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DOMINION SUBSIDIES

Increase Agreed Upon by Conference of Provincial Premiers

British Columbia's Subsidy Increased by $115,000 Plus Special Grant for Period of Ten Years of $100,000

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—To be consistent, it is thought here that premier McBride will refuse all increased subsidies voted British Columbia. This means that the $115,000 specific subsidy and $100,000 for ten years, or what was a better offer, of as good as $185,000 in perpetuity, which was made by the dominion ministers, but which McBride refused to return to conference to negotiate, will be declined.

The specific subsidies will now stand as follows:

Province of Ontario, $240,000, increase $150,000.
Quebec, $240,000 increase $150,000.
Nova Scotia, $190,000, increase $130,000.
New Brunswick, $180,000, increase $130,000.
Manitoba, $180,000, increase, $130,000.
British Columbia, $150,000, increase $115,000.
Prince Edward Island, $100,000, increase $70,000.

Per capita tax subsidies will be (new subsidies):

Ontario, $1,746,357, increase $624,486.
Quebec, $1,319,118, increase $429,865.
Nova Scotia, $367,659, increase $47,659.
New Brunswick, $264,896, increase $7,885.
Manitoba, $203,957, increase $81,952.
British Columbia, $145,025, increase $61,987.
P. E. I., $62,607, increase $4,655.
Total increase, $1,258,885.

The present (1902) subsidies are:

Ontario, $1,116,872.
Quebec, $889,252.
Nova Scotia, $320,000.
New Brunswick, $257,010.
Manitoba, $123,004.
British Columbia, $78,538.
Prince Edward Island, $7,202.

Thus there is an increase for the old provinces of $1,107,008 on per capita subsidies and of $905,000 on specific, a total increase of $2,014,018.

To this will have to be added $100,000 special grant for British Columbia and also the increase for the two new provinces, which will be $130,000 each, or $260,000, making a grand total of $2,374,008, which will have to be paid to all the provinces.

A summary of the official report of the conference follows:

Mr. McBride's resolution for reference to arbitration was voted down by 8 to 1. Mr. McBride made the following declaration: "I protest that the question of British Columbia's claim upon the dominion government for reference should not be considered by the conference but that it is a question between the government of British Columbia and the federal government."

It was moved by Mr. Whitney, seconded by Mr. Murray that in view of the large area and geographical position of British Columbia, it is the opinion of the conference that the said province should receive a reasonable additional allowance for the purpose of civil government in excess of the provision made in the Quebec resolutions of 1902, and that such aditional allowance should be to the extent of $100,000 annually for ten years.

Messrs. Scott and Rutherford moved, in view of this resolution, that Alberta and Saskatchewan should get additional treatment.

Mr. McBride withdrew at this stage of the proceedings.

The last resolution of Mr. Scott's was lost on division.

Mr. Whitney's motion for British Columbia was carried unanimously.

The conference recommended the abolition of travellers' taxation, and also that there should be no discrimination in taxing companies incorporated by the dominion, and the resolution passed for an annual meeting of provincial premiers to consider matters of common interest.

The text of premier McBride's alternative proposal to arbitration was as follows:

"That in case the proposed readjustment of subsidies, as set out in the resolutions of the Quebec conference of provincial premiers, be accepted by the dominion government, there shall be paid to the province of British Columbia each and every year, in addition to the payments and subsidies otherwise provided, an amount understood to be what the dominion of Canada is willing to pay and the province of British Columbia to receive as a nominal recognition of the disabilities borne by the province owing to the peculiar physical conditions and for the other causese set forth in the case of British Columbia for better terms, and the attached memorandum that the said annual amount shall be fixed in the following manner: One dollar per head until the amount reaches $800,000, to remain fixed until the population is 400,000; 75 cents per head of the population thereafter until the amount reaches $400,000 per annum, to remain fixed until the population is 800,000; 50 cent per head of the population thereafter until the amount reaches $500,000, to remain fixed until the population is 1,000,000; 33 1-3 cents per head thereafter until the amount reaches $600,000, to remain fixed until the population is 2,500,000; 25 cents per head of the population thereafter."

VOTE FOR SECESSION

Perth, Australia, Oct. 13.—The legislative assembly today by a vote of 19 to 8 adopted a motion that the state of Western Australia secede from the rest of the commonwealth.

WHOLESALERS' MEETING

FRESH FIGHT TO BE MADE FOR FAIR FREIGHT RATES

MATTER WILL BE TAKEN UP IN VIGOROUS MANNER.

There was a fairly representative meeting of the wholesalers at the board of trade rooms last night to discuss the question of discriminatory freight rates against this city and the Kootenay generally. It was resolved that a man should be employed to collect statistics on the matter in order to enable the board to present a good case before the Canadian Pacific officials or the Railway Commission, if necessary.

There were present F. Starkey, I. G. Nelson, G. Nunn, E. K. Beeston, R. M. Hood, E. Ferguson, J. A. Macdonald, J. R. Hunter, J. J. Walker, A. Grey, H. Gigot, P. Lamont, F. Mawdsley, H. S. Thompson, J. Montgomery, J. Irving, S. M. Brydges, mayor Gillett and H. G. Goodeve.

The meeting began with a half hour's desultory discussion as to various rates on various commondities till finally H. G. Goodeve said the real question was that of through rates from the east, Vancouver getting a more favorable rate than Nelson.

H. Gigot said that Vancouver was a terminal and, under the present system, Nelson could not hope to have as good a rate.

F. Starkey said that while this might or might not be the case, yet by application Nelson might get some reduction if not the whole thing.

H. Gigot thought the best idea was to employ a man, if the association had sufficient funds, to get up a table of the discriminatory rates and present them to the Canadian Pacific or, if that were not sufficient to the Railway Commission.

F. Starkey agreed, but urged despatch.

H. Gigot urged that some attention also be paid to demurrage on shortages.

J. A. Macdonald said the express rates should also be looked into. The express rate from Vancouver to Fernie was no higher than that from Nelson to the same place.

H. G. Goodeve then moved and J. A. Macdonald seconded, that a committee be appointed to look into the whole subject and to engage a man to prepare an exhaustive table as to rates. The committee should use this information to the best possible advantage.

J. Montgomery pointed out that ice cream from Nelson to Rossland was charged more for its 60 miles of transit than was ice cream from Spokane to Rossland, 150 miles.

J. A. Macdonald declared that a special rate on chocolate from Montreal to Vancouver was $1.40 whereas to Nelson it was $3.54.

The motion was then put and carried and the president appointed G. Nunn, H. G. Goodeve, and J. A. Macdonald as the committee.

A finance committee was then appointed to raise the necessary funds for the campaign, consisting of J. Irving, P. Lamont and I. G. Nelson. The first two objected as they were not members, but were over-ruled on the ground that the question was one of interest to the whole community and not the wholesalers alone.

The meeting then adjourned.

FRENCH SUBMARINE SINKS.

Searching and Dragging Operations For Her Recovery in Progress.

Biserta, Tunis, Oct. 16.—The French submarine Lutin left this port this morning for plunging experiments. Signals were received at 10 o'clock tonight reporting her disappearance. Two torpedo boats and three tugs have gone out in search of the submarine. No news of her recovery has ben received.

Paris, Oct. 16.—M. Thomson, the minister of marine, has received an official despatch from the naval commandant at Biserta confirming the sinking of the submarine Lutin. The message says:

"The submarine Lutin, while exercising off the jetties, disappeared from view of the accompanying tug. Search and dragging operations were begun immediately and resistance was felt at a depth of 130 feet near the place where the Lutin sank."

LONDON BRIBERY CASE.

One Tory Voter Admits Receiving Money Under False Pretences.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—Of 17 witnesses examined in the London election bribery inquiry this morning, all of whom admitted taking money, 15 swore that they were liberals and would have voted liberal anyway. Of the two conservatives, one testified that while he had stated after election that he had voted liberal and received $10 for his vote, he had in reality voted for Gray, conservative.

ESCAPED TO THE HILLS

Carmi Murderer is Now at Large, Having Evaded His Captors

Further Particulars of Sunday Night's Tragedy—Presumed Dale Must be Out of His Mind

(Special to The Daily News)

Greenwood, Oct. 16.—Fuller details of the Carmi shooting affray reached here today with the arrival of the stage from West Fork. The wounded man, David Smith, was brought in by Alex. Hood, an employee of the Carmi mine. Smith is not dangerously injured. The bullet lodged in his shoulder but Dr. Oppenheimer removed it without difficulty shortly after his arrival here.

To The Daily News' representative Mr. Hood told the story of the crime. Peter Godereau (not Boudereau as first reported) and Joseph Celle (not Bell as reported), went up from Beaverdell to Carmi on Sunday night, going to Dale's boarding house for supper. Smith was also there. During the course of the meal a quarrel arose between Dale and the two Frenchmen, Godereau and Celle. It was not considered a serious quarrel, and no such ending was anticipated. After supper Godereau and Celle accompanied by Smith went to the former's cabin to spend the evening. They had not been there long before they were surprised by a rifle bullet crashing through the window and lodging in Smith's shoulder. Two more shots were fired in rapid succession and the two other occupants of the cabin were stricken, Godereau received a wound in the neck while Celle was shot in the breast just below the heart. Both men died almost instantly. Smith remained conscious and was able to walk out of the cabin and across to the postoffice, where he informed some eight men gathered there, of what had happened. Dale meanwhile, went into the cabin and viewed his bloody work. He then started for the postoffice, firing as he went, one of the bullets entering by way of the window but without doing any damage. Among those inside was Jim Dale, uncle of the murderer. By this time the men had secured arms and went out to secure Dale but he took refuge in an empty cabin nearby and from his secure post kept his would-be capturers at bay. The man seemed crazy for blood and stood ready to shoot on sight. The night was pitchy dark and the men were afraid to surround the cabin and bring the man to terms lest they shoot each other and add still more lives to the list.

For some time they managed to keep him in the cabin awaiting daylight to come to their aid, but about 1 a.m. he gave them the slip and escaped to the hills.

Since then he has not been seen. He is armed with a repeating rifle and has plenty of ammunition.

The bodies of the victims are still at Carmi. Smith, who was wounded, is doing nicely under the doctor's care and his condition is not considered dangerous.

Dale used to live in Grenwood and his wife is remembered as a highly respectable woman. Dale's father was at work on his claims some miles from Carmi when the tragedy occurred and was naturally much distressed when word was sent to him on Monday morning. Dale's wife is in a state of prostration as a result of the shock. The Dale's came to British Columbia from Illinois, coming originally from Missouri. They have always been highly respected, especially the father and uncle.

Coroner A. S. Black and the provincial police from Midway are now at the scene of the tragedy but as there is no telephone or telegraph communication with Carmi, it is difficult to get news quickly.

WIFE'S SAD HOME-COMING.

Husband Sick With Typhoid Kills Himself Before Her.

Buffalo, Oct. 16.—Arthur Loonquist, formerly of Philadelphia, committed suicide here today. Loonquist worked on the lumber docks all summer and saved enough money to send for his wife and children, who had been living with relatives in Philadelphia. They arrived today and found Loonquist suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. After talking with his wife for a time, Loonquist drew a knife from beneath his pillow and plunged it four times into his breast. He died in a few minutes.

TARIFF REFORM IMPERATIVE

London, Oct. 16.—At the annual meeting of the liberal-unionist council, Austen Chamberlain, M.P., declared tariff reform must be the first constructive policy of the unionist party.

A resolution expressing satisfaction at the improvement in the health of Joseph Chamberlain was carried, lord Ampthill describing his as the greatest living Englishman.

The Tribune, commenting on Austen Chamberlain's speech, says if there is to be a reckoning up of profit and loss between England and the colonies, there is no doubt on which side a balance lies. Why, then, should England be called upon, in the name of imperial loyalty, to make still further contribution to the colonies by taxing the most important articles of her own consumption?

KILLED BY HIS OWN MEN

DETECTIVE WHO MET DEATH IN BUCKINGHAM STRIKE RIOT

CONTENTION ADVANCED BY THE STRIKERS AT THE INQUEST

Buckingham, Que., Oct. 16.—The bodies of the two dead strikers, Belanger and Theriault, which were buried last Thursday, will be exhumed.

A postmortem examination of the body of detective Warner, of Montreal, who died yesterday, revealed the fact that the femur had been shattered, and that whatever the operation, there was no hope of his life. The wound was caused by an explosive bullet.

The strikers argue, and will bring it out at the inquiry, that Warner's wound was caused by the same kind of a bullet which killed Belanger. This points to the fact that Warner was killed by his own men.

ONTARIO BANK FAILURE

CURATOR TO BE APPOINTED BY BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

SHAREHOLDERS MAY POSSIBLY RECOVER SOMETHING.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Ontario bank, and representatives of the Bank of Montreal last night it was decided that in the best interests of shareholders, and supplementing the agreement with the Bank of Montreal, a curator should be appointed by the Canadian Bankers' association, and it is understood W. E. Stewart, of the Brank of Montreal, will be the man, and that Messrs. B. E. Walker, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce; D. R. Wilkie, general manager of the Imperial Bank of Canada, and Duncon Coulson, general manager of the Bank of Toronto, will act as an advisory board.

An official, who has been in intimate touch with all negotiations, says that after liquidation was concluded, there might possibly be something left for the shareholders.

BANQUET TO J. A. FRASER

GRAND FORKS CITIZENS ENTERTAIN DEPARTING M.P.P.

GEORGE FRASER WILL HEREAFTER RESIDE IN VICTORIA

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, Oct. 16—A complimentary banquet was tendered to George A. Fraser, M.P.P., at the Yale hotel on Saturday night by a large number of friends and citizens of Grand Forks. Mr. Fraser is leaving for Victoria where he wil take up his permanent residence and engage in business. About 60 sat down to the long table at the Yale hotel which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The banquet itself was one of the best, in every respect, ever held in the town. Mr. E. Miller presided and referred to his old acquaintance with the guest of the evening, back in Rossland in 1896. Mayor Rumberger spoke to the toast of Phoenix, and voiced, as did other speakers, the regret of the community and district at Mr. Fraser's severance of his relations with the Boundary country. The atmosphere during the evening was entirely non-political, those present all joining in bidding farewell to one who had been closely identified with the city for nine years.

P. T. McCaluim and D. Whiteside responded to the toast "Our Country." Drs. Dickson and Kingston and magistrate Cochrane replied to that of "The Professions," and mayor Hutton, Jeffrey Hammar and president Fripp of the board of trade, replied to the toast of the "City of Grand Forks." "Our friends to the South," elicited speeches from Messrs. H. W. Warrington, H. Mahan and H. A. Sheads, who, while voicing their pride in the country which was theirs by birth, testified that British Columbia and the country in which they had cast their lot looked good to them. Superintendent Williams of the Granby smelter and Geo. A. Macleod replied to the toast "Our Local Industries," the former for smelting and the latter for the mining branch. George Clark, in a brief speech referred in a happy manner to the regret with which Mrs. Fraser's departure would be regarded M. Burrell proposed the toast "Our Guest" which was drunk with three times three and a tiger. Mr. Fraser spoke of his long connection with Grand Forks and in referring to the many kind things which had been said, stated that he would have a warm welcome for Boundary people who visited the coast, and would retain a strong interest in everything pertaining to the welfare of the town with which he has been so long associated. Messrs. W. H. Dinsmore, E. Spraggett, G. Chapple and Alex McQueen were amongst the other speakers. G. A. Evans and W. A. Harkin responded for the Press and the list of toasts was brought to an end with one to "our Host," responded to by A. L. Traunweiser.

SAFE FOR LIBERALS ANYWAY

Quebec, Oct. 16.—Messrs. Amyot, Martineau and Robitaille, all liberals, were nominated in Quebec county today for the vacant seat caused by the elevation of Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick to the chief justiceship of the supreme court of Canada.

RAN ON TO THE ROCKS

C.P.R. Passenger Steamer Princess Victoria in Bad Plight

Steering Gear Became Unmanageable as She Was Turning in From Gulf of Georgia Course to Victoria

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, Oct 16.—The big passenger steamship Princess Victoria is tonight a helpless prisoner, pinned by a jagged spur only a few feet from Black Rock, which marks the southern extremity of Fiddle Reef, where shipping from British Columbia mainland ports for Victoria make their in-turn from the Gulf of Georgia course. She had left Vancouver on her regular daily run at 3.15 with fewer passengers and less rush of freight than usual as she did not connect with the Pacifi express and was inexplicably out of her course as she cut in for the turn quite 200 yards from the general fail-way. First reports declare that the steering gear became unmanageable just at the most inopportune moment and before the engines could be reversed and an accident avoided by the use of the propellors, she had piled head-on to the rocks, running right up until almost out of the water forward from amidships. It was almost high tide, and with the falling of the water, the ship's position has become hazardous in the extreme, with increasing danger should any wind come up.

The shock was a severe one and the passengers received a bad shaking up, although there was no excitement and no personal injury. It was possible to step from the stern of the pinioned steamer into waiting rowboats by which several of the passengers were landed at Oak Bay, half a mile distant.

Dr. O. M. Jones, one of these passengers, reported upon landing that the Princess was forward right out of the water, although he did not believe her to be taking water, but merely sinking by the stern as the tide fell. He had heard the officers declare that the ship could assuredly be got off. The boats which landed at Oak Bay, reported the mishap to the C. P. R. officials and the steamer Rithet was at once despatched for mails and passengers, the Salvor going out from Esquimalt to render assistance. The former is momentarily expected back from the scene of accident, and will bring further details.

Captain Hickey who succeeded captain Griffin, in command of the Princess after the sinking of the Chehalis by the white flyer, was in command at the time of tonight's mishap, having come on the bridge at 10-Mile Point. The night was clear but rainy and the Fiddle Reef light and Block Rock beacon were plainly in evidence to the passengers as well as the officers.

Later—When the R. P. Rithet landed the 120 passengers of the Princess Victoria shortly after midnight, they had little information to add as to the accident. They confirmed, however, the first word that the white flyer was considerably out of her course, approaching Lewis, or Black Rock, on the part instead of the starboard side, through a patch of dangerous rocks, and striking within ten yards of the beacon. There were three distinct shocks felt, and the Princess' hull is believed to be considerably broken on the port side, although it is hoped to float her with favorable tide about 2 a.m. She now lies with her bows high out of water, and a slight list to port, but is said to be making no water owing to her compartment system. The chief danger to be anticipated is southeast winds.

BLAMES THE AMERICANS

FISHERMEN FROM SOUTH POACHED IN CANADIAN WATERS

GREAT LAKES' CONTROVERSY NOW ABOUT SETTLED

Washington, Oct. 16 — The controversy which has been waged between the American and Canadian lake fishermen has been placed in a different light by a report made to the state department by captain E. C. Chayter, commanding the United States revenue cutter Morton of the great lakes. The report shows that the American fishermen have been the transgressors and that they have been treated with the greatest consideration by the Canadian fishing patrol. Some time ago the American state department considered favorably a plan of settling temporarily the vexed question of fishing rights on lake Erie by placing a series of buoys in the middle of the lake to define the international boundaries. The Canadian government conditionally accepts this proposition and captain Chayter has been instructed to place the buoys. As it was expected that honest differences of opinion as to the location of the boundary line might arise from differences between the logs of the American and Canadian patrol vessels and the use of different charts, captain Chayter was instructed to compare notes on these points with captain Dunn of the patrol boat Vigilant.

Under date of Oct. 12 he rports from Erie that he started from that port on the 8th instant on the Morrill accompanied by captain Dunn of the Vigilant to place the buoys. He found that there could be no question of difference in charts because the Canadian vessel used the American hydrographic charts, while their logs exactly corresponded and in the course of several days the buoys were placed at inter- of five miles. Then captain Chayter adds that the American fishermen crossed the boundary for the reason that there are comparatively few fish south of the line and they are bound to follow the fish. He says captain Dunn, contrary to report, has been lenient towards these fishermen, always giving them the benefit of any doubt as to location and for the past ten years he has observed the international boundary as indicated on United States charts. No Canadian fishermen can poach on the American side of the line for the reason that the fish are in Canadian waters. Capain Chayter says that these temporary buoys will be swept away by the ice next winter and should be replaced by permanent buoys lighted at night so as not to endanger navigation.

NEW PAPER FOR VANCOUVER

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 16.—It is rumored here that W. F. MacLean, M.P. for South York, proprietor of the Toronto World, proposes to start a paper in Vancouver, and that arrangements to this end have been practically completed.

COBALT MINING BOOM

TORONTO STRUCK BY STRONG SPECULATIVE WAVE

STOCK CERTIFICATES CANNOT BE ISSUED FAST ENOUGH

Toronto, Oct. 16—The spontaneous outburst of speculation in Cobalt propositions the last few days has come as a total surprise to local brokers.

Public sentiment in Canada favorable to mining speculation has been of slow growth but the slow progress has developed a wave of enthusiasm over the northern Ontario mining country that cannot now be suppressed. The final stage was reached when the impression gained ground that the valuable assets of Cobalt were being monopolized by speculators from the United States.

The advance of Nipissing Mines which was put on the New York curb at $5 a share to $25, was accepted as strong testimony of the value of the silver properties. Ontario investors and speculators when they started to look around found there were few stocked companies ready to be bought into. Most of the mining companies were in just hands. They had been capitalized by the working owners for small sums and small blocks of the stock had been disposed of to personal friends to admit of cheap development work. The Foster property was typical of this statement. Of $1,000,000 capitalization, about 100,000 shares had been sold and the proceeds put into the property with the result that upwards of $1,000,000 worth of ore had been uncovered. McKinley, Darragh, Buffalo Mines, Silver Queen and Trethewey were all about in the same position. With the first appearance of a real public demand for Cobalt stocks, Toronto syndicates were formed to take over such of the properties as could be acquired. The owners tempted by the large cash offers were fair sellers and today are relenting of their bargains. With the incoming of sufficient capital rapid development work is being proceeded with on most of the properties of recognized merit. Large dividends are promised in the course of a few months and the stocks are expected to rise rapidly in price when a return to shareholders can be shown.

Nipissing has already declared two dividends since the formation of the new company. The first was of 3 per cent for three months, and the second 5 per cent, or at the rate of 20 per cent per annum. Buffalo has declared a dividend of 12 per cent and now that Foster has started shipping, an early dividend is predicted for the shareholders of th's company. The imm nse returns received for the ore, in instances as high as $80,000 a car, shows the wonderful value of the ore that is available in the Cobalt district.

The latest news from Nipissing is that continuous shipments that will net $125,000 per week are being made. Speculation on the two Toronto exchanges and on the local curb are at present restricted owing to an insufficient supply of scrip. The new syndicates have not been able to issue stock certificates fast enough to enable quick delivery and trades have been prevented thereby. During the past two weeks stocks on the market have advanced from 25 to 100 per cent. The advance in value of the Nipissing property, measured by the capitalization, inside of six months is nearly 24 million dollars, taking the price at which the shares are now selling.

STORK WAS ABSENT MINDED

Montreal, Oct. 16—At 7 o'clock this morning constable Leduc was called to No. 14 Emery street and was there informed that Miss Levallee of 12 Emery street had just found the body of a newly born child. On proceeding there Leduc was shown the body was that of a quite newly born female child, which Miss Levallee informed him she had found in a small box in an adjoining passage. The box was a small one and of the kind used as a receptacle for refuse.

LIBERAL BY ACCLAMATION.

St. Johns, Que., Oct. 16.—Joseph Demers, liberal, was elected by acclamation today in St. Johns-Iberville, for the vacancy in the house of commons caused by the elevation of L. P. Demers to a judgeship.

J. P. REDDING EXONERATED

Judge Wilson Explains Non-Incorporation of Five Metals Co.

"Pete" Had Forgotten to Forward Papers to Victoria—Redding Released on His Own Recognizance

(Special to The Daily News)

Spokane, Oct. 16.—Upon the showing and evidence produced this morning by judge Wilson, county court judge of East Kootenay, who arrived last night, J. P. Redding, the mining broker, arrested Sunday morning on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, was released on his own recognizance, and the case, it is understood, will probably be dropped.

Judge Wilson came at once to Spokane on receiving a telegram from Redding requesting him to bring the incorporation papers of the Five Metals Mining, Concentrating and Smelting company, the concern in which Redding was charged with selling stock without the company being incorporated.

Judge Wilson admits that there is no record of incorporation of the company at Victoria, but states this condition of affairs is entirely due to an oversight on his part as attorney for Redding. Papers were presented at the prosecuting attorney's office this morning by judge Wilson showing he was attorney for Redding prior to being judge. He drew the incorporation papers for the mining company represented by Redding, in 1904 and forwarded the papers with the required amount of cash to Victoria to have the company incorporated. A slight error in the papers, however, caused them to be returned to the attorney for correction. Before the correction was made, judge Wilson explained, he was appointed to the bench and the papers were placed with others in a vault, the fact that the incorporation papers were incomplete being overlooked. The dominion corporation tax has been paid by judge Wilson with money furnished by Redding, who it is asserted, did not know the record was incomplete, the matter having been left in the hands of his attorney.

When judge Wilson went to the safe to get the papers, preparatory to coming to Spokane, it was the first time he remembered that the record was not complete, and that the papers had never been filed.

The information received by the officers here from Victoria as to there being no record of the company was correct, but it is admitted as clearly an oversight on the part of judge Wilson.

Under the facts as set out by the judge, there is no proof to show that Redding had knowledge that his company was not incorporated and, it is stated, that the county attorney has no disposition to prosecute a man who has not acted fraudulently.

Judge Wilson is anxious to correct all mistakes and misapprehensions caused by the oversight. At his own expense he has notified the dissatisfied stockholder, who are mostly farmers of the Palouse country, to call on him, and he will remain here for a short time to see personally those who have invested in stock of the company, and explain the situation.

PERISHED FROM EXPOSURE

Gruesome Find in Clump of Bullrushes at Fighting Island

Windsor, Ont., Oct. 16—Sitting upright in a small boat, stark and stiff in death, the bodies of Stephen Stewart and Mrs. Mary Caldwell, his sister-in-law, aged 35, of Detroit, were discovered yesterday in a clump of bullrushes at Fighting island, near the Canadian shore. The couple had been missing since last Friday when they went out for a short fishing trip, expecting to return home for dinner, but a heavy wind and rain storm blew the boat out of its course and it is supposed that the occupants perished from cold and exposure.

DEATH OF MRS. DAVIS

New York, Oct. 16—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the confederacy, who has been ill for a week at the hotel Majestic, died at 10:25 tonight. Death was due to pneumonia, induced by a severe cold which Mrs. Davis contracted upon her return from the Adirondacks, where she had spent the summer months. Among those at the bedside when death came were Mrs. J. Addison Hayes of Newark, the only surviving daughter of Mrs. Davis, and Jefferson Davis Hayes, a grandson, who is a student at Princeton university.

WITH THE PUGILISTS

Boston, Oct. 16.—Honey Melody, of Charlestonw, was given the decision over Joe Walcott, the welter weight champion, at the end of a 15-round bout in Chelsea tonight.

Los Angles, Calif., Oct. 16.—Jack O'Brien beat Cooley in the third round, and Trimble in the ninth round tonight.

DEATH OF AGED N. B. JUDGE.

St. Stephen, N. B., Oct. 16.—Judge Stevens, who has been gradually sinking since Sunday, died at 10 o'clock tonight, aged 84.

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MINING IN B. C.

A. P. Low, director of the Geological survey, who recently paid a hurried visit to this province, a visit which, owing to the late adjournment of parliament and to business connected with the transfer of the Geological survey from the charge of the minister of the interior to that of the minister of inland revenue, was much shorter than originally intended. However, even in the brief time that the director was able to devote to personal inspection of the mining areas, and in making and renewing acquaintances with the prominent mine managers, he was able to do a considerable amount of work and he has returned to Ottawa more than ever impressed with the capabilities of British Columbia as a mineral province. When it is remembered that only a few years ago one of the survey officers commenced a portion of his report with "There being no copper works in Canada," and that last year the copper production of British Columbia alone was 48,000,000 pounds, the progress has indeed been astonishing.

Summed up, the result of Mr. Low's visit to southern British Columbia showed a renewed and increased activity in mining at all mining centres, and he returned to Ottawa with the feeling that the operations are now being conducted throughout those districts in a solid and legitimate manner, with the object in view of making money, not from speculative dealings in shares, but from the actual output of the mines. That this visit of the director, which we trust will be of annual occurence, will result in much mutual benefit to the mining interest and to the Geological survey we make no doubt. Mr. Low's endeavor to meet personally the principal owners and operators of the several camps and, where possible, to freely exchange ideas as to the present and future work of the department is, we feel sure, a step in the right direction. By this means and by this means only can a clear understanding be obtained as to the desire of the department to help in every possible way the mining interest of Canada; at the same time the director receives valuable suggestions as to the manner in which such help may be given and these suggestions, we are sure, will be acted upon as far as circumstances permit, thus increasing the usefulness of the Geological survey.

It appears from such information as has so far come to hand regarding the arrangement of provincial subsidies at the Ottawa conference that British Columbia, despite premier McBride's childish conduct, will receive an increase of $115,000 per annum in the shape of subsidy in aid of government and legislature, and, in addition, for a period of ten years, a further sum of $100,000, making a total increase for that period of $215,000. The per capita allowance is not changed. What is referred to in our Ottawa despatch as an increase of $61,987, represents the increase over the per capita grant of 1902, when the Quebec conference was held. From this source last year the province received $142,925 and next year's receipts from that source will only show an increase of some two thousand dollars. Of course it is within the bounds of probability, as suggested by our correspondent, that premier McBride may even decline to accept the $215,000 increase approved by conference and, presumably, endorsed by the dominion ministers. There is no knowing what attitude premier McBride may take, but it is to be hoped his party friends, premier Whitney and premier Roblin, will succeed in preventing him from making a complete fiasco of his part in the negotiations. It is too early yet, or rather there is too little information at hand, to decide whether or not British Columbia has been fairly dealt with. We must know what the basis of the increases to other provinces was to properly appreciate the merit of British Columbia's treatment. So far as the special claims of this province were concerned, they appear to have been met by promise of a supplementary subsidy of $100,000 for a period of ten years. This may or may not be satisfactory, according, again, to the terms upon which it was arrived at. As at present advised we must assume that the conference did the best it could for this province under the very peculiar circumstances that arose, in the retirement of British Columbia's representative from the negotiations.

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TELEGRAMS OF THE DAY

RUSSIAN UNIVERSITIES MAY ALL BE CLOSED.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—The authorities threaten to close the universities of St. Petersburg and Kiev as well as the university of Moscow, because of the holding of revolutionary meetings within the buildings and the participation of the students in the meetings.

Vorenz, Russian, Oct. 16.—The police here today seized 12 bombs, which were found in the possession of a peasant belonging to the village of Breski, the centre of the agrarian disorders in this vicinity.

Spokane, Oct. 16.—Rene Hutchinson, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was shot and killed in the best residential section of the city last night by a highwaymen.

Salisbury, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Burgess Fox and Bill Fraser, men employed in the Gold Hill mine, 15 miles from here, were killed last night by an explosion, both bodies being badly mutilated. As the cartridges are fired by electricity the accident is thought to have been caused by carelessness.

Naples, Oct. 16.—A terrific storm has caused an inundation of mud from mount Vesuvius and the country round about is flooded. Two women have been killed and 26 persons injured. Travel on the railway up Mount Vesuvius has been interrupted and the line partially destroyed. Many houses have been surrounded by the waves of mud. An avalanche of mud has invaded Bosco Tecas.

St. Johns, Nfld., Oct. 16.—The colonial ministry has refused the United States naval tug Potomac, which is now at Bay of Islands, free entry for stores, in spite of the fact that this concession is accorded French warships in these waters. The Potomac has on board A. B. Alexander, chief of statistic division and methods of the bureau of fisheries for the department of commerce and labor, who is studying the Newfoundland fisheries dispute.

Paris, Oct. 16.—The eminence of a formidable native uprising in Morocco and Algeria is growing. The French military authorities in Algeria are in a state of apprehension. The commander of the troops in the district of Ains Efra has cabled to the minister of war saying that the preparations among the Moors for a holy war are proceeding energetically .Emoty Abou, a cousin of the sultan of Morocco, has visited all the tribes and induced them to cease their internal quarrels and prepare to take the field in the middle of November.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—In the presence of her daughter and a party of children, Mrs. Sarah Alcopa shot and killed her husband early today at their home. Alcopa was chasing her around the house with a butcher knife and she ran into her bedroom, got a revolver and fired two shots, on striking the man in the left temple and the other in the lung. The man instantly fell to the floor and died. Alcopa was a cigar maker and was 39 years old. His wife is 39 years old and there are two children. Jealousy on the husband's part is said to have been the inciting cause of the trouble.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—After investigating the killing of Mlle. Somenova, the young medical student confined in the central prison of St. Petersburg who was shot dead by a sentry on September 10, when she showed herself at the window of her cell, overlooking the courtyard, the commander of the St. Petersburg prison has thanked the soldier who killed the girl and has given him a reward of $5.

In addition the soldier is upheld as an example to his comrades for the faithful performance of duty. The prisoners claimed that the sentry shot without warnin gor provocation, while the sentry said he ordered Mlle. Somenova four times to leave the window, as some of her companions were taunting the regiment with the party they had taken in the suppression of the revolt at Moscow, which resulted in the assassination of general Min, who was formerly colonel of the regiment.

MUSICAL COMEDY.

Claude Amsden's Company to Play Here Three Nights Next Week.

The next attraction at Sherman's opera house is Claude Amsden's Musical Comedy Co., which is booked there for three nights, commencing next Monday. The opening bill will be the new musical comedy "The Governor's Wife," in which Mr. Claude Amsden will be sen to even better advantage than when he played "El Capitan" with the Roscians when here last. Another favorite of Nelson theatregoers with the company is Miss Hazel Davenport, who made such a decided hit when with the Roscians. In fact most of the company are well known to Nelson audiences and need no introduction.

On Tuesday night the bill will be comic opera, when the company will present "Mascotte Up-to-date."

The seat sale will open at Rutherford's next Friday morning at 10 o'clock. F. L. Hunt, the advance representative of the company will start listing this morning and those desirous of securing good seats should get in touch with him. Mr. Hunt is registered at the Hume hotel.

TO EXAMINE MAPLE LEAF

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, Oct. 16—M. M. Johnson, consulting engineer to the Dominion Copper company, accompanied by his wife and Mr. Jacobs, arrived here last night from Salt Lake City. Mr. Johnson is here in connection with the bond recently taken by New York people on the Maple Leaf in Franklin camp. Messrs. Johnson and Jacobs left early this morning for Frank- in and will probably stay three days. It s Mr. Johnson's intention to examine the property thoroughly and determine what plans of development would be best in the interests of his people. He stated to your correspondent last night that if matters looked favorable, he would put a large force of men to work with the idea of as far as possible proving the extent of the ore body before January, when the next payment falls due on the bond.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S SPORTS

Good Program Provided for Thanksgiving Day at Recreation Park

All is now in readiness for the field day sports of the city schools on Thanksgiving Day. This year there will be no forenoon program, but the afternoon program will begin at 1 o'clock sharp and it will probably be necessary in some case to run two events at the same time to finish before dark. The list of events includes: Standing, running, broad jumps, running hop, step and jump, and backwards jump; races at different distances for the different classes of boys and girls; relay races betwen the high school and the public school, as well as between several of the divisions of the public school; throwing basket ball, egg race, thread and needle race, and nail race for the girls; sack race, fatigue race, wheelbarrow race, and backwards race for the boys.

If the weather man serves up his regular field day weather everything should pass off as well as usual. To cover expenses the small fe of 10 cents will be charged.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

In Which Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist Congregations Will Unite.

In connection with Thanksgiving Day, a union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Methodist church on Thursday morning, Oct. 18, at 11 o'clock. The union represents the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian congregations of the city. Rev. Mr. Shanks will preach the sermon, and Revs. Ferguson and Powell will assist in the service. The male quartette of the Methodist church will sing. A special thank offering will be taken up, the proceeds to be forwarded to the Children's Aid society. The decorations which were a feature of last Sunday's Harvest Festival service in the Methodist church are being kept in place for the service on Thursday morning.

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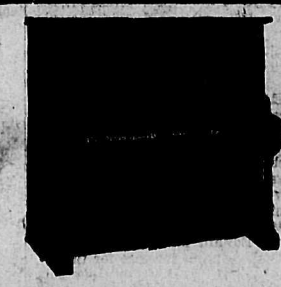

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(Butte Miner, Sunday, Oct. 14)

The Krao Silver-Lead Mining company, for the operation of the Krao mine at Ainsworth, B. C., was organized in this city yesterday afternoon. It will be incorporated under the laws of the territory of Arizona, and the necessary papers were forwarded last night. The capital stock is $3,000,000, divided into 600,000 shares, of a par value of $5 each. The incorporators and directors for the first three months are Henry Mueller, president of the Centennial Brewing company; George W. Irvin, postmaster of Butte; Cary H. Hand, mine expert; J. O. Hodgens, capitalist, and W. C. Lewis, capitalist, and member of the Lewis Dry Goods company. The officers will probably be Henry Mueller, president; Geo. W. Irvin, vice-president, and W. C. Lewis, secretary and treasurer.

The property which is taken over by the new company is the Krao mine, which was purchased a few days ago by Walter C. Lewis and his associates. It is located near Ainsworth, on Kootenay lake, British Columbia, and is one of the richest silver properties in the province. The samples of ore which were brought down from the mine on Thursday night were among the most magnificent ever brought to Butte, and on display at the office of the National Mining and Investment company created great interest in the property.

Within twelve hours after the announcement had ben made that the property had been purchased by Butte people and that a company was to be organized for its operation, the entire allotment of 100,000 shares had been subscribed, and the books are now closed. The demand for stock was so great that by 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon orders for 50,000 shares had been refused. Receipts for subscription will be given during the week, and the stock certificates will be issued within the next thirty days.

It is the intention of the company to install machinery at once on the property for extensive operation, and W. E. Zwicky, who is in charge, has been instructed to prepare for a thorough development of the claim. Machinery will be installed with a capacity to sink the shaft to great depth.

The ores being exhibited here are attracting wide attention. Particularly attractive is a speciment of solid silver which Mr. Lewis brought back with him containing $22 in value.

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"Unless we combat the semi-ready houses our profession will in a few years be in the same conditions as the custom shoe trade is now. A few will pay big prices for custom made; the rest will wear Semi-ready."

The strides made by Semi-ready houses in Canada have been remarkable. In Toronto recently two new Semi-ready wardrobes were opened up, Ed. Mack, one of the prominent merchant tailors, having secured the agency. In Montreal three new Semi-ready wardrobes were opened. A. M. Campbell, a manager of the Merchants' bank joined forces with R. C. McLean, a merchant tailor. The third was opened by F. X. Bourduas, a merchant tailor who had been in business for 19 years.

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APOSTLE OF DISCONTENT

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CHRACTER SKETCH BY ONE WHO KNOWS HIM WELL.

(E. W. Townsend in Ridgway's)

One need not be at a loss, after a faithful study of his published speeches and editorials in determining what Mr. Hearst wishes the public to understand to be his attitude in politics. If one has also an intimate knowledge of the man himself, it seems that a fair statement of his views, as he wishes them to be accepted in his character as a candidate, might be set forth thus: "I find throughout the country, more markedly in New York, that the development of corporate industrialism has for its own always greedy, and sometimes dishonest purposes, entered into the business of controlling legislation, the courts and administrative offices; I believe that this amalgamated greed has been aided by such of the press as is purchasable; I believe that the special privileges and immunities the corporations acquire through their corrupting efforts enable them to pay dividends upon uncounted millions of stock certificates, which stock has been created for no other purpose; I believe that these illegitimate earnings are a burdensome tax upon the poor, and that they will increase until an aroused people will enforce the election and appointment of men who are free from corporate influences and who will honestly strive for an equal enforcement of all laws; and especially see to it that the law governing such corporations shall be executed, regardless of the rank or power or place of those whom such laws may punish. The methods I have used in an endeavor to arouse the people to what I believe to be an imminent and great danger to their liberties have been criticised. I believe my methods justified by the fact that none less startling would have been successful."

Mr. Hearst personally is, or can be, wholly winsome. When he wishes to please a person, and that is only when he is pleased by the person, he is a model for those who seek to acquire the art of being agreeable: considerate, attentive, generous, sympathetic as a woman. But few men please him personally; he cannot endure personal association with some of the men he gives enormous salaries to; he will devise cunning means to escape meeting them socially.

He is often pictured as a very dandy in dress; he wears without knowing their fashion, possibly not their color, the garments his tailor sends to him; and without the attention of a valet would apear in public, as like as not, in a mismatched suit of clothes, and boots unbuttoned.

He has never shown an enthusiasm for any intellectual pursuit outside of American history, politics and journalism. When he was rusticated by Harvard for inciting a shocking amount of noise, disorder and red fire in testimony of joy over the first election of Mr. Cleveland to the presidency, he was already equipped with a knowledge of American political history which would be a creditable possession for a secretary of state—and could play the banjo to accompany comic songs in a way to make you weep with laughing.

He is widely supposed to have been "made" as a political speaker by reading adresses written for him by one of his editorial staff; on the contrary, that editorial writer has been "made" by Mr. Hearst; his wit consisted in catching exactly the Hearst idea in political journalism and exploiting it. No one taught Mr. Hearst his journalism; it is an evolution of his own smiling cynicism; the first issue under his management of the first paper he owned contained the germ of every flower of Hearstism in journalism. "Make a great and continuous noise to attract readers; denouce the successful, and promise better conditions for the unsuccessful, to keep readers." That is the beginning and end of Hearstism in journalism. At first he sought circulation only to get advertising to make his business financially successful; to use his opportunities of addressing through his papers large bodies of people for his political profit came as an afterthought. And those many, many readers are not all ignorant and credulous; an unhappy proportion are so, undoubtedly, but he addresses many men of intelligence with whom the world has gone hard, who believe they suffer from existing economic conditions.

If Mr. Hearst were awakened out of a sound sleep and abruptly asked: "Why do you foment existing discontent and try to create more?" he might answer "I find nothing else to do which so entertains me."

Mr. Hearst is singularly, amazingly, indifferent to the opinions of others concerning his professions of economic beliefs or his code of morals in such regard as they relate to him personally. If a person he liked should question his acts or utterances, he would open his very large blue eyes widely, smile graciously—and suggest another topic of conversation.

It must not be overlooked, while the cry of "Apostle of discontent" is being raised against Mr. Hearst, that he did not create all the discontent he has capitalized—much of it he merely voices.

The cause of those who oppose Mr. Hearst will not be helped by that same lack of fairness, of discrimination in their charges which they assert characterizes all his charges. Doubtless Mr. Hearst has created some discontent for which there exists no sufficient reason—place-hunters have been known to thus sin before now. Perhaps he has exaggerated the insolence of holders of monopolistic privileges; partisan text-books have not alway bseen free from such unfairness. He is vulnerable as a candidate for governor (how long is it since an invulnerable candidate was nominated?) and there are many thousands of voters who want to be told fairly, calmly, specifically what are his faults. One of them certainly is not that he created all the popular discontent with existing political, social and industrial conditions which he voices—which has revolutionized political plans in this state and made him a candidate for governor.

ZINC IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

(Denver Mining Recorder)

With figures for the first nine months of the year available it appears that the zinc industry in British Columbia for 1906 is not going to come up to the expectations of its sanguine supporters. The failure lies neither in the demand nor the supply, for the former is strong and if there were not a good reason the latter would not be long forthcoming. The treatment of the zinciferous minerals seems to be at the bottom of the trouble. It is claimed that there is too much waste and that the ore will not stand the heavy draft made on the zinc content in the course of milling. A local authority expresses the opinion that the process of concentration-separation entails a loss of 20 per cent or more. This is indeed unfortunate, but that it is true was amply demonstrated in the work of the zinc commission. Certain of the ores collected by that body were extremely refractory and practically nothing could be done with them. In the western states zinc ores have been found quite amenable to the customary processes. Newer processes are, however, arising, and it is probable that one of these contains the solution of the problem. They will require investigation and considerable money will have to be spent by operators in testing lots of their ore, but the results will be worth the effort, and we urge prompt action. Flotation processes especially merit investigation.

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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.

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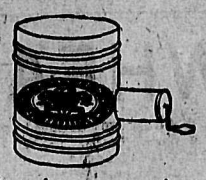

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AFTER VISIT TO FERNIE REBUTTAL EVIDENCE WILL BE HEARD

The principal testimony tendered at yesterday's session of the supreme court arose out of the cross-examination of P. Macleod and the evidence of C. Smith, who were working for sub-contractor Quaiffe at the time of the fire on July 23, 1904. The suit of the Fernie and Elk River Lumber companies against the Crow's Nest Southern railroad is now in its third week and there is no likelihood of a conclusion being arrived at for a week or more as it seems to be practically settled that the jury will first visit Fernie and afterwards hear rebuttal testimony before the counsel may conclude or the judge sum up. The drift of the evidence of yesterday was that the defendants are attempting to show that there was no negligence on their part and that the fire which devasttated the limits of the complainant companies may have arisen from other causes besides the clearing of the railway right of way.

The first witness yesterday morning was P. Macleod who was cross examined by E. P. Davis, his evidence in chief having been given the day previous. Witness would not say that there had not ben a fire burning in the ravine north of Lever's house for ten days prior to July 23, the occasion of the big fire. He would not say that there had not been fires burning opposite to Lever's house at that time. He said that he and Smith had been working together after the outbreak of the fire, Quaiffe was not with them. When the fire broke out they had gone to get assistance, they had no appliances for fighting it by themselves and did not atempt to do so.

A. M. Lupfort, engineer in charge of the whole line, gave expert testimony as to the method of clearing right of way. He said he thought Quaiffe was being paid a fair sum on his sub-contract. His testimony as to the method of clearing was substantially the same as other witnesses, except that he said he thought that there ought to be one man watching fire for every hundred feet of right of way.

E. P. Davis here stated that Mr. Bodwell and himself had agreed to admit the evidence of Quaiffe at the fire inquest and also a further statement made by him.

E. V. Bodwell said there had been such an offer made by him but his learned friend had not accepted it. There was, therefore, no agreement up to the present. He would, however, consider the matter.

Charles Smith was called. He stated that he had been working for Quaiffe on the right of way. He was living in Fernie and came down south daily to his work along the right of way, which he entered from the trail at 925 station. He had seen fire on some vacant lots three days before the big fire. It was on the river side of the right of way, about opposite stations 939-940. The fire was of logs and stumps, as if from clearing land. A week before witness had seen three fires on about the same lots. Witness himself had not been working north of Lever's house after July 21, two days before the big fire.

On July 23, witness, with McLeod, had gone to work early in the morning. They went to the camp and met there Quaiffe. On the way they noticed a place where fire had been burning. This was at station 918 or 919; the fire was out. Quaiffe, McLeod and witness then went to station 923 and began felling trees. Presently they noticed a fire at their backs between stations 918 and 919. Witness went for some buckets and McLeod went away and got two men. The four then fought the fire till noon, when they went to dinner. In the meantime they noticed a fire on the West Fernie townsite, about half a mile away, at the spot where he had seen the clearing fires before. The fire at noon had begun to spread up the hillside. The fire at West Fernie townsite was not very big. The wind was getting strong. When they were at dinner they noticed a third fire in the Cedar Valley direction. The fire was not on one straight line and that line the direction of the wind. The southern fire ran up at the back of Lever's house; it did not travel along the right of way. Green timber is still there on the right of way. When firing on the right of way on July 11 a fire break was made 8 o 10 feet wide, off which everything was cleared and thrown into the middle of the right of way. Then brush was piled and set on fire, pile by pile, between stations 902 and 911. Witness did no firing except this. On the morning of July 23 neither witness nor McLeod had piled brush on fires. Up to the 23rd no brush had been piled on fires made north of Lever's house on the right of way. Nothing was ready for firing north of stations 916 or 917. There were trees standing there.

Cross-examined by E. P. Davis, witness admitted he had stated at the fire inquest that he had been working at 919 on the morning of July 23. Also that the fire had started 100 feet nearer the bridge than they were—the bridge was at station 913—also that Quaiffe was at the camp. Witness explained that he was a German, whose English had been misunderstood at the inquest, but which had since improved. That fire was not on the 23rd but on the 21st; he had been misunderstood. He had signed the statement; he was unable to read. Witness then said the fire on the West Fernie townsite could not have been started from the fire to the south of it where he and Quaiffe and McLeod were working. Confronted by his statement at the inquest that that fire could have been so started, witness retracted and admitted that it might have been so. He said he had misunderstood Mr. Davis' question.

Re-examined by Mr. Bodwell, witness said that his statement at the inquest had been given him to read, but he could not read. It was not read over to him to his knowledge. There were many questions asked him, many of which had not been taken down. He had been asked about the fire of the 21st as well as that of the 23rd of July though it did not appear on the inquest statement. Witness did not know the stations at the time of the fire; he had fixed them afterwards. Witness had given his evidence at the inquest on ten minutes' notice, and had nothing to refresh his memory.

To the jury—The fire witness saw on the West Fernie townsite was about three-quarters of a mile from the Elk mill.

Angus Macdonald stated he was a sub-contractor on the right of way, having the sections immediately south of Quaiffe. He had crossed Quaiffe's right of way on many occasions between the beginning and end of his contract, that is between June 27, 1904 and Dec. 10, 1904. He had noticed a fire on the West Fernie townsite on July 15; it was about 500 feet away from the Elk River company's mill. On July 18 there were fires on Quaiffe's right of way, so that his teamsters were afraid to bring through powder from Fernie and put wet covers over it. That was the only occasion befort the big fire when there was any interruption to the daily traffic between his camp and Fernie. On July 23 witness had no men working at Cedar Valley mill, station 880; they were at station 840, 4000 feet south.

Cross-examined by E. P. Davis, witness said he knew of no fire escaping from his right of way. There was no fire between station 868 and station 880 on July 23, nor for several days previously. But there was a fire about July 17 and 18 about a quarter of a mile below the Cedar Valley mill, between the track and the riger. It was spreading both ways; it was about 100 feet from the right of way. Witness had never heard it suggested that this fire had endangered the Cedar Valley mill. Referring to the fire near the Elk mill, witness knew nothing of the owners of the land, nor of the people who made it. He had seen an old man grubbing there old stumps and making fires all summer. He did not know him nor could he identify him but would engage to point out the place where he had seen him at work.

E. P. Davis then asked that he might be allowed to call witnesses in rebuttal after Macdonald had pointed out to judge and jury at the place of fire, where he had seen these West Fernie fires, as to which nobody seems to know exactly where they were or who were concerned in their origin.

To this E. V. Bodwell said he would have no objection.

In reply to chief justice Hunter, witness said he had from 4 to 12 men working for him. The fires were lit in the morning and allowed to die down at night. He had no men watching at night. He had no men in the day time who were especially detailed to watch the fires. He had no water on the spot. He had never had a fire escape from him and had been clearing right of way from 1872. There was nothing particular about the wind on July 23.

To a juryman, witness said the fires were bad after July 17 or 18, so that his wagons from Fernie had always to be covered with wet canvas, especially when hay or powder was brought down.

Court then rose for 10:30 this morning.

GREAT NORTHERN MOUNTAIN

Promising Section of Lardeau Mining District Receiving Attention

On Great Northern mountain, outside of the Broadview group, which is already taken up, there are a number of meritorious properties with magnificent ore showings, viz., the St. Elmo, True Fissure, Great Northern, Blue Bell and others. We have it on good authority says the Lardeau Mining Review, that the whole hill is now under option and that in a very short time men will be put to work to open up the different claims. In years gone by when these claims were worked the freight and treatment charges were too high to allow the owners a profit on their output. Then the ore had to be packed to the wagon road, thence by wagon to Thompson's Landing, at a cost of about $20 a ton. From that point the railway and smelter charges were $22.50 per ton. Now the same properties can ship at a cost of $4 per ton to navigation and $13.50 for railway and smelter charges, a total from the mine to the smelter of $17.50 as against $42.50 in years gone by. There are also large copper deposits of copper ore running from 6 to 10 per cent on which the smelter charge for freight and treatment from Trout Lake is $5.50 per ton. The ore shipped from the Broadview last winter is indicative of the values to be obtained.

Some 250 tons were shipped giving about $40 per ton. There has been some taken out from the properties mentioned which ran much higher but taking the production of the Broadview as a criterion it leaves us well within the mark as to value. Besides this clean ore there are large bodies of low grade ore which would need some process of reduction to get all there is in it. The present price of lead and silver will also be a factor in the opening up of these properties. There are millions in Great Northern hill for the men who will get in and open it up. It is no wild cat scheme, sufficient work has been done to demonstrate its value and it only remains for those who have interested themselves in it to put up the necessary capital to put it on a paying basis.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE

Editor The Daily News—I would be much obliged if you would find space for this short letter re Fernie strike in your paper. I find by reading your paper, also the Fernie Free Press that the war seems to be between Mr. Lindsey and Mr. Sherman, also with a miner chipping in here and there.

I think if these men who are pulling Sherman to pieces would look for some fair means of settling the dispute first and when that is done it will be time to bring Mr. Sherman to book and give an account of his stewardship. I think it would do more good for the people of Fernie and Michel. I notice a clause in one of the circular letters sent out by Mr. Lindsey which says if Mr. Sherman would acknowledge that there was an understanding that there would be no discrimination against non-union men that it would go a long way toward a settlement. I also noticed by The Daily News that Mr. Sherman is supposed to acknowledge that such was the case. If the above is true I cannot see why Mr. Lindsey is not prepared to open the mines. The question of non-union men is over as all the men, I understand, are union men now. Therefore there is no dispute unless it is between individuals and if such is the case I must say that it is a shame that about 2000 men and boys should be idle for that cause. If the men have grounds to fight their leaders let them do it after the trouble is over. I would say the same to the coal company. The town of Fernie has certainly gone through her troubles. I hope that the present will soon pass over and that she will rise to the height of her ambition and become the Winnipeg of the west. MINER.

Lundbreck, Alta., Oct. 15, 1906.

PASSING OF THE BOSS

ANALYTICAL STUDY OF MOVEMENT FOR POLITICAL FREEDOM.

JEROME THINKS BOSSES ARE ON THE RUN NEVER TO RETURN

In Ridgeway's Magazine appears the following authorized interview with William Travers Jerome, New York's famous district attorney, on the subject of "The Passing of the Bosses":

"Have we seen the finish of the Boss?"

"We are seeing the finish of the Boss—as this country has know the Boss since the civil war. He is going all over. From many lucky communities he is already gone, never to return. I have not the slightest doubt but that in time he will disappear from national politics as he is disappearing in the cities and states.

"At the outset let me make myself clear regarding my understanding of the meaning of the term 'Boss.' The Boss must not be confused with the Leader. The Leader is one whose primary motive in assuming political responsibility is that of service—although his ideals of service may not be altogether altruistic. The Boss is one whose primary motive and only motive is personal pecuniary gain—graft; the Boss need not necessarily take obviously dirty money, bribes, shares in rake-offs—but he holds his power and sways it so that he and his friends and associates grow constantly richer at the expense of the people.

"The Boss is going, or is gone. Thank God! But in his place we must have the Leader, or we shall have chaos. So it is well that we should keep ever in mind, while we condemn the Boss and set watches against his return, that we must not strike down the real Leader, who leads out of his conscience, and is clean of any taint of mercenary self-interest."

"How did the rebellion against the Bosses begin?"

"A condition such as the present spirit of unrest which is abroad in the land is not the resultant of any single force. Nor is it the growth of a single year or of five years. It has been a long time coming, but it has come steadily. There was no low ebb of patriotism which revealed the dangerous shoals to a careless people. Rather, it was an absorbed patriotism, altogether concerned with the affairs of the nation, during the civil war, which led us as a people to neglect the details of our city and state politics. At the termination of the civil war there remained such large political questions to be answered that local and even state misgovernment (when it was not merged in national interests) seemed of minor importance and was neglected. Moreover, though there were then many large cities, it has been since the war that the startling growth of our large cities has been made. They grew abnormally while they were least watched. With them came a vast development of public service corporations, bringing in possibilities of graft and corruption which had little if any evidence before. From an awakening to local conditions and a determination to cleanse them has come an extension of the movement into state and national affairs.

"The turning out of the Bosses is principally due to the growth—a slow growth of course— of a real patriotic spirit. The work of the so-called Muck Rakers had a distinct and positive value; but their work brought with it, also, serious evils. Long before the Muck Raker raised his voice—twenty years ago—there was apparent a distinct growth of a spirit of independence and of a desire for political freedom. The attributes which led Carl Schurz and George William Curtis to break from a beloved party and follow the opposition was only an exemplification in the field of national politics of a spirit which was springing up all over the country. The Muck Rakers did evil by interfering with an orderly evolution of the forces of reform. While the conditions they indicated were undoubtedly wrong, Muck Rakers in their own way of describing and commenting on these conditions aroused forces of blind discontent which were not intelligent, and sprang largely from insensate hatred of things supposed to exist in the exact forms described by men more eager for attention than for exact justice.

The Muck Raker often had his finger on a real evil, in fact he always did—but his perspective was away out. He gave to his pictures an exactness of value which had no existence in his subject. The fact that one man in one city was doing reprehensible things was undoubtedly an evil to that city; but the analogy that the same thing was true all over the state was by no means necessarily true; it was unjust; it was dangerous.

The natural outcome, the flower and fruit of that sort of nonsense is to be found in the Phillips articles on "The Treason of the Senate." The lack of proportion is ludicrous. Everybody knows that there are men in the senate who probably bought their seats. But the development of a habit of mind which led to the statement that such men as Murray Crane of Massachusetts is unfit to sit in the councils of his nation is only to be characterized by Mr. Dooley's account of the spirit in which Reynolds and Neill were sent to investigate the packing industry. The president sent them, said Dooley, 'to inspect the packing houses to make sure that they were no better than he thought they were.'

"In fact, the one person who has done least to encourage a natural and normal development of those forces which would destroy the Boss and who has sowed the seeds of unreasoning discontent among our people has been the president of the United States. The economic vagaries of Bryan and the political immoralities of Hearst are due to him more than to any other one man. It is of comparatively little importance that, for instance, a man in private station should express his yearnings for the good of the human race. It would mean little if such a man should say that he thought every man, woman and child ought to have a net income of $5000 a year. I know of no human being who would not wish such a consummation. But I do not know how congress can provide such a desideratum even though a popular president should publicly yearn for it. But where the expressions of a private individual along these lines do little harm and merely show an amicable affection for one's fellow men, the same views, or at least similar views, expressed by a president of the United States, create a demand for the realization of those yearnings regardless of economic laws or a miserable old piece of parchment like the constitution of the United States—and makes it difficult for the real leaders, controlled by conscience, to compete with a man like Hearst, whose bids for popularity, though they surpass in letter, do not exceed in principle those of the responsible head of the nation.

"How are ambitious demagogues and hypocritically masked 'popular heroes' to be kept from perverting the whole patriotic advance—from 'souring the rising?'

"The problem is to saddle the new leader with responsibility. We cannot have real democratic government, based on universal suffrage, without having parties. The voice of the people is not effective without organization. He who would gather a mob and get guidance for a party out of its chaotic howlings, is a fool. The people must have their leaders; the leader must lead because he expresses the will of the people. A leaderless convention is a chaotic mass of cliques, trading principles and candidates until usually the most sinister elements come into control of the situation.

"Let the leader stay out in the light. And that he may not be tempted to forget how he became a leader, that he may not be tempted to become a boss, let us safeguard and support him. The final destruction of the boss and the substitution for him of the real leader is to be brought about by destroying the solidarity of the boss' mercenary organization. Destroy all organization which is based on patronage. Laws can do much to that end. The right to rule by the might of patronage was elucidated years ago by Marcy. 'To the victors belong the spoils.' It was accepted as true, more's the pity.

"But the growth of the civil service law has done a great deal to break down the solidarity of patronage. For the end of freedom within party lines, the civil service laws should be extended to the extreme—to the point where they threaten the efficiency of public servants.

"Another form of corruption is much more subtle and much more difficult to reach. It is supplied by the public service corporations. The average ward boss would rather abandon what little the civil service laws have left of public patronage than abandon the patronage of the public service corporation. It is a form of bribery that is uncontrolled as yet. The corporation says 'be our man and we will give jobs to 20 of your heelers.' A way must be found to reach it.

"Second, our corrupt practices acts must be enforced and if they are not adequate they must be amplified. The difficulty is not so much one of restricting the amounts which a candidate or a party may spend in a campaign. More necessary at first are vigorous laws for the publicity of the sources from which campaign money is derived and of its evpenditure. The matter of amounts may be considered later. At present vast sums may be legitimately expended in an election for a minor office. In fact an independent candidate against a machine like that in New York, where an almost perfect organization exists, must spend a great deal of money to compete with the machine.

"But the third, and really the most effective weapon against the boss will be found in the introduction of the Massachusetts form of ballot, in which the name of the independent candidate is not set off in a column by itself, but is grouped with those of the other candidates. There it is always possible for a determined and earnest citizen to make a good fight for principle against a machine, whereas under a law like that in New York it is made as difficult as possible for the voter to cast his vote for the candidate who is not a boss candidate. No professional politician is going to be good unless he is made good. Even then he will stay good only while he is watched.

"With the abolition of patronage by a stiffly starched civil service, with a stricter observance of the spirit of the corrupt practices laws and with a fair ballot law, then, the expulsion of the bosses will be permanent? It is not merely the temporary self assertion of resentful people?"

"It has been too slow and sure in its coming to be temporary. The new litt—the new spirit which is moving on the waters—has received a sudden stimulus from problems presented by critical situations in local affairs; this stimulus is passing from local to national affairs. No effort has so far been made to smash a national boss, though a natural disinclination to have the states of the union made administrative provinces of the federal government may yet arouse a spirit adequate for such a task.

"The startling results of the last few years in the overthrow of the tradition of boss rule (in some cases even state bosses have been turned out) has taken by surprise many of those who have been working for years and years. They were not prepared to see the barriers breaking so soon. They had been mining at the dam so long that its sudden going out took them by surprise. As a result many an irresponsible and selfish demagogue has run into the breach to proclaim himself the Original Boss Killer—and then he sought to grind his own grist by diverting the flood let loose. But this aspect of the situation will take care of itself in a little while. Here and there a cheap demagogue may make a little passing demonstration of self importance. But if the great, strong, bad bosses, with their eagle eye and granite jaws were not able to stand, there is little chance that weaklings of this sort will long hold up the advance of the people.

"The people will forgive in their leaders great mistakes of judgment. But the time has come when the people will no longer tolerate the use of leadership for personal enrichment. It may be an unfortunate necessity brought about by existing conditions, but I do not believe that in the future the people will tolerate a leader whose gain in power synchronizes with his growth in material prosperity. It may be unfortunate that a poor man entering public life must remain poor—for no honest public servant can get rich on his salary—that he may put by no provision for the comfort of his old age. But the man who determines to enter politics in the new spirit must reckon with this fact: Unless the consciousness of honest service to the public rings within his breast a sufficient reward—he had better get out or stay out of public life."

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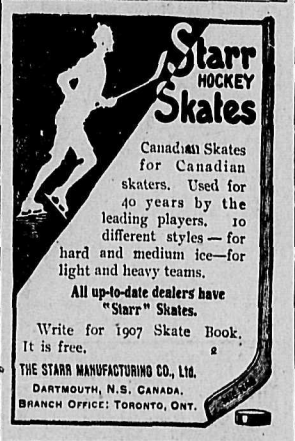

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This action of Mr. Retallack will, therefore, commend itself. The bunk houses are to be thoroughly renovated; new floors are being put down; the dining room will be comfortably furnished; the old board and straw bunks will be taken down and give place to springs and mattresses; electric lights will illuminate the rooms; new modern heaters will be put in; bath rooms and drying rooms are being installed and in fact no pains will be spared to make the men's quarters as home-like as possible.

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An Anti-Trust bill has passed the Commonwealth senate under extraordinary conditions. The object of the measure is to prevent such trade monopolies as exist in the United States, although there is not a single instance in Australia in which these evils either exist or are threatened. It was introduced in the house of representatives by the minister of customs, but only about three senators gave it hearty support, and these were all protectionists, who favor the bill because they regard it as leading direct to prohibitory tariffs on foreign goods. A much larger section, including labor members, after criticizing the measure adversely, voted for it in the belief that its failure would hasten the nationalization of monopolies—the goal at which they aim. The sincere, uncompromising opponents of the bill opposed it as unnecessary, mischievous and, in some respects, unconstitutional. It places in the hands of an arbitrary protectionist minister a drastic power in restraining trade, both foreign and interstate. Its supreme object evidently is to protect local manufacutrers from reasonable competition. Yet it is powerless to prevent them from combining, so long as their monopoly does not extend beyond the limits of a single state.

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Dated this 15th day of October, 1906.

C. F. WALMSLEY. 10-20
JOS. BLACKBURN, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay District: Commencing at a post marked "Peter McPherson's southeast corner," three miles west from the Upper Arrow Lake, near Fosthall creek, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

PETER McPHERSON.
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent. 10-20
Dated this 8th day of October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay District: Commencing at a post marked "Minnie McPherson's northeast corner," and situated three miles west of the Upper Arrow lake, near Fosthall creek, thence running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

MINNIE McPHERSON.
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent. 10-20
Dated this 8th day of October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay District: Commencing at a post marked "John Logan's N.E. corner," and situated west of the Upper Arrow lake, near Fosthall creek, thence running west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 16, 1906.

JOHN LOGAN.
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent. 10-20

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay District: Commencing at a post marked "Florence Richardson's N.E. corner," and situated about four miles west of the Upper Arrow lake, near Fosthall creek, thence running west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

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New York, Oct. 16—Silver, 69 3-4; casting copper, 20 5-8; lead, $5.75.

London, Oct. 16—Silver, 13 1-4; lead, £19 7s. 6d.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Grand and petit jurors are requested to collect their fees today from C. D. Blackwood.

The cricketers were busy *last evening* decorating the armory for the flannel dance tomorrow night.

The drill parade of the Boys' Brigade will be held as usual this evening at 7 o'clock, with sergeant Nicoll in charge.

The children's drill of the Maccabees will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the K. of P. hall, instead of tomorrow afternoon.

At St .Saviour's church on Tuesday, Oct. 16, Joseph Tomas Feroglia of Moyie, was married to Miss Ethel Moulton, by the rector, Rev. F. H. Graham.

Mrs J. S. Lawrence has moved into her new home on Victoria street and will be at home this afternoon and afterwards on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month.

Surveys are now being made on *the hillsides* skirting the west arm of Kootenay lake, experiments having shown that fruit can be grown successfully on suitable land at least as high as 1000 feet above the level of the arm.

The first serious frost in 1905 occurred on Oct. 16 and in 1904 on Oct. 25, *the thermometer* falling below 30 degrees; ranchers are now looking for a frost to occur, the first of the season, as soon as the present wet *spell clears up.*

Tomorrow's football match between the Churchmen's club and a team captained by *Messrs. Hall and Poole, will come off* sharp at 1:30 p.m.. Members of both teams are expected to be on the grounds punctually at 1:15 so as not to interfere with the *children's sports.*

P. S. Couldrey and W. H. Falding of the Le Roi No. 2, have just come down from the Vancouver mine. A tramway is being put in to connect the mine workings with the mill, which latter has a capacity of about 100 tons a day. As soon as this is completed, which will be about the end of the month, work will be actively started.

The harvest festival and Thanksgiving day will be celebrated in St. Saviour's church tomorrow by holy communion at 8 a.m. and mattins and holy communion at 10:30. The musical service will be Woodwards in E flat; Te Deum, Benedictus, Kyrie, Gloria, Gracias and Credo. The anthem is to be sir Joseph Barnby's "O. Lord How Manifold Are Thy Works."

The 20,000 club held a meeting yesterday morning and made final arrangements with Wm. Cranston as to the production of a double bill here in the agricultural hall *on October 31. Seats will be provided* all over the hall and a proper stage with proscenia erected. Attention will be paid to the acoustic properties of the building in the erection of the stage and appurtenances.

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NEW COAL AREAS

Dominion Steel Co. Finds Port Morien Product Better For Its Purposes

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 16.—It is reported that the Dominion Coal Co. intend shortly opening up their coal areas at Port Morien. Morien coal is admirable for stead purposes, in fact, is superior to coal from any other of the Dominion company's collieries.

The Dominion Steel company is said to be dissatisfied with the coal at present supplied to them and that a test of the Morien coal has proved that it is superior for all the purposes of the steel company.

Morien has splendid facilities for shipping and the handling of coal by rail could be easily accomplished. Only two miles of rail would have to be laid from Morien Junction to connect with the Sydney and Louisburg railway. *There are two seams* of coal at Morien, the four and one half fot seam, and under that, a six foot seam. The line of railway from Morien to Dominion No. 6 *has been surveyed and if* Morien was opened up, together with the purchase of the Cape Breton Iron and Coal company's areas at Broughton, and *possibly of the Gowrie and Blockhouse,* the Dominion Coal company would be able to handle al orders received by them.

ENTOMBED MINERS RESCUED.

Durham, England, Oct. 16.—All the miners who were entombed as the result of an explosion yesterday in the Wingate colliery near here, have been resuced.

NELSON—G. Frallings, D. B. Hunting, Lardo; S. C. Roberts, Slocan; J. Royer, Fernie.

ROYAL—R. T. Petit, Cranbrook; B. K. Josephs, Trail; B. Killigren, Rossland.

SHERBROOKE—R. C. Copp, L. Erskine, Edmonton; J. Blumenthal, G. *Rosenberg,* Spokane.

HUME—E. C. Binkler, S. J. Thomson, J. W. Kerr, H. A. Small, Vancouver; F. R. Macdonald, Toronto; A. Lucas, Toronto; C. M. Bourke, Clubb's landing; H. C. Day, Ottawa; E. H. Eskuche, Milwaukee; *E. Hunt, Chicago; J. E. Wilson, Chicago;* W. H. Dench, Owen Sound; H. M. Childs, Second Relief; H. Deans, Winnipeg.

STRATHCONA — R. Irving, W. C. Zwicky, J. L. Retallack, Kaslo; J. O. Trethewey, La Plata; J. P Couldrey, Rossland; W. G. Stephen and wife, Banff; Q. Bliss, F. W. Western, Toronto; W. G. Donovan, Winnipeg; W. C. Watson, Vancouver; C. R. Medol, Montreal.

QUEENS—S. M. Manuel, Esquimalt; J. B. Winlaw, Winlaw; W. H. Shafford, Revelstoke; *C. Geech, Rossland.*

BARTLETT—J. M. Fosdyke, L. M. Josephs, Sandon; P. J. Smyth, Ainsworth.

CLUB—J. Mentuth, Windsor; D. J. Mc*Farland; G. M. Brown, Ymir.*

GRAND CENTRAL—Mrs. Smith, Winlaw; F. L. Simmons, H. Arundel, B. Hodson, Bonnington; W. C. Harvey, Pretoria; *R. Donaldson, Harriston;* W. G. McIntosh, Winnipeg; L. P. Rodin, Greenwood.

LAKEVIEW—E. Matheson, Ymir; R. T. Jones, Calgary; J. Brown, Salmo.

MADDEN—J. *J. Murphy, Cranbrook;* A. H. MacNeil, C. Parker, Fernie; J. Tarry, Shields; Mrs. J. H. English, Blairmore, F. J. Adams J. R. Copp, Kimberley; J. Silmarz, Council Bluffs; J. R. Brown, Kaslo; K. L. Burnet, Rossland.

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Result of games last night:

	1	2	3	Total
Perrier	187	149	120—	456
Caldwell	157	102	129—	388
Falconer	136	150	141—	427
Davison	128	128	108—	364

Games Tonight—Fyfe vs. McCandlish; Meyer vs. Salter.

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