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UNIVERSITY ENDOWMENT

Government Amend the Bill in Accordance With McDonald's Proposal

Debate on Budget Still Underway—Eagleson of Lillooet Offers Criticism of Government's Salmon Hatchery

Press Gallery, Legislative Assembly, Victoria, April 11.—The debate on the budget is not yet completed. This afternoon Munro, Eagleson, King and Hawthornthwaite spoke. Eagleson attacked the management of Seton Lake hatchery, which he said should be called a salmon slaughter house. He said Archie McDonald had made representations to the government and brought back a report that the government promised to ask Babcock to resign, but that the government was not sure that Babcock would do so. Eagleson said that was a ridiculous situation for a servant of the government to be in.

Hawthornthwaite took exception to Tatlow's discrimination against opposition constituencies, which he declared, amounted to malfesance of office. He was there to do justly by all parts of the province by he was using public money to advance the interests of his own party. He said tae premier's trip was a ridiculous one and could accomplish nothing. He thought the premier should have explained his objects before he left.

The debate was adjourned on the motion of Macdonald.

The University Endowment bill got through the committee stage. The government, while voting down all the amendments proposed by the opposition, really endorsed the policy laid down by the leader of the opposition and by an amendment which is anything but clear, attempts to save the royalties from timber, coal, etc., on the lands set apart for the general revenue, and not for the university.

As at first introduced by the minister of education the amendment, according to Macdonald, would reserve the timber royalties from lands to the general revenues and allow the coal royalties to go to the university. He said, if drawn by a lawyer instead of a doctor, he would believe it was cunningly framed.

Young said it was framed in line with Macdonald's suggestion.

"Why don't you accept my amendment," he was asked.

"I have boiled it down," said Young.

"You have boiled the juice out of it," came the reply.

The Land Act amendment introduced by the government provides for 75 cents royalty per thousand feet instead of 50 cents and wipes out third class lands, leaving only first at $5 and second at $2.50 an acre.

OFFICIAL TIMEKEEPER

Labor Memebr in Ontario House Keeps Tab on His Colleagues.

Toronto, April 11.—One hundred dollars an hour is fairly large remuneration even for statesmen and yet it is said that is how the indemnity received by one member of the legislature figures out per ratio of hours of attendance. It is said that Allan Studholme has constituted himself a sort of official timekeeper for the house.

During this, his first session, the labor member for Hamilton, has scarcely missed an hour himself. It is also understood that he has quietly kept tab on other members and has been dividing their thousand dollars indemnity by the number of hours' attendance. The result in many cases has been interesting, showing how in some cases members are getting far beyond the union scale of wages. On the whole the average attendance has been very good. The opposition have perhaps been the chief sinners, conspicuous absentees being E. W. Rathburn, M. G. Cameron and Hon. Richard Harcourt.

FIRE IN PIANO FACTORY.

Toronto, April 11.—For four hours this morning the fire department fought an obstinate fire in the factory of the Gerhard Heintzman company, piano manufacturers. The contents of the building were damaged to the extent of $45,000, which is fully covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is a mystery. The alarm was rung in at 5.30 and it was 8.30 before the fire was extinguished. The fire started in the kiln room in which there were 42,000 feet of valuable lumber, loaded on 12 trucks part of which was totally destroyed. The blaze worked its way through the ceiling and wall to the gluing and piano stool departments in a rough-cast building to the rear of the big factory.

About 250 workmen will be thrown out of work for a few days. Fifty of these will have to remain idle until the building destroyed is rebuilt.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Stratford, Ont., April 11.—Mrs. Harriet Dewing was burned to death early this morning. In the absence of his wife, she has been keeping house for the past two weeks for Leopold Koeller. Koeller, who slept downstairs, was aroused shortly after 3 o'clock by hearing Mrs. Dewing moaning and proceeding upstairs found the woman standing in the middle of the door and ablaze. He extinguished the flames but Mrs. Dewing was dead before a doctor could arrive.

LAKE CHAMPLAIN TERCENTENARY

Albany, N.Y., April 11.—The assembly ways and means committee today reported favorably a concurrent resolution providing for theappointmen t of a commission, consisting of the government, three assemblymen and three senators, to represent the state at a conference with a similar committee from Vermont and Canada, to arrange for the proper observance in 1909 of the tercentenary of the discovery of Lake Champlain.

DEDICATION CEREMONIES

NOTABLE EVENT IN HISTORY OF PITTSBURG.

CARNEGIE'S $25,000,000 GIFT TO THE CITY

Pittsburg, April 11—The magnificent new building standing at the entrance of Schenley park, was dedicated today with the most elaborate ceremonies. It is a gift, as the epigram on the building declares, to "the people of Pittsburg"; it is indeed a gift to the American nation and the extraordinary attention that the ceremonies of dedication have attracted throughout the world is the best evidence that in the world's opinion, it is the creation of institutions like this which give a real elevation and distinction to any people. The most distinguished platform celebration was at this gathering that has ever occurred in America. The attendance of men of distinction is beyond all precedent, including men who have won distinction in almost every avenue of the world if work—in art, in letters, in music, in scientific achievement ,in education, in geographical exploration and in the service of the state, and among these men are at least 30 who have won high renown in Europe, including representatives from the most venerable institutions of learning in the world. At the moment of the dedication of the institute, embracing the five great departments of fine arts, museum, library, school of music and technical schools under one administration, the financial outlay for the cost of equipment and endowment of all the main branch buildings will amount to $25,000,000, a sum staggering to the mind even in this age of great fortunes and stupenduous gifts.

In Pittsburg the loving kindness of a single man has created in the short space of ten years an institution unique in its comprehensiveness. When the building is completed it will not be the finish but only the beginning of its real usefulness. A community that has until now been held down to hard facts will then launch into the pursuit of ideas.

Secretary Church of the institute says: "Before Mr. Carnegie gave us this spleni did gift there was nothing here but material life, and it required a vivid imagination in any man to pierce the smoke cloud that rolled overhead and realize that there was any such thing as an intellectual life beyond. I have been amazed at the popularity which the institute has won for itself. I have seen men from the mills, and employees frm the street car lines pouring through the various halls of the institute, demanding high class literature in the library.

The formal dedication exercises were brought to a close today with the announcement of the prize winners of the international art exhibition. Following are the successful painters, amount of awards, and titles of pictures:

First prize, gold medal and $1500 in cash, Gaston LaTouch, Paris, "The Bath."

Second prize, silver medal and $1000, Thomas Eakins, Philadelphia, "Professor Leslie W. Miller."

Third prize, bronze medal and $500, Olgo D. Boznauska, Paris, "Portrait of a Woman."

EVERYTHING IS ARRANGED

Sons of England Buy Passage to England for Necessitous Case.

On the attention of the Sons of England society being called to the paragraph in yesterday morning's issue of The Daily News relating to the unfortunate circumstances of Frederick Breeze, an emergency meeting of the executive was called at once. An irquiry instituted ascertained that the young man has only come into the country three months ago in search of work, had quickly fallen a victim to Bright's disease and as such was incapable of doing any kind of work whatsoever, being liable to constant convulsions. He had quickly dissipated his money and his circumstances coming to the notice of the Methodist church members he has been sent to the hospital by them, Dr Hartin looknig after the case. From the hospital he had been discharged as incurable and was further told that the climate here was totally unsuitable. The society thereupon determined to send him back to his home in the old country and have bought him a passage given at a reduced rate by the Canadian Pacific railway, and will see that his debts are paid here and that he has something in his pocket when reaching the old country. He will leave Nelson for England tomorrow morning.

The following subscriptions are acknowledged by The Daily News and will be handed over to the Sons of England society who have undertaken all charges not otherwise defrayed: Bell Trading company $5; P. Burns & Co., $2.50; Wood-Vallance Hardware Co., $2.50; Imperial Bank, per J M Lay, $1; G. Garrett, $1.

BANKERS BEWARE.

Paris, April 11.—Emile Belmist, a well known banker of this city, was shot and killed today in the office of a financial newspaper, of which he was the editor. The assassin was a discontented customer.

NO VERDICT FOUND YET

Thaw Jury After Thirty-One Hours Deliberation Still Undecided

Again Locked Up for the Night—Long Delay Presages Disagreement and a New Trial for White's Assassin.

New York, April 11.—Thirty-one hours of deliberation and no verdict. Such was the condition of affairs at 11.40 o'clock tonight, when the jury in the Thaw case was locked up for a second night at the criminal courts building.

The fact that they had not been able to agree after devoting so much time to the evidence has given rise to the belief that the trial will end in a disagreement, and the whole thing will have to be gone over again.

Although the 12 men have thus far failed to reach a common opinion and seemingly are hopelessly at sea, justice Fitzgerald has not given up hope of reaching a verdict. As yet D. B. Smith, foreman of the jury, has not complained to the court that the jurors are unable to reach a decision and until he does, it is not likely that justice Fitzgerald will discharge them. The general impression prevails that if the jurors are unable to agree at the expiration of 48 hours, they will be released from further service The very fact, however, that no hint has come from the jury room that the men are unable to agree has been construed by many, who have followed the proceedings closely, as an indication that a verdict will eventualy be reached.

The mother, wife and two sisters and brothers of the defendant, were in the criminal courts building up to the last minutes and when it was announced that the jury had been locked up over night and there was no longer any prospect of a verdict before tomorrow they returned to their hotel crestfallen. They had hoped and looked for a decision today. and the news that they would have to pass another night in doubt and anxiety was heard with keen disappointment.

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BRITAIN'S HEAVY LOSS

LORD CROMER, GREATEST OF PROCONSULS, RETIRES.

ILL-HEALTH FORCES HIM TO LEAVE EGYPT.

London, April 11.—Foreign secretary Grey made the very unexpected announcement in parliament today that lord Cromer, Great Britain's great plenipotentiary on the Nile has resigned. It had been known for some time that the health of lord Cromer, who has been British agent and consul-general of Egypt since 1883, was affected, but there was no idea when he issued his voluminous report on the progress of the administrative departments of the Egyptian government early this month, that his retirement was impending.

Secretary Grey, on making the announcement, and ex-premier Balfour, who followed him, spoke with deep emotion of lord Cromer's unexampled services to the empire, and voiced the nation's regret at his leaving his post in such a difficult period.

The foreign secretary declared that it was the greatest personal loss the public service of the country could suffer.

The retirement of lord Cromer will involve no change in the British policy with regard to Egypt. This was explicitly stated by secretary Grey.

Sir Eldon Gorst was appointed to the post in Egypt on the advice of lord Cromer, whose complete confidence he possesses. He takes up a difficult task, but will assume the work with the full approval of official circles both in London and Cairo.

FUNERAL OF LATE SPEAKER.

Toronto, April 11.—Hundreds of citizens who had been pleased to regard Hon. J. W. St. John as a personal friend and thousands who knew him and respected him, yesterday paid their last sad tribute to him. Ten thousand persons, it was estimated, passed the casket as it lay in state in the speaker's apartments. There were 116 carriages in the cortege. The chief mourners were Mr. St. John's brothers, James and William, his brothers-in-law, Henry and John Clendening, and their wives; Mr. St. John's sister, Dr. Clendening, and Mr. St. John's sons and daughters. Mrs. St. John did not feel strong enough to attend.

PRIEST IN POLICE COURT.

Paris, April 11.—The abbe Jouin, rector of the church at St. Augustin, was arraigned in a police court today to answer the charge of incitement to rebellion from the pulpit in connection with the taking of the church inventories.

CANADIAN BANK IN PARIS.

Montreal, April 11.—La Banque Nationale is about to establish a branch in Paris, France.

LEMIEUX CONGRATULATED

Montreal, April 11.—At the meeting of the Montreal board of trade yesterday the fact that the legislation recently adopted by the dominion parliament for the prevention and settlement of strikes and lockouts in mines and industries connected with public utilities had proved so successful in the settlement of the labor troubles in a mine in Nova Scotia, caused the council to order that a letter of congratulation upon this fact be addressed to the Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, minister of labor, who introduced the legislation.

EVIDENCE OF BOCHMER

MONTANA MINING EXPERT VERY EMPHATIC.

OPENS UP NEW PHASE OF QUESTION IN DISPUTE.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, April 11.—Mex Bochmer, the Montana mining expert, occupied the attention of the full court all day today, the fourth day of the hearing of the appeol in Star vs. White. The witness covered pretty nearly the whole ground of the case, upholding the defendant's theory of the geological formation of that portion of the Slocan country under review, and demolishing, at least to his own satisfaction, the plaintiff's "black fissure" theory. Bochmer did more than all this. In his elaboration of the case he differed not only from the expressed opinion of Sizer and Fowler, but in some respects radically from Elmendorf and the other experts on the defendant's side, his own side of the case.

The most striking difference was as to where the main Star vein turned west at the northerly end. Bochmer putting the turning point 180 feet further south than any witness has heretofore done, the witness adding that as the country into which the vein turned had not been opened up, he could not give as full particulars as he would have if work had been done. He admitted the extension north and south of the "black fissure," but claimed it was the main Star vein with spurs or branches where the new work shows the extension.

Pressed as to whether the "black fissure" was not an independent fissure, witness said possibly, if it extended north and south "far enough," but declined to say how far "far enough" would be. In some other particulars he arrived at the same conclusions as other defendant's experts but on different grounds and by different process of theoretical reasoning.

He was subjected to a vigorous cross-examination by Davis and if he be correct, a new phase is put on several parts of the case. The evidence given today was of the most technical character and the two sessions of the court were devoid of incident except as stated.

Davis may introduce new evidence in the face of Bochmer's story today and Mr. justice Martin urged that counsel fully present the case as he regarded the proceedings as practically a new trial of the whole matter.

Bodwell expects to close his case for the respondents tomorrow, then if no new evidence be offered, argument will commence.

ULTIMATUM IS ISSUED

STRIKING CARPENTERS MUST ACCEPT TERMS PROMPTLY

OTHERWISE OPEN SHOP WILL BE ENFORCED IN VANCOUVER

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, April 11.—Rev. A. E. Hetherington, pastor of the Mt. Pleasant Methodist church, has resigned his pastorate and will leave the active ministry to take a position as assistant principal of Columbian college, at New Westminster He will assume his new duties in September.

The Builders' Exchange has issued an ultimatum to the journeymen carpenters now out on strike, declaring that unless some agreement be reached before next Monday, all employers will declare for the open shop and employ men without regard to the union. The Exchange make public correspondence showing that the employers have offered 50 cents per hour to the men or to submit the question of a raise to arbitration under the new Dominion Act. Both these proffers have been rejected, the men standing by the demand of 56 1-4 cents per hour. Nearly all the building in the city is tied up through the strike.

NO STOCK IN GRANEY'S CHARGES.

San Francisco, April 11.—The grand jury has decided to pay no attention to the unsupported statements alleged to have been made by "Eddy" Graney, blacksmith and prize fight referee, to the effect that money was improperly used by agents of William R. Hearst at the primaries election in 1904.

TAX ON HARD COAL.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 11.—The house of representatives today passed a bill taxing anthracite coal three cents a ton. The members of the hard coal regions made a hard fight against the measure, one member saying the tax will be used by the operators as a reason for reducing iners' wages and that the mine workers won't stand for any reduction.

DISASTER ON C. P. R.

Westbound Express Wrecked Near Chapleau--Many Lives Lost

Colonist Car Overturned and Burned--Several Passengers, Including Women and Children, Cremated.

Winnipeg, April 11.—An official statement made by the management of the C. P. R. in reference to the horrible disaster to the westbound express yesterday near Chapleau station, states that there were 15 lives lost. Nine adults and six children went down to their death and their bodies were cremated.

Their names are: William Day, London, England; Winnie and Susan Horton, Charing Heath, Kent, England; C. S. Goulding, his brother and his brother's wife and two children, of Palistow, Essex, England; Mrs. Bjorkland and children of Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. H. B. Hampton and baby; Mrs. R. Davidson and baby.

There were a number of passengers injured and taken to Fort William hospital, but it is stated that they are not seriously hurt. Accarding to official statements the train was running at the usual rate of speed, about 22 miles east of Chapleau, being the regular transcontinental train which left Montreal on Tuesday morning, when the train was partly derailed by a broken rail. The cars ran down an embankment and caught fire, said to have arisen from the cooking range. It is believed that most of the dead were occupants of the tourist car and were pinned down in the wreckage and were either killed outright or cremated as the fire consumed the wreckage.

The Canadian Pacific has been fortunate in a number of cases in the past year both in the east and in the west in the matter of railway derailments. The coaches used by the company are from year to year increasing in weight and strength and to this cause the freedom of the company from accidents resulting fatally is said to be in many cases due. The smaller cars used in former years had not the resisting power of the coaches now constructed and on railway lines on which lighter cars are used the mortality has been much highed than it has been on the Canadian Pacific.

A further official report says: Train No. 1 was derailed 23 miles east of Chapleau yesterday on account of a broken rail. A tourist car is said to have taken fire and the following passengers are reported missing:

Mrs. R. B. Chapion and baby, no address given; Mrs. R. Davidson and baby, no address given; Winnifred Horton and Susie Horton, Charing Heath, Kent England; C. H. Goulding, his brother's wife and two children, 17 Salmon Road, Palistow, England; Mrs. August Bjorkland and two children, Worcester, Mass.

Mr. Chapion and Mr. Davidson were accompanying their families but escaped.

Nine passengers are being taken to Port Arthur and several with slight injuries, will continue the journey. The names are not obtainable but as far as ascertained they were immigrants from the steamship Kensington, sent by the Salvation Army.

END OF PEACE CONGRESS

TO BE CELEBRATED BY TWO PUBLIC BANQUETS.

EARL GREY AND ROOSEVELT TO BE CHIEF SPEAKERS.

New York, April 11.—Two large public banquets, instead of the dinner originally planned, it was announced today, will conclude the national peace and arbitration congress, which is to meet in Carnegie Hall next Sunday. More than twice as many persons as could be accommodated in any banquet hall in the city have already applied for seats at this final function which president Roosevelt is expected to attend. The dinner committee has consequently secured the banquet hall at the Waldorf Astoria and one at the Hotel Astor for two gatherings next Wednesday evening.

Besides the president, earl Grey, governor general of Canada, ambassador Bryce, president Elliott of Harvard Samuel Gompers, Edward Everett Hale, Lyman Abbott and others will address the diners, the speakers will be equally divided between the two banquets.

GOVERNMENT TELEPHONES

System to Be Installed in Brandon at Request of Council.

Brandon, Man., April 11.—A meeting of the city council was held tonight, which was addressed by the Hon. J. S. Howden with regard to the position of the government and their telephone policy. Mr. Howden stated that the government deemed it necessary that the local exchange should be built in Brandon and that if the city would not undertake the construction then the government would do so.

Mr. Howden said the prices could not be stated until after the system was installed. The installation in Brandon would cost about $90 per 'phone and the cost to subscribers would only be sufficient to provide a sinking fund and for maintenance. It might be anywhere from $15 to $50. After a hot debate the following motion was adopted: "That the provincial government of Manitoba is hereby requested to construct and maintain a telphone system in the city of Brandon, in conjunction with its proposed provincial system and that construction be proceeded with at as early a date as possible."

HOT TIME IN COMMONS

FOSTER CALLS AYLESWORTH A CONSPIRATOR.

DR. THOMPSON MAY BE NEW YUKON COMMISSIONER.

Ottawa, April 11.—The commons banking and commercial committee recommended that the bill of last session, providing for the marking of gold and silver be not put in force in July as originally intended, but that its enforcement be postponed for eight months thereafter. This will allow the matter to be fully reviewed next session. The Act forbade the manufacture of importation of any articles of gold of less than ten karats fineness. The bill of this session allows the importation of nine karat gold which is the commonest standard manufactured in England. The result of the recommendation will be to put the whole matter over and give time for invesigation into the question.

The Railway Commission inspector's report on the wreck at Mountain last month, referring to the fact that two express messengers were burned to death through the coach taking fire, recommends that the company be asked to instal in each car on passenger trains, sufficient underwriters' fire extinguishers to cope with train fires. The report will be considered by the Railway Commission.

In response to a question by MacLean in the house this morning, it was explained that the 4 per cent dominion loan, amounting to $10,000,000, falling due in London on May 1, would be extended for four years, as there had never been a less favorable moment for a heavy money transaction in the English money market than this.

The house passed into committee of supply and the finance minister explained briefly the outlays in connection with the insurance commission, amounting to $105,000 in all.

The commissioners receeived, each, $30 per day. G. F. Shepley, chief government counsel $100 per day and expenses, and Tilley, assistant government counsel, $50 per day.

Fowler, (King and Albert) then followed in a debate which proved one of the stormiest of the entire session. While he was explaining his purchase of western lands, Martin (Montreal), raised the question of the propriety of the use of Foresters' money for speculation purposes. Fowler, with clinched fist, challenged proof of what he characterized as a slander and untrue.

Martin explained that his remark was general and not personal, but Foster insisted that the remarks be recorded. Chairman Marcil said he had not heard Martin's words distinctly and the minister of justice said that other matters having intervened the words could not be recorded under the rules.

Martin, his words ringing with passion, wanted to know if a member of the house could be allowed to make "scandalous lying assertions" against his fellow members.

Aylesworth was on his feet in an instant to respond, but could not get a hearing amidst the din from the opposition benches.

"Conspirator you," hissed Foster through his teeth at Aylesworth, "There stands the conspirator."

When the minister could be heard he protested against Foster's former words as unparliamentary but made no allusion to the references to himself.

The chairman then ruled that Martin's words need not be recorded.

Thompson, of the Yukon, is mentioned for the vacant Yukon cimmissionership. When seen he would neither confirm nor deny the report that the commissionership had been offered him.

Enquiry at government house elicited the information that his excellency, the governor general, will leave for New York on either Monday or Tuesday of next week. He is going there to attend a banquet to be held on April 17. It is in connection with the peace conference and he will be one of the principal speakers.

The postoffice department yesterday received information from Washington that the new convention respecting second class matter passing between the two countries had been approved by president Roosevelt. It will go into effect on May 8 next and is terminable upon six months' notice given by either country to the other. The rate to be paid is one cent for four ounces instead of a cent a pound.

TOO CURIOUS CURATE

Deposed From Ministry For Frequenting Tenderloin Resort.

New York, April 11.—Rev. W. Howard Mears, curate of St. Matthews' Episcopal church, who was arrested by the police at a house in the tenderloin district, on March 12 last, where he had gone in company with a negro woman, was deposed from the ministry today by bishop coadjutor Gree.

Rev. Mears asserted that he was not actuated by any wrong motive in visiting the house in the tenderloin and that his presence there was with a view of making sociological investigations.

BIG VOTE FOR STRIKE

Referendum Vote Among Crows Nest Miners Is Decisive

New Basis of Settlement Demanded in Circular Issued by President Sherman—Ten Per Cent. Increase

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, April 11.—At a mass meeting of the miners of Coal Creek and Fernie held here this afternoon it was decided bya referendum vote of 741 to 42 to quit work unless the operators conceded their demands. The demands are embodied in the following circular issued by district president Sherman:

"In order that the public may understand what the demands of the Canadian mine workers are at this time, I wish to state that we are willing for the sake of peace that the present standard of rates shall be continued with an advance of 10 per cent upon all rates. The minimum rate for outside labor shall be $2.50 for a ten hour day. That wages be paid every two weeks. That the eight hour bank to bank day be established at all mines in Alberta. We do not desire to enter into any legal technical agreement with any coal company in this district. An agreement as to wages and hours will suit. All existing customs to be maintained. We do not insist upon an open or closed shop Neither do we seek to keep any advantage over any coal company in a legal or technical manner. We are prepared to negotiate at once with any company in this district without waiting for an investigation board. F. H. Sherman, District President."

Vice-president Lewis, of the United Mine Workers of America, will be here next week.

L. P. Eckstein, barrister of Fernie, has been appointed by every union included in district 18, U. M. W. of A., which includes both the B.C. and Alberta fields, as their representative upon the board of investigation, if one be appointed by the dominion government, in pursuance of the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act.

The demands set forth in president Sherman's circular are in effect a counter proposition to that contained in the proposition of the mine operators at Calgary, the main clauses of which were as follows:

ARTICLE 1.—It is hereby agreed between the undersigned companies, hereinafter called "the companies" on the one hand, and their respective employees as represented by the United Mine Workers of America, District No. 18, hereinafter called "the men" on the other hand, that the following scale of prices and the following terms and conditions shall be in effect and govern the parties for ..... years, commencing April 1, 1907, it being understood and agreed that the parties thereto will meet in conference sixty days prior to the expiration of this agreement and discuss the renewal thereof. This agreement shall cover all the mines, coke ovens and outside plant operated by the companies.

ARTICLE 2.—ADJUSTMENTS OF DISPUTES.—(a) Wherever it is made to appear that a member or members of the United Mine Workers of America has or have not been fairly treated, or that any dispute or grievance has arisen under this agreement, whether the disputes or grievance is preferred at the instance of the company or any member or members of the United Mine Workers of America, or the men as a whole, then the company will, through its official, meet the proper officials appointed by the United Mine Workers of America and endeavor to settle the matter as hereafter provided.

(b) In case of any local trouble arising in any mine through failure to agree between the pit boss and any miner or miners, or mine laborer, or mine laborers, the pit committee and the pit boss are empowered to adjust it.

(c) Before any grievance or dispute shall be submitted to the pit committee the person or persons aggrieved shall endeavor by personal application to the pit boss to settle the matter.

(d) The pit committee in the discharge of its duties shall, under no circumstance, go around the mine for any cause whatever unless called upon by the pit boss or by a miner or miners, or company man or men who may have a grievance that he or they has or have first tried to and cannot settle with the boss or foreman. Members of the pit committee employed as day men shall not leave their places of duty during the working hours except by permission of the pit boss. The duties of the pit committee shall be confined to the adjustment of disputes between the pit boss or other foreman and any member of the United Mine Workers of America working in and around the mines, arising out of this agreement, the pit boss or other foreman and said miner or miners, or laborer or laborers having failed to agree.

(e) In the event of the failure of the pit committee and the pit boss to settle any dispute properly referred to them, and in that event only except in the event of any other dispute arising under

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SITUATION IN COAL FIELDS.

The result of the referendum vote for or against a strike, taken yesterday among the miners' of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, would indicate an overwhelming sentiment in favor of a strike. Whether or not this sentiment is common throughout the coal field covered by district 18 of the U. M. of A., remains to be seen, but is is extremely probable that the vote in the Alberta field will be even more emphatically in favor of a strike than in the B. C. field, for admittedly conditions in the Alberta field are less favorable for the men than in British Columbia.

There is no immediate prospect of a strike as the investigation under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act has yet to be held, but the probabilities are that failing a decidedly favorable verdict for the men from the board of investigation a strike will be declared. The chief demands now put forth by the men are for a ten per cent increase in pay, a minimum rate of $2.50 per day for outside work, the wages to be paid every two weeks.

Apparently the men wish to confine future agreements with the operators to an agreement as to wages and hours of labor.

Aside from the question of the proposed ten per cent increase in pay, the proposition put forward by president Sherman seems reasonable enough. The proposed increase may be a reasonable demand, but of that we cannot speak, as we have no data by which comparison may be made between present cost of production and profits.

The possibility of a tie-up of the Crow's Nest coal fields is so serious an eventuality that the situation there will be watched with great anxiety throughout the Kootenay districts, the chief industries of which are so entirely dependent upon a steady and adequate coal and coke output for their operation.

It has been said that opposition leader Macdonald's proposed amendments to the University Endowment bill were puerile and calculated to injure the object the government, presumably, had in view. In face of these strictures it is somewhat surprising to find the minister of education himself introducing an amendment to the bill, which he avowedly states is framed to meet Macdonald's objections. Any person who has followed at all carefully the trend of legisation since J. A. Macdonald secured a seat in the provincial parliament must have been impressed by the large part that gentleman takes in perfecting the various legislative enactments that come before the house. It is very rarely that he offers an amendment that is not accepted immediately by the government or introduced in a different form at some later stage in the consideration of the bill. Mr. Macdonald devotes great pains to his work as a parliamentarian and he brings to bear upon it a broad mind, free from partisan bitterness. He has always shown a sincere desire to assist the government to legislate intelligently and he has proved conclusively time and again that his advise is invaluable

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TO REDUCE FIRE RATES

EXTENSION OF THE LOCAL POSTAL FACILITIES

MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE LAST NIGHT

At a well attended meeting of the board of trade last night several subjects of more than passing importance came up for discussion. Besides the well worn topics of game protection and the crying need of better roads, there was brought in the extension of the postal facilities of the town and a movement was started for the reduction of fire insurance rates.

There were present F. A. Starkey, president, S. M. Brydges, secretary, mayor Gillett, S. A. Kelly, T. Morley, H. G. Goodeve, D. C. McMorris, G. C. Hodge, J. J. Campbell, L. B. DeVeber, J. L. Buchan, C. W. Busk, F. M. Black, A. W. Dyer, W. H. Farrar, H. Byers, I. G. Nelson, H. E. Douglas and W. H. Jones.

The following were elected members of the board: C E. Miller, F. L. Hammond, W. Gosnell and the Nelson foundry.

A communication was read from the board of railway commissioners with reference to the conditions of railway carriage and was turned over to the Wholesalers' association.

A communication was read from a telephone supply company of Winnipeg, written on the understanding that this city was about to instal a municipal telephone.

A letter was read from the Victoria board of trade asking for cooperation in the Alaska-Yukon exposition in Seattle in 1909.

A letter was read from the Franco-British exposition promoters asking for support.

A letter from the Fort Steele board of trade endorsed the position taken by this board on the extension of the lead bounty.

Another letter from the Victoria board of trade dealt with the scarcity of labor, and asked what trades were affected by such scarcity in the Kootenay and what remedies might be suggested.

J. J. Campbell moved and J. M. Lay seconded that copies of this letter be sent to each employer of labor in Nelson with a request that a report be sent direct to the Victoria board of trade. This was carried.

The report of the delegates to the Greenwood convention was then read by the secretary.

With reference to the coal shortage of last winter F. M. Black moved and G. C. Hodge seconded that the secretary be instructed to write all large consumers of coal as to their experience during the last year. This was adopted.

J. J. Campbell brought up the question of the fraudulent advertising of fruit lands as harmful to the district. He was not cognizant of such advertisements himself but if there were such, they ought to be suppressed.

The president explained that the discussion which had already taken place had had a deterrent effect and three or four advertisers had already fitted the cap on their heads and had promised to do better in future, taking out the objectionable features of their advertising in the present. After some further discussion it was left to the executive of the board to deal with false advertisements as to either fruit or mineral lands, by writing to both the authors of these advertisements and to the medium in which they may appear.

Mayor Gillett said that postoffice boxes ought to be placed in the outlying districts of the town and that he had been assured by a postoffice inspector that if a proper application were made these boxes would be installed. A motion being put asking for such installation, it was carried. A public petition will be circulated for signature.

T. M. Morley, speaking for the special committee on roads, trails and bridges, appointed by the Nelson board, said that the committee had approached Mr. Renwick, who had said that the road from Balfour to Nelson would be pressed, but would give no assurance as to the Thurms road.

C. W. Busk said he understood that $800 had been appropriated for the Balfour-Nelson road—an utterly inadequate sum.

The president stated that a special appropriation had been made for the Thrums road and there had been a general appropriation for the Ymir district.

The following resolution was then passed on the motion of T. Morley, seconded by J. M. Lay: "That the board urge upon the provincial government the importance of providing enough monew for expenditure during the present summer to construct the unfinished parts of the road between North Nelson and Balfour, and for the improvement of the road from Nelson to 3-Mile point." A committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. Morley, Black, Campbell and the president, to draw up a more formal resolution for the government.

The president pointed out that the road to 3-Mile point would not cost much to put into good repair, that it would serve as a connection with the north shore road, if the old proposal of a ferry from Blake's ranch were carried out, and that it would be a most resirable improvement to this city.

A deputation from the Game Protective association, Messrs. Busk and Mawdsley, was then received. They sought endorsation of certain resolutions recently carried by their association. These resolutions impose a trappers license on non-residents of $50, and on residents of $10; ask for the establishment of game preserves in Kootenay, Lillooet and Vancouver island; limit one day's bag of birds, except ducks, to ten, of ducks 15 may be shot; also limit the bag of big game; limit the sale of trout; protect bear in July and August and prohibit the shooting of more than five black bear or two grizzlies in one season; limit shooting by free miners to south of the 53rd parallel, free miner must be a resident, must have had a license for more than three months and may not kill except for food; define a resident as one who is over six months in the country; leave the issuing of all permits in the hands of the provincial game warden; provide for the seizure and sale of game illegally shot; extend the period of laying information, raise the penalties for breaches of the law, providing higher minimum penalties. These were endorsed by the board.

It was moved by F. M. Black and seconded by C. W. Busk, that the secretary be instructed to write the body of magazine writers now visiting the northwest and invite them to visit Nelson and that a special meeting of the board be convened, in event of the acceptance of that invitation, for the purpose of deciding upon the method of entertaining them. This was carried.

Mayor Gillett brought up a suggestion that as the fire insurance rates in this city were far too high, a committe be appointed to collect data to present at the next meeting of the board, with a view to reducing these rates. The suggestion was adopted by the board and the following committee was appointed: W. G. Gillett, J. M. Lay, F. M. Black, D. C. McMorris, and H. Bird.

CLOSE DOWN IN CARIBOO

GUGGENHEIMS WILL NOT WORK PROPERTIES THIS SEASON

ALLEGE THAT TITLES ARE TOO INSECURE TO WARRANT OUTLAY

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, April 11.—J. B. Hobson has just returned from a trip to New York, where he has been engaged in conference with the Guggenheim people. He declared this afternoon that his syndicate would suspend all work on its placer mining claims in the province. This action has been decided upon because their lawyers think that the leases and water privileges necessary to the development of their interests are held by too slight a hold and are too liable to intereference by legislative enactment. He also pointed out that the prohibition of Oriental labor on placer claims means a great hardship in the present local condition of the labor market.

Hobson intimated that the entire operations of the syndicate would be suspended until the government had placed the holdings on a substantial basis, which they hoped would be soon accomplished.

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QUEBEC CITY FLOODED.

St. Lawrence Overflows Its Banks—Wild Chase After Water Rats.

Quebec, April 11.—An usual scene of excitement was witnessed in the lower town yesterday afternoon. Owing to the hight easterly winds that have prevailed for the last three days, the water rose to an abnormal height in the river St. Lawrence and specially opposite the city, because the ice at Cape Rouge would not allow the waters to pass up the river, and the result was that the water flowed over the wharves and made Dalhousie street a regular lake, flooded all the cellars of the lower town and caused the water rats to swarm pell-mell through the streets, chased by hundreds of men and boys who went wild in their endeavor to kill them.

The merchants in lower town, in anticipation of today's high tide are removing their goods from the ground floors to more secure places of storage.

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SERVICES APPRECIATED

During the fire at the Hall Mines smelter the city fire department rendered their assistance to extinguish the threatening blaze. In recognition of the service performed chief Deasy received a cheque from general manager J. J. Campbell, with the following communication:

"Dear Sir,—I beg to enclose herewith cheque for $25 to replace any injured clothing, etc., as suffered by you and your men when you so kindly assisted in putting out the fire at the smelter recently and at the same time to express the company's appreciation of your valuable services. We, of course, feel this all the more as we are outside the city limits, though you can have the satisfaction of feeling that by saving the smelter from being put out of business, you are contributing very materially to the prosperity of the city itself."

Chief Deasy's answer to the communication of the general manager reads as follows:

"Dear Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your kind communication enclosing cheque for $25 for loss sustained by firemen through destruction of clothing, etc., at the recent fire. Permit me, on behalf of the firemen of Nelson, to thank you for the expression of appreciation in your letter and to assure you that we are at all times at the service of an industry contributing, as we are aware the Hall Mining & Smelting company does, to the prosperity of our city."

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MANY FEEBLE-MINDED

ALARMING REPORT ISSUED BY DR. MACMURCHY OF TORONTO.

ONTARIO FULL OF PEOPLE OF DEFECTIVE MENTALITY.

Toronto, April 11.—The preliminary portion of the special report and census of the feeble-minded in Ontario, made by Dr. Helen MacMurchy, of Toronto, at the request of the government, reveals a condition of affairs in that province that demands immediate atention. The results of the census up to the end of September, when it was still incomplete, show 1385 feeble-minded persons in the province, 676 being women, 183 girls, 418 men and 108 boys, the figures being exclusive of school children, of whom investigation shows there are a number. The report contains a considerable amount of detailed information as to the marriages of feeble-minded persons, and the number of their children, and the number of these persons who have eventually become charges upon the provinces either in the asylums or in other public institutions.

The sad and defenceless position of feeble-minded women and the evils resulting from the lack of systematic care of this class is emphasized. In summing up Dr. MacMurchy says:

It becomes clear that we have to deal with four classes of feeble-minded persons. There are, first of all, habitual offenders, men and women who are never out of jail or the Mercer for more than a few months at a time. They now belong to the criminal class, and probably the reason that they belong to the criminal class is that they are feeble-minded. What can be done for them? The indeterminate sentence is the only solution. No one would believe, who had not personally visited the Mercer and carefully examined each inmate separately, that a very large proportion are distinctly and markedly feeble-minded.

We then come to those who are not criminals—those girls who are constantly found in maternity hospitals, infants' homes, the haven, the various refuges, etc. These are all mothers. It should be required of all superintendents of maternity homes and hospitals, of all poor houses, refugees and other charitable public institutions to report at once to this department the admission of any feeble-minded woman in this position. Someone should be appointed to act for the government and manage the affairs of the febble-minded as the official guardian manages the affairs of the infants, investigating each case and taking means to lessen the great and at present fast-increasing burden of the mentally defective. If there were a home where such persons could be taken care of and where they could work, their labor would render the home nearly self-supporting and they themselves would be happy and safe, and the problem of the next generation would be solved to a large extent.

Then there are such cases as the "good but weak girls," which should be classified by themselves in a separate department. In many cases their friends would pay for their maintenance. It is obvious that a home for feeble-minded women is required by the province in the best interests of the community and of these women themselves.

Finally, where were these feeble-minded persons thirty years ago? Where are the children who will fill their places thirty years hence? In our schools. Now is the time to take hold of these mentally defective children and make something of them, and for the 60 to 90 per cent, that will not be able to live in the world at large without becoming degenerate, unemployable, criminals, and alas, the parents of children still more mentally defective, degraded and dangerous than themselves, special schools and classes and permanent care afterwards are urgently required.

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At a quarter to six o'clock last evening E. A. Crease, as stipendiary magistrate, went on with the hearing of the charge of theft against J. Riley. W. A. Macdonald, K.C., appeared for the defence.

The case had been partly heard and had been remanded as one of the witnesses had been quarantined. On the previous hearing the complainant, Moses LaCroix had stated he had been hocussed by the defendant at a hotel in Nakusp and when he had recovered himself he found his watch and money gone.

Moses LaCroix, recalled yesterday afternoon identified a watch produced by chief Webster as that stolen from him at Nakusp on March 8. He had never seen it in Riley's possession and had not authorized him to take the watch to a jeweller for repairs. He had served time in jail.

Geo. M. Gunn testified that the prisoner had come to him with a watch, that produced, and wanted to give it as security for a pair of boots.

A long argument then ensued as to whether the case should be remanded or committed for trial and finally, at the request of W. A. Macdonald, the case was adjourned until April 20, for the production of material witnesses.

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LABOR TROUBLES IN FRANCE

Paris, April 11—The national council of the socialist party has issued a spirited address to the workmen of France protesting against the attitude of the government in the matter of unions among employees of the state. It tells them that they must clearly organize and then make the ministers and deputies "tremble before the indignation of all toilers."

Detachments of cavalry are patrolling the Place de la Republique and the vicinity of the labor exchange, where 20,000 bakers including many ben out of work, voted for an immediate strike.

ANOTHER G.E. STEAMER ASHORE

London, April 11 — The Great Eastern Railway company's steamer Brussels went ashore in a dense fog off Harwich at 11 o'clock last night, while outward bound for Antwerp. She remained fast all night long with about 60 passengers on board, but was not considered to be in any danger as she was resting on a soft bottom. The vessel was hauled off at high water today. This is the third of the company's vessels to be in trouble recently, including the Berlin, which was wrecked off the Hook of Holland, with the loss of over 100 lives.

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GRAND TRUNK MEETING

London, April 11—The shareholders of the Grand Trunk railroad of Canada at the semi-annual meeting today unanimously adopted the report of the board of directors and re-elected the retiring members of the board. The president, sir Charles Rivers Wilson, reviewed the accounts and the work accomplished in the extensions of the road.

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POLITICAL EXILES

St. Petersburg, April 11—A train bearing 300 political exiles left here yesterday for Siberia. This is the largest consignment of political exiles sent to the far east for several months past and is the result of efforts to clear the prisons in view of expected raising of martial law.

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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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

Coal lands may be purchased at $10 an acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of 10 cents per ton of 2000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior

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CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Black Prince Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On Queen Victoria mountain, near Beasley Siding.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Frank C. Green, acting as agent for Aaron H. Kelly, Free Miners Certificate No. B449, and Thomas Brown, F.M.C. No. B868, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 26th day of January, A.D., 1907.

F. C. GREEN, Nelson, B.C.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

The Eye, Exe and Ell Fraction Mineral Claims; situate in the Slocan Division of West Kootenay District—Located on Robinson creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. Murray McGregor, Free Miner's Certificate No. B165, intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice, that action under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1907.

6-4 J. M. McGREGOR.

BIG VOTE FOR STRIKE

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this agreement, or grievance preferred by either the company or the United Mine Workers of America, or the men as a whole, the matter in dispute shall be reduced to writing and referred to the superintendent or mine manager, and the local president of the union for their settlement, and should they fail to agree it shall be referred to the general superintendent or general manager of the company at the option of the company, and the district president of the United Mine Workers of America for settlement. Should they fail to agree it shall be referred to the president or general manager of the comapny and the national president of the United Mine Workers of America or his representative, but the local national board member shall be excluded from being the representative of the president.

(f) In all the cases heretofore, under this section referred to, the miners, mine laborers and other parties involved must continue at work pending the said investigation, adjustments and arbitration, and until a final decision or award has been reached in the manner hereinbefore set out, but where a miner or miners, or mine laborer or laborers has or have been discharged by the company, he or they shall not remain in the employ of the company, while his or their case is being investigated and adjusted as aforesaid.

(g) Any breach of this agreement by any of the parties hereto is not to void the said agreement, but the same is to continue in full force and effect.

(h) The company and the men, by adopting the above mentioned methods of settlement, concede that strikes, lockouts and boycotts shall be absolutely abrogated, and that this agreement is made on the distinct understanding that no strike, lockout or boycott against any individual member of the union, or of the union as a body, or as against any individual or as against the companies signing this agreement shall at any time occur or be permitt ed.

Article 3—NON-DISCRIMINATION—No person shall be refused employment or in any way discriminated against on account of membership or non-membership in any labor organization and there shall be no discrimination against or interference with any employee who is not a member of any labor organization by members of such organization.

Article 4—SPECIAL RULES, ETC.—The right to hire and discharge, the management of the mine and the direction of the working forces are vested exclusively in the company, and the United Mine Workers of Americta shall not abridge this right. It is understood and agreed that this agreement shall not conflict in any way with the special rules of the company now in force, provided that the special rules shall not interfere with the rates of wages, or the work to be performed under this agreement.

Article 5—HOURS OF WORK—All miners and inside workers shall work eight hours per day, it being distinctly understood that this means eight hours work at their working place, exclusive of one-half hour for lunch, with the exception of miners working by contract, who are to work eight hours at their working place, outside men to work ten hours, except where other wise provided by the scale. The company has the right to put inside men on at such hours as may be required to keep the breaker or tipples running the full ten hours, and if any day man is required to work overtime, it is agreed that he shall do so, the company paying him overtime for the same. Locomotive engineers, motormen, switchmen and others, whose duties are both inside and outside the mine, shall be considered as outside employees and work ten hours per day, but in the case of locomotive engineers, motormen, and switchmen they are paid an increased compensation for the same, provided, however, that the foregoing provisions are subject to and modified in British Columbia by the existing laws of that province.

Article 6—PENALTY FOR ABSENCE FROM WORK—To prevent men from absenting themselves from work without cause, no employee shall absent himself from his work unless through sickness or by first having previously arranged with the pit boss or his foreman and obtained his consent. If any employee absents himself from his work without proper cause or without first obtaining the consent of the foreman or pit boss, he may be discharged.

Article 7—PENALTY FOR STOPPAGE OF WORK—If any employee or employees shall cause a stoppage of work in violation of this agreement, he or they shall be subject to discharge by the company without recourse.

If any man or men refuse to continue work because of a grievance which has or has not been taken up for adjustment in the manner provided herein, the pit committee shall immediately, if requested by the company, furnish a man or men to take such vacant place or places at the scale rate, in order that the mine may continue at work, and it shall be the duty of any member of the United Mine Workers of America who may be called upon by the pit committee to immediately take the place or places assigned to him or them in pursuance thereof.

Article 8—DELIVERY OF TIMBER—The company will deliver all timbers as near the working place as practicable, or at the mouth of the room.

Article 9—TURN OF CARS—Men in breasts and rooms shall receive, as far as possible, an equal turn of cars, and men in pillars a proportionate turn.

Article 10—MINERS AS PARTNERS, ETC.—It shall be optional with the management of the mine to work the mines with a miner and a back hand, or with miners working as partners. On all company work the company shall employ such classes of men as the work requires, and at the rate of wages provided for in this agreement. The company shall pay the sum of three dollars ($3.00) per day to all miners only taken from contract work to do company work. Any miner failing to earn the minimum rate of three dollars ($3.00) per shift owing to a deficient condition of his working place, shall be paid by the company a sufficient amount to secure him the said minimum, provided he is a capable man and has done a fair day's work.

Article 11—CONSTRUCTION OF EXTENSIVE REPAIRS—No scale of wages shall be made by the United Mine Workers of America for mine manager, mine manager's assistant, pit boss, overman, fire boss, tipple boss, breaker boss, company's weighman, boss driver, night boss, head machinist, head boiler maker, head carpenter, head electrician, night watchman, stable boss and all foremen, timekeepers and coal inspector. It is agreed that all men working on improvements and extensive repairs and also all employees of the electrical department are not included in the jurisdiction of the United Mine Workers of America.

Article 12—CHINESE LABOR—The companies agree not to employ Chinamen under ground, but have the right to work same above ground, and the United Mine Workers of America agree not to interfere in any way with such employment. The employment of such labor shall not entitle the United Mine Workers of America to stop work or call a strike.

Article 13—NO INCREASE IN COST—No changes or conditions shall be imposed in eastern British Columbia and western Alberta scale for the coming years that increase the cost of production of coal or coke in any district in British Columbia and western Alberta to which this agreement applies, except as may be provided.

This agreement is made and executed, having regard to and in reliance upon the consideration of the present law and conditions regarding the various matters herein disposed of, and if in any time hereafter, and during the life of this agreement the laws are altered or varied or new laws are made so as to impose any new or further burdens upon the company, the company is to be at liberty to modify the terms of this agreement so as to meet the new, varied or altered conditions created by the statute law.

Article 14—HOLIDAYS—The following days only shall be observed as holidays: New Years day, Victoria day, Dominion day, Labor day, Thanksgiving day, Christmas day, provincial elections day; but there shall be no holiday after pay-day.

Article 15—FUNERALS—In the event of an instantaneous death by an accident in the mine or outside of the mine, the miners under ground and all the employees shall continue work until the afternoon of the day of the funeral. On the day of the funeral—which must always be held in the afternoon—all employees may cease work for the purpose of attending the funeral, it being optional with them whether they shall work or not.

Article 16—NEW WORK—Whenever any new work arises, a price for which has not been provided for in the agreement, on the request of the company and the miners, the scale committee of the Western Coal Operators' association and a properly constituted committee of the miners shall meet within 30 days after the said request and arrange a price. Meantime and until such price has been arranged, all men shall be paid upon the day wage scale.

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Her father, Mr. F. M. Tuckett, witnessed the making of the will when it came before judge Winchester for probate His honor held that the bequest to the mother was void in consequence of her husband being a witness. The probate was refused, intestacy being established. Mr. Tuckett, therefore, produced a copy of a former will, properly executed by Miss Tuckett. Evidence was given that the subsequent will was made in order to make the prior will clearer if possible, and upon the facts produced judge Winchester held that the first will was a good one and directed probate to issue on the terms of it.

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Every owner of a dog in the City of Nelson is required to pay annually a tax of two dollars for each dog owned by him.

No person shall suffer or permit his dog to run at large in the City of Nelson for which such person has not paid the tax required of him and unless such dog shall ahve around his neck a collar or strap to which shall be attached a metallic plate to be supplied by the city on payment of the said tax.

Warning is hereby given that any person guilty of an infraction or violation of any of the provisions of the above named bylaw is in addition to the fees and charges set forth therein, liable upon summary conviction to a penalty of One Hundred Dollars and the costs of prosecution, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two months.

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WANTED—Sawyers, teamsters, swampers, railroad construction laborers, shingle bolt cutters, tie makers, laborers, chambermaidmaid, waitress, section men, man for ranch, machine miners.

WANTED—Immediately, room and board for lady and gentleman; close in. F.T., Daily News.

WANTED—First class salesman; good opening for right man; young, ambitious, experienced man preferred. Address M., Daily News. 013-tf

WANTED—Young girl to help with children. Apply Mrs. Harry Houston, City. 300-6

WANTED—At once, planerman. China Creek Lumber Co., China creek. 276-tf

WANTED—Capable chambermaid; also a head waitress. Apply Strathcona hotel. 298-4

WANTED—Competent nurse, five children Chinaman kept. Apply box 836, Cranbrook, B. C. 282-tf

WANTED—Hotel porter. Apply at once to Royal hotel. 299-tf

Workingman's Employment Bureau

WANTED—Waitresses, laundresses, girls for housework, steel sharpeners, tie makers, men to clear land. Positions wanted by cooks, machinists, bookkeepers, clerks and office men. W. Parker. Telephone 263.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. T. J. Scanlan, Stanley Street. 296-tf

WANTED—Coatmaker. Address Knight and Devine, Revelstoke. 299-13

WANTED—Fruit lands in blocks from 1000 acres up. No fancy figures considered. Apply H.O., Daily News, by letter. 299-tf

WANTED—Experienced help. Apply at Mrs. Flints' dressmaking parlors. 299-tf

WANTED — MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Men and women to learn barber trade in eight weeks; tools free. Graduates earn $15 to $35 weekly; help secure positions; secured over 10,000 last year for our graduates in U.S. Catalogue free. Moler System Colleges, 408 Front avenue, Spokane, Wash. 298

CORDWOOD WANTED — We want to make a contract for deliveries of cordwood to begin at once at the rate of one car weekly. Hall Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd. 259-tf

WANTED—To purchase, large, clean cotton rags. Pressroom, Daily News.

WANTED—By a young man, position in a store. Apply box 36, Daily News. 297-6

WANTED—To rent a five or six roomed house, unfurnished. Offers to P. G. Ebutt, P.O. Nelson. 297-6

FOR SALE

LAND FOR SALE—C. D. W. Balleny, land and estate agent, Nelson, B.C. 301-6

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Airedale Terriers, (Pedigree) six months old. Address J. Devin, Revelstoke, B.C. 299-10

FOR SALE—Second hand safe. Apply S., Daily News. 299-6

FOR SALE—52 acres of first class land, nearly 10 acres cleared, good water rights and good buildings, either the whole or in blocks of 10 acres. Apply Louis Scheevon, Tarry's, B.C. 300-6

FOR SALE—Complete Soda Fountain, with sylinders, syrup cabinet, etc., ready for use. Used two seasons. Original cost $500; quick sale, $250, terms. Canada Drug and Book Co., Nelson. 300-tf

FOR SALE—Complete drug store fixtures, show cases, wall cases, shelf bottles. Everything complete; inventory, $2235; $1000, third cash, balance 3 and 6 months. Canada Drug and Book Co. 50-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One furnished room. Apply M.B., Daily News. 300-6

FOUND

FOUND—Lady's silk shawl. Owner can have same on proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply The Daily News office. 301-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

To Poultry Keepers and Piggeries—Sufficient food to keep a dozen pigs and 100 poultry all the year round can be obtained free for taking away. Apply at Strathcona hotel. 283-tf

ASSAYERS

E. W. WIDDOWSON, CHEMIST AND Assayer, Nelson, B.C.—Gold, Silver, lead or Copper, $1 each; Gold-Silver, $1.50; Silver-Lead, $1.50; Zinc, $2; Gold-Silver, with Lead or Copper, $3.50. Samples arriving by express or mail will receive prompt attention. P.O. Drawer, 1198; Phone A97.

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CHARLES J. [illegible], MEMBER OF THE Interstate Investors' Association, has unrivalled facilities for the wide advertising of farm and fruit lands. Box 764, Phone 038, Nelson, B.C.

"Progress Brand" Suits and Overcoats

—the brand that made Canada famous for its durable, well made clothing.

Do you know "PROGRESS BRAND"? Do you wear it?

Look for the label that typifies progress.

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Columbia River Fruit Lands FOR SALE

Large areas unimproved, with plenty of water; adjoining good orchards bearing fine fruit in season. Improved farms and homes paying profit from the start, on easy terms.

See Devitt if you want lands or timber. Actual settlers wanted.

W. J. DEVITT, C.P.R. Lands Agt., Trail, B.C

Friday and Saturday BARGAINS

On above days we will give special prices on all goods in the store. Better step in today and get your choice. We have plenty of good values left. Any hose in the store at 25c.

DAVID ARNOT
NELSON, B. C.

TIME TESTED TEA

Teas May Come and Teas May Go But

Blue Ribbon

TEA has stood the test of years of actual use under all conditions. A large proportion of the most particular tea drinkers of the West have now tried it and been won by its uniformly high quality.

We want the rest to try it and judge it strictly on its merits.

Have you ever tried Blue Ribbon Tea? Its fine, rich flavor will delight you. Lead packets 50c a pound.

NO VERDICT FOUND YET

(Continued From First Page)

Dawn found the 12 men who are charged with the duty of finding Harry K. Thaw guilty or not guilty of Stanford White's death at his hands last June, still locked up within the jury room in the criminal courts building. They had been confined there since 11.20 last night, and they had the case committed to them shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday. Fewer rumors than usual are filtering from the court house when a great case is being tried, but scant and comparatively valueless as these reports were, their trend was all in the direction of disagreement. Of course guesses, some of them based on shrewd deductions, and some of them on mere hearsay, were not infrequent. Daniel O'Reilly, one of the prisoner's lawyers, who has been credited with a successful forecasting of the way the jury stood in the Nan Patterson case, said that the jury stood ten for acquittal and two for murder in the first degree. Mr. O'Reilly was also convinced that the jury would agree by 10.30 o'clock. As for the defendant, the cheerfulness and gayety which marked his recovery from the gloom which almost overwhelmed him when district attorney Jerome excoriated his wife, and justice Fitzgerald solemnly adjured the jury to do their duty, remained with him until late into the night. Indeed, through Clifford W. Hartridge, his personal counsel, he sent a message to one of the newspapers, which quotes him as declaring that he had absolute conviction that he would be acquitted, and added: "I fear no electric chair, nor the mad house, for my act was justifiable."

After what is believed to have been a fruitless night of discussion and balloting, the jury in the case of Harry K. Thaw was liberated from the conference room at 7 o'clock and taken out to breakfast. The night had been a hard one for many of the jurors and the strain of the long trial and the longer hours of deliberation upon a verdict plainly showed on their pale faces and reddened eyes. The jury locked up to consider a case is given no comforts. The Thaw jury has been a cheerful body of men but today their countenances wore a serious look of men at issue with one another. There was nothing in their demeanor to denote that they had reached any sort of conclusion. Justice Fitzgerald's charge of yesterday gave the jury the choice of four verdicts and it was said this morning that the disagreement of the jury may have had to do with the degree of their verdict as much as with the broader question of guilt or innocence.

After deliberating for more than 18 hours without being able to reach a decision, the jury into whose hands the fate of Harry K. Thaw was given at 5.17 o'clock yesterday afternoon, reported before judge Fitzgerald at 11 a.m. today and asked permission to examine many of the exhibits introduced during the trial, and also asked to have read to them the testimony of several of the eye-witnesses to the tragedy.

Among the exhibits called for were the letters which Harry Thaw wrote to attorney Longfellow shortly after it is alleged that Evelyn Nesbit told him in Paris the story of her relations with Stanford White, and the will and codicil which Thaw executed the night of his marriage in Pittsburg, on April 4, 1905.

The letters and will were introduced by the defence to show that mental storm which it is claimed was brought upon the defendant by the narrative the girl related. The jury also asked for the diagram of Madison Square roof garden as it was the night Thaw killed White. This diagram was held up before them as the court stenographer read from the official record of the testimony the evidence given by James Clinch Smith, the brother-in-law of Stanford White, to whom Thaw talked for more than half an hour the night of the tragedy.

The evidence read included that of Meyer Cohen, the music publisher, whom Mr. Delmas had quoted in his summing-up address as saying that Thaw, after he had sent White to his death, held out his arms in the shape of a cross as a priest might do at some sacrifical ceremony; the testimony of Henry S. Plaze, of Paul Brudi, the firemen who disarmed Thaw, and other witnesses.

At 11 o'clock the jury came in for further instructions and asked for exhibits.

The action of the jury in asking for testimony of the eye witnesses of the tragedy led to many conjectures. One of these was to the effect that the jury wanted to fix in its mind either the question of deliberation and premeditation on Thaw's part or else the rationality of his acts. The plan of the garden was held up and the testimony read to them.

The jury also asked that the testimony of Henry S. Plaze, another eye-witness of the tragedy be read to them and this was ordered done. As to the exhibits, foreman Smith said the jury desired the originals of Thaw's letter, will and codicil, as they were important copy. All were furnished.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Dagg and daughters are guests in the city of Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, having just arrived from a winter sojourn in Los Angeles.

C. D. Goepel of this city, was married to Miss Ethel Weaver of Lewiston, Idaho, at the Spokane hotel, H. Irvine acting as groomsman, at Spokane on Monday last.

Dr. Doherty, superintendent of the insane asylum at New Westminster, and one time resident physician at the Kootenay Lake general hospital, is spending his honeymoo nat Spokane.

It is proposed to make the alteration in the service of the Spokane Falls & Northern line already mooted, by running a joint freight and passenger train in the morning and by running the regular train in the evening. Just now all trains must make connection at Marcus. Under the new arrangement there would be two evening trains, one running direct from Spokane to Nelson and the other from Spokane to Orovtile or wherever the western terminus may happen to be in British Columbia. These would not have to wait upon each other at Marcus and the trip would thus be shortened. The matter is still under advisement at Minneapolis.

Several big timber deals are in process of negotiation at the present time with the likelihood of some more mills being added to the association of the Mountain Lumbermen this year.

A. J. Kerr has disposed of his equity in the business of Kerr and Company to his former partner, W. J. Meagher, and the firm in future will be known as W. J. Meagher and company.

Arrangements are being made for a special train to run an excursion from this city to Spokane at the time of the Y.P.S.C. convention on behalf of which Rev. Mr. Norton of Spokane is at present touring the Kootenay speaking on the subject at the Baptist church on Wednesday night.

Olcott Payne has recorded the location of the Payne on Garrity creek, near Beasley; V. J. Wiesenthal that of the Republic, near the head of Sproule creek, and also of the First Thought at the same place. Certificates of work have been filed on the Rubey, Garnet and Gold Standard, the work done on the first named to apply on the others.

WERE CARIBOO NUGGETS

Gold Discovery in East End of Vancouver Explained.

The discovery of gold in the east end of Vancouver city, is not going to lead to extensive placer digging in that section.

The Vancouver Province publishes an explanation of the finding of nuggets in that section that will set at rest any hopes some people may have had that a new placer field had been discovered.

Says the Province: "Mr. W. Haddock, partner in the firm of Parsons, Haddock & Co., produce and commission merchants, is part owner of a mischievous nephew.

"Three years ago Mr. Haddock came down from the Cariboo district, after spending several seasons in that country. He took rooms with relatives who live at the corner of Keefer street and Dunlevy avenue, in the east end of the city.

"Amongst the treasures which Mr. Haddock brought from Cariboo was a little sack of nuggets worth a hundred dollars.

"One day Mr. Haddock's nephew, aged about five, was left alone in the house. He selected as his particular plaything this little sack of nuggets.

"When his elders arrived home, the hopeful was found playing in the ditch at the corner of the streets mentioned. In his hand was the sack, but the nuggets!

"What became of those nuggets?

"Last week, the entire east end of Vancouver was agitated by the story of the finding of a number of nuggets in this ideantical spot."

Thousands of Women

ARE MADE WELL AND STRONG

Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Rests Upon the Fact that It Really Does Make Sick Women Well

Thousands upon thousands of Canadian women have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Their letters are on file in Mrs. Pinkham's office, and prove this statement to be a fact and not a mere boast.

Overshadowing indeed is the success of this great medicine, and compared with it all other medicines and treatment for women are experiments.

Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished its widespread results for good?

Why has it lived and thrived and done its glorious work for a quarter of a century?

Simply and surely because of its sterling worth. The reason no other medicine has even approached its success is plainly and positively because there is no other medicine in the world so good for women's ills.

The wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over the diseases of womankind is not because it is a stimulant—not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is the most wonderful tonic and reconstructor ever discovered to act directly upon the uterine system, positively CURING disease and displacements and restoring health and vigor.

Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures, and physicians who have recognized the virtue in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give credit where it is due. If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience that it will effect a cure.

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration, or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Anyway, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice. It's free and always helpful.

E. J. Blaquiere
SHOE MFR. AGENT.
BRANDON, MAN.

Dainty, Appetizing Dishes

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Plants from Kellogg's pedigree stock for sale. Clark's Seedling, Michael's Early, Enormous, Parson's Beauty, etc.

Price $8 per 1000

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FOR SALE

Good Upland Prairie Hay for sale at $10 per ton, f.o.b. Cayley, Alta.

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The Big Schooner of Beer or Half and Half

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The only glass of good Beer in Nelson. Hotel accommodations second to none in British Columbia. Rates $1 per day. Special rates to monthly boarders.

Red Cross Gin

is famous for quality.

Try it—and you will be convinced of its superiority.

C. P. R. TRAFFIC RECEIPTS

Montreal, April 11—C.P.R. traffic receipts for the week ending April 7, were $1,469,000; for the same week last year they were $1,305,000. The mileage was increased to 9102.

FOR THE NORTH POLE

Wellman Leaves For Tromsoe on His Search For the Pole.

New York, April 11.—Walter Wellman bade farewell to his friends in America this morning and said when he greets them again he hopes they will hail him as the discoverer of the North Pole. He expects to leave for Tromsoe, Norway, about June 1, and before the middle of the month to be at his winter quarters in Spitzbergen. It will not be possible, however, to begin trials of his airship before the second week in July and it is likely to be the last of July or early in August before a start can be made.

No bitterness in WINDSOR TABLE SALT. It is piquant in saltness—but delicate, giving just the right savour. Use no other.

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KOOTENAY HOTEL

for Miners, Smeltermen and Lumbermen

Every convenience. Electric piano. Rates $1 per day.

MRS. MALLETTE, Proprietress

TENDERS

Tenders at a nominal figure are desired by the Agricultural and Industrial association for the printing of the prize list for the fruit fair this autumn. Tenderers must print according to the specifications which are with the secretary of the association, must give a bond to complete the work by July 15 next, the advertising rates being at the discretion of the tenderer. All tenders must be sent in sealed and will be opened on Tuesday next at noon at the office of the secretary.

D. C. McMORRIS, Secretary.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the International Coal and Coke Company, Limited, will, upon May 1, 1907, pay a dividend of one per cent on its issued and outstanding capital stock. Said dividend will be paid to registered shareholders only, and the transfer books of the company will be closed from April 15, 1907, to May 2, 1907, both days inclusive. All unregistered shareholders should send their stock before the first mentioned date to the secretary at the office of the company, Fernwell building, Spokane, Washington.

Dated at Spokane, Washington, March 30, 1907.

LAND NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria to purchase 160 acres of land on the east side of the Arrow lake, on Bates creek, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "W.W.'s S.W. corner," and planted at the southeast corner of lot 6963, thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains east; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains west, to place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated, March 27, 1907. 4-11

W. WALTON,
FRANK ORANGE, Locator.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissoneir of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, in West Kootenay District, situate on the south side of the Columbia river, about 7 3-4 miles west from Robson, starting at an initial post marked "R.A.H.," on the south side of the river, thence 10 chains east; thence 10 chains south; thence 10 chains west; thence 10 chains north to the place of commencement, said to contain 25 acres more or less, said claim adjoining Cryderman's purchase.

4-8 R. A. HOWE.
Locator W. L. PAYNE.

April 3rd, 1907.

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 about 20 chains north of the S.E. corner post of lot 2542, thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains, to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

HAROLD SELOUS.

Nelson, Feb. 8, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissoneir of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, in West Kootenay District: Situate on the Lower Arrow lake, about 8 miles west from Robson, and known as McCormick's landing, said land being on the north shore of said lake, commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and known as "initial post G.B.," thence 10 chains east; thence 5 chains south; thence 10 chains west; thence 5 chains north to place of commencement, said to contain 20 acres more or less.

4-8 G. BEAUMONT
Locator W. L. PAYNE.

April 3rd, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissoneir of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, in West Kootenay District: Situate about 8 miles west from Robson on the north side of the Columbia river, starting at the initial post marked "J.H.R.," thence 10 chains east; thence 5 chains north; thence 10 chains west; thence 5 chains south to place of commencement, said to contain 15 acres more or less, adjoining Annable's purchase.

4-8 J. H. RINGROSE.
Locator W. L. PAYNE.

April 3rd, 1907.

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 the southwest corner of Lot 4682, thence south 60 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less to the Kootenay river; thence following the shore of same river northeasterly to point of commencement, comprising 160 acres, more or less.

Dated March 6, 1907.

PATRICK SHERAN.

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 "C. B. Cutten's southeast corner," and planted about six miles up Little Slocan river, running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, to place of commencement.

C. B. CUTTEN
March 27, 1907.

Slocan river, about six miles from the mouth, running north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

VICTOR W. ODLUM.
C. B. CUTTEN, Agent.
March 27, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in the West Kootenay District: Commencing at a post about 20 chains north of the S.E. corner post of lot 2542, thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains, to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

HAROLD SELOUS.

Nelson, Feb. 8, 1907.

80 ACRES

In Crawford bay, on the wagon road, three-quarters of a mile from landing; every bit of this land is first class level land; five acres cleared; good stream of water; very light clearing; price $45 per acre.

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PRICE OF METALS

New York, April 11—Silver, 65 1-8; casting copper, 24 1-8; lead, $6.

London, April 11—Silver, 30 1-8; lead, £19 18s. 6d.

COPPER STOCKS

(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

New York, April 11—The following are today's quotations for the stocks mentioned:

	Asked	Bid
Granby	135	125
Dominion Copper	6	5¾
B. C. Copper	8⅛	7¾

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Born on April 11, to the wife of Alexander Thompson, a daughter.

Born on April 9 to the wife of James A. Blakey, Mines road, a son.

The rainfall for the present month is already 1.63 inches, the annual average for April being only 1.14 inches.

There will be shipped today to Kalamazoo, the remains of Martin W. Garrison, who died at the age of 58 of Bright's disease at Ainsworth on Tuesday last.

There will be the regular meeting of the university club tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, when a paper on English and American democracy will be read by Dr. Petersky.

The Women's foreign missionary society will hold their monthly meeting in St. Paul's church hall this afternoon at 3:30. Visitors and friends will be heartily welcomed.

The board of trade has definitely decided to leave its old quarters and after this month will meet in the court house where the government agent is allowing them to assemble for the time being rent free.

There will be buried this afternoon from the undertaking parlors of the Standard Furniture company at 2:30, the body of Ito Furutani, a young *Japanese woman of* Yokohama, aged 25 years. The death occurred yesterday morning at the general hospital.

The secretary of the board of trade is authority for the assertion that the magazine writers who are now visiting the northwest have already expressed their desire to visit the Kootenay. The invitation of the board of trade will probably make the visit assured.

Juro Moodrinich, the Austrian, whose sad condition was mentioned in these columns the other day, is leaving Nelson today on his way home. Kindly disposed people who read of his misfortune have contributed funds to enable him to make the journey.

THE STORE OF QUALITY

If your canned fruits are getting low don't forget that we have a full line of Wagstaffs' preserved fruits in glass; Crosse & Blackwell's Jams in glass and tins; also a full line of canned fruits in heavy syrup.

Quality is our first consideration. We buy nothing but the best brands and give our personal guarantee with each and every package sent out.

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PHONE 13.

FOR SALE

248 Acres of good fruit land for sale, one mile south of Slocan City; small house; 5 acres cleared. Good stream of water. Price $4000.

40 Acre blocks with water frontage on the north side of the West Arm. Price $75 per acre.

Fruit lands in blocks of from 50 to 150 acres in the Slocan valley, $15, $20 and $25 per acre.

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NELSON, B.C.

Garden Tools

The advent of spring is always looked forward to as the season for cleaning and preparing your back and front gardens and lawns for the summer. To do this successfully you must have proper tools to do the work. We have everything required for this purpose from a garden plow to a garden trowel. Our prices are right and we solicit your patronage.

The J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co., Ltd.

NELSON BRANCH

At another joint meeting of the committee of the city council and the school trustees yesterday afternoon, held upon the public school grounds, Mr. Lawrence of Newport, Wales, an engineer and architect, who has recently applied for the vacancy created by the resignation of city engineer McCulloch, was present. He was definitely engaged to make levels of the building site and a sketch of the school to be erected. His appointment as city engineer will be afterwards considered by the city council. The work has thus been expedited with a view of getting plans ready for tenders as soon as possible.

STRATHCONA—Mrs. R. S. McKibben, Rossland; Mrs. H. E. Hunter, Bonnington; A. Cheyne, Winnipeg; H. Twigg, New Denver.

QUEENS—A. McNair, Creston; J. Rundley, O. B. Appleton, Slocan.

BARTLETT—R. M. Lloyd, Slocan; Geo. Clark, Ainsworth.

CLUB—A. M. Hanson, J. B. Bowman, Kaslo; L. P. Filmore, Vancouver; J. A. Loring, Spokane; J. H. Montien, Greenwood.

GRAND CENTRAL—A F. Peters, Walla Walla; H. Crowe, Erie; A. Cogn and wife, Cranbrook; T. Henderson, Ymir; C. Ganser, Willow point.

KOOTENAY—N. Mallette, Slocan Junction; J. S. Johnson, Seattle; G. Ashworth, J. Ashworth, C. Mikkleson, W. Jones, Cranbrook; A. Richards, Moose Jaw; J. Neal; R. O. Johnson, Addy.

MADDEN—D. Featherstone, Ainsworth; F. McDonald, Jaffray; F. Pillon, Crescent; P. Daly, Ymir; C. H. Harrig, Grand Forks C. H. Banolier, Northport.

LAKEVIEW—J. M. Monteith, Liverpool; J. H. Norton, Moose Jaw; L. G. Matthews, Fernie.

NELSON—A. M. Lanallin, A. McDonald, J. Donovan, Procter; A. O. Clute, Hillyard.

HUME—Mrs. G. Cook, Kaslo; E. L. Burden, Toronto; L. Jacobs, New York; J. Cronin, W. F. Henderson, Spokane; J. A. Kinney, Castlegar; G. E. Frith, C. L. Reeve, W. H. Parrott, Vancouver; J. W. Plowman, K. H. Atkinson, Russell; J. R. Brown, Greenwood; E. V. Dangerfield, Calgary; S. H. Reynolds, Winnipeg; D. Grant, Silverton; P. H. Burnham, Grand Forks.

ROYAL—R. B. Johnson, Rossland; E. K. Royston, Trail; J. R. McnItosh, Slocan.

SHERBROOKE—L. B. Purcell, Rossland; B. Morton, R. Billion, Slocan; J. Morceau, Bonnington; J. M. Turnivall, Spokane; E. C. Carmichael, Arrowhead.

STAMPEDE BACK TO WORK

Employes of the Shipbuilding Trust Get Busy Again.

Lorain, Ohio, April 11.—There was almost a stampede among the strikers returning to work at the local yards of the American Ship Building company today, the number of men who went back being estimated at between 700 and 800. The iron shipbuilders are still out to a man The promised $160,000 relief fund has not yet come, according to members of the shipbuilders' union.

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and this month being Diamond Month we are showing a very large line of Diamond Set Rings, ranging in price from $5.00, 6.00 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 to $700. Also a very fine line of loose

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We Sell The Best of Mens Shoes It's a habit of ours.

Our shoes have character just as much as the man who wears them. Choice selected leathers, skillful shoe building, correct styles, all points of detail well looked after, serve to make our shoes shoes with a character.

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Same nice varieties

Roman Beauty, Grimes' Golden, Spitzenburg, Winkler, Greenings and Walbridge.

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840 Acres, 2 1-2 miles from Nelson.
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Cabinet Cigar Store

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We also have Steele-Briggs' vegetable seeds in bulk, Simmers' 5c packages, and a full line of Grass & Clover Seeds, Chemical Fertilizers, etc.

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A Good Cup of Tea

Try BELL BRAND, 50c. per lb.
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VARNISHES WOOD STAINS
ALABASTINE BAPLAC
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