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WOOLY BEAR REPRIEVED

Dying Indian Murderer Will Escape the Gallows

Canadian Doctor Surprises the Medical World by Results of Investigation of Yellow Fever

Brandon, Man., Dec. 19.—Woolly Bear, the condemned Indian murderer, is dying in jail. His sentence has been commuted.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 19.—E. I. Sifton, the missing defendant in the London bribery investigation, surrendered in police court this morning, pleading guilty and making a sworn statement. Bail of $200 was allowed and he was sent on to the January assizes.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 19.—Mrs. H. E. Terry was killed in an elevator accident at Eaton's departmental store here on November 14. A settlement has just been sanctioned by the court, whereby the husband gets $3000 and the four children $2000 among them.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—The earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway company for the week ending December 14 show that, approximately, the weather conditions of the seven days in question cost the road a quarter of a million.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—Dr. S. Wolferstan Thomas, a graduate of McGill and a former resident of Montreal, at present attached to the Liverpool school of tropical medicine, has for the first time in the history of medicine succeeded in inoculating a chimpanzee with yellow fever from the bite of a misquito. In private advices from Brazil, where Dr. Thomas is now experimenting, it is said that the chimpanzee had all the symptoms of yellow fever. If it can be established that the disease may be given from the chimpanzee to a human being, doctors may then proceed with the discovery of a cure through the medium of the chimpanzee. The Brazilian government has offered a prize of $15,000 for the discovery of a cure. Dr. Thomas graduated from McGill in 1897 and has since that time devoted himself to research. In 1904 he went to Brazil in charge of an expedition sent out jointly by the Brazilian government and the Booth Steamship company for the purpose of studying yellow fever.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 19.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the Neepawah, which cleared from here with the steamer Wahcondah and has not yet been reported at the Soo. Capt. Zealand, of the Wahcondah, states that he lost sight of the Neepawah Saturday night, and saw nothing more of her. She went out of sight in an instant and he believes that she has met with a mishap. This was just at the time when the cargo of the Wahcondah shifted. As no word of the steamer Ionica and her tug has been received, it is feared that both boats suffered in the storm of Friday night. Captain Zealand states that no boat without steering gear could live in the open without power. The Ionica left Soo for Port Arthur on Thursday, filled with Christmas goods for western merchants.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—John Collins, 111 years of age, is ill of congestion of the lungs but expects to be up and around shortly. He was born in Ireland near Cork, 111 years ago and came to Canada when years old. He is the father of a number of children, of whom two remain alive. He has not been sick till a short time since, when he caught cold. He now lies in bed and discusses his life quite lucidly. He has smoked and drank all his life. He remembers Napoleon's successes as if they were yesterday.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—At the annual meeting of the Hochelaga bank this morning, it was decided to increase the capital of the bank to $4,000,000 from $2,000,000, and to increase the directorate by two members. The new members are E. H. Lemay, and J. A. Wilson.

FEED SHORTAGE.

Call For Coal Cars Causing Trouble in Other Directions.

The rumor of a local shortage of hay and oats and of cars for lumber appears to be well founded, but not particularly alarming.

Inquiry at the C. P. R. freight offices confirmed the information that an order had been passed that no cars should be spotted except for coal until the necessities of the settlers in the northwest had been served. This order, the railroad people claim, will not seriously affect the lumbermen as December and January are quiet months, and provision will be made to let out mills that may have their dry kilns full and which otherwise might be compelled to close down.

The shortage of hay and oats hinges on this same fuel famine, and on the heavy snow fall in Alberta. Local dealers report that the line between Calgary and Edmonton is stalled with cars loaded with hay and oats that cannot be moved. Cars have been 19 days on the way and have not yet turned up. Three cars are expected today and no difficulty is anticipated in supplying all necessary hay and oats within the next few days.

U. S. CONSUL SHOT

Mukden, Dec. 20.—The American vice consul-general, Nelson Fairchild, was shot and killed today. It is believed that the shooting was accidental. There is universal feeling of sympathy.

AFTER PRES. SHERMAN

U. M. W. of A. DISTRICT BOARD IS UP IN ARMS.

SAYS HE ELECTED HIMSELF DISTRICT PRESIDENT.

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Dec. 19.—President Frank Sherman's methods of endeavoring to elect himself district president of the U. M. W. of A. for another term did not meet with the approval of the district board at the first meeting of that body held since the election and which met at Lethbridge on December 12th and subsequent days. The board decided that his election was irregular and declared it void. It will be remembered that three names were put in nomination for that important office, but two were ruled out by Sherman on technical grounds, and his own was the only name that appeared on the ballot on election day. The members of the union at Michel and other points in the Pass are highly incensed that the man whom they blame for the recent trouble at Coal Creek and Michel which caused so much suffering and irreparable loss, should endeavor to foist himself upon them once more by such questionable methods and trickery.

RISK THEIR HEADS

Russian Grand Dukes go Home for the Festal Season

St. Petersburg, Dec. 19—This was the emperor's name day, otherwise the festival of St. Nicholas, the wonder worker, the emperor's patron saint. The celebration included a parade and a state luncheon at Tsarksoe Zelo, at which all the members of the imperial family were present. The grand dukes Vladimir and Alexis, and the other grand dukes and duchesses, who have been living abroad lately, owing to the disturbed state of the empire, returned here in order to attend today's ceremonies.

JEFF MAY FIGHT.

New York, Dec. 19.—In a signed statement tonight "Tex" Rickard, who managed the Gans-Nelson fight at Goldfields, says he has offered Jeffries $50,000 to meet Jack Johnson, the heavyweight, at Goldfields. Rickard says he has assurances from Jeffries that he will enter the ring again for a purse of $50,000.

Los Angeles, Dec. 19.—James J. Jeffries today said that he would agree to fight Tommy Burns if a $50,000 purse was provided. He would not, he said, make a match with Jack Johnson, a colored pugilist, for any sum.

Tonapah, Nev., Dec. 19.—It was decided today that James J. Jeffries shall referee the Gans-Hermann fighe. Jeffries has accepted.

TOWN TOPICS CASE.

New York, Dec. 19.—Certain portions of the testimony given by Col. W. D. Mann at the trial of Norman Hapgood, on the charge of criminal libel in the so-called Town Topics case, were admitted by recorder Goff today in the trial of Col. Mann on a charge of perjury, growing out of the Hapgood trial. The objections of Mann's counsel were overruled.

ROSSLAND'S GOOD LUCK

TO GET SPECIAL LEGISLATION FROM McBRIDE.

MOIETY OF TWO PER CENT TAX GOES TO THE CITY

Rossland, Dec. 19.—According to the Miner, mayor Macdonald has been successful in his mission to Victoria and the McBride government will pay over to the city one half of the two per cent tax collected by the provincial authorities from mines within the limits of the city.

The Miner says today: Mayor P. R. Macdonald left on Tuesday evening for the coast for the purpose of interviewing premier McBride and the members of the cabinet with the object of obtaining from them a portion of the two per cent tax that is collected on the output of the mines within the city limits. The idea is to induce the legislature, by special enactment, to grant this right to the city. The mission has been successfully carried out by the mayor, and it is evident, unless something unexpected happens, that the city will, before a great while, be getting at least half of the tax, which would net it about $15,000 a year at present. The mayor is to be heartily congratulated on the success that he has achieved, as it will be of very material benefit to the city, because it will lift a considerable burden from the shoulders of the property owners.

Mayor Macdonald sent the Miner the following telegram:

"Have had an interview with the government. Have laid our case before them, and they admit that our city has a claim for exceptional treatment and the matter will be gone into further. The government promises us fair treatment the next session of the legislature."

SLOCAN NOTES

(Special to The Daily News)

Slocan, Dec. 19—The Midnight on 12-Mile, a property much talked of some months ago, is again being worked. Some very fine ore was shipped from this claim last spring and it was hailed as a wonderfully rich new mine, but has been tied up and idle for several months. This week, however, Jesse Tipping and sons took up supplies to the mine and began work. Mr. Tipping has secured a 14 months' lease and bond on the Midnight, and has also purchased outright a quarter interest in the property from Charles McDonald, one of the owners.

Robert Webster, formerly of Slocan, now in business in Vancouver, is renewing acquaintances here this week.

D. St. Denis is spending the week at Summit.

Anthony Madden is in Spokane where he is receiving medical treatment.

The Slocan conservatives held a meeting at mayor McNeish's last Friday.

Mike Dominico is building a dwelling on his ranch near town.

Unusually steady and heavy snowfalls here, have been succeeded by mild weather with an accompaniment of drizzling rain and wet snow.

McEWEN THE MAGICIAN

HANDCUFFED AND SHACKLED HE SHEDS THE IRONS.

PROMINENT CITIZENS CONSENT TO BE HYPNOTIZED.

McEwen the Great drew another full house last night to witness his closing appearance, and growing bolder with success he invited citizens on the platform to detect, if they could, how he worked his magic.

The most mystifying tricks were those in which, securely manacled hand and foot with irons supplied and put on by policeman Wightman, the wizard retired behind a curtain and was loose in less time than it takes to tell it. This act was followed by the trunk trick in which his assistant Mr. Aller, was securely locked and roped in a trunk by policeman Wightman and E. K. Beeston. The trunk disappeared behind the curtain, Mr. Aller appeared on the stage, and on reopening the trunk Mrs. McEwen, who a moment before was among the group on the stage, was found in Mr. Aller's place.

In the entreact Mr. Aller sang a song or two followed by a monologue in which he made game of the Nelson tramway.

Added interest was lent the hypnotic experiments by the fact that a class of prominent Nelsonites volunteered to test the powers of Mr. McEwen. Geo. Wellt, L. Hind, Mr. Austie, Mr. Praeger, W. C. Bayly, M. Perry, C. V. Hall and F. C. Clarkson took their seats on the platform and all proved susceptible to the influence except two. These were excused and the rest of the class, to the infinite amusement of the crowd found that they could not open their hands, forgot their names, thought of a funny story and witnessed hockey games at the will of the hypnotist.

The play of features as the class vainly tried to recall their names or caught the point of the imaginary story or madly sought to unclasp their hands, set the onlookers in convulsions, nor were the bewildered looks of the subjects on returning to the normal state any less diverting.

On dismissing the volunteers, the regular class was called and a few experiments in anesthesia worked. Needles were passed through the hands of the subjects without the latter evidencing the slightest feeling, and several other interesting experiments were gone through. The house was crowded to the doors with an audience that was interested and pleased from start to finish.

SALVAGE IS IMPOSSIBLE

WRECK OF STEAMER THEMIS REPORTED COMPLETE

VESSEL IS ALMOST COVERED AND CARGO IS TOTAL LOSS

Victoria, Dec. 19—The steamer Salvor returned tonight from the wreck of the steamer Themis, which struck on Cardigan rocks, Balaclava island, last Friday, having found salvage impossible. At high water the Themis is almost covered, and there is three and a half fathoms over the after part in low water. Owing to the exposed position, it is not expected that any of the cargo of 1500 tons of ore and 600 tons of salmon will be saved. All the woodwork and movables have been swept away and the steamer lies at an incline of 30 degrees to port, with the swell from Queen Charlotte Sound breaking over her.

GARRISON MUTINIES

Guayaquil, Dec. 19—The garrison of Loja mutinied on Dec. 15 because the soldiers had not been paid for 60 days. It is added that the troops abandoned their barracks after killing three officers, ran through the streets firing and lattr pillaged several houses and stores, killing 25 persons and wounding several others.

WILL FIGHT F. L. COTTON

President of Council to be Opposed by J. W. Weart

"Joe" Martin's Partner the Liberal Candidate in Richmond--Two More Tories Nominated

Vancouver, Dec. 19.—(Special) —J. W. Weart, the law partner of Joseph Martin, was nominated today as the liberal candidate to oppose Hon. F. Carter-Cotton for Richmond in the next provincial election.

At a meeting of the conservatives of the Islands riding, held in the hall at North Saanich, Mr. A. E. McPhillips of Victoria, was nominated as the candidate for the district. Twenty delegates, representing nearly all the inhabited islands, were present, besides numbers of other residents of the district.

Hon. R. F. Green was also on hand and the meeting was called to order at 8.30 with Capt. Clive Phillips-Wolley in the chair. Although some of the delegates came from the islands on which they were the sole voters, while others represented some twenty or thirty electors, it was unanimously decided to allow each delegate present one vote. Nominations having ben called for, A. E. McPhillips and Spencer Percival, Mayne island, were both named. A ballot having been taken, Mr. McPhillips was found to command a large majority of the votes, and on the motion of Mr. Percival himself, it was decided to make the nomination unanimous. Mr. McPhillips was then called in, his appearance being greeted by loud cheers from the delegates. Having notified him of the decision of the meeting, Capt. Clive Phillips-Wolley called upon Mr. McPhillips.

"I am pleased and honored at being nominated as the candidate for the Islands riding," said Mr. McPhillips. "It is a high honor to be selected as your standard-bearer in the coming contest, and I esteem it as such. I should have been even more pleased had you chosen one of your own number, for I believe that a representative from within his own electoral district can bring home to the administration the needs of his constituents in the most effective manner. However, I promise that the electors shall in no way find me wanting in looking after their wants. I think I may say that I am known among the members of the government as a vigilant man. I promise, if elected, to go to all parts of the Islands riding and to make myself familiar with local conditions and wants. I shall make it my business to pass through the constituency at all reasonable times—and at least once a year—and find out the needs of my constituents.

"I am known personally to the electors of my district, and they all know what sort of a man they have to deal with. I fully believe that I shall be returned. When I look at the large and enthusiastic gathering here this evening, I cannot but believe that the Islands is a conservative riding, and I am sure that we shall win in the coming fight." (Cheers.)

Mr. McPhillips will contest the seat with Mr. Paterson, (Lib.) the present member.

The convention called for Saturday in Golden by the liberal-conservatives of Columbia district, to nominate a candidate to contest their riding against W. C. Wells, M.P.P., (Lib.) at the provincial elections, was duly convened. Mr. Armstrong, presidtnt of the Golden liberal-conservative association, occupied the chair, and in a short but forceful address outlined the object of the convention. Balloting then commenced with four candidates for nomination, at which two withdrew, leaving H. G. Parsons and captain Armstrong in the field. After the ballots were counted by the scrutineers appointed, H. G. Parsons was declared elected, his election being made unanimous. Mr. Parsons and Mr. Wells will according be the opponents in the approaching fight.

The Nanaimo Herald endorses Mr. Harry Shepherd, Nanaimo's labor party candidate, and Mr. Hugh Fulton, labor party candidate at Ladysmith. Both gentlemen have registered their entire want of confidence in the McBride government. The Herald adds that the government will put up no candidate for Nanaimo, believing that Mr. Hawthornthwaite is a good enough supporter for them, he and Mr. Williams having voted for every monopolistic scheme that was brought before the house.

"THRU" NAILED TO MAST.

Washington, Dec. 19.—In accordance with president Roosevelt's understanding with congress, it was announced at the White House today than an order soon will be issued rescinding the order for simplified spelling and directing the public printer to use the old style of spelling in all printed documents, whether they emenate from the White House, the departments of the Capitol. But president Roosevelt will continue to use the simplified spelling in all his correspondence. Whether the members of the cabinet is not known.

ROBBED OF $6000.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Mrs. Ella V. Kober, waa robbed of $6000 by a pickpocket in the holiday crowds in the shopping district today. The money was paid Mrs. Kober by the Pennsylvania railroad in settlement of a claim on the death of her husband who was killed in the recent electric railroad wreck near Atlantic City. Mrs. Kober had no faith in banks and had refused to accept a cheque from the company in payment of the claim and demanded cash. She received thirty $100 and six $500 notes, which she sewed in a secret pocket in an underskirt. While shopping with a friend she discovered that the pocket had been cut from her skirt and the money taken.

CASTRO IS ILL

Wants to Turn Presidency of Venezuela Over to Gomez

Willestad, Curacoa, Dec. 19—There is no truth in the report that president Castro of Venezuela is dying. He is, however, practically incapacitated from work because of malignant tumors. He has commissioned Dr. Leopold Raptista, minister of the interior, to try again and arrange for turning the presidency over to Vincent Gomez, first vice-president, and thus avoid a revolution. It is believed to be very doubtful whether this can be accomplished.

CRANBROOK PUFFED UP

OPENING OF BIG STORE ROUSES THE WHOLE TOWN.

ITS ELEVATOR IS THE FIRST ONE IN ALL CRANBROOK.

(Special to The Daily News)

Cranbrook, Dec. 19.—The Fink Mercantile Co. held a public opening of their splendid business premises last evening at 8 p.m., and Cranbrook attended to the last man and woman. People came to see and to admire, and were entertained to excellent refreshments and to capital music provided by the Palmer orchestra. The staff, which numbers over a dozen, took the visitors in hand on their entrance and began with them a personally conducted tour of the immense establishment. Starting in at the basement, they were shown how from thirty to forty carloads of provisions could be swallowed up there away from frost, while still leaving room for the big double furnace that supplies steam heat to all parts of the structure. If the visitors did not care to climb the stairs, they went up by the lift, the first of its kind in Cranbrook. It will be run, later on, by an electric motor.

The store proper is on the street level and covers two entire lots or 5200 square feet. Down near the business offices the orchestra played selections varying from waltzes to Wagner. Here the crowd lingered before going upstairs to the tea rooms.

The structure externally is of concrete and iron, and inside approximates as closely to the ideal of fireproofing as is possible. It had cost, when ready for the reception of the stock, well over $30,000. The upper story is laid off into two most modern suites of offices, one of which will be occupied by J. A. Harvey and the other by W. F. Gurd. If comparison be permissible, it can be said that the Fink establishment is in all its parts the equal, if not the superior of anything of the sort this side of Calgary, or maybe in Calgary.

Alderman J. P. Fink is president of the company; E. Doberer (late of the Trites-Wood company of Fernie) is vice president and E. Patterson is secretary-treasurer. Cranbrook feels quite proud of the Fink Mercantile Co. and of the new store associated with its name.

OFF FOR THE WINTER

(Special to The Daily News)

Comaplix, Dec. 19—Captain S. Soles of the tug Archer, and W. F. Rennie mate of the steamer Piper, have left for the east. They both intend visiting their old homes. Captain Soles goes to Newmarket, Ont., and Mr. Rennie to Truro, N.S. They intend returning in the spring.

The Bowman Lumber company is erecting a fine dry kiln at their mill in Beaton. The size of the building will be about 60x200 feet. They expect also to commence work on their new store in a few days.

THE HAGUE CONFERENCE

POWERS DISCUSS QUESTIONS TO BE BROACHED.

SOME OBJECT TO DEBATING DISARMAMENT PROPOSAL.

Paris, Dec. 19.—The tentative suggestions of the United States regarding the program of the coming session of The Hague tribunal, which include discussions of the limitation of armaments and the Drago doctrine, are said here to be encountering obstacles on both scores. Two of the powers are understood to be of the belief that the introduction into the program of the question of disarmament would be untimely and only productive of discord. Great Britain is distinctly hostile to the Drago doctrine, which declares that no nation has a right to forcibly undertake to collect debts owing to its citizens by those of another national; but France has not positively announced her attitude on the question.

In principle, France is in complete accord with president Roosevelt as to the advisability of the discussion of the limitation of armament, provided it is possible to seriously consider the question, and there is a prospect of tangible results. She deems it wiser, however, not to introduce the subject if it is apparent in advance that it will be unfruitful of results, and only likely to be employed by one power to make capital against another.

SUCCEEDS COL. PINAULT.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—(Special)—Lieut.-Col. Fiset, of the army medical corps, has been offered and has accepted the position of deputy minister of militia. He is a South African veteran.

LIVES ARE SNUFFED OUT

EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE KILLS TWO MEN

FIRE IN BUFFALO RESULTS IN FOUR DEATHS.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 19.—By the explosion of dynamite in the fireworks factory of Joseph Carbo and John Niva, Italians, tonight, a fireman was burned to death, another was fatally burned and an assistant fire chief and another fireman were seriously and perhaps fatally burned. The proprietors were painfully burned, and a boy was struck in the face by flying debris and severely hurt. The dead, fireman Harry Eady; fatally injured, fireman Edward Daley, will die; assistant fire chief George Munro, may die. Carbo and Niva were counting torpedoes they had manufactured, when one torpedo dropped and caused the explosion of the rest.

Vicksburg, Miss., Dec. 19.—A serious accident occurred on the Mississippi river this morning, when the steamer W. T. Scoville, plying in the Vicksburg and Davis Bend trade, was destroyed by an explosion. Owing to the large number of negroes on board it is impossible to ascertain the exact number of dead and injured, but officers of the boat who arrived here tonight say that no less than ten, nor more than sixteen were killed. It is probable a like number were injured.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Four lives were snuffed out and one person was fatally burned in a small fire in the Zenobia apartment house on Prospect avenue at the corner of West Huron street tonight. Other occupants of the house had narrow escapes, half a dozen being rescued by the firemen. The dead are: F. M. Lombrecht, 45 years old; Mrs. Lombrecht, his wife, 40 years old; Ruth Crumlish, three years old, daughter of Mrs. Crumlish; Mrs. J. J. Fisher, of New York, her husband is said to be a theatrical man. Injured: A. C. Beam, salesman for Wood & Co., of Buffalo. The blaze was a small one and was quickly brought under control by the firemen. The financial loss is less than $5000.

NEED FOOD AND COAL

Minneapolis, Dec. 19—Following the reports of a fuel famine in the northwest come reports of a shortage of food supplies. The railway service has been interrupted by the cold and blizzards on the western prairies. A telegram today from the citizens' committee of Ambrose, N.D., to the Journal, says that place is without coal and provisions. Twenty cars of coal and food must be taken there by special train at once in order to relieve the situation, or great suffering will result, the telegram declares.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Mayor Gillett spent all yesterday at the city power plant watching the final touches being made in the installing of the machinery. It has taken a little longer than the machinery contractors thought would be the case a week ago, but satisfactory progress was made yesterday and a possible trial start may be made today. Users of electric lights are again urged to out off unused lights on and after tomorrow night so as to help out the situation with the W. K. P. & L. Co.

Nelson people will regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fullerton will shortly leave the city and take up their residence in Fernie, where Mr. Fullerton will enter a large grocery combination. Mr. Fullerton said last evening that while sorry to leave Nelson, his new arrangements would take him off the road and allow of his being at home continuously, a state of affairs he greatly desired. He expects to move to East Kootenay shortly before the new year. Readers of The Daily News will readily recall the public concern shown at the time of the San Francisco disaster when it was feared that accident had befallen Mrs. Fullerton, and the very general satisfaction exhibited when it became known that the lady was safe and sound.

The Butte Miner has issued an 84-page Christmas number, dealing with the mineral output of Butte camp for 1906, which it gives as 325,000,000 lbs. of copper, and 10,000,000 ozs. of silver, with a value of $68,000,000. The edition contains many pages of illustrations of the different mine workings around the camp, and in dealing with the outside movement of Butte capital, a cut purporting to show the lake front at Ainsworth, B. C., is produced with a cross marking the supposed location of the Krao mine, recently acquired by Butte capitalists. On examination, the illustration proves to be of the town of Lardo, B. C., 30 miles north of Ainsworth.

EDUCATION BILL DEAD

Lords Refuse to Accept the Offered Compromise

Commons Held Out an Olive Branch, but the Peers Disdainfully Declined it

London, Dec. 19.—The education bill received its death blow in the house of lords today. Both sides spent the last three days in practically incessant conferences, with the object of discovering an acceptable compromise, but the opposition found themselves unable to accept the concessions offered by the government. These were formally presented by the lord president of the council, the earl of Carewe, when the house of lords met this afternoon, but lord Lansdowne, on behalf of the opposition, refused the proferred olive branch and moved that the lords report their amendments to bill. This was adopted by 132 to 52 votes and the education bill was thus killed.

There is no indication as yet as to what course the government will pursue. There is the greatest resentment among the ministerial members of parliament that ten months of legislative work had been done for nothing. The feeling is strong against Mr. Balfour, leader of the opposition in the house of commons. He is held to be personally responsible for the failure to arrange a compromise.

The duke of Devonshire during the course of the final debate, entered a strong protest against what he termed lord Lansdowne's wrecking tactics, and voted with the government in the minority. There will be an exciting scene in the house of commons tomorrow.

London, Dec. 19.—An interesting feature of the celebration at the hotel Savoy of the three hundredth anniversary of the sailing of the party that was to form the British colony at Jamestown, Va., was the presence of major general Baden-Powell, who is a lineal descendant of John Smith, and admiral Rolfe, who is a descendant of Pocahontas from her marriage with the English colonist, Rolfe. Admiral Rolfe said his family had recently recovered a stolen portrait of Pocahontas which would be loaned to the Jamestown exposition.

T. P. O'Connor declared that Irishmen must have been among the first American colonists as the latter soon became ardent home rulers. The party included many other distinguished persons, including foreign secretary Grey, earl Roberts, and lord Curzon of Keddleston.

London, Dec. 19.—The president of the local government board, John Burns, replying to a question in the house of commons today, said he was aware that the carcasses of pigs intended for export from the U. S. were not dealt with according to the standard recommended by the royal commission on tuberculosis of 1898, but pending the report of the royal commission, which was now sitting, he did not think that carcasses could be examined in accordance with these requirements.

VANCOUVER IS MAD.

Notice of Trespass From the Dominion Makes City Angry.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 19.—Consternation reigns among civic officials here today as the result of a wire received from the dominion government, warning the city that the erection of the proposed market on the False Creek foreshore will be esteemed a trespass. All are indignant at the attitude, inasmuch as complaints of private obstructions in the creek have been forwarded to Ottawa for years, but not the slightest attention has been paid. The city claims absolute title to the market site, by a provincial grant, and has wired an answer to that effect.

BIG EXPORT MILL.

Backed By Los Angeles Capital, For Graham Island.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 19.—An immense lumber mill, for export trade, is announced to be built at a cost of half a million, on Graham island, Queen Charlotte group. The Graham Lumber Co., backed by Los Angeles capital, and controlling a hundred square miles of timber limits, is behind the project.

FAMINE IN CHINA

Nanking, Dec. 19—The famine stricken refugees from the Yang Tse Kiang district are collecting in large numbers outside the cities. About 30,000 of them are encamped near here and there are some 300,000 near Hang Khow.

Official advices regarding the famine in the province of Kwang Su, China, confirm the stories of suffering and want in that section. The crops are reported as being almost a total failure in Tao Yang. In Antong and Fung the crops are practically a total failure. The country everywhere is under water and the people are compelled to wade waist deep and in places up to their necks.

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"The government of British Columbia did not sell Kaien Island for ten thousand dollars. Kaien Island was sold for $10,000 plus one-fouth the speculative, intrinsic or commercial value it may now or at any future time possess through the exploitation of the G. T. P. If the island is worth many millions, then the province owns one quarter of the millions. Any attempt to make it appear otherwise is puerile and childish."

With this half truth the government apologists reply to the opposition charge that, in selling Kaien Island to the Grand Trunk Pacific for $10,000, the McBride ministry sacrificed the interests of the province and made a bad business bargain. Since they adopt such a defence, it is a fair inference that they are prepared to admit that, had a sale of the terminal townsite been made for the sum named, it would have been a serious mistake.

The fact that the government reserved a quarter interest in the townsite has long provoked the conservative leaders to a chorus of self adulation. It has been pointed out time and again, whenever the Kaien Island deal has come under review, that this reserving clause better protected the interests of the people than any additional cash consideration in the purchase price could have done.

But—who inserted that reserving clause?

Was it the McBride government?

Sad to tell, it was not. The McBride government was compelled by the statute law to make that reservation. It could no more have alienated that last quarter interest than could any disinterested private third party. The law said that the quarter had to be held—and held it was.

But the McBride government had nothing to do with the framing of that law.

Again—let it even be granted that the interests of the province are protected to a certain extent by this reservation; WHAT ABOUT THE OTHER THREE-QUARTERS?

If the whole townsite, undeveloped as it is today, is worth many millions (and even the most hardy of the government defenders will not deny that it is) then a three-quarters interest in it is surely worth something more than $10,000!

At least, it would be if private parties were transacting the business.

Suppose, for a moment, that a syndicate of real estate men occupied the advantageous position the government did three years ago; and suppose that the Grand Trunk Pacific applied to them to purchase a three-quarters interest in the terminal townsite! Would they have sold it for $10,000? Or would the railroad company have even dreamed of offering such a ridiculously paltry price?

In so far, then, as the government alienated a three-quarters interest in an invaluable property for a mere pittance, one that private parties would never have considered even for a moment, it made a bad bargain, and proved recreant to the sacred trust it held from the people.

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LOCKS THE DOOR—BUT TOO LATE

For some weeks the government press has been exultantly announcing that Hon. R. F. Green is preparing plans for improving the laws relating to the administration of British Columbia's timber resources. And now comes the report from the coast that he is in close consultation with millmen and loggers, securing from them suggestions for the reform measures he hopes to introduce into the legislature.

Certainly the timber laws do need reforming. But is Hon. R. F. Green the man to do the work?

Hon. R. F. Green, it must be remembered, is the minister who a year ago introduced and watched the passage of one of the most pernicious pieces of timber legislation ever enacted in British Columbia. He is was who gave to the speculators in timber limits twenty-one year leases, under a permanent royalty of 50 cents a thousand on the logs cut.

This means that, on the thousands of square miles of standing timber now, or soon to be, under lease, the government can not, for twenty-one years, raise the royalty above the 50 cent mark—no matter how bright may become conditions in the logging industry! It means, too, that a handicap is put on the provincial revenue for that length of time.

It is not often that altering circumstances disclose the seriousness of governmental mistakes within a few short months, but this instance is one that breaks the monotony of the rule.

Already, the price of logs has been forced so high that it has attracted the attention of the whole province. Speculators are holding their leases intact and the demand for logs has become so insistant that market values have been forced up and loggers are coining money. But in spite of this fact, the province can not profit one cent by the improved conditions or share in the increased prices, for the royalty is unalterably fixed at 50 cents.

Twenty years from now the price of logs may be still higher. The condition of the market then may justify a royalty of $2, or even more. Still the province will only be able to collect 50 cents per thousand, for the leases have twenty-one years to run.

True, the existing law may be repealed, and future leases may be made on other terms. But the harm has been done. Vast areas are already under lease, and speculators and cruisers are more active today than ever they were in the past, locating and securing the remaining timber areas while yet there is time. Contracts made can not be altered. The leases now executed and those yet to be executed under the existing law must run their twenty-one years' course.

A splendid thing this for the speculators and loggers; but how about the province? It must limp through three times seven years with a mill stone on its neck—with one of the most promising sources of revenue it possesses choked off at the fountain head so that, where a river might run, there will only be a poor little puny trickling stream.

And NOW Hon. R. F. Green thinks of improving the administration of British Columbia's timber resources. No wonder!

With the plainly implied hint that "there are others," Mr. A. McNeill, chief of the fruit division, department of agriculture, sends us the following formal note:

Editor, The Daily News: I am credited in certain real estate agents' circulars with having said that the Kootenay district is the only district in Canada that can produce the fancy grade of apples, that defined in the Fruit Marks Act, I presume. I repudiate this statement in toto. I do not sanction the use of my name in any shape or form in connection with this statement. Yours truly,

A. McNEILL.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.

Mr. McNeill evidently sees at this late date the diplomatic necessity of refraining from committing himself too explicitly. However, no matter what he thinks other sections of the dominion may be able to do, the fruit chief frankly admits that Kootenay CAN produce a fancy grade of apples. And that is enough for Kootenay.

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Dated at Spokane, Wash., Dec. 12, 1906.

W. G. GRAVES,
Secretary International Coal & Coke Company, Limited. 202-10

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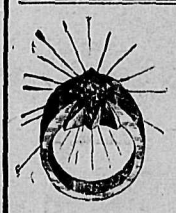

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FORT STEELE BOARD OF TRADE PASSES RESOLUTION.

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(Special Correspondence)

Fort Steele, Dec. 15.—A large and very representative meeting of the Fort Steele board of Trade was held last night in the Imperial hotel to consider the question of aid to the Kootenay Central Railway, and for the election of delegates to the Associated Boards of Trade. The president, Dr. Hugh Watt, was in the chair, with A. B. Fenwick, as secretary.

Speaking of the Kootenay Central, the president briefly stated the reasons why he thought the government should renew the assistance granted to the road in the Loan Act of 1901, and unfortunately repealed in the session of 1902 without notice having been given to the company. As the other roads subsidized by the same act had their subsidies revoted in the special acts introduced by the government, it was only common justice that the K.C.R. should have been treated likewise, or should even yet be so favored. If it was right that the government should have renewed the assistance granted to the other roads named in the repealed Loan Act, there was no valid reason why the K.C.R. should have been made an exception of and construction of the greatly needed road delayed to the great injury of the residents in the valley it was proposed to serve.

Mr. Galbraith addressed the meeting on the same subject and was glad to assure them that work at the northern end of the road was still going on, but not so rapidly as he could wish.

On motion of Mr. McVittie and Mr. Carlin it was unanimously resolved to memorialize the government to renew the assistance given in 1901 to the K. C. R. by reaffirming the resolution passed at the associated boards last winter as follows: "That whereas no adequate development of the agricultural, mineral and forest resources of the Kootenay and Columbia valleys in East Kootenay is possible without railway transportation, therefore be it resolved that the government be urged to renew such sufficient measure of assistance by guarantee of bonds or otherwise to the Kootenay Central railway as will secure its immediate construction."

The following are the delegates to the meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade to be held at Greenwood: Dr. H. Watt as president of the local board; C. H. Pollen and A. B. Fenwick, with R. L. T. Galbraith and Wm. Carlin as alternates.

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W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., Dec. 14th, 1906.

NOTICE

MUNICIPALITY OF PHOENIX, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for revising and correcting the Voters' List for the year 1907, will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Phoenix, B. C., on Friday, the 21st day of December, 1906, at 2 o'clock p.m.

D. J. MATHESON, City Clerk.
Dated at Phoenix, B.C., this 10th day of December, 1906.

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J. W. NUNN, City Clerk.

Fernie, B.C., Dec. 15, 1906.

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Some curiosity has been expressed by the general public in regard to the exact terms of the agreement entered into between the provincial government and the Salavation Army for the direction of immigration towards British Columbia. Since the first report was received, and since the visit paid to Nelson by commissioner Coombs, Mr. J. A. Sayward of Victor, told theVictoria board of trade that commissioner Coombs had met the employers of labor in Victoria and had recommended that the government should be induced to appropriate $25,000 towards bringing laborers to Canada's west. In replying to a remark from president J. A. Mara to the effect that the provincial authorities had already reached an agreement with the Army upon this matter, Mr. Sayward supplemented his first statement. He said that he had been informed that the arrangement made was that the government should pay $3 for each individual brought from the old country and settled in British Columbia.

The board of trade decided to send a committee to the government advising the adoption of the recommendation made by the commissioner to the Victoria employers. An interview was obtained after the meeting with Hon. R. G. Tatlow, minister of agriculture and finance. While the minister did not care to divulge the exact terms of the contract entered into with the Salvation Army he was not adverse to discussing the proposed granting of $25,000 to aid the former organization in bringing settlers to British Columbia.

The matter, he said, had been considered during the conferences held between commissioner Coombs and members of the cabinet. There was no doubt that it would be a measure in the interests of the west and one which would assist in the execution of any plans the Salvation Army might have in view in regard to the encouragement of immigration to this province. But, he contended, the money wasn't needed yet. It was intended that it should be used in bringing the men to the country. The army wasn't looking for absolute paupers. They expected the settlers selected to pay at least a portion of their transportation and other expenses. All they did was to extend necessary assistance and to direct their proteges as to the best districts in which to make their future homes. Therefore the $25,000 wouldn't be needed immediately. The use it was intended to put that sum to was entirely different to that which, apparently the Victoria board of trade members had in mind. If such an appropriation were made the Salvation Army proposed disbursing it in the payment of transportation, etc., of the families of those settlers, who, having left the old country upon the recommendation and through the co-operation of the Salvation Army, are satisfied with the change and wish their immediate relatives to join them. These people, as a rule, hadn't sufficient funds on hand, after a few months had convinced them that they had been cast amid agreeable surroundings and were in a situation with better possibilities than formerly, to bring their wives and families to join them. It was when that stage had been reached that the army wished the government appropriation of $25,000, so that it might be possible to again aid them financially.

Hon. Mr. Tatlow thought that the scheme was an execllent one. It had worked well in other provinces and would probably be found just as satisfactory in British Columbia. But the time hadn't arrived. The settlers themselves hadn't yet begun to pour across the Rockies. It was scarcely probable that the effects of the energies of the Salvation Army would be felt until the months of February or March. And then it would take several months before these men could be in a position to know whether their new situations were agreeable to them. For this reason it would be time enough six or eight months hence to consider the advisability of granting the $25,000 towards helping the Salvation Army in its useful and charitable immigration policy.

It was further pointed out by Hon. Mr. Tatlow that any money which might be appropriated in the way outlined would only be handed the army as a loan. The latter, he understood, lent it to the settlers for the purpose mentioned only on condition that it be paid back in instalments. As it was returned it was reinvested for the assistance of others. Thus the fund was kept in continual circulation and through it, new people were constantly coming into the country. That was the way the army worked and there was no doubt that the system was an admirable one. It was particularly beneficial to a country such as the western portions of Canada. Upon the prairies it had ben placed in operation with very gratifying results. Whether the same would be done in British Columbia he couldn't say. That was a question which had to be considered.

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Deep regret was felt and expressed by the people of New Denver when the news reached town on Saturday that Libby, eldest daughter of John A. Taylor, died at Mount Forrest, Ont., where she had been visiting her aunt. She was a bright girl of 15 years and a great favorite among the young peolpe of New Denver, where she spent the greater part of her life. Mr. Taylor is an old timer in Nelson where he was at one time in the boot and shoe business in the early days, and later came to New Denver. He has the sincere sympathy of all the community in his sad loss.

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Mr. Randall, principal of the school here, has sent in his resignation to accept a position as principal of the Trail school.

Badminton is all the rage here now, with Aston, Cornwall and Reed the star players.

Ed Shannon has let a contract to the McMillan boys and McGillivray to run a 200 foot tunnel in the Neepawa. He has installed a water power plant to drive a fan for the purpose of air.

It is understood that L. Alexander has taken a lease on the Emily Edith mine, which he intends to work on a large scale.

Ostby is working away at the California, getting out quite a tonnage of high grade ore.

Dr. Brouse is recovering from his recent illness.

The license commissioners for the Slocan held a meeting here on Saturday and granted the usual number of licenses.

In Bosun hall on Christmas eve, the grand operatta of Bo-Peep, score and libretto specially adapted and arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Rankine, will be given by the children of New Denver in which the following will take part: Bo-Peep, Mary Gordon; fairy queen, Jessie Cropp; witch, Winfred McDougald; mischief, Mary Murray; queen of night, Mary McInnis; king of Kobold, Earl Nelson; jester, Denver Shannon; sentry, Dussell Gordon. Scene 1, Fairy's retreat; scene 2, Witch's cave; scene 3, court of the queen of night; scene 4, Kobolt's castle; scene 5, fairies' retreat. The choruses, dances, grand march, etc., will be followed by Handy's celebrated Toy Symphony, by the New Denver brass band of 22 instruments, conductor, T. Rankine; pianist, Mrs. T. Rankine; violinist, Miss Eastman; stage managers, Messrs W. Vallance, Lindsay and J. Turner, the whole to be concluded by the annual united Sunday school Christmas tree.

WANTS JEFF TO FIGHT

New York, Dec. 19—According to the Herald today, Tex Rickards, the Nevada fight promoter, announced last night his willingness to give a purse of $50,000 for a somewhat novel battle, with James J. Jeffries, champion of the world, as the central figure. Rickards wants Jeff to fight Jack O'Brien and Tommy Burns to a finish in one ring on the same day, the event to take place at Goldfield, Nevada.

KILLED HER CHILDREN

Toronto, Dec. 19—A horrible tragedy was enacted at Whitefish, a little railway village on a branch of the C.P.R., 18 miles west of Sudbury. An English woman, whose husband is an engineer with the Copper Cliff Mining company, suddenly became demented last Thursday night. She took her two small children, aged 3 and 8 respectively, from bed, and carrying them outside of the house, laid them in the deep snow and cut their throats with a knife. She then used the weapon on herself, cutting her own throat. Her husband found their bodies. One child was breathing but died shortly after.

VOTED—THEN DIED

Winnipeg, Dec. 19—While returning from the polls after voting in the municipality of Kildonan, Mrs J. R. Spencer, a sister of archdeacon Phair, was stricken with paralysis, which resulted fatally a few minutes after she had been taken to her home at Seven Oaks. Mrs. Spencer was the widow of the late J. R. Spencer of the Hudson's Bay company.

NO OPIUM IN CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

There is not the least danger in giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to small children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug. It has established a reputation of more than 30 years as the most successful medicine in use for colds, croup and whooping cough. It always cures and is pleasant to take. Children like it. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

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There is no other medicine manufactured that has received so much praise and so many expressions of gratitude as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effective, and prompt relief follows its use. Grateful parents everywhere do not hesitate to testify to its merits for the benefit of others. It is a certain cure for croup and will prevent the attack if given at the first appearance of the disease. It is especially adapted to children as it is pleasant to take and contains nothing injurious. Mr. E. A. Humphreys, a well known resident and clerk in the store of Mr. E. Lock, of Alice, Cape Colony, South Africa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to ward off croup and colds in my *family. I found it to be very satisfactory* and it gives me pleasure to recommend it." For sale by al idruggists and dealers.

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Christmas Week

Return Engagement of the Nelson Favorites

The Juvenile Bostonians

Seats, 75c., 50c., and 25c.
Plan at Rutherford's Saturday.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Xmas Entertainment

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FRIDAY, DEC. 21st

Beautiful Lantern Views and Musical Program.

Adults—25 cents; Juveniles, 10 cents.

Kootenay Fruit Lands for sale in 10, 20, and 40 acre blocks.

I have a few bargains now, write for my list.

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Boys over 10 years of age prepared for all Colleges or Business.

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It is always easier, cheaper and better to check a cold in the very beginning.

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Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, has been tested for thirty-three years, and tens of thousands of homes in Canada and the United States to-day are never without it.

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BETTER UNDERWEAR

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

TIMBER LIMIT DEAL

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Dec. 19—Edward Broley of this town has sold his timber limits on Gold creek to W. Telford of Saskatchewan. It is understood that the price paid was $20,000.

The Nelson Hardware Company will keep their store open every night until after Xmas, to accommodate those working late.

GATES' ROCK AND ORE BREAKERS

HEAD OFFICE MONTREAL	Gates "K" rock and Ore Breaker has greater capacity, runs more smoothly and consumes less power per ton of rock broken than any other breaker ever made. Never clogs. Easily oiled. See Bulletin 1416	BRANCH OFFICE NELSON

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LIMITED

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At present we have a good choice of articles most suitable for the holiday season.

No time more appropriate for a new Dressy Suit of Clothes, a new Hat or Overcoat.

We have some beauties at Exceptional Good Values

Fancy Dress Vests, $2.50 to $5.00.

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Dr. Jaeger's Fancy Wool Slippers, $1.50 to $2.00.

Fancy Slippers, $1.00, $1.50 and up.

Fancy Hosiery, 35c, 40c to 75c pair.

Winter Dress Gloves and Mitts, $1.00 to $2.50 pair.

J. H. WALLACE

Men's Outfitter — Next door to Madden House

Now Arriving

New Season's Haddies
Hams and Bacon
of finest quality
Fresh Eastern and Olympia Oysters

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LADIES' SILK and LACE WAISTS
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LADIES' FANCY STOCKS
LADIES' FANCY SILK COLLARS
LADIES' FANCY BELTS
LADIES' HAND BAGS
LADIES' SILK SHAWLS
CHILDREN'S FANCY HANDKERCHIEF BOXES
CHILDREN'S WOOL and KID GLOVES
CHILDREN'S FUR TIES and MUFFS
CHILDREN'S FUR STORM COLLARS
CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES
INFANT WOOL COATS and WRAPS
INFANT WOOL SLIPS
INFANT MUSLIN DRESSES
INFANT CROCHETTED WOOL JACKETS
INFANT CASHMERE and SILK COATS
INFANT WOOL BOOTEES and OVER ALLS
INFANT SILK DRESSES and BONNETS
INFANT WOOL SHETLAND FALLS
LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS
LADIES' FEATHER BOAS
LADIES' FUR COLLARS, BOAS and STOLES

A fine stock of drawn thread linens in 5 o'clock cloths, side board covers, tray cloths, doyles, banners and buffet covers.

We are showing a very fine lot of Eiderdown quilts in sateen, silk and satin covers; also of cushions, in silk, plush, satins and hand embroidery; pin cushions and gloves, handkerchief cases; fine table linens with napkins to match.

FOR GENTLEMEN

A good stock of silk ties and scarfs to select from. Silk Handkerchiefs in initial and plain silk; silk muffers and evening wraps; leather travelling bags, dress suit cases umbrellas with gloria and all-silk covers, natural wood, mounted, silver and gold handles; gentlemen's kid gloves and silk lined gloves.

We Invite the Inspection of Our Complete Stock Prices Exceedingly Low

In order to accommodate our customers we will have our place of business opened each evening till 9 o'clock.

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Several good houses and lots in good location, also lots in Hume Addition. Fruit lands.
Good dry wood all length, $6.00 per cord, cash with order.

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On SATURDAY, the 22nd, we will redeem all coupons dated November 16th for their face value in

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K. W. C. BLOCK NELSON, B. C.
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40 Acres at 9-Mile Point. Tis is first class bench land and is easily cleared.

Price
$35.00 per acre
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More New Goods

SOUVENIR BUTTER DISHES—Willow China in wooden frame with knife to match, $1.50.

FRUIT AND FISH SETS in Cases—Henry Rogers, Sheffield make, $5.00, $12.00, $17.00, $18.50 each.

FINE LEATHER TRAVELLING BAGS—fitted, complete, $22.00, $27.00, $38.00 each.

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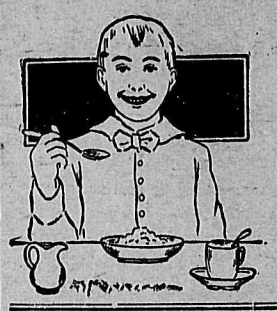

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OUR THIRD SEASON

We have always sold out before Christmas and many of our customers have been disappointed. We have bought a large quantity this season but find the demand greatly increased for this reliable brand. BUY NOW, 1 lb, 40c.; 2 lb., 75c.; 3 lb., $1.

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Ebony Brush, Comb and Mirror in handsome case $6.00
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Most select stock of perfumes.

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Xmas Confections in Dainty Boxes

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HOLLY

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Only a limited quantity to be had.

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London, Dec. 19—Lead, £19 17s. 6d.; silver, 31 13-16.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Trainmaster C. H. Crandon is in Kholt.

Holiday rates on the railways begin tomorrow.

Superintendent Lawrence of the C.P.R. was in Greenwood yesterday.

F. M. Black of P. Burns & Co., leaves for the coast this morning.

F. W. Guernsey of the Trail smelter is stopping at the Strathcona.

John Duncan of the C.P.R. leaves on a trip to Scotland this morning.

Joseph Dodds of Carlyle, Sask., arrived in the city yesterday on the Crow steamer, to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Hugh Ross.

Coke is coming in to the Consolidated Smelter at Trail somewhat slowly and so far only two stacks have been blown in. The management wish to accumulate a stock of coke before blowing in any more of the furnaces.

A Christmas entertainment will be given in St. Paul's church on Friday evening next under the auspices of the Sunday school, commencing at 7:30 and consisting of beautiful magic lantern views and appropriate music.

A meeting of the directors of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association will be held in the board of trade rooms on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Several matters bearing on the association's work next year will come up for discussion.

J. A. Montgomery has taken over the business of the Montgomery Co., Ltd., including the wholesale manufactory of confectionery on Victoria street and the retail store on Baker street. Mr. Montgomery is also adding a full line of staple and fancy groceries to his retail stock.

The issue of The Daily News on Tuesday Jan. 1, will consist of 12 pages and will contain much special matter including a review of 1906 in the Kootenay generally and in Nelson in particular. Advertisers wanting increased space for the issue in question and new advertisers are requested to apply at this office at once for further particulars.

The directors of the Kootenay Lake general hospital have appointed Dr. Samuel Petersky of Vancouver, to the post of resident physician, recently vacated by Dr. Campbell. Dr. Petersky is a graduate of McGill university and has been practising at the coast. He is expected to arrive here shortly before the new year.

The president of the board of trade yesterday received a letter from the Montreal board of trade asking if it would help out the labor situation here if the Montreal board of trade joined in petitioning the dominion government to abandon the Chinese tax. Mr. Starkey should send the secretary of the Montreal board a copy of The Daily News containing the debate on the Chinese question of the local fruit growers' association on October 28, when the resolution originally passed by the association, was rescinded. It would help to educate the Montreal people as to public opinion in the Kootenays and save the writing of such epistles as the one just received.

Don't miss getting one of Christie's Xmas Plum Puddings at Montgomery's before they are all gone. 207-2

HUME—R. J. McPhee, Slocan; W. R. Smith, W. B. Poole, Spokane; J. McCarthy, Stillwater; R. C. Wright, St. Paul; G. W. Rumberger, Phoenix; E. B. McMaster, V. E. Roberts, Vancouver.

STRATHCONA—W. F. Dubois, Arlington mine; W. W. McMillan, Winnipeg; E. Kelly, Spokane; F. G. Donaghy, Vancouver; E. O. Kamm and wife, Moyie; J. Fisher, Rossland; Bert Laing, Juvenile Bostonians; T. M. Guernsey, Trail.

QUEENS—Mrs. A. Antoza, Rosebery; G. Green, Virden; Miss S. Cummings, Kholt; O. H. Pollard, Rockland; H. J. LaBrash, Toronto; M. Devitt, M. Sutherland, Trout Lake; C. M. Crouse, Midway.

NELSON — G. Wilson, Bonnington; J. Thompson, Greenwood; F. Hayter, Oxbow; J. Jones, T. O'Brien, R. Eden, Vancouver; F. H. Hunter, Susanville; J. Hafner, Revelstoke; H. W. Pentyer, Hillyard.

MADDEN—H. Rippin, Sandy creek; J. Dupmeyer, St. Paul; T. Madden, Arrowhead; A. Hansen, Lardo; C. Hamilton, Grand Forks; B. M. Mooney, Calgary.

GRAND CENTRAL—Theo. F. Adams, Mullan; R. Sheedy, Spokane; J. McCollum, Northport; D. Davidson, Kaslo; M. C. Lawler, Comaplix; A. McCrea, Revelstoke; M. McLeod, Jennie Stewart, Cassie Stewart, M. Tait, Ymir; G. Hughes, Bonnington; C. Chestnut, J. B. McDougall, Frank; F. H. Munroe, F. W. Lawrence, Seattle; H. Tren, D. Jones, Grand Forks.

SHERBROOKE—A. McDonald, Revelstoke; G. McLaren, Edmonton; Harry Allen; Slocan; J. J. Frost, Midway; G. Craig and wife, J. Copeland, Shields; G. Crossley, Castlegar; F. Cooley, J. Hartman, Grand Forks.

KOOTENAY—F. Depretto, Grand Forks; S. Boothroyd, C. N. Smith, John Fraser, D. McNeil, F. H. Abbott, Shields.

LAKEVIEW—W. H. Walker, Salmo; J. Canning, Grand Forks.

CLUB—J. Nicholson, Shields.

ROYAL—A. Smithfield, Vancouver; Balfour Reade, Victoria; E. H. Dean, Winnipeg.

Don't buy your Xmas candies until you see J. A. Montgomery's lovely stock, fresh from the factory. Prices right, quality the best. 207-2

CARD OF THANKS

Through the columns of The Daily News I wish to express my most sincere thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown to me, on the occasion of my recent bereavement, by my many friends, especially to those of Koch Siding and of New Denver.
CHAS. W. COOK.
New Denver, Dec. 19, 1906.

Chrysanthemums
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TODAY
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10 and 20 Acre blocks at $50 per acre. Small payment down, balance in 1, 2 and 3 years.

Secure a plot while prices are low Larger blocks at low prices.

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From $1 to $10

Do not wait until they are all gone.

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4 DAYS

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We are all in readiness with a choice lot of Xmas goods. We think our stock of Irish Linen Handkerchiefs this season excels any previous year.

Fancy Linens

Table Linens and Napkins—our showing is the very best.

Kerr & Co.
STANDARD PATTERNS.

Just Arrived

Car Malaga Grapes, new crop Smyrna Figs, Dates and Nuts; car new Navel Oranges and Jersey Cranberries. These goods have been bought direct from the growers and are the finest quality Three cars Fancy Apples, Jonathans, Spy, King, Newton Pippin, Baldwin.

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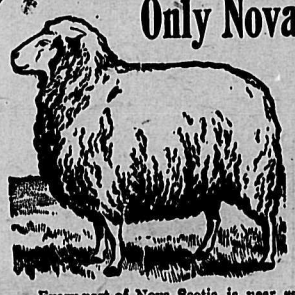
WHOLESALE FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY



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