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RUSH MEN TO HAVANA

Taft Announces Failure of the Peace Negotiations

Seven Thousand American Marines and Bluejackets Will be Landed to Preserve Order

Havana, Sept. 25.—All members of the cabinet and the heads of the departments have presented their resignations to president Palma. He has accepted them but the officers will retain their positions until the resignation of the president has been presented to congress. Senator O'Farrell, secretary of state, said last night that there would probably be a government by commission appointed by the American government.

Havana, Sept. 25.—It is declared on very high authority that American intervention in Cuba is certain. Furthermore, it is expected that the proclamation of intervention will be issued from Oyster Bay.

At the close of a meeting of 50 of the moderate leaders held tonight it was announced that president Palma, vice-president Mendez Capot, and the moderate senators and representatives would all resign from their offices and that probably president Palma would call congress tomorrow and place the resignations in its hands.

President Palma tonight declined the request of the correspondent of the Associated Press for an interview. It is known, however, that he contemplates a special session of congress to which he will send the resignations of himself and Mendez Capot. All the moderate palace officials concede that intervention is at hand. They appear perfectly satisfied with that course as against delivering the government of the island to their adversaries. Mendez Capot has been directed to advise Messrs. Taft and Bacon that the moderates refuse the terms.

The Cuban republic, accordingly, tonight stands on the verge of a second period of American intervention. The moderate party, which six weeks ago was in control of every office in the district, tonight is determined to abdicate everything and compel the United States to intervene. In fact, every government official from president Palma down is anxious to force such intervention rather than yield to any of the terms offered by the liberal party and those in arms against the government. The liberal leaders characterize the conduct of the government as treason, while secretary Taft considers it a dishonorable attempt to force the hand of the United States into intervention.

Acting secretary of the interior Montalvo declared tonight that he never would turn the army over to the liberals, but all government officials unite in saying that if the rebels in the field, or any portion of them, resist American control, the Cuban army would co-operate with the United States in every possible way. The real feeling at the palace is one of relief in the prospect that the adversaries of the government will not win, even though the government loses.

Secretary Taft and assistant secretary of state Bacon informed the Associated Press this afternoon that they were thoroughly disgusted with the petty methods of the government leaders here, and the American commissioners admitted that they had practically abandoned their efforts to bring peace from the turmoil unless by the use of force. Mr. Taft said: "The government officials, instead of co-operating with us to save the republic, have resorted to every kind of obstruction with the object of continuing their control of the administration. President Palma and his advisers have rejected terms of peace which were proposed to them, though in the form of a compromise with their opponents. We are still striving to arrange a settlement and we trust the American people will give us credit for doing everything possible to accomplish a settlement without recourse to force. I cannot say that I am hopeful, for I have never known a more disgusting situation. Investigation convinces us that the elections were thoroughly rotten. We do not want to intervene but conditions afield may necessitate it."

Secretary Taft has ordered the commander of the United States gunboat Marietta to despatch 30 men to Sagua La Grande, a province of Santa Clara, to guard the shops of the Cuba Central railway, a British concern, which contains a million dollars worth of supplies. The manager of the road declares that it already has been damaged to the extent of $400,000. Upon his informing the British charge d'affaires of this fact, the latter assured him that the United States would do all in its power to protect the road.

Provincetown, Mass., Sept. 25.—The United States battleships Indiana and Kentucky of the North Atlantic fleet, received orders from the navy department today to proceed to Cuba. They will sail at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. In the meantime, every marine in the fleet who can be spared from his vessel will be taken on board the two ships.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The greatest efforts are being made to reinforce the American marines now in Cuban waters, and there have been almost continuous conferences for the last 24 hours between the chief of the navigation bureau and the commandant of marines relative to the speedy transportation of the advance guard of the American forces which are to occupy the Cuban ports in the event of the pending negotiations at Havana failing.

Fifteen hundred more marines were ordered to Cuba today by the navy department. Five hundred marines from the Atlantic squadron will sail tomorrow on the battleships Indiana and Kentucky from Provincetown, Mass.; 800 or 900 marines will sail on Thursday from Boston, Norfolk and Philadelphia; and the remainder will probably leave New Orleans for Havana on a Morgan liner Saturday. Orders were first issued for 1000 marines from the various stations along the Atlantic coast to proceed to Cuba but following despatches from secretary of war Taft indicating that he has little hope of an amicable settlement of the troubles in Cuba, 500 additional marines from the North Atlantic fleet were instructed to prepare for Cuban service. In addition to the marines, there will be nearly 2000 bluejackets sent to Cuba. As there are now 1200 marines in Cuba, and over 3000 bluejackets, when the vessels sailing this week arrive in Havana, the United States will be ready to land on Cuban soil a force of more than 7000.

This feeling is combined with cunning satisfaction that the United States will be obliged to take over Cuba indefinitely and possibly forever. President Palma has called a special session of congress for Friday when he will present the resignations of himself and vice-president Mendez Capot. The moderates, however, will not attend the session for, in their hurriedly called national assembly today, they decided not to have any more to do with the government of Cuba, claiming that they had been unjustly treated by president Roosevelt's representatives. This is considered by the American secretaries as another indication that the moderate leaders, since they can no longer control the government themselves, are determined, the liberals shall not obtain control. At the conclusion of the moderate assembly today, vice-president Mendez Capot called on the American commissioners and declared that he had been instructed by the moderate national assembly to draft a reply to secretary Taft's letter to president Palma in which peace terms were suggested. After this interview Senor Mendez Capot said: "I have resigned irrevocably my position as vice-president of the republic. I resign because president Palma was forced to resign by causes detrimental to the dignity and decorum of the office of chief executive. The president will convene congress on Friday to consider his resignation and my own." Capot said further that the entire body of moderates as well as the entire liberal national party would refrain from attending the extraordinary session. As the moderates and the nationalists comprise more than two-thirds of each house, there will be no quorum. This will block action and prove that the structure of constitutional government no longer exists.

Secretary Taft feels keenly that president Palma has been insincere in the negotiations with the American commissioners. He had entered upon the negotiations with the voluntary promise to accept the suggestions made, and had declined the very first proposition. This convinced secretary Taft that president Palma intended to accept only when the suggestions favored the Cuban government and that he would wreck the government rather than make personal or party sacrifices.

DIED VERY SUDDENLY

CRANBROOK FAMILY SUFFERS A HEAVY LOSS

MR. NOBLES WENT TO BED WELL, BUT NEVER WOKE UP

(Special to The Daily News)

Cranbrook, Sept. 25—Mr. Nobles, who with Mrs. Nobles, was staying here on a visit with his brother-in-law, James Ryan, died quite suddenly and unexpectedly last night at Waldo. Mr. Ryan and Mr. Nobles went over last evening to see how matters were progressing with the big sawmill now being erected by the Baker Lumber company at Waldo, in which Mr. Ryan is interested. When leaving Mr. Nobles was looking and feeling well but this morning Rev. J. P. Westman of the Methodist church, received a telephone message from Mr. Ryan asking him to inform Mrs. Nobles and Mrs. Ryan of the death of Mr. Nobles, which took place during the night. Mr. Nobles has not been very well of late but it was never expected that he was suffering from any mortal illness. The remains are expected to arrive here this evening and will probably be sent to the New Brunswick home of the Nobles family for interment. The deceased was only 35 or 40 years of age. Public sympathy is everywhere expressed with Mrs. Nobles and the Ryan family in the sad circumstances of this most untimely death.

REGRETS THE MATCH

Princess Henry of Battenberg Sorry Her Daughter Married Alfonso

London, Sept. 25—The intimate friends of princess Henry of Battenberg declare that she is now beginning to regret more than ever that her daughter, Princess Ena, made the Spanish royal marriage. Under the glamour of the brilliant doings in Madrid and carried away more or less by the exteremely apparent devotion of the lovers to each other, the after consideration did not loom very large.

When she left her daughter in Madrid, however, there was a most affecting farewell, and again in August at Cowes, some of the scenes between mother and daughter were most touching. For it has been borne in upon the princess that the opposition to princess Ena at the Spanish court is not only not subsiding, but is increasing. This was prophesied by the empress Eugenie.

Almost everyone of importance in Spain was opposed to the union of king Alfonso with the British princess. Added to this there is the constant manifestation of an anarchist feeling in Spain and the question of the safety of her daughter is now giving the princess Henry frequent anxiety.

MIDWAY & VERNON

Victoria, Sept. 25.—(Special)—Ralph Smailes, of Greenwood, is in the city. He expected today to attend a meeting of those interested in the Midway and Vernon railway, at which it was hoped the pending deal would be finally concluded. The meeting however, was postponed until the tenth of October to permit the attendance of eastern capitalists.

A VETERAN'S SUICIDE

EX-MEMBER OF STRATHCONA HORSE TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

VERNON TRAGEDY RESULT OF A HARD DRINKING BOUT.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vernon, Sept. 25.—Vernon was shocked this morning by another story of a sensational and deliberate suicide. H. C. Thompson blew his brains out last evening by shooting. The body was found at 8.30 o'clock this morning in a room in one of the city hotels. It was lying in a bed, dressed, with a bullet hole in the right temple from a 38 Ivers-Johnson revolver. The bed was drenched in blood, showing the deed had been committed some little time. Thompson had come to town several days ago from Okanagan lake where he has a small ranch. He had been taking in the celebration exhibition and had been drinking freely. He was about 36 years of age and comes from a well known Ontario family. One brother is manager of the sugar refineries at Toronto. The deceased was a free, good hearted sort of a man and was well liked by all who knew him here. He served in Africa on the Strathcona Horse, being a member of "B" squadron along with Tom Swift of this city. Thompson afterwards joined major "Gat" Howard's scouts as sergeant. Empty bottles of carbolic acid and laudanum were found by the bedside. An inquest will be held.

PLANS FOR NEXT YEAR

LOCAL CRICKET CLUB MAY TOUR THE NORTHWEST

PAST SUMMER'S SUCCESS HAS FIRED ENTHUSIASM

"People do not understand," said A. H. Coppen, the enthusiastic captain of the Nelson cricket club, last night to a reporter of The Daily News, "what advertising we did for this city while at the coast on our cricketing trip. We were nominally playing Washington, but, as a matter of fact we were playing on that team men from California as well as from Seattle and Tacoma; and, of course, our fame as cricketers was blazoned abroad when we defeated the Portlanders. All up and down the Pacific coast was spread through the newspapers the report of that tournament and the story of what Nelson had done. 'What's the matter with Nelson' was a cry to which the boys got accustomed, especially from the people from over the Boundary.

"And what we did this season won't be a circumstance to what we will try to do next. Some ambitious men in the club are thinking of having not only the trip to the coast, when we play in the International Pacific matches at Seattle, but also propose, if possible, to take in the territories and have a look at the merits of Calgary and other redoubtable teams in the new provinces. I expect that we shall have one of the biggest athletic clubs in Nelson next year, as the boys round town are all pleased at the way in which we upheld the honor of the city this summer."

Mr. Coppen is certainly enthusiastic, but there is no doubt that the cricket club is getting to be much more popular than it was and many persons are seeking admission to the club, late as is the season and there is little doubt that next year it will assume premier rank among the sports of the city.

EARL GREY IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Sept. 25—His excellency, the governor general, and lady Grey, arrived here this morning at 10 o'clock on the dominion government steamer Quadra. They were warmly welcomed by mayor Buscombe on behalf of the citizens. Indians, Japanese and Chinese played a prominent part in the enthusiastic reception. At a luncheon given by the Camadian club, earl Grey was made a life member. The afternoon was spent in inspecting the steamship Empress of India.

I. O. F. OFFICERS SPECULATED

Toronto, Sept. 25—In the insurance inquiry yesterday the time of the commission was occupied in investigating the speculations of officials of the Independent Order of Foresters, the Union Trust company and other gentlemen more or less directly interested. At one stage of its career, in the years 1903-4, the I.O.F. had about two million dollars involved in 400,000 acres of land in Manitoba and the Northwest.

CONTROL OF CONVENTION

Socialist Platform is Not Barred by Canadian Labor Party

Frank Phillips Says Final Decision is Left in the Hands of the B. C. Delegates

Frank Phillips, the Nelson Trades and Labor council's delegate to the recent Dominion Trades and Labor Congress at Victoria, has returned home.

In discussing the proceedings of Congress with a representative of The Daily News, Mr. Phillips threw light upon several points that the telegraphic and Victoria press reports had not adequately explained. For instance, Mr. Phillips remarked that he had read the editorial comments contained in yesterday's Daily News anent the probable course to be pursued in coming political campaigns by the proposed Canadian Labor Party and pointed out that those comments had obviously been based upon the supposition that the constitution of the new party had been agreed upon and was such as had appeared in the Victoria papers. As a matter of fact, he said, no constitution was adopted, each province being left to formulate its own constitution and, for that matter, its own platform, although the platform of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress had been recommended as a basis to work upon.

Asked if it was to be understood that the Canadian Labor Party proposed to take entirely independent action and to place its own candidates in the field in every constituency, dominion and provincial, Mr. Phillips said that was certainly his understanding of the situation. Delegates from all parts of the dominion were outspoken in their condemnation of both old parties and none of the speakers so much as hinted at the possibility of co-operation of any kind with either party. The new party would nominate its own candidates and run them on their own platform regardless of all other candidatures.

Mr. Phillips stated that the bulk of the eastern delegates were frankly opposed to socialism at the outset of the convention and in the early stages of the proceedings there was manifest a disposition in some quarters to force on a distinct issue between socialism and trades unionism. But this attitude was materially modified after the British Columbia delegates had been heard from and upon a vote being taken as to the advisability of forcing the issue as between socialism and trades unionism, a large majority of those present declared in favor of taking no action in the matter. Mr. Phillips also referred to the unanimous election of Simpson, as vice-president, as an evidence that no ill-feeling existed between the independent labor men and the socialists. Mr. Simpson is an aggressive socialist and took occasion to declare very emphatically his loyalty to socialist principles, and his firm determination to remain true to his socialist pledges no matter what action might be taken by Congress. In view of this declaration by Mr. Simpson and his subsequent unanimous election to the office of vice-president, Mr. Phillips thought there could be no very great divergence of sympathies between the independent labor men, who admittedly were in the majority, and the socialists.

Probably Mr. Phillips' most interesting statements had to do with the organization of the British Columbia section of the new party. As announced in yesterday's Daily News, an executive was appointed and arrangements made for a convention to be held at the end of next month in Vancouver, when a constitution will be adopted, a platform formulated and the plan of campaign agreed upon. That is to say these things will be done if the convention prove a success, but, according to Mr. Phillips, there is room for doubt on this score. He points out that as the independent labor men were in a marked majority at Congress, when it came to the election of the provincial executives they were able to elect to the British Columbia executive three independent labor men to one socialist, F. Sherman, of Fernie. The independent labor men hail from Victoria and Vancouver, and as the basis of representation at the convention is to be one delegate from every union in the province, and the convention is to be held in Vancouver, it is pretty certain that the coast labor men, who are largely non-socialistic, will be in the ascendancy and that delegates from the interior unions, who in the main would be advocates of socialism, will have very little to say in the formulation of the constitution and the platform.

Mr. Phillips thinks this difficulty may be overcome and no one part of the province given any undue ascendency over the other, but should it happen that the interior unions are hopelessly in the minority, as appears probable at present, he doubts as to the successful issue of the convention.

Asked if it would be in order for the British Columbia section of the Canadian Labor Party to adopt a straight socialist platform, Mr. Phillips replied that that would be entirely in order. If the socialists can capture the coming convention they can adopt whatever platform they please and continue to work in harmony with the other sections of the party, which may decide to adopt the platform laid down by Congress or to formulate a modified platform having regard to special conditions in their respective provinces.

Mr. Phillips spoke in warm praise of the kind treatment shown to the visiting delegates by their Victoria brethren and by the citizens generally. The sessions of Congress were most enjoyable and instructive and, he believed, had done a great deal towards solidifying the interests of labor men throughout the dominion.

BLOCK ON CROW LINE

Cranbrook, Sept. 25.—Late last evening a freight train bound east from Macleod was derailed at a stub switch. The engine and tender were overturned and engineer J. Fernie was pinned under the engine and killed instantly. No other casualty is reported, though the line is badly blocked. The west bound train will be five hours late tonight, and may be even later.

SMUGGLER WAS CAUGHT

HAD HIS CLOTHES PADDED WITH JEWELRY

CLEVER WORK OF MONTREAL CUSTOMS OFFICERS.

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—There is a probability that at the next session of parliament an arrangement will be made for the appointment of a Canadian attache to the British embassy at Washington. President Roosevelt threw out the idea at a very opportune moment and the matter is favorably viewed in certain official quarters here. The press appears to be almost unanimous in favor of the proposition. It is learned on pretty good authority that the British government would not object to a Canadian representative at Washington.

Canada's aggregate trade for the first two months of the fiscal year shows an increase of over $19,000,000 compared with the same time last year. The imports were $51,844,913, a gain of $9,035,846, and exports, domestic and foreign, were $46,216,179, an increase of $10,647,544 over the same two months in 1905. There is a corresponding increase in the revenue. This is phenomenal, considering the fact that last year's trade was by far the highest in the history of the country.

The Canadian customs authorities at Montreal have just made an important seizure of $10,000 worth of jewelry brought into Canada by W. J. Grant, the traveller for a British jewelry firm. Grant came on the Virginian and, when leaving the vessel declared he had $200 worth of jewelry. The officers noticed that his clothing appeared very bulky and searched him, when a large quantity of jewelry was found. The search of his baggage revealed other goods which he had failed to declare. He should have paid considerably over $500 duty. The case is still under the consideration of the customs authorities.

Tirio Trichno, an Italian, was taken into the Royal Victoria hospital, Montreal, from Lachine tonight with an awful gash in his head, received during a row with some compatriots. The hospital people say he cannot live through the night. The police are now endeavoring to locate his assailant.

Victor Ross, the little five year old son of Robert Ross, a prominent resident of Westmount, was killed in that suburb tonight. He was struck and knocked down by a street car while endeavoring to cross the track in front of it.

Ottawa, Sept. 25—The police are still on the track of Dr. Savignac, who made a daring effort to kill his wife, mother-in-law and father-in-law last evening, but no trace has been found of him. Mrs. Savignac is practically out of danger. An operation to try and locate a bullett will be performed on Mrs. Mitchell, the mother-in-law. The only danger to Mrs. Savignac is from blood poisoning.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Charles Dempster of Rossland, is in the city on a brief visit.

The Nelson fair is already bringing some direct returns. Real estate agents report many enquiries after land, and a few sales to settlers.

Mayor George Naden of Greenwood, arrived in the city last evening on his way home from a trip to the northern interior of the province.

There will be no board of trade meeting this month. Should anything special transpire before the next regular meeting night a special session may be convened.

GRAFT IN THE NAVY

London, Sept. 24—The first case of graft in the royal navy has come to light in connection with the loss of the battleship Montagu, which went on the rocks at Lundy island. After repeated attempts to refloat her the battleship had to be abandoned. The attempts to save this vessel, which cost about $7,000,000, have revealed, according to the salvage men, serious scamping in her construction. As she was built in the government dock yard at Davenport and not in a private yard, the scandal is brought home directly to the naval constructors.

The alleged defects include the stinting of rivets, the omission of which made the watertight bulkheads insecure, and the use of leaden rivets and even wooden plugs, instead of steel rivets. The court martial of captain Adair and lieutenant Dathan, which resulted in their dismissal from their ships, probably will be followed by an inquiry into the scandal of the Montagu's faulty construction.

EXHIBIT FOR ANTIPODES

COLLECTION OF ORES WILL BE SENT TO NEW ZEALAND.

TWENTY THOUSAND CLUB VOTES MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE

The general meeting of the Twenty Thousand club last night resulted in the re-election of the members retiring from the various committees, being Messrs. S. M. Brydges, W. H. Jones, F. J. Deane, T. S. Macpherson, A. W. Hyndman and A. Lean. The general business discussed was that of sending an exhibit to the New Zealand exposition, which was agreed upon; the giving of a concert on October 12, and the disposition of the printing and publishing of the pamphlet now being prepared to advertise the city.

There were present: T. G. Procter in the chair, F. C. Chadbourn secretary, J. E. Taylor, A. W. Hyndman, R. R. Hedley, J. M. Lay, W. H. Jones, H. Goodeve, S. M. Brydges, A. W. Dyer, W. Gillett, F. Starkey, LeB. deVeber, A. Lean, R. J. Clarke and F. J. Deane.

After the adoption of the minutes the first business discussed was the report of the advertising committee.

W. H. Jones said that Mr. Beeston had reported at a committee meeting that afternoon that everything had been made ready for the despatch of the new folder to the B. C. Engraving company. That company recommended the paging of the pamphlet. The total cost would not be over $600 as there will be some purchases to set off an extra $75 charged for a birdseye view. The time occupied in printing and engraving, after the copy reaches the hands of the printer, will be about three weeks to a month.

The report was then adopted without comment.

J. E. Taylor reported that the entertainment committee had arranged for a high class concert to take place next month. The company had been engaged at a flat rate. They had appeared here as the Philharmonic company several years ago and had done very well, better in fact, than any other concert company ever appearing here.

Treasurer J. M. Lay reported cash in hand $451.53. It was necessary therefore to raise several hundred dollars.

F. C. Chadbourn reported the sending of a number of folders to London and a reply from J. H. Turner, the B. C. agent general asking for more.

T. G. Procter then mooted the getting up of an ore collection to be sent to the New Zealand exhibition from this city. This elicited considerable discussion and it was generally agreed that such an exhibit would be advisable. There proved to be some few specimens in the hands of the Fair and the chairman of the meeting was of the opinion that others could be obtained from the Ainsworth collection lately exhibited. Such being the case it was considered that the cost of supplementing the collection should not be excessive.

It was decided that as the date of the New Zealand exhibitions' opening was nearing that its agent in Vancouver be immediately telegraphed as to whether the despatch of an ore collection would be in time if forwarded at once.

A committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. R. R. Hedley, F. J. Starkey, A. W. Dyer and E. W. Widdowson, to look after the collecting of the necessary specimens, their boxing and despatch, a sum of $50 being voted by the club for the furtherance of this object. The committee will get to work immediately on a favorable reply from Vancouver.

A protest was made by F. J. Deane against the sending of the printing and publishing of the proposed new folder out of the city. Mr. Deane maintained that as the object of the club was the upbuilding of Nelson it should keep all such work in the city. The printing trade here was the best paid in Canada and was fairly comparable as to the size of its payroll to any of the smaller industries in Nelson, the helping of which was professedly an object of the club. Mr. Deane declared that Nelson was capable of turning out just as good work as was Victoria and there was no reason for sending the work away.

The chairman declared that the contract was unawarded and it was still open for any local firm to make a tender.

C. P. R.'S GENEROUS GIFT

Winnipeg, Sept. 25.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and William Whyte, president and second vice-president, respectively of the C. P. R., met the mayor and aldermen of Winnipeg informally by appointment this afternoon and sir Thomas, on behalf of his company, made a voluntary donation of $200,000 towards assisting the city in securing an adequate and suitable water supply. This generous offer is greatly appreciated by the council and citizens, and mayor Sharp this evening issued the thanks of Winnipeg to the C. P. R., for their manifestation of public spirited interest in the city's welfare at such an opportune time and in such a decidedly handsome way.

QUEBEC BYE-ELECTION

Quebec, Sept. 25—Dr. Nellson of Cape Rouge, states that he is a candidate in Quebec county for the house of commons, rendered vacant by the appointment of Fitzpatrick to the supreme court bench. He says he is there to stay.

BURNED ALL THEIR CROP

Russian Peasants' Desperate Answer to Hard Landlords

Ended by Seizing Land and Whipping Authorities—"Russia is Doomed" Says Shipoff

Odessa, Sept. 25.—This is the fourth day of serious agrarian riots in many villages in the vicinity of Kishineff. The landlords, having refused to grant leases, the peasants have burned all their stacks of wheat, hay and straw, have appropriated the lands, and whipped and expelled the authorities.

Moscow, Sept. 25.—M. Shipoff, the veteran reformer, in an interview with the correspondent of the Associated Press today declared that the only honorable and possible escape from the painful ordeal through which Russia is passing and from a blacker future, was the immediate replacement of the Stolypin cabinet by one composed of men who supported the immediate announcement of a new election of members to parliament and the immediate declaration of the responsibility of the cabinet to the parliamentary majority. According to M. Shipoff, neither the Octoberists, whom he has just quitted, nor the democrats, who were bidding high for his adherence, are capable of stepping into the breach, the latter on account of their "indifference to moral principles."

This unscrupulousness makes it impossible for this party to bribe its way to power with political promises. Shipoff advocates the formation of a new party whose ideals shall be the peaceful regeneration of the country on a constitutional basis. Such a party would win the allegiance of the great body of both Octoberists and constitutional democrats. In criticizing premier Stolypin, Shipoff said everything the present administration has done or is doing lacks harmony.

"The greatest mistake," he said, "was the dissolution of parliament. I warned Stolypin at the time that he was working against fate. He disbelieved my warning, and talked earnestly of liberal reforms and even of safeguarding freedom of speech. Within three days half of the press of St. Petersburg had been silenced.

"The chasm between the people and the government now is almost impossible to bridge. The ruling bureaucracy is inspired with the spirt of power for power's sake and is bending every resource of the empire to defeating the wishes of the people.

"The present regime is rapidly revolutionizing and demoralizing the country. The prevailing spirit is appalling. Daily bloodshed is a matter of indifference and political crimes are glorified. Moral principle is disappearing. Russia is sinking into barbarism, without moral regeneration. She is doomed."

St. Petersburg, Sept. 25—The man who killed general Koklov in the park at Peterhof on July 14, in mistake for general Trepoff, has been sentenced to death by hanging. The murderer never has been identified. He persisted in calling himself a peasant named Vasallef.

Baku, Sept. 25—There was an encounter between troops and revolutionists here last night in two restaurants frequented by terrorists. The troops, while attempting to search the buildings, were met by a revolver fire which they answered with rifles, the fire lasting half an hour. The inhabitants today are in a state of panic fearing that a renewal of the encounter may precipitate another uprising.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Vernon Resident Found With Empty Drug Bottle in His Hand.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vernon, B. C., Sept. 25.—Andrew Duncan, a well known resident of Vernon, was found dead in bed this morning by his young son. His wife and daughter left last week for a visit to Scotland. Deceased was about 45 years of age. An inquest will be held as it is feared death was caused by an overdose of a sleeping drug, an empty bottle of which was found clasped in one hand.

CHURCHMEN'S CLUB

At the meeting of the executive of the Churchmen's club held last night in the St. Saviour's parish hall, at which were present F. H. Graham, in the chair; A. H. Coppen, E. J. Marks, W. F. Mawdsley and S. A. Wye, it was decided to hold the opening session of the club on Monday, Oct. 8, when there will be a smoker and the election of officers for the coming season. One of the chief features of the smoker will be a debate on Chinese labor. A refreshment committee, consisting of Messrs. Mawdsley, Horstead, D. Nickerson and Dyer has been appointed, the program being left in the hands of Messrs. Wye, Marks and Parker. The club room is open from Oct. 1 every evening from 7:30 to 11:30.

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OUR TIMBER RESOURCES

Quietly, without the public being aware of the extensive nature of the operations, there is an activity on the island that would surprise most people did they know of its existence. While it is not generally recognized by the people of Vancouver island, yet it is a fact that the lumbermen of the Pacific coast will have to look to Vancouver island for its last great limits to draw from. The top notch prices reached by lumber, its great demand, and the fact that nearly all the available limits have been secured on the mainland, have led enterprising firms, with an ear to the ground, listening to the approach of future conditions, to come over to Vancouver island and acquire timber limits here.

Hardly a day passes now but timber cruisers are passing through Nanaimo to the west coast of the island or the interior. The west coast has been pretty well cruised, and the most of the rush is to the central and western portions of the island.

So many timber cruisers are out now that good men are exceedingly hard to get hold of. Only the other day in Vancouver it was discovered almost impossible to pick up timber cruisers at $15 a day.

A number of Puget Sound capitalists are interested in the island timber limits and many timber cruisers acting in their interests, have gone through this city on to the limits. Nor does Nanaimo see all the cruisers passing through here, many going by the Queen City and in other ways.

It will not be long before all the timber on the island has been taken up.

The foregoing is taken from the Victoria Colonist, the leading organ of the McBride government.

We are told that nearly all the available timber limits on the mainland have been secured and that there is now a scramble on to secure the timber limits of Vancouver island and, finally, that it will not be long before all the timber on the island has been taken up.

In view of these statements, emanating from a strong government organ and one in a position to speak with authority, will thinking men, honestly desirous of seeing wise use made of the assets of the province, contend for one moment that the strictures The Daily News has passed upon the McBride government's timber policy, are unfair or uncalled for?

The Colonist tells us that timber is advancing in value, that lumbering concerns are putting forth strenuous efforts to secure limits and that the supply available is rapidly decreasing. Surely these facts should arouse the government to a sense of the situation.

At present licenses to cut timber are issued to all applicants at $140 per annum, west of the Cascade mountains, and at $115 east. The license covers 640 acres, is good for one year, but is renewable for 16 years.

This method of dealing with the timber resources simply plays into the hands of speculators to the injury of bona fide lumbermen and entails incalculable loss of revenue to the provincial treasury.

At the rate the timber limits are being gobbled up there will soon be no more available. License holders, the bulk of whom are not lumbermen and have no intention of engaging in the lumbering business, will control the supply. They will reap the rich harvest of the increase in values. The province will get merely the annual license fee and the royalty as the timber is cut. Lumbermen will have to pay to these speculators enormous bonusses, seriously increasing the cost of their raw material and, as a matter of course, increasing the cost of the manufactured article to the consumer.

It must be obvious to any man who will give the matter a moment's serious consideration that the government is literally throwing away millions of potential revenue and that without benefitting the bona fide lumbermen but simply to the enrichment of speculators.

It is true that for the moment the treasury is being enriched by the license fees, when the same are paid, by no means the usual practice, but the total of these license fees is insignificant in comparison with the revenue that might be obtained from our timber resources did common sense prevail in the administration of this immensely valuable asset.

We know what has been done in other provinces, we can easily imagine what might be done in this and we believe it to be the bounden duty of every newspaper having the real welfare of the province at heart to keep hammering away on this subject until the present wholly foolish policy is terminated.

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them they would not be too many for the work to be done, and certainly, as I see it, for our order, the more railways the more members, and the more the country is developed by railways the better for everybody. So, as far as Canada is concerned, the cry about foreign immigration of able-bodied workmen, and the attempt to keep them out seems to me very shortsighted, and I can't help thinking some of it is clap-trap and some political, and neither of these is apt to be sensible. Our part is to organize these forces and most of them are just as capable of being organized and as eager to get a fair return for their work as we are."

The Daily News learns from Mr. Frank Phillips, the delegate from the Nelson Trades and Labor council to the recent Dominion Trades and Labor Congress at Victoria, that the conception of the political methods to be adopted by the Canadian Labor Party, outlined editorially in yesterday's Daily News, was quite erroneous, due probably, to the fact that the Victoria papers published as part of the resolution on this subject adopted by congress the proposed constitution of the new party, whereas this constitution never passed the committee stage and was not adopted by the congress. It was upon the assumption that the constitution, as published in the Victoria papers, had been adopted that The Daily News drew the inference it did. Mr. Phillips states that the undoubted intention of Congress was to form a distinct political party that would take independent action in all political campaigns and would place its own candidates in the field without regard to the nominations made by other parties; in a word, that the Canadian Labor Party would have nothing whatever to do with either of the old parties. In reference to the proposed provincial convention for the purposes of inaugurating the Canadian Labor Party, Mr. Phillips says that it will be open to each province to adopt its own constitution and formulate its own platform, that there is nothing to prevent the British Columbia section of the new party adopting as its platform the socialist platform and if socialist delegates to the coming British Columbia convention are in the majority that course will be pursued. Mr. Phillips said further that there was some misconception as to the attitude of Congress towards socialism. Press reports would indicate that there had been a clear cut division between the trades unionists and the socialists. As a matter of fact, Mr. Phillips says, a motion to raise such an issue was voted down, leading trades unionists frankly stating that Congress could not afford to alienate the sympathy of the British Columbia socialists in the face of their achievements. Moreover, as indicating the real sentiment of Congress, Mr. Phillips points out that vice-president Simpson, who was elected by unanimous vote, clearly avowed his socialistic principles and declared that he intended to stand by them no matter what the result might be.

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Wilmington, Del., Sept. 25.—Before the eager gaze of nearly 500 persons Charles Conley, the negro, who was a few days ago sentenced to 50 years imprisonment and to receive 30 lashes for committing an atrocious assault and battery upon Mrs. Beatrice Frankish and her daughter, Miss Gussie Leitch, two weeks ago, was publicly horsewhipped today in the yard of the Newcastle workhouse.

While there have been many whippings in the jail in the past none attracted interest as that of Conley's. More than 2000 persons clamored for admission to the workhouse yard which was too small to accommodate all of the

Conley walked to the whipping post and stood without a tremor as his wrists were fastened into the iron bracelets.

Warden Meserve took his position a the crowd standing at breathless attention administered the punishment.

The heavy whip with its nine leath thongs, each about a sixth of an inch diameter, fell across the culprit's b back with a force that raised a lar welt.

This was repeated 30 times, an a sistant warden keeping audible count.

Conley never uttered a sound until t sixteenth stroke, when an agonized "O was forced from his lips and was repeated until the last stroke was given.

WOULD RE-ENTER THE RING

San Francisco, Sept. 25—James J. J fries who retired with the title of cha pion heavyweight of the world, today a nounced that he was ready to re-enter ring. Jeffries, who returned today fr an outing in the mountains, remained this city for a few hours, departing his home in southern California.

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One of the most suggestive resolutions passed at the recent meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers6 association, says the Winnipeg Free Press, reads thus:

"Resolved that, when articles are purchased by or for the use of the dominion government, or for any of the departments thereof, or by or for the senate of the house of commons, or by the National Transcontinental railway or Intercolonial railway, or for any other purpose, that in each case the amount of duty taxable on such articles (including the duty leviable under the dumping clause regulation) should be carefully considered and the full amount of such duty should be added before prices are put into competition with Canadian prices."

This is an admission by the manufacturers themselves that the price of their goods in Canada is the price of the same goods abroad plus the Canadian duty. There may be exceptions to this but they do not affect the rule which is conclusively established by the resolution quoted above.

The public has been told times without number that a protective tariff does not add to the price of the native products—that it simply holds the market for the home manufacturers, while competition with one another keeps the prices down to a point which permits no actual profit to be made out of the duty. The people, however, have had their doubts about the accuracy of this statement. They have felt that probably Geo. E. Foster was more nearly right when he said that a protective tariff was no good unless it increased the cost of the protected articles.

The resolution by the Canadian Manufacturers association supplies one of the best reasons why the tariff should not be increased, because it is an official acknowledgment that as a general thing the Canadian price on articles which can be imported includes the duty. This being so is not an extra payment of from 20 to 35 cents on the dollar about as much as the consumers should be asked to pay for the encouragement of Canadian industry?

The scarcity of labor and the best means of coping with the difficulty is a serious problem. We require able bodied men in most of our industries and the question of how to fill this requirement without flooding the country with undesirable immigrants is one to the solution of which the best thought of the country at the present moment should be directed. The one principle that should govern any and every attempt to solve the problem is that the immigrants should be capable of full assimilation, of becoming in course of time Canadian citizens. In this connection we read with hearty approval an article by A. B. Lowe, first vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, in the Advance Advocate, the official organ of the brotherhood, in course of which the writer says: "I have no use for those who try to stop the immigration of able-bodied foreigners, able to swing the pick and handle the shovel. If we had 50,000 of

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A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysterics, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly.

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A late issue of the Sheffield (England) Weekly Telegraph contains an appreciative article on British Columbia, from which we reproduce the following extracts:

"So much is now written and read about western Canada—the prairie country—that the claims of British Columbia to attract the British emigrant are to some extent overlooked. In no part of Canada is the Englishman so heartily welcomed and so thoroughly among home surroundings as when he finds himself in the Pacific province of the dominion. It is an undoubted fact that in western Canada, as well as in the eastern provinces, the English immigrant with his way to make in the world finds himself to some extent neglected as compared with the immigrants of Scotch, Irish or United States nationality. The reason usually assigned for this is that employers allege that they find English immigrants less ready to adapt themselves to new conditions than the immigrants from other countries. Hence, British Columbia may be recommended to the bona fide English emigrant who wishes to make a home for himself and to prosper under the British flag.

There had been no sensational increase of immigration to Britis Columbia of recent years, such as has taken place in Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba, but the growth of population and the capacity of the province for absorbing it, has been large, continuous and eminently satisfactory. Large fortunes may be made in British Columbia by those upon whom fortune smiles, but the great charm of the province is the peerless opportunities it presents in its high standard of prosperous living in a magnificent climate, and among natural surroundings of rare beauty and grandeur. The people of British Columbia are a more joyous and light-hearted people than the dwellers on the plains and prairies of western Canada. The exuberance of nature at its grandest and best seems to have entered their blood, and there is such a diversity of occupations that there need never be any monotony for any man who has to work with hands or head, or both combined, for his living. Among the phases of life on the Pacific coast that make it specially attractive for the immigrant who has his way to make, are the equality of opportunity, and the well regulated democracy of business and social life. Unlike the old world and its customs, family or influential business connections, age or previous condition, have little to do with the success of the individual. West of the Rockies, a man has to play the game of life "off his own bat."

Never before in her history has British Columbia been so prosperous as at the present time, nor is there any other province of the dominion in which general prosperity is so evenly and fairly distributed. Its position between the wheat fields and ranching lands of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta on the one side, and the Pacific ocean on the other, is of extraordinary advantage. So far only the southern fringe of British Columbia has felt the impulse of railway construction. In this southern fringe, the railway facilities are being largely increased by the new lines of Mr. James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway of the United States. But it is in the northern and little developed part of the province that the potent influence of new railways will shortly be felt, quickening into great activity valuable industries, now dormant for lack of railway facilities. Both the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific railways will shortly be constructing their lines from the Rocky Mountains to the Pacific coast, and traversing a country rich in gold, copper and other minerals. The forest resources in this province are immense, and the trade in lumber, and pulp for paper-making will be enormous. The pulpwood of British Columbia is equal to the best in the eastern provinces, and its geographical situation must secure for it the markets of Japan and China, where the demand for paper is very great, and steadily increasing. There are great areas of agricultural and orchard lands awaiting development, just as soon as cheap and regular railway carriage permits of profitable occupation. Following its policy in western Canada, the Canadian Northern will throw out branches and feeders running north and south from its main line, and it is probable that the Grand Trunk Pacific will do the same. The result will be to immediately galvanise into life a vast area of potential wealth, in which the climatic and other conditions of life are unsurpassed for settlement by people of the British race.

British Columbia is also the province that will receive the first advantage from the growth of the Pacific and Oriental trade, which the government of the dominion has been sedulously cultivating for some years past. It is generally expected that the result of Japanese influence will be seen in the development of the great provinces of China. The population of the country is so large, that a very small increase in the consumption of foreign goods by each individual will mean a large increase in the aggregate. The coast cities of the United States are looking forward with eagerness to the growth of Asiatic trade, and there is no reason why a large share should not fall to the coast cities of British Columbia. This will mean prosperity for the province and for the whole of the dominion."

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Dated at Nelson B.C., 5th day Sept., 1906.

MARY E. CURRAN

117-26-Pd.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the Eva Gold Mines, Limited, will be held in the office of the company, K.W.C. Block, Nelson, B.C., on Tuesday, Oct. 2, 1906, at 3 o'clock p.m. By Order,

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INSURRECTION IN CUBA

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STATEMENTS FROM GOVERNMENT AND REVOLUTIONARY LEADERS

Cuba is occupying a somewhat prominent place in the limelight these days and a clear understanding of the situation there will assist readers in following the telegraphic despatches from Hevana.

The New York Independent, in its latest issue, contains two short articles discussing the situation from the government and rebel sides respectively. The first article is written by captain M. Carrillo Aldama, second chief of the customs division of the government of Cuba. The second article is from the pen of colonel Charles M. Aguirre, delegate to the United States of the Cuban revolutionary party.

Captain Aldama writes:

The claim is made by the insurgents that they have 20,000 men in the field. So far from this being the case, I am satisfied that throughout all Cuba there are less than 10 per cent of this number in arms against the government, and of these not more than 1500 are provided with as much as 25 rounds of ammuntion each. Generally speaking the rebel forces are composed of the lower strata of Cubans—Spanish laborers, negroes, disgruntled and discontented office seekers and others who prefer the excitement of a revolution to honest work. Hardly a single person of any standing or ability is identified with the movement.

The present trouble is practically confined to three provinces—Havana, Pinar del Rio and Santa Clara, eastern Cuba being practically unaffected by the movement.

Much has been said concerning the causes leading up to the insurrection that has been distorted or absolutely untrue. The essential facts can be stated in a few words. The refusal of the minority to abide by the will of the majority as expressed at the polls is the keynote to the whole situation.

General Jose Miguel Gomes, the former governor of Santa Clara province, was offered the vice-presidency under president Palma. This was refused by Gomes and his followers, as they believed that they could elect him president. When they learned that Gomes did not have a sufficient following to insure his election they refused to vote. In other words, they sulked and began to lay plans for an insurrection against the Palma government. As early as last January the government learned of these plots and it is a striking refutation of the charge that president Palma is dictatorial or tyrannical that these instigators of rebellion were not arrested or otherwise molested.

When president Palma took over the reins of government from the Americans, in 1902, there was $600,000 in the Cuban treasury; today the same treasury holds a surplus of $18,000,000, while the customs receipts frequently reach as much as $1,500,-0000 monthly, or 50 per cent more than was collected at any time during American administration of the island affairs.

During the past four years millions of dollars have been expended in public works, roads have been built, public buildings have been erected and Havana has been made one of the most beautiful capitals in the world.

Can this be taken as evidence of lack of public spirit? Let us take the matter of public instruction. Not a village in Cuba but has its public school; indeed, the law declares that a public school must be provided for every place where there are 25 school children of school age. A bill is now before the Cuban congress providing for "travelling pedagogs" in order to reach the isolated country districts.

Does this look like a disregard of the people's welfare? The banks, the railroads and the large commercial interests of Cuba are supporters of president Palma and his policy. Were his administration aught save clean and efficient would it enjoy their confidence and support?

It has been charged that president Palma has summarily removed office holders from their positions. He has—both liberals and members of his own party alike. President Roosevelt has also removed grafting officials, nor has any word of criticism been heard on that score. The cases are analogous.

Summing up the whole situation, I should say that the insurrection is a desperate attempt on the part of a discontented few to overthrow a government in which inefficiency or grafting propensities meet with scant reward. The attempt will fail.

Colonel Aguirre writes:

Since president Palma has been in office he has continually trampled on the constitution, one of his first official acts being the suppression of the constitutional office of commissioner of public schools.

He has suppressed or created offices of every kind, according to his own convenience and that of his unscrupulous advisers, and has encouraged "caciquismo" or political bossism, this latter as a means to perpetuate his tyrannical dictatorship of our country.

For congress president Palma has always shown the greatest contempt, as indeed at the present time he should. Should a senator or congressman not prove subservient to his will, he has been arbitrarily removed and the position has been filled by one of the Palma followers.

Mr. Palma does not hold office by the will of the Cubans as expressed at the ballot boxes. The election of September, 1905, would have been farcical had it not been tragic, and presents the spectacle of a political party containing a majority of the voters in the island, intimidated and kept away from the polls by the armed followers of Palma.

Murder was resorted to by the political ruffians against whom we are now making armed resistance. Colonel Enrique Villaendas, former secretary to the constitutional convention and afterwards secretary of the house of representatives, was assassinated at Cienfuegos, and the men who committed the crime were rewarded.

It was in this way that Don Thomas Estrada Palma was re-elected president of Cuba for a second term. Armed forces of the government were employed to assault the political clubs of the liberals and restrain them from the ballot boxes. By means of the grossest coercion they protected the fraudulent filling of the ballot boxes, and the aftermath was what might have been expected.

Immediately after his so called election, president Palma proceeded arbitrarily and without warrant of law to dismiss every liberal from office.

Numerous senators and representatives, although elected by a popular vote, were removed from office and their positions filled by Palma adherents—in some cases by men who had never even lived in the province they were supposed to represent.

And now comes the queston—What do we want? In the first place, the statements made by the Palma faction that the revolution is actuated by a desire for office is as untrue as it is unjust. We have no candidate for the presidency or any other office; our only desire is to have an honest government—one in which the whole people shall have a voice.

To this end we demand the retirement of Estrada Palma and the other officers from positions which they hold by fraud and intimidation.

That the liberals who were honestly elected to office, both in general government and in the municipalities, and who were without just cause removed from office by president Palma, shall be restored to the offices to which they were elected, and that they be allowed to hold office until the next general election.

We demand that a new general election be held at the earliest possible moment, at which the will of the people shall be determined, and, given an honest count, we promise faithfully to abide by the result of such election, be it in favor of the liberal party or otherwise.

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Lots numbers fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) both in Block number ten (10), being part of the subdivision of Lot number 96, Group one in the District of Kootenay, British Columbia, and known as the Hume addition to Nelson, B.C., according to a map or plan deposited in the Land Registry Office and numbered 284B.

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Dated at Nelson, the 17th day of September, 1906.

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SANDON MINERS' UNION
A. SHILLAND, Secretary.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, as lessee of the Columbia and Western Railway Company, have this day filed in the District Land Registry Office at Nelson, a plan, profile and book of reference showing the proposed location of a branch line to the China Creek Lumber Company's timber limits near Castlegar, and that four weeks after this date the said Canadian Pacific Railway company intend to apply to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, under section 175 of the Railway Act, for authority to construct the said branch.

Dated this 18th day of August, 1906.

R. MARPOLE,
General Superintendent.

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

ANY available Dominion Lands within the Railway belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

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Anyone guilty of a violation of this resolution is liable to a heavy penalty. By Order.

A. L. McCULLOCH,
Water Commissioner.

Nelson, Aug. 20th, 1906.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate of the Certificate of Title for Sub-Division 2 of Lot 331, Group 1, in the district of Kootenay, (Map 72A.)

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof, a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lands, in the name of Henry W. Farrell, which Certificate is dated the 23rd day of Oct. 1902, and numbered 196A.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C.
Aug. 6, 1906.

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CRAWFORD BAY MILL

DELAY DUE TO TROUBLE OVER RAILROAD RIGHT OF WAY.

OWNERS WANT BIG PRICES FOR THEIR LAND.

T. G. Procter, the local agent of the McGoldrick Lumber company, which will be known here as the Royal Lumber company, was seen yesterday by a Daily News reporter and asked what prospect there was of any immediate action being taken for the erection of a mill by his principals on Crawford Bay. Mr. Procter said that considerable progress had been made up to date. He explained that the intention of the Royal Lumber company was to erect a mill, on Crawford Bay, which will have a capacity larger than any other mill in the Kootenays. The timber limits, however, are situated some 11½ miles away on Canyon creek, and a railway of that length had to be built to bring the timber to the mill. The right of way for that railroad had been surveyed but not as yet acquired. The trouble is that owners of land over which the railway must pass are holding out for heavy prices for their possessions. The company had paid $200 per acre for cleared but otherwise unimproved land and had not objected. But his principals do object to paying $50 and upwards for rock piles, especially when the railway would open up Crawford creek land and improve the very places over which it must pass. If this difficulty can be got over, it is probable that the whole of the right of way will be cleared this fall so as to permit of the construction of the railway at the earliest possible moment in the spring.

Mr. Procter is enthusiastic over the land on Crawford creek, much of which is eminently suitable to ranching. Not long ago there were but three men there. Now, when the lumber company is about to go in, this number has increased to a scant dozen. But with the advent of the new mill there will be quite a little settlement and Mr. Procter expects that many of the purchasers, who number among them settlers from Winnipeg, will begin to improve their places and he expects at least 50 ranchers to have started in to work by this time next year.

Just now communication is bi-weekly by boat, rowing four miles each way across the lake. If the railway goes in the mill will be built and a daily mail inaugurated. As the mill force will take a number of men and as the ranchers will form another strong body, Mr. Procter thinks that the enterprise of his principals will assuredly mean the building of a school house and the upbuilding of a new community.

PORT ARTHUR RUFFIANS

One Man Held Up By Three Danes—Policeman Shot By Drunk.

Port William, Ont., Sept. 25.—A daring holdup occurred on the C. P. R. track between Port Arthur and here about 4.30 yesterday afternoon, Robert Moore being set upon by three Danes and at the point of a knife compelled to hand over his watch and chain. Then the men, who apparently knew he had money on his person, proceeded to cut all his pockets open, locating $60 in his hip pocket which they at once made off with. The man walked to Port Arthur and put the police on their tracks but they have not yet been located.

Policeman Miller was shot at last night by a drunken man whom he was arresting at Westfort, the bullet going through his right side, inflicting a painful but not dangerous wound. Two inches closer and the policeman would have been a dead man. The officer placed the man under arrest and he is now locked up awaiting trial.

KASLO'S PROTEST

Editor The Daily News—The editorial in the Canadian of the 24th inst. headed "Exhibition Aftermath" no doubt voices the sentiment of those in charge of District Exhibit No. 3, at the recent Nelson fair.

They would like to think that though they were taken red handed in the infraction of all rules and regulations that governed the contest and having by dishonesty gained their point, they now wish to forget that they were ever tempted to lower themselves by resorting to such underhand practices.

The contest was supposed to be an exhibition of friendly rivalry between sections of the Kootenay and Boundary fruit growing communities, but terminated in a scramble for the supremacy, in which any means that would give victory to district No. 3 were considered by the directors to be justified.

If the motto of the Canadian "Skiddo; Forget it" is to be adopted it can only come after the stigma that has been cast on the reputed winners of the C.P.R. prize has been removed. No district would ever think of entering the district again in friendly competition when they had reason to think that their opponents were those who had proved themselves incapable of conducting the contest as gentlemen.

Yours truly, JUSTICE.

Kaslo, Sept. 25, 1906.

STENSLAND PENITENT

WANTS TO STRAIGHTEN OUT HIS BANK'S AFFAIRS

SAYS HE IS NOT THE BLACK SHEEP HE HAS BEEN PAINTED

New York, Sept. 25—Paul O. Stensland, the former president of the Milwaukee Avenue state bank of Chicago, who returned from Morocco last night a prisoner, was today examined at police headquarters. This ordeal over Stensland was removed to the department of the Bertillon system, where he was measured in accordance with the plan of that system. His photograph was then taken, to be placed in the group on file at police headquarters. An early visitor to Stensland's cell was his son, Theodore. The former bank president had spent a sleepless and wearing night, and the strain of a night in a cell followed by the unpleasant examination told heavily upon him. He tottered rather than walked from his cell to the various offices and leaned heavily upon the arm of his son.

Stensland told one of the officers who were watching him that he wanted to go back to Chicago and would have done so had he not been arrested in Tangier. "I want to straighten out matters," said he. "There is a good deal behind this case and I want to show the public that I am not the black sheep that I have been painted."

At the district attorney's office the detectives and their prisoner were shown into the office of assistant district attorney Lockwood, who waived the rights of the state of New York to hold Stensland and formally turned him over to detective sergeant Kinder of Chicago. Stensland made a voluntary statement to police inspector McLaughlin today. Trembling with emotion, and with tears falling down his cheeks, the ex-bank president said:

"I made some bad investments. They were not paying. The man under me—the cashier, I mean—took advantage of the situation and he took more than I. All I got was $500,000, but I don't know what the other man got. The money I went away with was a few thousand dollars I made in real estate speculation last summer. I had always hopes of paying the money back, but I suppose all is lost. I want to go back to Chcago as quickly as possible."

SUPREME COURT LIST.

So far there have been four civil actions set for the sitting of the supreme court next week. There is, in addition, one criminal case, the latter being the charge of murder against Laughlin Bruce for the slaying of Hugh McGarvey at Creston on September 4. Some more cases, however, may yet be listed.

The civil cases are as follows: Fernie Lumber company vs. Crow's Nest Southern Railway company, J. W. Stewart and Robert Quaiffe, for damage by fire; for the plaintiffs will appear E. P. Davis, K. C., and for the first defendant, A. H. MacNeill, K.C., with L. P. Eckstein for the others.

Elk Lumber Manufacturing company vs. the same defendants as above; W. R. Ross, K. C., appearing for the plaintiffs and the defendants having the same counsel as before.

Union Bank of Canada and the Cedar Valley Improvement company vs. the same defendant, employing the same counsel, E. P. Davis appearing for the plaintiffs.

All three of these cases arise from a more or less common ground, damage by fire said to have been caused by the negligence of the defendants. It is probable that they will be tried separately though much of the evidence is likely to be common to all three.

Only one other civil case is set down which is that of Annie Jane Marks vs. Susan Elizabeth Marks in which R. W. Hannington appears for the plaintiff and James O'Shea for the defendant. The cause of action is a will of the late husband of the defendant who bequeathed his property to his wife, who is known here as Susan E. Marks. The plaintiff, who is resident in Michigan, claims that she and not the defendant is the wife of the deceased.

RACE FIGHT CONTINUES

BLOODY STRUGGLE BETWEEN WHITES AND NEGROES

TALE OF THE DEAD IS STEADILY INCREASING.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 25.—In a desperate fight at close range between bicycle officers Smith and Maddox, policeman Casen, and two negroes barricaded in a house near the corner of Macgruder and Randolph streets this morning, the negroes were killed and the police officers had narrow escapes. Officers Maddox and Smith had been notified that the negroes were shooting in the vicinity of Houston and Randolph streets. When the officers reached the scene there was no shooting. The officers were told that the difficulty was in the vicinity of Randolph and Macgruder streets. Whether or not this was a trap laid to kill the officers is not known, but a negro pointed out a house in which he said a negro who had done the shooting had taken refuge.

The officers went to the house, Smith going to the rear door and Maddox to the front. Smith attempted to enter and the negroes began shooting. Maddox ran around the house to Smith's aid. As he did so he saw two negroes leaning out of the window firing at Smith. The officers returned the fire and the negroes dropped below the window. Officer Casen had come up in the meantime, and the three charged the house. Maddox went to the window and pulled himself up, gun in hand. A pistol was fired to the left of his head. He fired point blank and dropped to the ground, pulling the window down with him. He then ran to the door and broke it open, his brother officers running with him. As he opened the door a shot was fired, the bullet passing over his head. He and the other officers then fired, killing the two negroes.

One negro was killed in Brownsville, a suburb, by the militia early today, while trying to break through the lines. Two hundred and fifty-seven negroes have already been arrested in Brownsville. The majority of them were heavily armed. One other negro tried to get away and was shot. The raid started shortly after 5 o'clock. Negroes were searched for arms and every one armed was placed upon the cars to be sent to the police barracks. One of the first arrested was L. J. Price, the negro postmaster, who is charged with supplying ammunition to the blacks. Negroes who tried to break through the lines were fired on, halting promptly. Captain Wilson had a conference with the president of Gammon seminary on the situation The negroes are held in check by the militia. Members of the governor's horseguards and mounted county policemen are anxious to avenge the death of officer Heard and the wounding of other members of the force. The negroes are badly frightened.

Following the killing of police last night in south Atlanta, the force which accompanied and which was not disabled in the fight, pursued the negroes. They captured 10 of the attacking party, while four escaped. Six were put aboard a stretcher under the guard of the police and deputies and were started for the county jail in the centre of the town. A waiting mob stopped the car in Great street and two of the prisoners made a bold dash for liberty. The mob caught them in the front yard of the house occupied by Mrs. Thompson, a white woman. The negroes were out and beaten and left for dead. Mrs. Thompson fell dead from heart disease during the excitement. The police succeeded in locking the whole four negroes in the county jail.

It has been decided that the negro students, 50 in number, who live in the campus of Clark university, are responsible for and executed the attacks upon the officers in South Atlanta last night. The military authorities have sent 150 soldiers under the command of colonel Clifford Anderson to the scene. They expect to surround the campus, capture and search all the students and punish the guilty ones.

Knoxville, Tenn., Sept. 25.—Twenty-five negro prisoners rebelled against the jailer at the Knoxville county jail last night, refusing to go from the corridor into their cells. For two hours they kept the officers at bay. The jailers turned the hose on the refractory negroes, but this frenzied them. They finally captured the hose and turned it on the officers and attacked them with bottles, plates, cups and saucers, and with broom handles on the end of which open knives were fastened. The arrival of the sheriff and police finally quelled the disturbance. The trouble is said to have resulted from the negroes reading of the Atlanta riot.

Washington. D. C., Sept. 25.—At a meeting last night of the national negro Baptist preachers' union of Washington and vicinity, resolutions were adopted condemning mob violence by whites upon innocent negroes and assaults on white women by negroes. They call upon all negroes in the vicinity to assemble in the churches on Sunday, October 7, and offer prayers for a peaceful solution of the race problem.

HARRIMAN'S BIG SCHEME

Proposes to Join Canada to Mexico by Railway.

San Francisco, Sept. 25—The Chronicle says: Although it has been apparent for some time that Harriman was seeking to control the Pacific coast, and the officials of the Southern Pacific have announced the plans for the new coast line from Portland to San Francisco by way of Eureka, the magnitude of the plans of Harriman have just been made public.

When all has been completed he will have a railroad extending from the border line of Canada to the heart of Mexico.

It is announced that Harriman has succeeded in securing terminal rights in the cities of Seattle and Tacoma. The road from Portland to Seattle is now being built and will be completed in a year.

This part of the line will compete with the Hill lines running from Portland to Seattle. From Portland south, along the coast, the plans for a road have been in preparation by the officials of the Southern Pacific for some time. The line from San Francisco to Los Angeles is in operation and will form another line in the long chain.

From Los Angeles south the Sunset route will be used to Yuga, where the trains will turn along the shore of the gulf of California from Guaymas to Guadalajara, which road is now building and orders have been received to rush construction as much as possible.

From Guadalajara the next step will be to the City of Mexico, and Harriman will have a line down the entire length of the Pacific coast.

ARMOUR WEARY OF MUCK

New York, Sept. 25—J. Ogden Armour has wearied of the cares of the multi-million dollar packing business founded by his father Philip D. Armour, and is entertaining a proposition to sell out to the Swifts, if a report that has been persistent for several days in banking and provision circles is true.

According to the story the negotiations have progressed to the state where the National City bank is trying to work out a scheme for financing the transfer, but this was denied by the bank yesterday.

Exactions of the business, a desire to take a more prominent part in society and to travel for the benefit of the health of his children are assigned as the reasons for Mr. Armour's decision.

"Bunk" was the expressive slang word used by subordinate officials of Swift and company to characterize the report from New York. Arthur Evans, spokesman of the Swifts, is in Washington. Officials of the Armour company denied the story.

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JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN ILL

London, Sept. 25.—Joseph Chamberlain is not recovering from the gout as well as had been expected. It was declared recently that he certainly would keep an appointment to address a political meeting at Nottingham on October 12, but now it is announced that on the advice of physicians he has cancelled all engagements for this autumn. Mr. Chamberlain is able to drive about the grounds of his Birmingham residence, but still he is far from well.

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NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land: Commencing at a post marked "C. Padley's Southwest corner post," placed at the southeast corner of C. Fitzsimmons' land, thence 20 chains north; thence 40 chains east; thence 20 chains south; thence 40 chains west along the north bank of the Lardo river, to the place of commencement.

C. PADLEY, Locator.
M. MORGAN, Agent.
Poplar Creek, B.C., Sept. 20, 1906.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at the southwest corner of Lot 4632, thence south 60 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the Kootenay river; thence following the shore of same river northeasterly to point of commencement, comprising 160 acres, more or less.

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PRICE OF METALS

New York, Sept. 25—Silver, 68 3-8; casting copper, 18 5-8; electrolytic copper, 19 3-4; lead, $5.75.

London, Sept. 25—Lead, £18 10s.; silver, 31 11-16; spelter, no quotations.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Jules LaBarthe, superintendent of the Trail smelter, was in the city yesterday.

C. A. Waterman will sell by auction the furniture of H. E. Croasdaile, at the residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The deferred meeting of the fruit growers to consider the Chinese labor problem will be held next Friday afternoon.

One case of drunkenness was dealt with at the police court yesterday morning, the culprit being dismissed with a warning.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles meets tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend as important business is on hand.

St. Paul's church choir will meet for practice this evening instead of Thursday; also meeting of choir guild to arrange for musicale at 7:30 in church rooms.

Such is the faith of the Nelson people in their climate that even at this late date may be seen young winter cabbage seedlings planted out in Bogustown.

Both cricket teams, the home stayers and the coast visitors, are confident of victory at tomorrow's match which begins at 2 o'clock on the recreation grounds.

Fred Lawrence, dominion member for Colchester county, N.S., passed through the city yesterday. Mr. Lawrence was accompanied by his wife and is returning east from Vancouver, via the Arrow lakes and Nelson.

The temperature yesterday morning fell to 38 Fahrenheit, or six degrees above freezing point. The first hard frost of 1905, four degrees, did not occur until Oct. 10, while in 1904, the first hard frost was on Oct. 25.

J. A. Grieve, Canadian government agent at Spokane, requests of the fair directorate that an exhibit of fruit be made at the Spoknae fair. It is considered that the request came too late and it is therefore probable that no action will be taken.

The fruit exhibit which is being sent from Nelson to the New Westminster fair was about finished last night. It is much better, John Hyslop declares, than the exhibit which was on view here. The fruit has been largely replaced and the fresher pickings have had of course an extra week within which to ripen. While there is not much expectation of capturing the prize, Messrs. Hyslop and McPhee, who will accompany the exhibit to the Royal City, are of the opinion that Nelson will give the coast a hard run.

J. Fred Hume yesterday was busy looking after new additions to his mineral collection. Among the latest arrivals is a specimen of Bachelor (Sandon) rock which runs 10,000 ounces of silver to the ton. The Bachelor is shipping some remarkably fine ore of late.

The local agents of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock company have no word at present as to the date of the arrival of the machinery for the Nelson power plant in this city. They assured the mayor yesterday morning, however, that the machinery was now all on the road.

Rev. F. W. Auvache was appointed president and Rev. E. H. Shanks secretary of the Baptist ministerial association of eastern British Columbia at a meeting of Baptist ministers held yesterday morning. A service of song in connection with this ministerial convention was held last evening in the Baptist church.

Most merchants in town are reporting very good business of late. J. A. McDonald, who started only last year as a wholesale confectioner, declares that his enterprise is succeeding well. He has secured a field from Fernie to the Boundary and his young firm is able to more than maintain its own with his nearest competitors, who are in Winnipeg and Vancouver.

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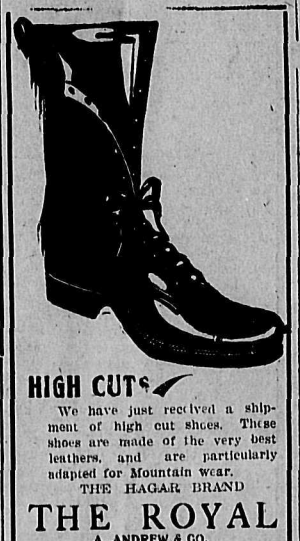

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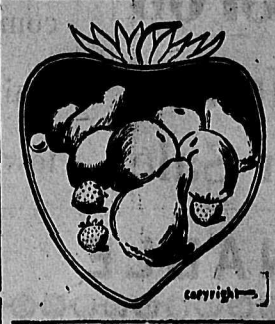

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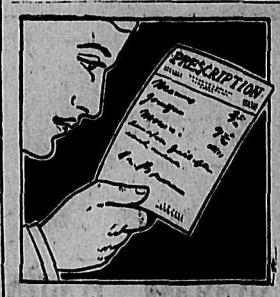

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