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EXPRESSES APPROVAL

University Club Pleased With Ministerial Plans

Promised Education Endowment Bill Will be Watched—Debate on Party Government

There was a very full meeting of the university club last evening and a most interesting discussion on a paper read by R. Baird, the secretary, on party government. This led to an animated discussion and strong opinions as to the merits and demerits of the Canadian senate and the house of lords and equally strong expressions as to party affiliations by various members present. All agreed, however, that the discussion was the liveliest that had occurred for a long time past.

The meeting was prefaced by the report of the provincial university committee who declared that they had been discharged from their duties by the recent proposed endowment of a university, but recommended that they should be continued in office to watch developments in the genesis of the new government proposals. A vote of thanks was passed to the provincial government for their action in this matter.

Mr. Baird prefaced his paper by tracing down the origin of all governments which he defined as the government of the many by the few. First came the tyranny, next the artistocracy and last the democracy. English government started with the feudal system, an adaptation of Roman methods. In this the king was the central power. In the beginning the commons had the right to send advisers to the great council of the king. But not till 1688 was party government formed when by the advice of earl Sunderland, the king called on the leader of the strongest party numerically to form a government. In time the cabinet fell completely under the influence of the house of commons, a condition further tempered by universal suffrage.

Mr. Baird held the governments of Great Britain and Canada to be democracies in the modern sense. Party government had ben recently severely critisized by Goldwin Smith for lack of fundamental differeneces of principle, Dean Swift had satirized the parties of his day as "low heels and high heels." As a mater of fact, even when no principle was prominently in view, there did exist a difference between parties. There had been a difference in the recent provincial election. Nearly always one party was more worthy of trust than another. Corruption was not altogether attributable to party. It was merely a weapon which had stimulated the crossbow and rifle. Corruption came from the corrupt being shielded by those in power; by the patronage system and by permitting unfit persons to vote. In regard to this last the speaker advocated the eductional test. He did not think admission of women to the suffrage a remedy. It has been shown that women where granted their suffrage used it less frequently the longer they had it. Another evil was the corruption of the press. The papers were now owned by corporations instead of individuals. These corporations worked to their own interest rather than the public benefit. People were thus influenced corruptly. Yet another evil was the danger of the machine, eliminating the independence of the voter.

On the other hand the speaker urged the advantages of party government outbalanced the disadvantages. Party government provided a facile means for the expression of the will of the majority for a government must remain in touch with the wishes of the majority of the electors. Then again the opposition had the opportunity of being able to criticize publicly any wrong act of the party in power. Again the system formed an admirable means of educating the people in public matters. Formerly a change of government meant a revolution. Now the party system rendered that change easy.

The general view taken of the body politic, concluded the speaker, was too pessimistic. Everything was working for the best. Some useless incumbrances, such as the Canadian senate and the house of lords should be got rid of but on the whole the party system was working well. The independent man who cast in his lot first with one party and then with another kept the parties in line. A glance into history showed that public affairs were brighter now than ever before. In the best times of Greece and Rome public matters were admittedly corrupt. In the days of Walpole and Bolingbroke the same conditions existed, far worse than today. In support of this thesis Mr. Baird ended by quoting from Burke, Bryce, William Ward, the late chief justice Russel and others.

Rev. J. T. Ferguson quoted from Morley's Gladstone to show that parties were connected together by a hundred affinities outside of fundamental principles.

Dr. Peterskey complained that party government kept out of the offices of administration half of the talent of the state. He thought the corruption of the press would cease if there were no parties and ended by stigmatizing the recent sessional indemnity increase at Ottawa as "boodling."

Dr. Arthur remarked that the provincial press was about the same in the days before party government. He favored an educational test for voters, compulsory voting and an act making it punishable to personally solicit a vote. On the other hand Dr. Arthur favored woman's suffrage.

R. J. Clark took up the cudgels for the house of lords. He had read eulogies of that chamber in every civilized tongue, it was the admiration of the civilized world. A second chamber, history showed, often prevented a revolution. History again showed the house of lords to be of superior ability than the house of commons and the disparity between the two chambers, in favor of the lords, was never greater than at the present.

Rev. F. H. Graham coincided, remarking that there was no responsibility in the world as responsible as the responsibility of irresponsibility.

Judge Forin declared that the great mass of people in British Columbia was not educated to party government. It was too new a thing. He contended that loyalty to party was one of the saving instincts of a community. In times when no great questions arose perhaps the party politician, the professional, had things too much his own way. But this was only in things indifferent. When a great question arose the professional politicans were made to hew to the line by the people. A party man could not be bribed. The best political leader was the party boss, not the amateur reformer who was always a failure. It was all the more important nowadays to stand by party, concluded the judge, as there was no such thing now as conservative and liberal principles.

Sheriff Tuck opined that there was an educational test provided for in the election act, a section of which had to be read to the registrar of voters by the registering voter.

Rev. F. H. Graham maintained the absolute necessity of a second chamber.

A. W. Dyer defended the newspapers, declaring them to be the reflection of public opinion; if they contained much of party news it was because the public was partizan. A newspaper was not an organ of education, except secondarily. Its business was to publish the news and editorially to explain that news and its bearing on public issues. He declared that more women voted proportionately than men in New Zealand and defended independence in politics saying that half the electorate in the old country were independent and half the body politic could not be purchased.

John Fraser said the curse of Canadian politics was the professional politician. The other evil was the patronage system. As for the sessional indemnity increase every paper in Canada that he had seen, of either party had condemned it.

This brought judge Forin again to his feet remarking that the increase should have been to $5000 instead of $2500. A big indemnity would put the member out of the reach of corruption. He knew of a provincial member with a sessional allowance of $800 with a monthly bill of $237.

R. J. Baird, briefly replying, admitted that the house of lords was everywhere well spoken of, but denied the necessity of its existence and further maintained that second chambers were useless, saying that even the veto power of Ottawa was not exercised in the case of Ontario but was in British Columbia because this province was not sufficiently serious.

The next paper will be read by Dr. Petersky on the contrast between democracy in Great Britain and in the United States.

SUCCEED ORONHYATEKA

STEVENSON WILL BE NEW HEAD OF THE FORESTERS.

WAS PERSONAL CHOICE OF THE LATE CHIEF RANGER.

Toronto, March 9.—Elliott G. Stevenson, supreme councillor of the Independent Order of Foresters, will be the successor of the late Dr. Oronhyatekha, as supreme chief ranger of the order. Mr. Stevenson is a member of the law firm of Dickenson, Stevenson, Warren & Butzel, of Detroit, and one of the best known Foresters in the dominion. The late chief, Dr. Oronhyatekha, expressed a desire that Stevenson should succeed him and it is said that Stevenson is the choice of the majority of the members of the supreme executive in whose hands the election lies.

SEIZED THE MONEY.

Bandits Take $7500 From Russian Revenue Treasury Official.

Kutais, Trans-Caucasia, March 9—The treasurer of the local revenue, accompanied by two policemen and several local officials, was driving through the streets in a carriage yesterday with $7500 in his custody when three bombs were thrown at his party. This attack was followed by a volley of revolver shots from the bandits. Both the policemen and the driver of the carriage and one of the officials were killed and the treasurer and four other officials were wounded. The robbers seized the money and escaped.

FUNERAL OF HOCKEY PLAYER

Cornwall, March 9—The funeral of Owen McCourt who was fatally injured in a hockey game here on Wednesday night, was held today and was largely attended, the church being packed to the doors.

"ELIJAH" IS TRANSLATED

Dowie, the Self Styled Restorer, Dies in Zion City

Voliva, His Successful Rival, Says His Death Will Not Hurt the Church

Chicago, March 9.—John Alexander Dowie, self-styled "Elijah the Restorer," and recently deposed head of the Christion Catholic church in Zion, and of Zion City, died early this morning. Later in the day Glen Voliva, the new overseer, declared that the death of the former leader would not affect the future of the church adversely. When Dowie died, there were present with him only judge Barnes, one of his former assistants, now an adherent of Voliva, and two attendants. For several weeks Dowie had been weak and unable to hold his customary Sunday services, with his few faithful followers, in Shiloh tabernacle. But it was not supposed that his condition was critical. Shortly before 1 o'clock this morning he became delirious. He denounced everyone and everything with old-time vigor, ordered the guards to throw out disturbers and acted just as he had on many previous occasions. He gradually became weaker and weaker and the attendant finally telephoned for judge Barnes, who reached Shiloh house at 7 a.m. Forty minutes later Dowie died. Mrs. Dowie, judge Dowie, the "prophet's" father, and his sons, who are in Michigan, have been notified and are expected at Zion City today. Dowie's wife, father and son, held the view that Dowie was insane and not responsible for his recent acts. For that reason it is believed that, although they have been estranged, they will attend the funeral.

WEEK'S ORE SHIPMENTS

OUTPUT IS CONSIDERABLY OVER RECENT FIGURES

PROBABLE SECOND ENRICHMENT OF ROSSLAND MINES

The fuel supply throughout the mining and smelting districts appears to be now in a satisfactory condition once more and as a consequence the week's output and smelter receipts have risen to about their normal state.

The second shipment from the Queen Victoria has been made to Trail and the further development of this property is exciting a good deal of interest amongst mining men.

The Silver Cup appears in the shipping list for the first time this year and all the districts show an increasel output for the past seven days.

Appended will be found the ore shipments and smelter receipts in detail for the past week and year to date.

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS

MINE	Week	Year
Granby	15,333	80,440
Mother Lode	2,000	27,618
Brooklyn	1,952	12,251
Rawhide	1,408	8,907
Sunset	768	3,716
Mountain Rose	105	1,217
Snowshoe	1,296	10,530
Emma	61	1,167
B. C.	530	530
Other mines		411
Total	23,383	146,487

ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS

Centre Star	2,086	13,838
Le Roi	2,196	24,136
Le Roi No. 2	337	3 562
White Bear, milled	350	350
Other mines		2,429
Total	4,969	44,315

SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHIPMENTS

Emerald	110	535
Sullivan	600	6,000
La Plata	63	953
La Plata, milled	425	4,250
Second Relief	32	119
Second Relief, milled	145	1,450
Queen, milled	185	1,850
St. Eugene	250	1,268
Last Chance	22	166
Standard	30	266
Eureka	60	242
Hunter V.	49	1,099
Arlington, Erie	79	446
Vancouver	19	61
Spokane	22	175
Arlington, Slocan	46	168
Mountain Boy	17	39
Bismark	43	86
Queen Victoria	146	189
Granite	30	30
Silver Cup	213	213
Other mines		1,715
Total	2,586	21,320

The total shipments from the mines in the above districts for the past week were 30,938 tons, and for the year to date 212,122 tons.

GRANBY RECEIPTS
Grand Forks, B. C.

Granby	15,333	80,440
Emma	61	259
Other mines		82
Total	15,394	80,781

B. C. COPPER CO. RECEIPTS
Greenwood, B. C.

Mother Lode	2,000	27,618
Snowshoe	600	5,900
B. C.	530	530
Other mines		759
Total	3,130	34,807

DOMINION COPPER CO. RECEIPTS
Boundary Falls, B. C.

Brooklyn	1,952	12,251
Rawhide	1,408	8,907
Sunset	768	3,716
Mountain Rose	105	1,151
Total	4,233	25,725

TRAIL SMELTER RECEIPTS
Trail, B. C.

Centre Star	2,086	13,838
Le Roi	1,640	12,567
Le Roi No. 2	337	3,562
Snowshoe	626	4,630
La Plata	63	953
St. Eugene	32	587
Last Chance	22	166
Eureka	60	242
Vancouver	19	61
Spokane	22	175
Iron Mask	40	223
Queen Victoria	146	189
Arlington, Erie	60	60
Granite	30	30
Other mines		2,080
Total	5,183	39,363

HALL MINES SMELTER RECEIPTS
Nelson, B. C.

Emerald	110	535
Standard	30	266
Arlington, Erie	19	386
Arlington, Slocan	46	168
Hunter V.	49	315
Mountain Boy	17	29
St. Eugene	218	681
Bismark	43	86
Silver Cup	213	213
Other mines		766
Total	745	3,455

LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS
Northport, Wash.

Le Roi	556	11,569
Second Relief	32	119
Copper King	45	291
First Thought	54	679
Other mines		728
Total	687	13,386

MARYSVILLE SMELTER RECEIPTS
Marysville, B.C.

Sullivan	600	6,000

The total amount of receipts reported from the local and foreign mines for the past week were 29,972 tons, and for the year to date 203,517 tons.

ROSSLAND'S SECOND ENRICHMENT

Rossland, March 9 — The shaft of the Center star has reached the 14th level, a station has been cut out, and in a day or two the work of deepening the shaft another 150 feet to the 15th level will be commenced. The shaft is now 1900 feet deep. It is anticipated that when the latter level is reached that the second enrichment of ore, which is usually found in copper mines, will be reached. The second enrichment was found in the mines of Butte at the water line, and the ore was as rich there as it was close to the surface. As the mines here are similar in many respects to those of Butte it is thought similar conditions will be found here. The water level will be reached when the workings reach the level of the Columbia river.

WILL FIGHT THE UNION

READY TO SPEND $2,000,000 IN INDUSTRIAL BATTLE.

AMERICAN SHIPBUILDING COMPANY HAS ITS BACK UP.

Cleveland, March 9.—At a conference today between James C. Wallace, president of the American Shipbuilding company, and Louis Weyland, business agent of the ship builders' union, Mr. Wallace declined to accede to the demands of the union for a ine hour day. The American Shipbuilding company will close all its yards on the great lakes and spend all of $2,000,000 before it will yied to the demands of the union. This is the statement made today by one closely in touch with the affairs of the company, Furthermore, according to this person, president Wallace of the company, will not even consent to confer further with the men who are making the demands. The ship builders and helpers' union has decided that if its demands are not granted by Monday a strike in the yards in Cleveland, Detroit, Bay City and Chicago will be ordered.

Louisville, March 8.—Failing in their demands for increased wages, shorter hours, and recognition of the organization, the union men employed by the Louisville Street railway were late this afternoon ordered to strike at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. A letter was sent by the men to president Minary, of the street railway company, offering for a second time, to submit their grievances to a board of arbitration. This, however, it appears will not be accepted because president Minary had previously refused to submit the matter to arbitration. Superintendent J. Funk says the railway company may not attempt to run cars Sunday, fearing violence, but that the service will be taken up Monday.

LOCOMOTIVE SHEDS BURNED

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, March 9—Through the explosion of an oil's lamp igniting a heap of waste, the locomotive sheds of the E. and N. division of the C.P.R., were burned here this evening. All the rolling stock was removed and saved.

NO MORE PRIZE FIGHTS

Omaha, March 9—Chief of Police Donahue today issued an order putting a stop to prize fights and boxing contests in Omaha.

ACTION OF DRUGGISTS

Was Misinterpreted in Dispatch From Vancouver

Are Seeking for Declaration of Law, Not for Inclusion in Sunday Closing Law

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, March 9.—Local druggists state this morning that the report that they desired the trade to be included in the provisions of the Sunday closing act was a misconception of their real intent. It is purposed that the province should definitely define the position of the trade. Acting on this line all local druggists have issued notices that their stores will be closed tight tomorrow and every Sunday thereafter until their status is definitely defined, not even prescriptions being compounded. It is alleged this course is necessitated by the threats of the Lord's Day Alliance to take note of their sales of articles other than drugs. Local opinion is to the effect that druggists' action is really intended to show how ridiculously extreme this working of the act would prove.

Dr. Fagan stated today that as soon as the snow is off the ground on the shores bordering on Kamloops lake, the erection of a sanitarium for the treatment of consumptives will be commenced and actively prosecuted in order that the institution may be opened for service this summer. The building of a chalet at Fish lake, 25 miles southwest of Kamloops, will also be commenced, and there people afflicted with the dread disease in its incipient stages will be treated. Subscriptions to the amount of $38,000 are now in hand for the purpose and a campaign for the $50,000 fund necessary for obtaining Dunsmuir's $10,000 will be actively prosecuted throughout the province at once. The Vancouver medical fraternity yesterday subscribed $2700.

At a meeting of the local anti-tuberculosis society yesterday plans were presented and Dr. Fagan was authorized to secure an architect to submit detailed plans of the buildings at a general meeting in Victoria on April 2.

BEARS KING'S INITIALS

MEMENTO OF NELSON TO BE GIVEN THE AMERICAN NAVY.

IS MADE OF RELICS FROM HIS FLAGSHIP, THE "VICTORY"

Annapolis, Md., March 9.—Permission has been granted the Rev. E. W. Mattheys, secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors Society, to address the midshipmen of the naval acedemy. The date has not yet been set, but the address will be delivered shortly. On this occasion there will be presented to the academy, Mr. Matthews said in his application, a valuable memento from Nelson's flagship, "Victory." This relic comes from the British admiralty, and bears the initials of king Edward.

RUEF IN CUSTODY.

Will Have to Remain a Prisoner Until Monday at Least.

San Francisco, March 9.—Abraham Ruef, indicted for extortion, gained a tentative point today when judge Dehaven in the United States circuit court, granted an order to show cause why a writ of habeas corpus should not issue for his release from the custory of Elizor W. F. Biggy, of judge Dunne's court. As this order is made returnable Monday, Ruef will have to remain the prisoner of Biggy until that time, no provision for bail existing. Under the order of judge Dunne, Biggy is to produce Ruef in the superior court Monday morning for trial, when the prosecution proposes to begin the selection of a jury.

EXCLUDE THE JAPANESE

California Senate Adopts Strong Resolution Against Asiatics.

Sacramento, Calif., March 9.—The senate today unanimously adopted a joint resolution protesting against the naturalization of Japanese and instructing California's senators and congressmen to combat such "pernicious legislation" and to work for the passage of an exclusion law to include Japanese, Koreans and all other Asiatics. The resolution is a substitute for one introduced by senator Sanford.

BURNED IN PRAIRIE FIRE

Collinsville, I.T., March 9—Mrs. Frank Carnes and her daughter Mary, were burned to death in a prairie fire today. Mr. Carnes was severely burned while trying to save the women.

PARIS LIGHTS STILL OUT

Paris, March 9—The strike of the electricians of the city of Paris, which threw the city into obscurity for the better part of two nights, has come to an end as panies have conceded the principal deabruptly as it began. The electric commands of the workmen in the matter of pensions, and have agreed that they shall be placed on the footing of the men employed by the city as regards hours and wages. The strikers will go back to work tomorrow.

WRITTEN BY A LAWYER

THAW'S LATEST "STATEMENT" IS MORE LUCIDLY FRAMED.

SAYS HARMONY REIGNS IN THE ENTIRE FAMILY.

New York, March 9.—Harry K. Thaw issued this statement today, through his counsel, Daniel O'Reilly:

"I wish to deny, as emphatically as possible, the published report that my sister, the countess of Yarmouth, is desirous of bringing about a separation between my wife and me at the conclusion of the trial. Perfect harmony exists between by wife and sister and myself, as indeed between all members of the family. Such a thing as separation has never been and never will be considered by me or any of my relatives. The countess of Yarmouth is very friendly with Mrs. H. K. Thaw, and holds her in the higest esteem. As for myself, my love for my wife is greater than it ever was before, if that is possible. I hope that this denial from me will forever set at rest the absurb stories of a possible estrangement. It is peculiarly regrettable to Mrs. Thaw and myself that such a story should have emanated from the source it did."

[The story was based on the statement of Howard Nesbit, brother of Mrs. H. K. Thaw.—Ed.]

New York, March 9—Most of today the district attorney was closeted with nine alienists, six new experts having been summoned into consultation with doctors Austin Flint, Carlos Macdonald and William Mabon, who have been present throughout the trial in the interest of the prosecution. Mr. Jerome declined to disclose the identity of the new members of his force of alienists. Their advent into the case, it was said, was to assist the district attorney in preparing hypothetical questions, which he will put to the experts when they go on the stand. It was currently reported today that Mr. Jerome has irrevocably determined to push the case to a conclusion and not ask for a lunacy commission. All the members of the district attorney's staff are sanguine that their chief will be able to throw sufficient doubt upon Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw's story to at least tend to discredit her in the eyes of the jury. They further declare that Mr. Jerome hopes to have a preponderance of expert testimony on his side of the case, testimony showing that Thaw acted as a sane man when he shot and killed Stanford White, and has continued to act as a sane person ever since that time.

The case, from today's developments, promises to resolve itself into a battle of experts, and this means that there is absolutely no way of predicting when the end will come. The trial on Monday will enter its eighth week and the unexpected must occur in order to bring about its conclusion before April 1.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

This is young people's day at the Methodist church. This morning children's service will be held, when Rev. R. Newton Powell will give a chalk talk, subject, "Giants and Dwarfs." At the evening service a special sermon to young people on the subject "A Splendid Investment," will be delivered. The family circle will meet after the evening service, a feature of which will be violincello selections rendered by J. Charlton.

Mrs. J. E. Taylor and Mrs. (Capt.) Robertson, have completed the subscription list taken up by them on behalf of Mrs. Robt. Kyle of Deer Park, whose husband was drowned last month, and who was left ill and in an almost destitute condition. In all the sum of $270 was raised and the collectors desire to express their thanks to those who contributed and to announce that the money will be sent at once to Mrs. Kyle.

George Macdonald, general auditor for P. Burns and company, died at Calgary yesterday morning from the results of an operation for appendicitis. The deceased was well and very favorably known in this city and all over the Kootenays. He was formerly manager of the Noble Five Mining company, but nearly three years ago joined P. Burns and company, as auditor of the company's entire business at its many branches. Only recently he remodelled the methods of bookkeeping in all the agencies and when Mr. Burns was last in this city some few months ago, Mr. Macdonald was with him. He was born in Nova Scotia 34 years ago, and his widow survives him. The remains will be taken to Seattle for burial.

RAISULI ESCAPED

Tangier, March 9—The news that Raisuli has once again escaped his pursuers, is confirmed. Kaid Hehalla, the representative of the minister of war has dislodged the Ben Iarrus tribesmen from their positions and driven them a considerable distance. He burned several villages, killed 20 of the tribesmen and took a number prisoners. Raisuli, however, succeeded in escaping before the engagement and took refuge in Tazirout.

BUSINESS MAN SUICIDES

Galt, Ont., March 9—William Herbertson committed suicide at his residence on Metcalfe street, by taking paris green. There is no motive for the act, except business difficulties that recently overtook him. He was 65 years old.

ARRIVE AT AGREEMENT

Salmon Canners and Fishermen Settle Differences

Close Season Question Shelved for Two Years—Canada After Good Immigrants

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, March 9.—An agreement was reached between the salmon canners and the fishermen on the Fraser river, before the minister of marine and fisheries today, for the next two years. The result is a compromise whereby the weekly close season above New Westminster bridge is extended 24 hours. Licenses to fish at open times, however, will be granted to bona fide residents in the district having certificates. More specific regulations regarding trap fishing are also promised.

Three new hatcheries are contemplated by the agreement, at the following locations: Nechaco river; Stuart lake, Fraser river, and Babine lake, Skeena district.

The statement of revenue and expenditure for the dominion for the eight months ending February, shows a revenue of $57,986,513, an increase of over $8,000,000 as compared with the previous year, expenditure $37,629,00, an increase of half a million, so there was a betterment in finances of over seven and a half millions. Capital expenditure shows an increase of one and a quarter millions. This leaves the total increase in revenue, five millions.

Ottawa, March 9.—On account of cancellation of contract with the North Atlantic Trading company, the interior department made new arrangements for obtaining high class immigrants from continental countries. An order-in-council under has been passed under which bonuses will be paid to European booking agents for farmers, farm laborers, gardeners, stablemen, railroad laborers, navvies, miners and female domestics who are sent out as immigrants. It has been decided to pay a bonus of $2.50 for adults and $1.25 each for children. The bonus is to be paid to selected steamship booking agents in Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Russia, France, Belgium and Switzerland. In view of the restrictive immigration laws the agents to whom this bonus will be paid are to be carefully selected by the Canadian immigration assistant in London in order that there may be no friction with authorities of other countries.

FINDING OF THE JURY.

Montreal, March 9.—The following is the finding reported by the coroner's jury in the south Prefontaine school fatality: "That the children who lost their lives were asphyxiated as a result of Mr. Hands having left certain doors open and thus involuntarily having allowed smoke to reach and pass through the halls of the building; that the fire drill of which the school had boasted, had been omitted; besides which the Protestant school commissioners should have ordered a more frequent practice of same; that Miss Maxwell, teacher, who lost her life, waited too long in notifying the children of the upper stories of their danger; that the fire apparatus, namely, exterior fire escapes, was missing from the building."

"We, the jury are of opinion that none of the grounds given above constitute a crime, and that the Protestant school commissioners cannot therefore be held criminally responsible. We suggest the following recommendations: That in each shool a marshal or caretaker shall be employed who shall watch for such exigencies as that of the recent sad affair."

IROQUOIS THEATRE CASE

Danville, Ills., March 9 — Judge Kimbrough decided today that the Chicago ordinance on which was based the trial of William J. Davis, charged with manslaughter on account of the burning of the Iroquois theatre at Chicago, of which Davis was manager at the time, is invalid, in so far as the prosecution of the case is concerned. The decision puts an end to the trial.

STANDARD POLICY

Sacremento, March 9—After eight weeks' work by the senate and assembly committees on insurance laws, the state assembly today passed and sent to the governor a report providing for a standard fire policy in California. All earthquake clauses are barred.

HONDURANS WIN AGAIN

San Salvador, March 9—At noon yesterday a Nicaraguan column, as a reprisal for the recent victories of the Hondurans endeavored to attack the cavalry of Honduras at Tuguare. After three hours of fighting the Nicaraguans are described as having been annihilated by the Hondurans.

FIRE AT CHEMAINUS

Victoria, March 9—The Lewisville hotel and adjacent buildings at Chemainus were burned tonight. The guests had a narrow escape.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

While W. F. Maclean's recent railroad rate bill was before the commons at Ottawa, transportation men all over the country kept saying that, if the public insisted upon 2-cent fares, it must be content with 2-cent service. This means that should a rate bill pass, trains will be taken off to save expense and that less money will be spent to make those that remain attractive. In this respect, as in every other, we imagine that the railroads will be governed by their own interests. They have not put on fast and frequent trains and luxurious cars out of pure benevolence to the public, but to increase revenue by inviting more travel. These motives will not be destroyed by 2-cent passenger fares. They will simply have to adjust themselves to new conditions. With most of the roads limited to the same fares for the same distance, the only way to compete for travel will be in provision for the comfort and convenience of travelers. The railroads begin to recognize the inevitableness of 2-cent fares by discussing whether or not they will apply to limited trains, where an extra fare is charged for greater speed and luxury. If anybody wants to pay for extra service, he should have the same right to do so that he has to pay for extra comfort in a Pullman car. We understand that the British third-class rate of a penny a mile applies only to certain trains, called parliamentary trains, though there must be enough of these to serve all the ordinary needs of traffic and the service must be up to a fixed standard in every way. But the railroads may run other trains on which a special charge is made for special service. There is no reason why that should not be done in this country.

Mr. G. O. Buchanan writes The Daily News a brief but pointed letter in support of the new Lord's Day Observance Act of which so much has been heard of late. He says that, notwithstanding our "lucid editorial," he is still of the opinion that those who are depending up on the provincial legislature for modification of this act will experience disappointment. "Except as provided in any provincial act or law now or hereafter in force," does not, he thinks, delegate to, nor confer on, the province power to legislate, nor does it validate provincial laws if these are ultra vires. The judicial committee of the privy council, Mr. Buchanan points out, decided that the Lord's Day Act of Ontario was useless, because the province had no power to pass upon the subject. And if the provinces had not three years ago the power to pass Sunday legislation, he urges, they have not got it now. Even an express statute of the dominion parliament could not confer such power. Only an amendment to the British North America Act could do that. Mr. Buchanan continues: "Sunday laws adopted by the provinces prior to confederation are probably good, including those of the imperial statutes incorporated into the laws of B. C. It is such laws that are 'in force' in the different provinces if any are. The Sunday law hastily passed in the province of Quebec, and any similar law which might be passed here, will, I think, turn out to be worthless. As to the attorney general, all prosecutions for indictable offences are theoretically subject to the discretion of the attorney general. Some local justices in Kootenay committed a man for murder and the attorney general, instead of putting him on trial, sent him to an asylum. But that does not demonstrate that every man who happens to be an attorney general is clothed with discretionary power to decide whether or not murder ought to be considered a crime, and whether it is rightfully punishable by hanging. It is my opinion that if the mine managers have reason to apprehend serious consequences from the operation of the act, the sooner they apply for relief to the body that passed the act the better." Mr. Buchanan's point is a good one. It touches the vital issue in the present controversy—the authority of the dominion to relegate any or all of its power to the provinces in the face of the provisions of the B. N. A. Act. The constitutional problem involved is one which can only be answered by the privy council; and the sooner it is so answered the better.

Men are too apt, in considering the politics of the day, to give overmuch weight to faults, allowing them to obscure he good that exists. The evil is often too apparent, while the good achieved is not as readily discernible. Corruption is visible today, but only when a strong light is thrown upon it. It is stalking in dark places. If a glance is taken into the pages of history, and many leaves will not have to be turned, it will be noted that corruption was more rampant a generation ago than in the present. If a century or so is gone over, it at once becomes evident that evil at that time was stalking not only in dark places, but was basking in the fullest light. The fact is that the evolution of mankind makes for good and not for evil. There are pauses in the centuries when the good gained has seemed to have been lost, and even more than lost, but the next forward stride taken goes further than its predecessor. Mr. Baird strikes this note in his paper on party government read before the university club last night. He said the view commonly held of public corruption was too pessimistic. He did not minimize the evil, but held that the constant tendency is for good to overcome the evil. If a party does act corruptly, it inevitably loses office in course of time. The next party may be as corrupt, but in one or two such changes the lesson is partly learned and thus gradually a purification takes place. To a jaundiced eye, the progress made seems to be slow; and it necessarily is slow, since the only way of reform is by the education of the whole people, and not the education of a mere part of it; but, nevertheless, that progress is sure and has lifted the Anglo-Saxon race out of the mirk of the dark ages to the opening light of a twentieth century civilization.

Judge Forin remarked last night at the university club, that there was no difference between the principles of the conservative and of the liberal parties. There is at least this difference, that the latter believes in a government by the whole of an educated people, whereas the former rather holds by the culture of a dominant class, leaving the worker to solve himself the problemt of his salvation.

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STOCKS FOR THE WEEK

MARKET HAS BEEN STEADY AND PRICES FIRM

RAMBLER- CARIBOO SHARES WERE DOWN SEVERAL POINTS

(Reported by B. B. Mighton & Co.)

The stock market for the past week has shown no great advances nor rapid declines but has ben normal with tradings active and prices firmer. Eastern exchanges report a heaviness in the Cobalt securities and investors there are becoming cautious. Several stocks on the Spokane market made quick changes with business reported good. American Boy caused some inquiries with a few shares reported sold at better prices than has been asked for some time. Alberta Coal and Coke continued firm, but in no great demand. B. C. Copper declined several points with but few buyers in evidence. The price of this stock is now lower than since last summer and this is due to the placing of nearly one million dollars worth of new stock on the market. Consolidated Smelters and Canadian Goldfields showed no signs of advancing, and being but in slight demand. Cariboo-McKinney was weak and inactive. Dominion Copper also declined with every indication of dropping still further. The closing down of the smelter of this company was the only reason given for the weakness displayed. Should there be no other, the shares should react very soon. Denoro Mines are in demand but are not changing hands at the present quotations. Diamond Vale Coal is weak, though almost unchanged from the quotations of last week. Granby continues firm but with little change. International Coal continues weak and with no demand. Nicola Coal Mines strengthened somewhat and the tendency is upward. Rambler-Cariboo dropped several points, but towards the end showed signs of strengthening. Almost no shares of this stock were dealt in locally. Sullivan remained firm, with but little change. White Bear was not in as great demand as for the last two weeks, and was offered several points lower. Western Oil Con. was active with a good demand. Higher prices for these shares will undoubtedly be asked within a month or so.

The following are the approximate quotations for the week ending yesterday:

	Asked	Bid
American Boy ....$ .2		$ .1½
Alberta Coal	.35	.30
B. C. Copper	7.75	7.50
Breckenridge-Lund Coal ..	.57	.56
Consolidated Smelters	140.00	130.00
Canadian Goldfields	.7	.5½
Cariboo-McKinney	.3½	.3
Diamond Vale	.30	.28
Dominion Copper	6.10	6.00
Granby	150.00	140.00
Giant, Rossland	.2	.1
La Plata Mines	.20	.18
Monte Cristo	.4	.3
Nicola Coal Mines	.6	.5
Nicola Valley C. & C.	100.00	...
North Star	.18	.10
Rambler-Cariboo	.34	.29
Sullivan	.9½	.9
Stewart	3.25	3.00
Snowstorm	3.20	3.02
Tel-Kwa Mines	.17	.15
Western Oil Con.	2.00	1.80
White Bear, assess.	.6	.4½

SUNDAY LAW PROPOSAL

NEW LAW SHOULD APPLY NEAR THE CITIES AND TOWNS

OUTSIDE THREE MILE RADIUS OPTION SHOULD BE ALLOWED

Editor The Daily News—It is the same old tale of inflicting unnecessary hardships on industry. The burden bearers get but little consideration from those who are straining every nerve to destroy the Sunday observance law. The boon it would give the family circle is beyond doubt a step in the right direction, regardless of the influence it would have in moulding the lives of future generations; and now is the time to enforce the law while the country is young. The longer it is delayed the greater the difficulties will be in its operation. Is it not a progressive law? Every progressive country has one day in seven to rest. The London Daily Paper, England, a short time ago, referring to the Sabbath day, stated if there were no divine law demanding one day in seven as a day of rest, the state would have to introduce it for the moral and physical well being of its people. So far the people of British Columbia have had no regard for the divine law, and the state has come to our aid by giving us one day of rest. Surely every honest citizen should do his best to get it enforced. If the provinces are allowed to mutilate measures handed down to them from the federal government, why maintain a dominion house? It is as ridiculous as the privileges of the house of lords in England. In the east the wheels of industry have rolled on the same, Sunday as Monday, year in and year out, and the various corporations defy God and man to do otherwise. Their one idea is to get gain and now they are again in array against this measure. Like every other progressive law they are not slow to kill it, while the poor slaves look carelessly on. If a person comes into the country and doesn't feel like working on Sunday, he is compelled to leave again, for, practically speaking, every industry is running in full blast and unless one follows up his daily toil seven days a week he is not wanted.

I propose, if this bill must be amended, so suit the requirements of British Columbia, that al lindustries, mines, mills, smelters, factories, of whatever description, within a radius of three miles of a town, abide by the law, and those over and above that distance be given the privilge of suiting themselves. Then those who like myself, prefer the day of rest, could soon find remunerative employment and feel at home. But let men remember if this bill is killed they are stopping the march of progress and leaving us in abject misery. Therefore, ye soldiers of the common good, fight on. We have nothing to loose, but everything to gain. If we are unable to gain a living by working six days a week the whole system of our industrial structure needs remodelling.

MINER.

Arlington Mine, March 7.

WANTED DOUBLE SALARY

THAT IS WHY STEVENS QUIT PANAMA CANAL WORK

WAS ALREADY RECEIVING THE FAIR WAGE OF $30,000 A YEAR

Washington, March 9.—President Roosevelt has decided to continue the construction of the Panama canal under direction of the army engineering corps. Chief engineer Stevens, who recently tendered his resignation resigned because he thinks his salary of $30,000 a year is not enough for the work he is doing and because he is sensitive about criticism and resents interference with his work. It is understood that he is leaving the government service to accept a position in connection with a great engineering enterprise at an annual salary more than double that he now receives from the government.

Major George W. Goethals of the engineer corps of the army, was today appointed chairman of the canal commission and chief engineer to succeed Stevens. His salary as a member of the commission will be $15,000 a year. Major David Dub Gaillard of the engineer corps, was also appointed as a member of the commission, with major William L. Sibert, another engineer. While no decision has been yet reached as to whether another attempt will be made to secure contractors willing to undertake the construction of the canal, it is known that president Roosevelt has under consideration a plan to turn the entire work over to the engineer corps of the army, at the head of which is brigadier general Alexander Mackenzie. The president believes that the engineer corps which has completed many large projects, will be able to build the canal without scandals. The president will in all probability send a message to congress at its next session recommending the enactment of legislation which will place the chief of engineers in charge of the work, under direction of the president. President Roosevelt's determination to place the work in charge of army engineers was announced at the White House today when a letter addressed to the canal commission was made public. In this letter the president said in part:

The purpose of the contract was to secure the services of the best, the most experienced and most skilled contractors in the country, at the least risk to them, and at the least expense to the government. An investigation into the two bids shows that this purpose of the government has failed. In each bid the contractors of experience, whose personal services in the work are what the commission has sought, have made arrangements to divide the profit under the percentage bid with bankers or others to whom the contractors have to look for the needed capital; so that the contractors who are actually to do the work have arranged to accept a comparatively small proportion of the profits accruing under the contract.

In other words, the government, by this arrangement is made to pay a high percentage for the use of the capital, which it might itself have furnished at a much lower rate, while the percentage which the contractors are to receive for the real benefit they are to confer on the government is reduced to very meagre and perhaps inadequate compensation. No contract can ultimately operate to the benefit of the government in which the contractors' energy, skill, experience and personal supervision of the work are not adequately paid for."

EASTERN BLIZZARD

Terrific Storm in Nova Scotia—Several Lives Reported Lost.

Halifax, March 9.—Reports of wrecks and casualties in yesterday's terrific blizzard, at Cape Breton and eastern Nova Scotia are beginning to drift in, although, owing to the enormous drifts, communication is not yet restored between the towns. At least two and probably more, persons perished in the storm. Angus Macdonald, of Antigonish harbor, lost his way while proceeding from town and wandered out on the ice along the shore and perished, his body being found in the morning. John Brown, 18 years old, of Sydney Mines, left his home at the height of the blizzard and this morning was found dead a quarter of a mile from his parents' house. James and John McLeod, miners, at Sydney colliery, No. 1, while coming from work during the storm, were struck by an engine. James McLeod's skull was fractured and his condition is very serious. John McLeod had a leg broken. Two boys employed at Sydney No. 3 colliery, started to walk to their homes at Sydney Mines and an hour later, men returning from their work found then unconscious in a snow drift.

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, March 9—Now is the hour at hand when women who delight in dainty underwear get in their best work. Every year these fascinating garments grow finer and finer and more costly. The days are past when women make great differences in winter and summer apparel and the sheerest of lawns and the daintiest of laces and embroideries are as much to be seen in the lingerie shop in midwinter as in summer. It is in the outer garments that my lady looks for warmth.

Of course one may have lingerie at a cost that to the ordinary woman would mean a small fortune, for instance, a recent bride paid $1000 for one skirt and a set of three pieces. But to the woman of moderate means such extravagance is out of the question, but by taking a look at these beautiful creations and by the aid of her own clever fingers she often contrives and creates an outfit which if purchased in the shop would cost far more than she could otherwise afford, and more, there is much satisfaction in thus outdoing circumstances.

The stout woman and the thin woman must in the selection of their underwear patterns study proportions as much as they do for their dresses. As long as there are stout women and thin women will there be combination garments that have not an inch too much to spare and chemises that are full of fluffiness to increase the figure. For the stout woman who wishes to reduce her size to the minimum ,the combination suit certainly aids her in attaining this end. Every particle of superfluous fulness is done away with, by a clever method of cutting and a seam at the waist line, making it the garment by all odds the best to wear under he princess gown. Now the chemise is the friend of the slender woman. In the new models there is no front opening, being slipped over the head, which makes possible all sorts of elaborate trimming schemes either of artistically inset laces or beautiful designs in embroidery.

Many make a great mistake in thinking that it is economy to buy inexpensive materials. While it is not worth while to purchase sheet materials for less than 25 cents a yard, good long cloth, cambric, muslin, serviceable for night gowns, drawers and ordinary petticoats can at the best be bought sometimes for much less. For corset covers, handkerchief linen is most dainty and serviceable if of a god quality, which should be about 50 cents a yard and if one makes their own covers this expense can be taken.. Batiste is another material that is liked because of its daintiness and adaptability to all sorts of uses but care must be taken, as it is not, after all, as durable as nainsook, because of the uneven threads and dimity has the same if not worse fault, and tears easily, therefore do not put very expensive trimmings upon either, but reserve them for the fine linens. China silk is liked for underwaists and skirts. The reckless profusion of hand embroidery is perhaps to the uninitiated the most surprising feature of these marvellous sets of dainty lingerie. One mode of decoration is setting medallions of hand embroidery in an insertion of real lawn, the insertion in turn being edged with a narrow lace, the whole resembling flowers framed in lace in a chemise-nightgown, that is, that it slips over the head instead of opening in front, the gown falling full from a round yoke, inset with medallions. The pointed yoke effect is a great favorite and one in which the fine needle worker may adapt many a pattern, as the yoke may be entirely finished before it is set on the garment; after being joined to the gown it is usually finished with a deep ruffle. On a number of new gowns seen kimona sleeve is often used. Most of the sleeves are "conspicuous by their absence" for anything reaching below the elbow is not for the moment tolerated and many are even shorter than elbow length. Ribbons, yards of them, in bows, ties and fluttering ends are used. But speaking of ribbons these are not the narrow silken strips of the past, but lustrous shimmery bands, which need much coaxing to pass through the little eyelets, and which broaden out into chic little bows.

But the woman who must send her fine clothes to the laundress or worse, the so-called laundries, though she may have a few nice pieces, has a full supply from which has been eliminated all unnecessary ruffles and laces. Instead of beading, casings run with linen tapes or colored wash ribbons. This casing is made by finishing the neck and sleeves with a bias band of the material which when finished is about an inch in depth and wears as long as the gown itself—and we all know how quickly beadings wear out. Another new fancy to be used instead of beading is working little eyelets around the top of the corset cover or other garments and running narrow ribbons through. The woman who does not mind work will insert beading over all seams and little wheels of lace over the fronts. All garments are finished with underseams and in many cases are covered with fine feather-stitching.

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CHURCH SERVICES TODAY

The services announced for today in the churches of Nelson are as follows:

Anglican—St. Saviour's church, corner of Ward and Silica streets. Fourth Sunday in Lent. Holy communion, 8:00 a. m.; morning prayer and litany, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 3:30 p.m.; evensong, 7:30; Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

Catholic—Church of Mary Immaculate, corner of Ward and Mill streets. Low mass, 8 a.m.; high mass, 10:30; evening service, 7:30. Rev. Father Althoff, priest.

Salvation Army—Barracks on Victoria street, west of Josephine. Special services will be held today. Knee drill, 7 a.m.; holiness meeting, 11 a.m.; praise meeting, 3 p.m.; evening meeting, 8 o'clock.

Baptist church—Stanley street, near Mill. Morning service, 11 a.m.; evening service, at 7:30; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; Rev. E. H. Shanks, pastor.

Presbyterian Church—St. Paul's, corner Victoria and Kootenay streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m.; Rev. J. T. Ferguson, pastor.

Methodist church—Corner Silica and Josephine streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school and pastor's bible class 2:30. Friends and visitors cordially welcomed. Rev. R. N. Powell, pastor. Morning topic, "Dwarfs and Giants," a chalk talk to the children; evening topic, "A Splendid Investment," a special address to young people.

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The minerals known as mica are compound silicates of alumina, with other bases, such as iron, soda, potash, magnesia and lithia. They occur in small scales, as a constituent part of the common granite, or in distinct crystals occasionally measuring as much as 3 or 4 feet in diameter.

The mica minerals are, muscovite or potash mica and biotite or magnesian-iron mica.

Muscovite is the most common variety. It is known as "white mica," and furnishes the transparent sheets for stove doors, phonographs, electric instruments, etc. In thin sheets its is colorless; in thick blocks it varies from white to grey, brown or wine-colored. Muscovite is much harder than any other of the mica minerals, having a hardness of 2.5 to 3. There are many varieties of muscovite, some thirty different minerals, but for the purpose of this article they are classed under the one common name "muscovite."

Biotite or magnesia-iron mica varies in color from various shades of green to black; when in thick crystals it is most commonly a deep black. It is very common in Canada, and furnishes what is known in the trade as "amber mica." Even in very thin sheets it is only partially transparent, being highly colored from the iron oxide present. Biotite is often found in small, very dark, even black scales and crystals. Mica (muscovite) in crystals large enough to be of commercial value occurs in veins or dykes of very coarse granite, usually in a granitic country rock or gneiss, mica-schist, or porphyritic-granite. The quartz, felspar and mica of these veins of granite appear in large crystals or masses. The mica often occurs in regular strings of crystals parallel to, and near the hanging or foot walls. More frequently, however, the mica crystals are found in irregular bunches anywhere in the vein, especially noticeable where a vein "bellies," or in off shoots. Mica veins often enclose flattened crystals of garnet, tourmaline, beryl, as well as quartz in thin plates between the sheets. In the phosphate districts of Ontario and Quebec, amber mica is often found associated with the phosphate veins, at times occurring on the walls and at times forming the whole vein matter.

A mica vein is only a vein of very course granite in which the quartz, felspar and mica have crystalized out on a large scale. It differs from the ordinary granite chiefly in this respect, that while in granite the crystallizing forces have, in a measure, interfered with each other, in a mica vein each has had, so to speak, free play. The crystals of mica in granite seldom reach a greater size than one-sixteenth to one-quarter of an inch across, while a single block of mica has been obtained weighing considerably over one ton; this coming from the state of Carolina. The crystals of felspar in granite are seldom larger than those of mica; but a single crystal has been obtained weighing over 800 lbs. Although no large quartz crystals have been obtained from the majority of the mica mines, large masses of crystalline quartz are frequently met with. The accompanying small crystals of garnet, etc. are generally sprinkled through the quartz and not through the mica and felspar. In North Carolina the mica veins are true fissures, differing in this respect from the mica veins in many other parts of the country.

Of the influence of the wall rocks on the quality and quantity of the mica, but little is known. Some mining men state that both the quantity and quality of the mica depends upon the wall rock as well as upon the veins; but so many circumstances influence the quality of mica that an absolute opinion cannot very well be expressed. Usually good mica is not found until a depth of from 10 to 20 feet has been obtained; from that depth downwards the quality gradually improves. The veins occasionally vary a great deal in width; instances are known of the same vein varying from 3 to 20 feet in width; some times the "nipping" of the vein occasions an entire obliteration of it. In some veins there are a quantity of stringers branching off of it; in these cases the off shoots almost always carry a very fine variety of mica, though sometimes of small dimensions.

The rough mica is hoisted from the mines in blocks as large as possible; they should run from 50 to 300 pounds. It is the purpose of the dressing to free the blocks from all material not made use of in preparing cut mica. This is all done by hand, and consists of cleaving the block with thin steel wedges along planes of lamination, separating it into a number of tabular pieces about half an inch thick, and as large as the blocks will allow. These pieces are further cleaved until the proper thickness of cut mica is obtained, this being according to the use it is to be put to, one-eighth to one-sixteenth of an inch or even thinner. The workman doing this also frees the sheets from adhering quartz, fragments of mica, etc., and passes them on to the "scriber." Scribing is an operation demanding considerable skill and experience. Upon it depends the yield of the cut from block mica. It is performed by laying upon the sheet the pattern by which it is to be cut and marking or scribing around it with a knife or similar instrument. The patterns are pieces of tin or sheet iron with the shape and size determined by the order. After the scribing the sheets are cut with heavy shears along the lines marked down. It will at once appear that much skill and experience are required of a good scriber. He must be constantly on the watch to furnish from each piece the largest number of valuable cut sheets. With the great difference in patterns and prices, and the variations in the mica itself, this becomes no easy task. No matter how much mica is mined, nor how good the quality of it, if the sheets be not properly scribed the yield of cut mica diminishes, and with it the profit. A really skilful scriber will get twice as much mica from a block as a beginner.

The price of mica depends not only upon the size (larger sheets being many times more valuable than the smaller ones, but also upon its freedom from specks, stains, cloudiness and striations, these governing its quality. During recent years a certain "amber" or rum colored mica has become fashionable, and very high prices are sometimes paid for a good lot of extra "rum" mica. The regular colorless or "white" mica, however, commands the bulk of the trade. On an average a block of mica weighing 100 pounds will only yield from 10 to 12 pounds of good cut mica. In recent years the preparation of ground mica has become an industry of itself. Waste or scrap mica is generally used. The difficulties of grinding are great, owing to the tough scaly nature of the material. Mills which work well on everything else fail utterly on mica. Most manufacturers keep their process of grinding a secret, but it is generally done upon the old fashioned principal of the burr-stones, the mica being ground in its wet state. Ground mica is largely used as a lubricant for journals and axle-bearings. It is also largely used in the manufacture of wall paper giving the frosted and spangled effect as well as the white metallic surface.

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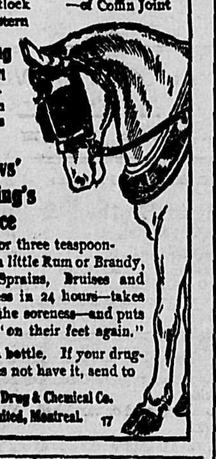

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Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.

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

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

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

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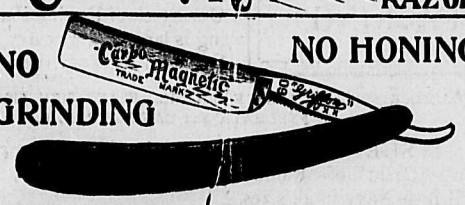

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MRS. EDDY IS CHILDISH

IN INTERVIEW WITH HER SON SHE ONLY BABBLED.

ADMITTED THAT HER FACULTIES WERE FAILING HER.

New York, March 9.—Geo. W. Glover, son of Mary Baker G. Eddy, who is behind the suit entered against the officials of the Christian Science church for an accounting of Mrs. Eddy's property, said today in an interview that he was moved by a sense of filial duty to the rescue of his mother. For years the wish to free here has been in his heart. It seemed to him merely a vain longing. He was poor and had no rich nor influential friends. He knew the power, in wealth and brains, that hedged about the sequestered woman at Pleasant View, Concord. It had been demonstrated to him more than once so forcefully that he had yielded to it in despair.

Another potent reason for his inactivity was the belief that the mental faculties of his mother were unimpaired. In one great crisis of his life he had seen her will bend absolutely to that of Calvin A. Frye. The dominant control exerted over the aged woman by the personage in the livery of a footman—humbly cloaking the ermine of authority—had been illustrated, admitted, in no uncertain way. Yet Glover could not understand why, if she willed it, his mother should not drive Frye and his associates from the fountain head of the Church of Christ Scientist, and assert her supremacy there.

The awakening of the only son of Mary Baker G. Eddy to possibilities he had only dreamed of was as the lifting of a burden which he had carried, almost without hope. In an insistent intent to right by legal action that which was believed to be a stupendous wrong—not simply to one defenseless woman but to a devoutly cherished faith—the action of George W. Glover was begun. If money and learning were essential to the success of the undertaking, so too, in a large measure were the activities of this western miner, unlettered, penniless. This point of view would have seemed absurd a few weeks ago to Glover, struggling along far out in the Black Hills; but now he is confident his long cherished dream will be realized.

A stolen interview, ten years ago, between mother and son, had opened Glover's eyes to the changed condition of his mother's life—had chilled him. No wonder that hopelessness and despair soon were evolved out of the astonishment of his mother's weakness.

In Glover's absorbing story there is no word of reproach against his mother. To him, as he paints her, she was, in the period of his life to which he steadfastly confines his view, ever tender and generous. She had helped him even when she knew that for her filial act she must suffer from the wrath of those who surrounded her. He would not go back in his history beyond his sixteenth year, until which time his mother had apparently not known of his existence. It is plain that this attitude is prompted by both an inherent chivalry and by the knowledge that Mrs. Eddy tried, if with futility, to make amends to him.

When Mrs. Eddy recognized her son long, long ago, and took him to herself she tried to open his mind to Christian Science. She herself tutored him, or rather made him her pupil. Other adepts, too, took the youth in hand in an effort to train him in the cult.

The seed fell on barren ground. The boy from the west had a certain native alertness of mind, but his intellect had lain inert so long that it could not be aroused to grasp the problems of the faith. Christian Science to him was a darkened pool, into which he looked and saw nothing. Realizing his lack of aptitude for the attainments of a scholar, his mother was forced to dismiss him as a pupil, and placed him in another field of endeavor.

"I think you will make a better miner than Christian Scientist," said she, cheerfully concealing here disappointment.

Had George Glover been able to equip himself for the duty he would have become his mother's mainstay in her enthronement as a prophet, been her pride, and, possibly, have succeeded to her sovereignty when she must surrender to death or infirmities. Had this, in part, all come to pass, Mrs. Eddy would not be, as she is today, a prophet emeritus, shown of every vestige of power.

Glover and his daughter, Mary, saw Mrs. Eddy on January 2, last.

The result of the interview, as set down immediately afterward, by both of them, forms a weird and dramatic chapter in this history.

In the disjointed sentences of one tottering on the verge of imbecility, Mrs. Eddy gave the lie to the assertion that she in in full possession of her mind, and capable of directing the great business of the church and her own personal affairs.

She was a pitiable sight, her once dormant mind hopelessly wrecked. She actually babbled as she talked to the two wondering ones before her.

The visitors gleaned from her words that she believed attempts had been made to murder her; that she thought Frye honest; that if he should prove otherwise she was ruined; that she had once made a will, but it had been stolen, and that she had then made another will, which had been put in a safe place. She talked of things that had never happened, of which that concerning the will was not one, for the will assuredly was stolen, and she talked of people that never existed, or whim, at least, her visitors had no knowledge.

The interview was one of horror for Glover and his daughter, and they were greatly relieved when it was over and they were clear of the grounds of the big esate.

Whatever doubts Glover may have had as to his duty were removed by the appearance and words of his mother.

MEN'S FASHIONS FOR 1907

Prominent Authority on the Changes in the Double Breasted Frock Coat

In his earlier correspondence the president of the Semi-Ready company said there was very little change in the style of the frock coat for the season of 1907. The first models shown in the Semi-ready Wardrobe here attracted a great deal of attention by reason of the graceful curve in front. Its leading characteristics are a fairly broad silk-faced lapel rolling to the second button, with the long skirt coming just below the knee . The drapery of the skirt is very artistic.

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AFTER FLYING ROLLERS

TROUBLE ENTERS RANKS OF LATEST RELIGIOUS SECT.

INDIGNANT MEMBER WILL SUE FOR A NACCOUNTING.

Benton Harbor, Mich., March. 8.—If he can bring it about, F. C. Shanabarger, a backsliding member of Purnell's sect of Israelities, or Flying Rollers, as they are more widely known, is going to dethrone Benjamin Purnell and his wife Mary, who hold full sway over their followers. The distinguishing feature, outwardly, of the believers in Purnell is their heads of hair worn in long flowing tresses down their backs. They are colonized here to the number of several hundred and call their group of buildings and grounds a city to which they have given the name, House of David.

If newly arrived converts are married, the husband and wife must separate, and their children, if they have any, are taken from them and put in charge of custodians and special tutors. Men and women are segregated and are not allowed to mingle except at work or in their dining halls.

There is no such thing as husband or wife in the House of David. No children are allowed to be born, for the leaders of the colony teach that all children brought into the world between now and the millennium are unholy and will surely die. Every physically able member of the colony must work, but none are forced to do more than they individually consider a day's work.

In all their building operation not one penny has been expended for labor, for in their colony are experts at many trades. They have their own stores and manufacturing plants. The colonists have three large bands of musicians. Their Australian band is one of the finest musical organizations in this part of the country, and now the young ladies have effected an organization which will make its appearance in the spring and will lend its aid to help bring the wayfarer to think as Benjamin and Mary teach.

Whenever new recruits arrive in Benton Harbor they are expected, if they have any money or property, to turn it over unreservedly to Benjamin and Mary for "the use of the colony." No receipt of any kind is given to show that the new members ever held any property. From what has been turned over to Benjamin in the past three years it is estimated by Mr. Shanabarger that Benjamin is now worth several millions of dollars in cash, lands and stocks. In this immediate vicinity he is in possession of nearly 1000 acres of the finest fruit land in the country, which is worth nearly $1000 per acre.

He has numerous houses and lots in this city, and, for that matter, there is hardly a state in the union where Benjamin does not own valuable property. Land agents have been sent out from the colony to dispose of this land for cash to be turned into the Flying Rollers treasury, the key to which is held by Purnell.

In return for what the members give Benjamin he promises them, verbally, that he will keep them through the millenium, and that they will not have to work, except when they feel so disposed, that they will be fed, clothed, and be given good accommodations. They all live from a common fund, which is provided, Benjamin says, from this money that is received from the property turned over to him.

It is to Purnell's method of administering finances that Shanabarger seriously objects. He says Purnell never lets go of the money that is given to him. Mr. Shanabarger gives the Benton Harbor colony of the Flying Rollers just three more years of existence. He says that Benjamin is a grafter, and will some day step down and out with a fortune. The seeds of discord have been sown and trouble is expected.

Preparations are being made to send the emissaries from the colony out through the United States again this spring. They will travel this year entirely by automobiles, as Benjamin has bought twenty touring machines, which will be equipped in the Israelite shops.

Coy Purnell, son of Benjamin and Mary, has deserted his parents and left Benton Harbor for the south, where he is making his home with his father's brother. The young man, who is a little past twenty years of age, does not approve of the methods adopted by his parents. He does not like the long, flowing tresses, and so last spring he had his beard shaved, and is a regular patron of the barber shops. He declares that he does not want to have any trouble with his father because he realizes that some day there will be a vast fortune which will come to him.

MANITOBA CABINET CHANGES

Winnipeg, March 9.—It is understood that the provincial secretaryship will be offered to Colin Campbell; that Hon. J. N. Agnew will take over the office of attorney general, and that Hugh Armstrong will become provincial treasurer. Dr. McFadden has received the consolations of many of his associates, his long connection with the government and his legislative experience having made him one of the best known politicians of the country. He has not yet surrendered his post and was about the government buildings this morning. It is understood that Dr. McFadden will be given a post in the agricultural college.

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LAND NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "J. T. Burgess' N.E. corner, situated 100 feet south of the railway track on the east line of timber license 7821, thence east 40 chains, more or less, to J. A. Sullivan's pre-emption line; thence north along said line to right of way of B. C. Southern railway; thence west to place of commencement, containing 25 acres more or less. 24-2

Staked this 15th day of February, 1907.
J. T. BURGESS, Locator.
GEO. A. HUNT, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "T. W. Savary's N.E. post," and planted at the south boundary of K. and S. block 823, on the west shore of South bay of Howser lake, thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains, more or less east to shore of bay; thence along shore of bay to point of commencement, the whole containing 320 acres.

T. W. SAVARY.
J. R. EDMONDSON, Agent.
Kaslo, Nov. 29, 1906. 24-2

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the main Fosthall creek, and at the southeast corner of W. F. Taylor's application to purchase and marked, 'Emma Wright's Northeast corner,' thence running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

EMMA WRIGHT.
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent.
Dated Dec. 20, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in Kootenay District, B.C.: Commencing at a post marked "J. Cameron's S.W. corner," said post being on the west side of Upper Arrow lake, opposite Nakusp and at the N.E. corner of Lot 7310, running west 16 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 7 chains; thence following the lake shore in a southerly direction 60 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 60 acres more or less.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1907.
J. CAMERON.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of E. C. Taylor's application to purchase, situate about one mile south of Fosthall creek and marked, "Dorothy Toye's Northeast corner," thence running west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

DOROTHY TOYE
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent.
Dated Dec. 20, 1906.

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.

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 on the east shore of Kootenay lake and being the same ground covered by pre-emption No. 211, which I have cancelled, and which may be more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "David Black's N.W. corner," said post being on the shore of said Kootenay lake, thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less to lake shore; thence northerly following the sinuosity of the lake shore, 80 chains more or less to point of commencement, the whole containing 320 acres, be the same more or less.

Dated this 28th day of Dec., 1906.
DAVID BLACK.

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: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of W. A. Calder's pre-emption in Township 69, West Kootenay district, and marked "J. McL.'s S.W. corner," thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west ,to place of commencement, containing east half section 34, and west half section 35, being 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Dec. 5, 1906.
JAMES McLAUCHLAN,
W. A. CALDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B.C., for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked by name "Gerald Rees N.E corner post," at the north west corner of the purchase claim staked April 20th, 1906 by D. A. Boyd and F. J. Sammons, thence 40 chains west, along the C.P.R. right of way; thence 10 chains south; thence 20 chains east; thence 10 chains north to post of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 15, 1906.
GERALD S. REES.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "John D. Atchison's N.E. corner," planted near K. and S. block 823, at foot of North bay of Howser lake, thence south 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence 20 chains more or less along shore of bay to point of commencement, the whole containing 80 acres, more or less.

JOHN D. ATCHISON.
FRANK FLETCHER, Agent.
Nov. 26, 1906. 24-2

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 in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of section 34, township 69, and marked "G.K.'s S.W. corner," thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains west to place of commencement, being the west half of section 34, township 69, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

DAVID G. KURTZ.
W. A. CALDER, Agent.
Dated Jan. 14th, 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 situated on the south, shore of the West Arm of Kootenay lake, nine miles from Nelson, and joining lot 4401: Commencing at a post marked "M. M. Winter's N.W. corner post," thence east 20 chains, more or less; thence south 20 chains, more or less; thence west to the lake shore ,and thence following the lake shore to the point of commencement.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1907.
M. M. WINTER.

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 land, situated on the west side of Kootenay river, and covering all of A. L. Stewart's abandoned pre-emption No. 759 ,and about one-eighth of a mile north of Angus Curry's pre-emption: Commencing at a post marked "Sidney J. Cummings' southeast corner post," thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains, to place of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1907.
SIDNEY J. CUMMINGS.

TIMBER NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district:

No. 1—Commencing at a post marked "N.E. corner post," located about eight miles from Slocan river on Main Lemon creek, thence running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1907.

No. 2—Commencing at a post marked "N.W. sorner post," located about eight miles from Slocan river, on the Main Lemon creek, thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west, to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1907.

No. 3—Commencing at a post marked "N.W. corner post," located about nine miles from Slocan river, on Main Lemon creek, thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1907.

No. 4—Commencing at a post marked "N.W. corner post," located about ten miles from Slocan river, on Main Lemon creek, thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west, to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or les.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1907.

No. 5—Commencing at a post marked "N.W. corner post," located about 11 miles from Slocan river, on Main Lemon creek, thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80c hains west, to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1907.
24-2 HENRY REICHERT.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in the district of West Kootenay:

No. 1—Commencing at a post planted about three miles up from the mouth of Heart creek in an easterly direction and about two miles and one half miles south of Heart creek and on the west bank of the north fork of Tate creek, and marked "James W. Kelley's S.W. corner post," thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Located Feb. 6, 1907.
JAMES KELLEY, Locator.

No. 2—Commencing at a post south of and adjoining location No. 1, and marked "James J. Kelley's N.W. corner post of location No. 2," thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Located Feb. 6, 1907.
JAMES KELLEY, Locator.

No. 3—Commencing at a post planted 160 chains south of location post No. 2, and marked "W. W. Laurie's N. W. corner post of location No. 3," thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Located Feb. 6, 1907.
18-2 W. W. LAURIE, Locator.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situate in the valley of Big Sheep creek, commencing 3 1-2 miles north of the International Boundary line and about three-uaqrters of a mile west of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard railway company's land grant in the District of West Kootenay:

1. Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of J. R. Cranston's pre-emption and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a post planted one mile north of J. R. Cranston's location No. 1 and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

3. Commencing at a post planted 1 1-2 miles north of the northeast corner of A. D. Christie's pre-emption and marked the "northeast post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

4. Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of J. R. Cranston's location No. 1 and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

5. Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of J. R. Cranston's location No. 2 and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

6. Commencing at a post planted about one mile north of J. R. Cranston's location No. 3, and marked the "northeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

7. Commencing at a post planted 1 1-2 miles north of the northwest corner of J. R. Cranston's location No. 4, and marked the "northwest corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence south 120 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

8. Commencing at a post planted on the north line of J. R. Cranston's location No. 5 and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement.

J. R. CRANSTON, Locator.
Jan. 30, 1907.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Edith, Jennie and Ibis Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: On Goat Mountain, near Creston.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John D. Anderson, P.L.S. ,of Trail, B.C., agent for G. A. M. Young, Free Miner's Certificate No. B906, 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 19th day of December ,A.D., 1906. J. D. ANDERSON.

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT

Rio Tenie, Queen Victoria Fraction and Orinoco Fractional Mineral Claims, 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 Michael Egan, Free Miner's certificate ..o. G515, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvement, 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 Improvement.

F. C. GREEN, Nelson, B.C.
Dated this 26th day of January, A.D., 1907.

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.

NOTICE

TO CONTRACTORS AND THE PUBLIC

At a meeting of the Nelson Federal Labor Union held on March 4, it was decided that after April 1st, 1907, they would accept not less than $3 per day of nine hours for excavating; $3.50 for carpenters' helpers, and $4 per day of eight hours for mortar mixers and hod carriers, except for work which has been contracted for prior to March 7th, 1907.

As the cost of living has considerably increased since the present standard of wages was established, the union believes that the public will readily endorse this action.

W. LYNCH, President.
G. DANGERFIELD, Secretary.
Nelson, March 4th, 1907.

NOTICE

KOOTENAY LAKE GENERAL HOSPITAL SOCIETY—NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

In accordance with the bylaws of the society, the annual general meeting will be held in the board of trade rooms on Tuesday, March 12th at 3 p.m.

Membership conditions—All annual subscribers of the sum of $10 are members of the society eligible to take part in the election of directors for the ensuing eyar, and in case of illness are entitled to free treatment in the hospital.

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COPPER STOCKS
(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

New York, March 9—The following are today's quotations for the stocks mentioned:

Stock	Asked	Bid
Granby	151¼	138¾
Dominion Copper	6½	6
B. C. Copper	7⅝	6⅞

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Hugh B. Gilmour, Vancouver, is a guest at the Hume.

The annual meeting of the Kootenay Lake general hospital society will be held in the board of trade rooms on Tuesday afternoon next at 3 o'clock.

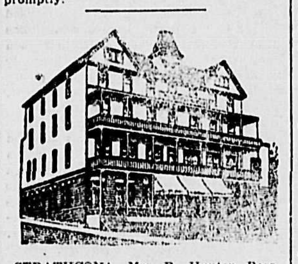
The lights on Baker street are all turned off now about 11:30, leaving that thoroughfare dependent on any store lights that may be burning; a change is advisable.

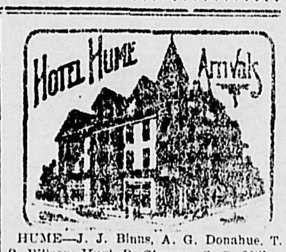
The second shoot of the Nelson gun club was held yesterday afternoon when two events were pulled off with the following result: First, 50 birds, Ink, 37; Goepel, 36; Mawdsley, 32; Blackwood, 27; Ward, 27; second, 25 birds, Young, 17; Hunter, 11. The next shoot will take place next Saturday afternoon.

Thomas Morley has received from inspector Cunningham a number of copies for distribution of a pamphlet on orchard cleansing, and remedies for insect pests and diseases. Ranchers and others can obtain copies upon application to Mr. Morley.

A traveller who reached the city from the west yesterday morning said last night: "Yes; your lights on Baker street are a good advertisement, that with your own power plant, you have power to burn, but why don't you make more of your power house? When I passed there this morning I noticed that the building needs painting badly, and for the benefit of travelers you should have a good big sign 'Nelson City Power Plant,' on top of the building. Your 20,000 club should take the matter up."

The city council will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening and incidentally there are a couple of matters that may be brought up. One is the securing of more shade trees for free distibution as was done last year, and the other is the spring clean up of the city streets, lanes and yards. With few exceptions the trees given out by the city last year have all taken and promise well. The number distributed this year could be increased with profit over that of last spring. Every one is in favor of the move. The cleaning up of the city streets will presumably come when the season is far enough advanced, but Nelson might with profit follow the example of Spokane, where practically the whole population turned out yesterday and made a day of it cleaning up. The council should take some step this year which will prevent the streets being littered with paper and rubbish generally. The matter can be accomplished easily if the council will go about it in the right way and promptly.





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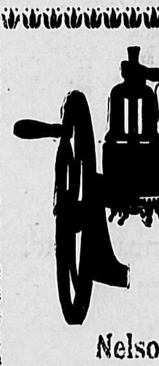

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