that my fellow workmen and the public might know the true state of affairs and put the saddle on the right horse.

Now, it is evident that we, as miners, have some grievances against the company and that the management have some against us, but what is the difference? Have we no remedy and have thousands of men, women and children to suffer without any attempt made to have these differences put right? Surely in this, the 20th century, men can meet together and have clear understanding and make strikes a thing of the past. Wherever the fault lies, let it be brought to light and as one who believes in conciliatory measures, I would suggest that a board of enquiry be appointed from the two locals to enquire into this trouble and demand that the two parties involved, explain their position. If either of these parties are afraid to agree to this course, we can come to no other conclusion than that the party who is afraid to do this is in the wrong. Let no one be led away by sentiment but plain facts and let our motto be as one that adorns many of the trades union banners, viz.: "Come, let us reason together," and by so doing, some good may be done and difficulties overcome, and let us stand for right whether it is for us or against us.

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J. P. REDDING IN TROUBLE

ARRESTED IN SPOKANE ON ALLEGED MINING SWINDLE.

FARMERS OF PALOUSE DISTRICT SAID TO HAVE BEEN BITTEN.

Spokane, Oct. 15.—J. P. Redding, who has had for some time an office in the Ziegler building, where he has been engaged in selling mining stock, was arrested Saturday morning by James M. Hone, deputy sheriff, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Redding, who claims to be a resident of Nelson, B. C., is the president of the Five Metals Mining, Concentrating & Smelting company, which has, or had, several lead and silver claims about thirty miles east of Nelson. It is alleged that this company has never been incorporated, and that, therefore, all stock which he has disposed of is valueess. It is further alleged that Redding has disposed of stock in the company to the value of $17,000 within the last two years, of which some has been sold in Spokane, but the most of it in Tekoa, Latah, Fairfield, Rockford and other towns in the Palouse district. About sixty persons are said to be interested.

Henry Treede of Fairfield, ex-county commissioner, furnished the evidence which he collected in the case to deputy prosecuting atorney Albert J. Laughton, who took the matter up with judge Hinkle Saturday morning and procured a warrant for Redding's arrest on the chage of obtaining money under false pretenses. Mr. Treede was the owner of a certificate of stock in the company for 1000 shares and he became dissatisfied with the reports of the company's condition as given him by the officers and consulted as counsel in this city Patrick C. Shine, who notified him on Saturday that he had the matter thoroughly investigated in British Columbia, and had found that no company of the name given on the stock certificates had ever been registered, incorporated or licensed to do business in that province. Mr. Shine advised that the matter be taken before the prosecuting attorney, as the person selling such stock was criminally liable if he represented knowingly that the company had been incorporated in British Columbia and was doing business there or held property in that province. The arrest of Mr. Redding was the result of this opinion.

As soon as Mr. Laughton had procured the warrant he proceeded to the Ziegler building in company with deputy sheriff Hone, but Redding saved them from all trouble in the matter by stepping from a car at the corner of Howard and Riverside just as they reached there. He was immediately taken into cutody and willingly accompanied the officers to the county jail, where he was held under a $1,500 bond. He insisted that a grevious mistake had been made, and that the company had been legally incorporated under the laws of British Columbia.

A prospectus of the Five Metals company says that John R. Redding of Nelson, B. C., is president; C. Redding of Nelson, B. C., secretary and treasurer; John P. Redding of Nelson, B. C., manager; judge Campbell La Farge of Tekoa, Wash., O. C. Truax, postmaster at Tekoa, and John P. Redding, directors.

Mr. Redding stated that he would be defended by judge Wilson of Nelson, B. C., who is at present in Montana, but is expected back in time to protect his client legally. He has not engaged any local attorney and does not expect to do so.

NOBLEST VALLEY IN CANADA.

McGill Professor's Impression of Upper Columbia River Valley.

Professor J. G. Adami, of McGill college, has recently returned to Montreal from British Columbia. He came back greatly impressed by the beauty and natural advantages of a valley, which is as yet little known, which ,nevertheless, he considers not only the noblest valley in Canada, but one destined to be in the near future, a fruit-growing region having advantages even greater than the Okanagan. This is the valley of the Upper Columbia river, running between the Rocky mountains in the Selkirks, and stretching from Golden, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific, to Fort Steele.

The northern half of this valley forms the bed of the Columbia; the southern half that of the Kootenay rivers. Both of these, along the whole length of the valley, are rivers of good size, of great beauty, capable of navigation by launches, and boats of light draught. The whole length of the valley affords a succession of points of interest for the tourist, Spillimacheen 40 miles up, being a natural centre for sportsmen.

The glaciers at the heads of the side valleys, such as the Bug-a-boo, Horse Thief, Tobey, and Dutchmen's creeks, are of great extent, and afford a number of virgin peaks for the climber.

Continuing up Paradise valley is a road partly belonging to the government and in part controlled by private enterprise. Ascending gradually to a height of 8000 feet, the road is a marvel of engineering skill, and has no equal in Canada. The panorama from its upper end over the Rocky mountains is a marvellous sight. The Windermere and Upper Columbia lakes, surrounded as they are by mountains, recall those in Italy, and over and above this the soil when irrigated, is proving itself to be wonderfully fertile, and well adapted for the growth of apples, and small deciduous fruits. The valley, which has a width on an average of four miles, has already been opened up by the Canadian Pacific, who have begun to construct a line through it, which will connect the Crow's Nest with the main road. Dr. Adami is convinced that this must be, in a very short period of time, one of the best known parts of British Columbia. There are two large reservations of the Kootenay Indians, and the professor came across and investigated a series of what are pre-European graves, containing beads, arrowheads, bone instruments, and pipes but without any signs or iron or pottery instruments or European articles or ornaments.

STRIKE ON CORK

Fine Shoot of High Grade Ore Encountered —Development Under Way

A strike of a rather important nature at the Cork mine, is reported by the Kaslo Kootenaian. The property has hitherto been regarded as a low grade milling proposition, but the new find will, in all probability, place it among the high grade shippers of the Slocan and Ainsworth mining divisions.

The Cork and several adjoining claims are owned by the Silver Star Mining company, a Paris, France, corporation. A. Fournier of Kaslo, is manager. The mill has been running steadily during the summer, turning out a car of concentrates per week. The product is a very high grade lead concentrate. Both mining and milling have been carried on economically. Just at present the mill is closed down, pending the completion of the 1500 flume and installation of a turbine wheel which will given ample power for running the mill to its full capacity.

A number of leads cross the property. The first one, known as the Black Fox vein, is cut by the main tunnel. The second, known as the Cork vein, is 939 feet from the tunnel entrance. This is where the milling ore has come from and where the late strike of high grade ore was made. And now it is the intention to continue the tunnel for 400 or 600 feet further, in order to tap what is known as the Superior vein. Experts and experienced mining men who have seen the property, unite in saying that it is the Superior vein which will make a big mine out of the Cork. Work is to be started on this development work at once.

SOCIALISM IN BRITAIN

SPLIT IN LABOR PARTY RA SING NEW ISSUES

THREE EXTENSIVE STRIKES NOW IMPENDING

On the opening of the next session of parliament the liberal cabinet will be confronted with a number of difficult questions, especially those relating to home rule in Ireland and labor in England. The split between the socialistic wing of the labor party led by James Keir Hardie, and the more moderate section, led by John Burns, is becoming more pronounced, and the government cannot count upon the support of the socialistic members in the house of commons, who now number 29. The fight between the two factions has been raging in the trades unions during the parliamentary recess, and, on the whole, the tendency has been for the unions to be more pronouncedly socialistic. The Amalgamated Railway Servants, meeting at Cardiff, declared in favor of the Hardie party. On the other hand, the Miners' Federation, meeting at the same time in Swansea, refused to join the socialists. Kier Hardie has announced that the socialists will put a candidate in the field in every precinct where they stand a chance of winning. In accordance with this policy, a socialist ran against the official liberal candidate in the Cockermouth election, and the result was the election of a unionist. These tactics have caused great indignation to the liberal leaders and in recent speeches they have directly attacked the socialists. The Scottish Liberal Association passed a resolution declaring that

"It is the primary duty of the liberal party to present strenuous opposition to all candidates who are not prepared to dissociate themselves from the socialist party, the avowed object of which is the complete destruction of those principles of individual liberty for which liberalism has always contended."

The Times accuses Mr. Hardie of lack of patriotism in denouncing Mr. Haldane's proposals for the promotion of military training among the people. He states that the labor movement in every country is anti-military, and that the laborites in England should join "the democracies abroad in battling for the dethronement of the war-god." The Times argues "that since socialists intend to exalt the claims of the community upon the individual as against the unregulated assertion of individual interest," the claim of the state upon the individual for military service is a decided socialist measure, and it endeavors to prove from the utterances of German socialists that they are not opposed to universal military training, in particular from Herr Beer, the London correspondent of Vorwarts, who says:

"That wars are the result of a deep disturbance of the economic and political equilibrium of the world, and can no more be met by pacifist speeches and humanitarian manifestoes than a serious illness can be removed by the pious suggestions of the 'Christian Scientist.' Not soothing or irritating words and dispatches, but hard economic and geographic facts, control foreign affairs and international relations."

Three extensive strikes are impending in Great Britain. The 600,000 railway employees demand shorter hours of labor and higher wages. The union coal miners of South Wales and North Scotland have declared for the strike at the beginning of winter, with the object of obtaining higher wages and forcing independent laborers into the union. The third impending strike is among the ship builders on the Clyde.

RAILWAYS IN IRELAND

Imperial Government May Bring in Bill to Take Them Over

New York, Oct. 15—"The report current in America that premier Campbell-Bannerman and his associates are considering a scheme of government ownership of British railways is true to some extent," says a London cable despatch to the Times. "The government has no idea whatever of bringing in a bill to nationalize any other railways than those in Ireland. The Irish roads the government is inclined to think, should be taken over by the nation in order to advance the welfare of Ireland, and this especially in order to furnish the facilities required for the highest development of her agricultural interests. Ireland needs better railway facilities than private enterprise is likely to give her or could afford to give her. It has not yet been decided that the government shall ask parliament for authority to take over the Irish lines with a view to improving and extending them, but supposedly well informed persons expect that the government will precently determine on that course."

LABOR IN NEW ZEALAND

PAST YEAR A PROSPEROUS AND REMUNERATIVE ONE

COST OF LIVING MORE THAN KEEPS PACE WITH WAGE SCALE

The secretary of th..e department of labor of New Zealand, in his report for the year ending June 2, 1906, just issued, states that the year has been a prosperous and remunerative one for labor. There has been full employment for the great majority of workers, and many trades could have used more than they could get. The immigration from Great Britain and Australia has been absorbed without disturbance to industrial conditions, owing to the fact that the undercutting of wages is prevented by the unions. Exports have risen from $60,000,000 in 1902 to $80,000,000 in 1906. The rise in wages, which is very slight (and in many trades imperceptible), has been swallowed up and entirely lost in the increased rents and cost of commodities, but the worker has been benefitted by continuous employment and reliable wages. The building trades have been rushed on account of the number of fine buildings erected in the four chief cities of New Zealand. Two reasons are given for this; one is the taxes imposed on unimproved lots, making it costly to keep sections of land idle for speculative purposes, or occupied by old buildings at low rentals; the other is the encouragement of building in the suburbs through the extension of electric tramways. The number of men employed or assisted in obtaining employment by the department of labor in 1905-06 was more than double that of any previous year. The number assisted to private employment was 1929, which 4783 were provided for by the railway co-operative works. Work of some sort was provided to every one who applied for it, but some of the newcomers objected to being given the pick and shovel on the government works when they thought themselves qualified for higher tasks. During the past fifteen years the department has found work for 45,084 men, having 84,631 dependents. The number of factories has increased in twelve years from 4109 to 9881,and the number of employees from 29,879 to 70,403. Overtime work has been kept within reasonable limits. The average of overtime for women and boys was 26 hours, and for men 70 hours. It has probably not been in any case of a nature or duration to injure the worker's health, and the economic objection to overtime, that it militates against the employment of outsiders, has little bearing on the subject, as in the trades which have used the permits for overtime, trained hands have not been obtainable from outside for temporary employment. Accidents in factories have been reduced to the minimum, in the opinion of the secretary.

WHITE SOX CHAMPIONS

CHICAGO AMERICANS WORLD'S BEST BASEBALL TEAM.

DECISIVE GAME WON ON SUNDAY BY SCORE OF 8 to 3.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—The Chicago club of the American baseball league is the champion of the world. By winning yesterday's game 8 to 3 against the local club of the National league, the Americans earned the right to fly the world's championship pennant as well as the pennant of the American league, to ride to the grounds next season in carriages and to have "World's Champions" lettered on the blankets worn by their horses. Yesterday's game was the sixth of the series and the fourth victory for the Americans.

The play in detail was as follows:

First Innings:

Nationals—Hoffman singled to left and went to second on Dougherty's fumble of the hit. Sheckard sacrificed perfectly, and, with Hoffman on third, the crowd cried for a score. They were promptly gratified, for Schulte, whose two bagger Saturday brought in two runs, swung on the first ball pitched and knocked it into the right field crowd for two bases, Hoffman scoring, and Schulte was out at third a moment later when White stopped Chance's grounder and threw it to Rohe yards ahead of the runner. Chance was safe at first. Steinfeldt waited for four bad ones. Tinker flied out to Jones. One run.

Americans—Hahn hit an awkward bounder, which Evers stopped with his bare hand, but being off his balance could not throw it. Jones forced Hahn and went to second on Isbell's sharp single to left. Davis doubled to right and Jones scored. Schulte claimed that he was under the hit when some one in the crowd pushed him. Captain Chance protested against allowing the hit, but umpire O'Loughlin allowed it to stand. With men at second and third and the infield playing close in, Rohe hit to Tinker, who threw Isbell out at the plate. Rohe stole second. Donohue doubled to left, scoring Davis and Rohe. Dougherty grounded out to Chance unassisted. Three runs.

Second Inning:

Nationals—Donohue fumbled Evers' grounder and the runner was safe. Kling hit into a double play and both retired. Brown struck out . No runs.

Americans—Sullivan out, Tinker to Chance. White grounded out, Brown to Chance. Hahn singled, between third and short. Jones walked. Isbell singled to Evers. The bases were full when Davis came to bat. Tinker jumped and tried to get his liner, but merely blocked it, and Hahn and Jones scored. Rohe singled, but Isbell was held at third, Tinker having blocked the ball. Overall at this crisis, with the bases full, replaced Brown. Donohue hit over second base, Evers getting the ball by fast work, but not in time to make a putout. Isbell scored on the hit. Dougherty walked, forcing Davis across the plate. Sullivan struck out. Four runs.

Third Inning:

Nationals—Hoffman went out, Donohue making a great stop and White covering first. Sheckard grounded out, Isbell to Donohue. Schulte flew out to Donohue. No runs.

Americans—White went out easily, Overall to Chance. Hahn flew out to Sheckard. Jones flew out to Tinker.

Fourth Inning:

Nationals—White threw four bad ones in a row and Chance walked. Steinfeldt knocked a fly to Jones. Tinker forced Chance. Evers out, Isbell to Donohue. No runs.

Americans—Isbell out, Tinker making a great running stop and throw to Chance. Davis fouled out to Kling. Rohe singled to about center. Hoffman sprinted back to the crowd and caught Donohue's fly jumping. No runs.

Fifth Inning:

Nationals.—Kling hit in front of the plate and was safe. Overall doubled to right. Hoffman struck out. Kling scored on Shekard's out, Isbell to Donohue, the latter making a wonderful stop of a bad throw. Schulte went out, Davis to Donohue. One run.

Americans—Dougherty lined out to Evers. Sullivan again struck out. White walked. Hahn singled to left. Jones forced Hahn. No runs.

Sixth Inning:

Nationals—Chance was hit on the foot by a pitched ball. Steinfeldt popped out to Rohe. Tinker singled to center. Evers fouled out to Sullivan. Chance out, stealing. No runs.

Americans — Isbell fouled out to Chance. Davis followed to Kling. Rohe out, Tinker to Chance. No runs.

Seventh Innings:

Nationals—Kling out, White to Donohue. Overall followed suit, Rohe to Donohue. Hoffman out, Isbell to Donohue. No runs.

Americans — Donohue struck out. Dougherty bunted to Chance and was safe, Chance dropping the ball in trying to touch the runner. Sullivan flew out to Hoffman. White's fly was captured by Sheckard, after a hard backward run. No runs.

Eighth Inning:

Nationals—Sheckard was given a pass. Schulte out to Donohue, unassisted. Chance out, Davis to Donohue. Steinfeldt's heavy hit was captured by Jones in far left center. No runs.

Americans—Hahn singled to left. Jones sacrificed. Isbell scored Hahn with a drive to center and reached second on the throw home. Davis out, Tinker to Chance. Hoffman captured Rohe's liner. One run.

Ninth Inning:

Nationals—Tinker out, Rohe to Donohue. Evers got a scratch double to right. Kling out, Rohe to Donohue. Gessler batted for Overall and was allowed to walk. Hoffman singled to left scoring Evers. Sheckard was safe on Rohe's fumble. Schulte grounded out to Donohue. One run.

CANADIAN GRAIN TRADE

Winnipeg, Oct. 15—Twenty million bushels of wheat have been delivered at points along the track of the C.P.R. already this year, which establishts a new record in this line, the total amount received in any previous year up to the corresponding period being millions less than the large total received this season. The total for wheat this year is 6,000,000 in excess of last year, the season of 1905 having been greatly in excess of 1904.

Buffalo, Oct. 15—The royal commission appointed by the Canadian government to investigate matters concerning the Canadian grain trade is now in Buffalo to examine into the methods of handling the Canadian grain at this port. The commission has been appointed owing to the complaints made by wheat producers of the west as to the manner in which the grain is handled in reference to grading, prices, elevator charges, etc., and has full power to investigate all matters connected with the trade in Canada, the United States and England.

STATE OF COPPER MARKET

Foreign Demand Relatively Stronger than the Domestic

Copper continues firm and is steadily gaining in price, says George L. Walker, in the Boston Commercial. Lake is selling at 20 1-4 and 20 1-2 cents and electrolytic at 20 1-4 cents per pound for delivery up to the end of this year. The price of both grades is approximately 20 cents, also, for deliveries during the first two months of next year. The character of the market seems to confirm the opinion expressed some time ago that consumers have made plans to use more copper during the coming six months than the mines are able to produce. It is believed that a very large amount of copper could be sold at 20 cents per pound. Some of the producing companies who have not sold their entire December product, are asking 20 3-4 cents to 21 cents per pound. Other producers are out of the market entirely.

It is declared that sales of round lots of electrolytic copper for December delivery have been made at 20 1-2 cents per pound. More copper was sold and contracted for in December than in any previous month in the history of the trade. It is believed that sales amounted to between 50 and 100 million pounds more than was produced that month. This, in a measure, explains the disposition of consumers everywhere to buy for distant advance delivery.

It is estimated that the various selling agencies and producing companies of this country sold 225,000,000 pounds of copper in September, of which 85,000,000 was for export. A representative of one of the largest producing interests estimates that the total increase in production this year will not exceed 5 per cent. The existing scarcity of labor in all of the copper districts will limit next year's increase and when the decline in the price of copper comes it will not result from over production.

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Result of games last night:

	1	2	3	Total
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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

G. E. Revell left yesterday morning for the Lardeau.

Several Sikhs have been seen round the city recently, looking for work.

J. Masson is away on a hunting trip, his first holiday since his arrival in Nelson.

B. C. Travis, J. Macdonald and T. MacPherson have just returned from a trip to the coast.

John Kirkup, gold commissioner of Rossland, was in the city yesterday on assessment business.

There will be a special choir practice for Thanksgiving service at St. Saviour's church this evening at 8 o'clock.

Fifty stamps are now dropping at the Ymir mine, despite the coal situation. This is an advance of ten stamps on recent practice.

Mrs A. J. Miller and family desire to express their sincere thanks for the very kind sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement.

The drill parade of the Boys' Brigade will be conducted this evening at 7 o'clock by the non-commissioned officers, with sergeant J. Nichol in charge.

Kid Parker and Barney Mullin are matched for a twenty round bout at Phoenix next Friday evening under the auspices of the Phoenix Athletic Association.

The new steamer under construction at Okanagan lake is a sister ship to the Kuskanook and will be named the Okanagan. She will be launched in the early spring.

On Saturday last the Yale-Columbia Lumber company shipped from their mill at Westly, thirteen cars of lumber and four cars of No. 1 ties, amounting to 340,000 feet.

At the regular meeting of the Nelson Liberal Association Thursday evening next the topic for discussion will be the Hindu invasion. All liberals are invited to attend and take part in the discussion.

D. J. Robertson declares that his advertisement in The Daily News has sold his goods so rapidly that his new consignments have not had time to arrive. He first thought of taking his advertisement out, it having served his purpose, but later came to the conclusion it were better to double his space and send away immediately for a new consignment.

Owing to the prolonged session of the supreme court the county court sittings, at which several important cases will come up, have been again postponed until October 29th.

The monthly consecration meeting of the Young People's society in connection with S. Paul's church will be held his evening in he church parlors at 8 o'clock. All members and friends are invited to be present.

Queen City Rebekah lodge No. 16 I. O. O. F. will confer the initiation degree at their regular meeting this evening. A full attendance of the officers and members is therefore requested and they are reminded that lodge opens at 7:30 o'clock.

Manager Shipley of the gas company is not particularly disturbed over the coal and coke situation, saying that he has plenty of coal to run him till Christmas. In the meantime, however, the coke supply will be economized by making water gas therefrom, a new departure for the local company.

There was a meeting of the committee of the Churchmen's club last evening at the parish hall and it was decided to have ladies' night through the winter on every third Thursday of each month. A card party has been fixed for next Monday night with A. Turner, F. Nott and D. Nickerson as the special committee of arrangement.

There was a large turnout at the funeral of the late A. J. Miller, on Sunday afternoon. The church of St. Saviour's, the Rev. F. Graham officiating, was crowded with the numerous friends and acquaintances of the deceased. There were a large number of wreaths sent in. The Oddfellows marched in procession from the church to the burial ground.

The chairman of the entertainment committee of the 20,000 club yesterday turned over to the treasurer of that club $31.50, being the actual profits on the Philharmonic concert. The committee thinks that it has a better scheme in its next venture when the Roscians will appear under its auspices on October 31st at the agricultural hall, which will be heated with stoves for the occasion. Cavelleria Rusticana and Pinafore will be the double bill for the evening.

HUME—J. Kirkup, Rossland; F. W. Warren, Trail; T. Morley, Kootenay river; R. J. McPhee, Slocan; G. R. Green, W. P. Phillips, J. A. Gleason, Vancouver; W. F. Tuttle, Canmore; R. E. Beattie, Cranbrook; C. J. Tuttle, P. Moffatt, Fernie; H J. Fitzgerald, Judge Hildreth, Rev. J. Gill, Dr. Byrnes, Chicago.

STRATHCONA—T. H. Trethewey, La Plata; W. H. Falding, J. S. Couldrey, Rossland; Mrs. H. E. Hunter, Bonnington; A. C. D. Blanchard, Montreal; H C. Bullis, Cincinnati; C. L. Copp, Silverton; R. G. Lewis, Toronto; J. W. Guernsey, Trail; G. Coryell, Idaho; M. Walsh, St. Louis; F. M. Mason, E. G. Watson, A M. Tupper, Spokane; J. Gourlay, Vancouver.

QUEENS—J. B. Winlaw, Winlaw; C. H. Barnes, Newton, Mass.; C. Green, Rossland; H. E. Brown, Stavely.

BARTLETT—J. Clark, Ymir; T. A. Bradley, Spokane; H. Terrup, Rossland.

CLUB—H. Bedmile, Glace Bay.

GRAND CENTRAL—O. G. Winstead, Whitewater; J. J. Fraser, Bonnington; J. Band, Slocan; J. F. Feroglin, Mrs. Molton, Moyie; J. F. Pingle, Marysville; H. F. McCaslin, Salmo; W. Kinrade, Ymir; H. E. Smythe, Lardo.

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