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CAUSE OF WALK OUT

Proposed New Wage Scale Unsatisfactory to All the Miners

No Formal Strike, Men Simply Will Not Continue at Work in Face of Prospective Reduction in Pay

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, April 16.—Frank B. Smith, of Edmonton, appointed by the minister of labor to represent three of the coal operators, and T. B. Barker, of Lee Lake, to represent four thereof, are expected here on Thursday to confer with L. P. Eckstein, the miners' representative in regard to the appointment of a chairman of the board of conciliation which has been appointed with respect to the disputes between the employers and employes.

(Special to The Daily News)

Michel, April 16.—Although no strike has been called work at the Michel collieries is as completely tied up as is possible under a strike order. The coal company posted a long list of agreements on Thursday which were so unsatisfactory to the miners that Friday was declared a holiday by them to allow the polling on the strike question. Few men went to work Saturday morning, by far the largest part brought their tools out of the mines and today less than 20 men are working in No. 8, while not a man is working in No. 5 and No. 3 Even the crews at the coke ovens and the timber men are working with only half enough men; these, too, are expected to quit in a day or two. Very little coal is availably for the power house and no doubt Michel will soon be in darkness. There is not a single man in the camp who will go to work at the offer made by the coal company in its circular. While there is no bitterness existing, there is manifest a determination among the men that was altogether absent during the strike last fall. Many Italians are now leaving camp, but few of the other classes are yet leaving, preferring to wait for awhile and hoping for a favorable change in the situation.

During the strike last fall Michel union was in splendid financial condition, having a large amount of money available to give assistance to its members during the trouble. Now the case stands different, the depleted treasury has not been filled, very little money being on hand for emergency in case of a strike.

Spokane, April 16.—British Columbia mining men in the city last night received reports that the big mining strike in the Crow's Nest and Alberta districts was on and that the mines were closed.

Albert I. Goodell, manager of the Northport smelter and manager Hodges of the Granby, who were in the city last night, said that they had heard rumors that the coal miners had walked out, but that they had received no definite word that the big walkout had occurred. Both said that if the strike had commenced and continued for any length of time that the mining industry of British Columbia would be seriously crippled.

The coke for the Granby, Trail, Nelson, Northport, B. C. Copper company and Dominion Copper company smelters is supplied by the coal and coke companies of the Crews Nest and Alberta districts. It is estimated that these smelters use approximately 40,000 tons of coke a month. The Granby is the heaviest consumer, using between 12,000 and 15,000 tons monthly.

None of the plants have a large supply on hand. During the fall and winter operations have been curtailed by the strike of last fall at Fernie, B. C., the car shortage, the fuel scarcity and severe weather. The plants have just recovered from all of these adversities and to be forced to close for a prolonged period would be a serious blow to the companies and to that entire district of British Columbia.

Calgary, Alta., April 16.—J. D. McNiven, fair wage officer of the department of labor, is in the city today regarding the labor difficulties of the coal miners. He is quite satisfied that the new bill will result in something tangible being done. "The bill commences where the contending parties usually left off," he said. "In the majority of controversies the contending parties usually fought it out among themselves and then, as a last resort, decided to refer the points at issue to arbitration. Now the arbitrators will be at work in the first instance and I believe that a great deal of time will be saved in the settlement of strikes and lockouts."

Lethbridge, Alta., April 16.—The walk-out at Coleman has shut down the biggest coal mining property in western Canada, with the exception of the properties of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, at Michel, Fernie and Coal Creek. The Coleman colliery owned by the International Coal & Coke company, has a daily output of 1500 to 1800 tons of coal, about one quarter of which is converted into coke. The miners, half the total force, work under contract for the following scale: 55 cents per ton raised, 5 cents per lineal foot for standarding props outside of chute; 10 cents per lineal foot for putting in chute; 5 cents per foot in height in lineal yard, for brattice work; $1 per yard for driving cross cuts. Miners average $4.75 to $5 per day of 8 hours. The other employes are day laborers, and are paid, drivers $2.50 per shift of 8 hours, and $2.75 if in wet, men carrying timber $2.75, timbermen, trackmen and bratticemen all $3. This scale is in the principal seam No. 2. It is the same on No. 4 seam, except the rate per ton is 50 cents per ton. The coke men got 80 cents for small oven and $1 per large oven, and draw three to four ovens per day, making $2.40 to $4. Formerly there was no scale at Coleman, all the men being day laborers, but there was a strike from 31st January, 1905, to February 23 following and on March 1 of that year the present agreement came into effect to last until April 1, 1907. The mines opened since all started with the scale including the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, Canmore Coal company at Canmore, Pacific Coal company at Bankhead, Canada West Coal company at Lille, and Bellevue, and Canadian American Coal company at Frank. The union at Coleman on April 1st gave the 30 days' notice required by the recent Act, but seems to have anticipated that period. The walkout is presumably to secure the terms outlined by president Sherman, including a 10 per cent increase. The Coleman property was opened on January 1, 1904, by Reynolds, the mine superintendent, and now superintendent of the Diamond Coal company at Diamond City; G. N. Galer is general manager, and George L. Fraser mine superintendent.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Nelson Liberal association takes place tomorrow evening in the board of trade rooms. All liberals are invited to attend and take part in the discussions.

All members of the Knights of Pythias are requested to atend a special meeting to be held this evening in the dining room of the Grand Central hotel. Very important business will be brought up and a full attendance is requested.

A. D. Wheeler returned yesterday from a visit to Ainsworth camp. He reports Ainsworth looking prosperous but work is somewhat retarded at the present time by the melting of the snow. The Krao and Spokane mines are both flooded and will have to be cleared before work can be satisfactorily resumed.

There was a meeting of the Industrial Workers of the World last night at which it was decided to close the charter members on Tuesday next when a social will be held at the regular meeting. The subject of co-operation in this city was taken up by the members at the meeting but the discussion was adjourned for further deliberation before active steps are to be taken.

Members of the Game Protective association recently formed here are somewhat exercised over the recent case of deer killing at Koch siding and are using the circumstances of the case as an argument in favor of the enforcement of a minimum penalty. The deer killed last Friday at Koch's mill was a pregnant doe and as such was entirely unfit for food. Deer coming down to the creek near the mill can be seen all through the winter, and could be killed by the lumber jacks with a peavy let alone a gun. There was no sport in the killing and as the doe was thrown on the refuse heap there was no justification on the plea of supporting human life. The culprits were warned by a fine of $5 each.

There was a good deal of discussion in the city yesterday as to the effect that would be produced by the coal strike, as it was known that there had not been time for the accumulation of any large stocks of either coal or coke, the C.P.R. itself not being well stocked in this direction. Manager Shipley of the local gas company, felt that a continuance of the strike would greatly inconvenience his company. Manager Campbell of the local smelter, declined to be interviewed upon the matter as it had not as yet assumed proportions that could be adjudged. On the whole the feeling is that the new act will be found to be competent to deal with the subject satisfactorily.

From one cause and another the recreation grounds are in a bad state this spring. The ground, which always heaves during the cold season, has done so worse than usual this spring and requires levelling and rolling badly. Much of the filling is washed away in places and in others is seriously threatening the fence. Near the grand stand the fence is down for over 30 feet and the remaining length is in a precarious condition, the sport of the first heavy wind. In other places the fencing is badly in need of repairs. Worse than this damage from more or less accidental causes is the deliberate breaking by some hoodlums of the water tap near the gate. No water can now be obtained. The putting of the grounds in repair will probably cost a fairly large sum.

TO ABOLISH PREFERENCE

BOURASSA FAVORS ABOLITION OF BRITISH PREFERENCE

HYMAN AGAIN FORWARDS RESIGNATION AS M. P. FOR LONDON

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, April 16.—The finance minister announced today the receipt of a telegram from his colleague, Hyman, the minister of public works, announcing that the latter had again forwarded his resignation as a member for London to the speaker.

Armstrong, Lambton, today quoted commercial agent Jackson's complaint that a large proportion of the goods from England which were receiving the benefit of the Canadian preference, are really of German origin and that the man in Britain who is making anything out of the preference is the middleman. At the same time Canada by the surtax against Germany has thrown away valuable trade with that country.

Bourassa (Labelle) contended that the fraud alluded to was the natural existence of free trade in Britain. The only remedy as far as we are concerned would be the abolition of the preference altogether, and he was in favor of doing this, since Britain had made up her mind to give us nothing in return.

Finance minister Felding denied that frauds of the kind Jackson referred to were common; an enquiry had been made into the subject some years ago and if necessary enquiry would be made again.

NAVIGATION DELAYED

For William, April 16—Navigation will be greatly delayed this year at Canadian ports. From Silver island, 25 miles out, open water was not discernable. There is miles of ice outside. Unless the ice breaker goes out it will be late in May before navigation opens here.

EVELYN'S MOTHER TALKS

DEFENDS HERSELF AGAINST THE DELMAS' CHARGES.

SHE HAD IMPLICIT CONFIDENCE IN STANFORD WHITE

Pittsburg, Pa., April 16.—The Leader this afternoon prints a six column statement from Mrs. C. J. Holman, mother of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, in which she defends herself against accusations expressed and implied against her during the Thaw trial.

She says that two nights after the night upon which Harry Thaw shot Stanford White she received this telegram from her daughter:

"It is most important for you to say absolutely nothing."

Until now she has remained silent and has ben forced to take the defensive because of the attacks made upon her by Mr. Delmas in his closing address to the Thaw jury. She denies that she aided the district attorney in any way and that she had been seen by Mr. Jerome, Mr. Garvan, or Mr. Hartridge.

Mrs. Holman then details her struggle, following the death of her first husband, in her efforts to properly rear her two children and says her daughter first posed for an artist named Storm, of Philadelphia, who met Evelyn at a summer resort when a little girl.

"Florence," she says, "was in love with the stage." She did everything to discourage her but it was useless. The story of Florence's first meeting with Stanford White, she says, is substantially as told by her upon the witness stand. When Florence returned, she told her mother she had met "the grandest man" and later when Mr. White sent for her she went to his office. Mr. White, she says warned her specifically against several young men with whom Florence had become acquainted, but did not refer to Thaw. Mr. White's words and actions were the personification of whole-hearted, disinterested generosity, Mrs. Holman says, and if ever woman reposed implicit confidence in a man, she says, she did in him. Mrs. Holman then asserts that if Florence underwent the experience that is said to have befallen her, she did not take her into her confidence. Continuing, she says:

"Had she told me what she told the Thaw jury, it would not have been necessary for Harry Thaw to kill Stanford White. I would have done it myself."

Speaking of the European trip, Mrs. Holman says: "Every detail of the trip was a nightmare to me, Mr. Thaw joined us in Paris. Florence and I shared the same apartments. Mr. Thaw had apartments to himself. There was no pleasure in the tour for me. The things which appealed to Florence and Mr. Thaw in Paris did not appeal to me. Florence testified that we quarrelled frequently while in Paris. These disagreements were caused by my protests at visits to various restaurants."

In closing Mrs. Holman said: "I solemnly affirm that my love for my daughter is as deep and intense as it was when I first held her in my arms a helpless babe. Regardless of all that has transpired my affection is unaltered. The door of my home is open to her and will open wide to her lightest tap today, tomorrow, and always, while I live."

FOR ROBBING CHILD'S BANK

Young Man Will Spend Thirty-Four years in Sing Sing

New York, April 16—Clifford H. Smith, 22 years old, the youth who was detected in the act of extracting pennies from a child's bank in a house which he had entered by force in the night, was sentenced today to serve 34 years and four months in Sing Sing prison.

SKYSCRAPER FOR VANCOUVER

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, April 16.—J. W. Weart is organizing a company here for the purpose of erecting a fourteen story skyscraper on the Arcade property in the centre of the city. The estimated cost of the structure is half a million dollars.

INFLUX OF IMMIGRANTS

Winnipeg, April 16.—Today 1700 immigrants arrived and five train loads are due tomorrow. A snowstorm has been raging for two days and the weather is cold.

CAUSE OF LUMBERMEN

Dr. King Opposes Proposed Increase in Timber Royalty

Points Out That Change Will Not Affect Speculators but Simply Injure Bona Fide Operators

(Special to The Daily News)

Press Gallery, Legislative Assembly, Victoria, April 16.—In the legislature today in committee of supply Oliver proposed to reduce the vote for the Seton lake hatchery by striking out the amount of Babcock's salary, $3000. He said that Babcock was not competent. He held also that the site of the Seton lake hatchery was badly selected and charged that the management and record of the provincial official did not compare favorably with that of the dominion hatcheries. Oliver said Babcock suited only the Canners' association, whom he served.

Fulton defended Babcock and contended that the Seton lake hatchery had a record quite equal to the dominion hatcheries.

Hawthornthwaite also took exception to Oliver's criticisms and complained that Oliver did not bring expert evidence upon which to base his arguments. No civil servant should be attacked without the best of authority for it.

The item in the estimates passed.

The bill to create an appellate court passed second reading.

A bill also passed second reading to make Doyle's scale the official scale for timber measurement east of the Cascades where timber is smaller than on the west side.

Dr. King in the debate on the second reading of the Land Act amendment argued in favor of the timber men respecting the increase in royalty. He explained that this would not affect the speculators, about which so much had ben said, but would affect the actual lumbermen. The profits of the lumbermen were not as had been represented. One man had at Ottawa declared that his profits were only 78 cents per thousand. After the royalty now proposed he would have but little left. Dr. King said it must be remembered that dominion timber lands are held in this province at $5 per square mile, whereas the provincial lands are held at $115 or $160 a mile. The dominion royalty is only 50 cents and it would be unfair therefore to those on provincial lands to raise the royalty to 75 cents.

Dr. King also argued that faith was being broken with those who took out leases two years ago, when it was represented that 50 cents was to be the royalty. He wanted the bill held over as the premier had practically represented that a new act was coming in next year. The government had promised to delay the new royalty coming into effect until January. They might as well lay it over.

Bowser moved the adjournment of the debate.

FATALITY AT PROCTOR

MILLWRIGHT ISAIAH NICKS STEPS IN MAIN DRIVE BELT.

WAS ONE OF THE PIONEERS OF THE KOOTENAYS.

(Special to The Daily News)

Procter, April 16.—An unforunate accident, which happened in the sawmill here today, resulted in the death of Isaiah Nicks. Nicks was at his work, when, by a misstep, he became entangled in the main drive belt ,and was instantly killed. Prompt assistance was rendered by his fellow workmen, but life had fled ere the body could be released from the deadly grip of the belt.

Nicks, who leaves a wife and a son of ten years to mourn his loss, was one of the pioneers of the Kootenays. He lived in Kaslo for years, in the employ of G. O. Buchanan as a millwright and expert saw filer. Later he came to Procter, and of late has been engaged in the same capacity with the Watts Lumber Co. He was a member of the Methodist church, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

The remains will be taken to Kaslo, and the interment will take place there on Thursday morning on the arrival of the Kokanee.

WORK AT THE BLUEBELL.

The force of men on the Bluebell now numbers 35. Of these twelve are employed in the mine and the balance on mill construction. The mill is intended to handle the zinc-lead ores of the Bluebell mine and will be erected from special plans prepared by S. S. Fowler, who will also supervise the installation of the machinery, says the Kaslo Kootenaian. The capacity will be 300 tons per day thus putting it in the same class as the St. Eugene. The excavations and foundations are now completed and the frame construction will be proceeded with in a few days. The site is by the lake a little to the side of the portal of the main tunnel. In the mine itself development has been carried on all winter with most satisfactory results. The amount of ore blocked out has been largely increased and further work is making the mine show up better every day.

CANADA'S EXPANDING TRADE

Traffic with United States Shows the Greatest Vitality

Ottawa, April 10—Trade returns of the dominion for the past fiscal year indicate that the increase in Canada's trade with the United States has been considerably more than double the increase in the trade with Great Britain. Trade with the other British possessions has remained about the same in volume, while trade with foreign countries other than the United States shows a fair increase. Figures for the last month of the fiscal year are not yet available, but for the eleven months ending Feb. 28 last the increase in imports from Great Britain over the corresponding period of 1905-6 was $13,640,512 and the exports to Great Britain $9,024,030, making a total increase of trade with Great Britain of $22,664,542. During the same period the increase in imports from the United States was $31,654,698 and in exports to the United States $18,309,336, making a total increase in trade with the republic of $49,964,032. Canada's total trade with the other British possessions increased during the eleven months by $392,152 and with foreign countries other than the United States the increase was $4,727,707.

OFFICERS AND ACCOUNTS

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE 20,000 CLUB LAST NIGHT

CHARLES REEDER OUTLINES RECLAMATION SCHEME

The upshot of the annual meeting of the 20,000 club last night was the appointment of a president, vice-president, treasurer, and executive committee of 12, together with an honorary president, a discussion as to the accounts of the institution and the appointment of a special committee to draft a constitution and bylaws.

The chair was taken by T. G. Procter and there were 29 persons present, including Charles Reeder of Spokane, who was invited at the opening of the meeting to outline the scheme for the reclamation of the Kootenay valley lands.

Mr. Reeder said that the Kootenay valley above Kootenay lake, contained some 80,000 acres which were all overflowed, half being in British Columbia, half across the line. The land was four-fifths meadow land, the remainder covered with cottonwood and brush which could be cleared at $25 an acre. The land was fertile but not suitable for fruit. If opened up the city of Nelson would chiefly benefit. It was not true that Montana had empowered a company to work at the scheme on both sides of the line, that could not be done except with the permission of this province. He did not intend to drain the lake, he dominion government would stop such a procedure. Similarily there could be no attempt to flood the lake lands. At low water the level at Nelson was about 1 1-2 feet below the main lake, which in turn was 12 feet below Bonner's Ferry. In the flood of 1894 the main lake rose 33 feet, the west arm 28 feet. Mr. Reeder contended that if the banks were cut away at the various narrows and rapids the little rise of the present day would be let out. Hence, in this way the top flood would not be over 15 feet above low water. It was an engineering scheme and if there should come up a flooding of the lake lands he would withdraw all his requests. His scheme would not reclaim lands from the water all the year. It would shorten the flood time and much of the higher land would be free atogether in normal high water. Low water level could not be disturbed except by dredging. If such were done then a collapsible dam would be necessary. But if the banks above low water were cut away then the flood water would get away more quickly but the low water level could not be disturbed. Mr. Reeder was of the opinion that the low water in the winter was governed by the flow into the main lake but not by the narrows at Procter acting as a dam, making a reservoir of the main lake and allowing a gradual flow out of that water over many months.

E. K. Beeston then gave some very good advice to the club as to the advisability of having a constitution, and E. W. Widdowson proposed, and W. H. Jones seconded that the club should adopt such a constitution. Mr. Jones said in support that last year some $650 had been appropriated for a folder, the club then having more than that amount to its credit. That money was not then set to he credit of the folder but was expended in other ways and finally another subscription had to be raised. This, the chairman had already explained had been promised but something like $800 remained to be raised on those promises; $200 had been paid but of this only $80 remained. The motion carried, and A. W. Dyer moved, seconded by D. C. McMorris, that the meeting appoint a committee to draw up a constitution and bylaws and report at the next general meeting. This carried and the following were appointed: Chief Deasy, A. W. Dyer, E. K. Beeston, W. H. Jones and D. C. McMorris.

The election of officers was then proceeded with and the folowing were elected: Honorary president, W. G. Gillett; president, T. G. Procter; vice-president, E. F. Gigot; treasurer, J. M. Lay; executive, R. G. Joy, J. E. Annable, Reg. Webb, chief Deasy, A. W. Dyer, H. Wright, D. C. McMorris, W. H. Jones, E. K. Beeston and E. W. Widdowson.

A. W. Dyer wanted a publication of the accounts of the institution and was told that this had already been done. Mr. Dyer pointed out that the statement of the popularity contest as to the total receipts and how expended had never been published, but instead a bare statement that the net receipts were so and so, and moved that the accounts of that contest be published. Not finding a seconder the motion dropped. A motion was then put and carried that an auditor be appointed, the selection being left to the choice of the executive. The meeting then adjourned.

LUMBER COMBINE

Calgary, Alta., April 16.—E. E. Taylor, of Calgary, who has just returned from giving evidence before the lumber committee in Ottawa, states that the evidence of the millmen and others was so far from the facts that the committee may re-summon some who gave evidence. He says that the committee are satisfied that a combine exists, and is now discussing the action to be taken to remedy it.

LEMIEUX SCORES AGAIN

SECURES REDUCTION IN POSTAGE RATE ON BRITISH PAPERS

FROM FOUR PENCE PER POUND TO ONE PENNY.

Ottawa, April 16.—In the commons today postmaster general Lemieux announced that an agreement had been reached between himself and the postmaster general of Great Britain, by which the rate of postage on British newspapers, magazines and trade journals would from May 1st be reduced from 4d per pound to 1d per pound. This would include journals posted by individuals as well as from the office of publication. One condition of the agreement, which is to last for four years, is that Canada will carry free of charge all newspapers sent by steamer subsidized by the Canadian government Great Britain recognizes that Canada is entitled to special consideration owing to her geographical situation and the necessity of encouraging British sentiment.

FOOTBALLERS ORGANIZE

Cheering Prospects Before Association Men for Coming Season

There was a lively meeting of the association football club of this city at the Bartlett house last night, J. C. Gordon being in the chair. The president of the club was extremely emphatic in his remarks as became an enthusiast in the game. He thought the club should be able to put up a game second to none in attractiveness this year and thought also they would undoubtedly be able to render a good account of all comers.

On the election of officers being proceeded with it was discovered that the club was unanimous in its choice in every instance with the following results: President, G. P. Wells; honorary president Dr. Hall, M.L.A.; vice-president, C. Burt; executive, Blake Wilson, W. R. Thompson, and H. A. Stewart; treasurer, G. W. Bartlett; secretary and manager, J. L. Meighan. The election of the captain and vice-captain was left to the members of the club. The secretary was instructed to write at once to the Coal Creek team arranging a match for May 24.

WORK OF INCENDIARY?

Suspicious Nature of Two Fires at McGill University.

Montreal, April 16.—Students and others connected with McGill university are seriously discussing the possibility of the two recent fires being the work of an incendiary. The mysterious origin of both fires and the unusual hour at which they started, the first about 5 o'clock and the last one at 1 o'clock in the morning, leads to the impression that they did not originate by accident. Unless due to disorder of mind, the professors and students can hardly conceive of any one being so vindictive as to burn up two valuable buildings, entailing a loss of over a million in money and the destruction of collections of models and specimens practically priceless in value.

McGILL'S SECOND LOSS

Medical Building Destroyed With Valuable Contents

Montreal, April 16—A second disastrous fire within two weeks, visited McGill university early today and practically destroyed the medical building, one of the oldest and most valuable of the college group. Besides the equipment, the museum, one of the best on the continent, containing many priceless specimens was destroyed. The magnificent medical library, however, was saved. Immediately after the recent fire which wiped out the engineering building, the university authorities, it is understood placed a half million dollars of extra insurance on the whole university plant. The medical building will share in this, but it is doubtful whether the insurance will cover one half the actual damage. The buildings were erected at a cost of about $50,000. The collection which they contained was beyond estimate of value.

Dr. J. H. Shepherd stated that his famous animal collection was saved.

CHAMBERLAIN'S CONDITION

Boston, Mass, April 16.—Having received word that the illness of her son-in-law, Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, the distinguished English statesman, continues serious, Mrs. W. C. Endicott, widow of the former United States secretary of war, accompanied by her son, William C. Endicott and his wife, sailed for Liverpool today on the steamer Saxonia. The party is hurrying to Mr. Chamberlain's bedside.

MEXICO'S EARTHQUAKE.

Montreal, April 16.—C. H. Capan of the Mexican Light, Heat & Power company, has wired as follows to Mr. Doble, secretary-treasurer of the company. "Had the severest earthquake of 20 years last night, lasting 20 minutes. All the stations at Neckara, Elora, and Mexico City stood the shock without a single crack. There was trifling damage to distributing system and telephone wires."

ELMENDORF RIDICULED

E. P. Davis Scores Expert Unmercifully in His Summing Up

Plaintiffs' Council Contends That New Work Sustains Their Original Claim in Every Particular

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, April 16.—All the evidence in Star vs. White appeal case before the full court was concluded at today's afternoon session and Davis commenced his summing up of the whole case for the plaintiffs.

Davis dropped his cross-examination of expert Elmendorf very unexpectedly this morning after half an hour's wrestling with the witness. He also stated that the plaintiffs would not give any further evidence as he deemed it unnecessary in view of the developments of the case on appeal.

Oscar White, S. S. Fowler and W. S. Drewry were on the stand until 2 p. m., and then Davis' address began. The actual evidence adduced today brought out nothing particularly new or startling. Davis' address was very vigorous and at times bitter. He assailed unstintedly the defendants' experts and their principal testimony which centered around the crucial positions in the mine workings, declaring the testimony was wholly unbelievable and entirely untrustworthy, viewed in the light of actual known results from new work done under the court's order. Recalling how Sizer had ben unmercifully ridiculed during the first trial at Nelson he sketched out Sizer's original position fully and what he had stated would be proved, of the new work asked for were done, following thus up with a description of how the new work proved the extension, north and south, of the black fissure, the alleged turns in the Star vein, the extension of the fissure proving that the turning walls that were sworn to by defendants' experts never had any existence in fact and proving conclusively that Sizer's main contention at the first trial was absolutely correct.

Turning his atention to Elmendorf, he attacked strongly that expert's testimony, dealing with his standing as a mining engineer and a man, declaring he must have either intended to mislead the court, or did not know his business, or was so carried away by championing his side of the case as to render his evidence as a whole valueless to the court.

Mr. Bochmer's story was held to confirm plaintiffs' version and Zwicky's and Clark's evidence on the new work, that of independent witnesses, was wholly in plaintiffs' favor.

White, Cavanaugh, Parks, Alex. Sharpe were all attacked in turn. Either they were reckless witnesses or were ignorant about mining, as was shown by their original stories as compared with the facts shown up by the new work. Over and over again Davis returned to new attacks on Elmendorf's testimony, covering much that the expert had sworn to at Nelson and all that he has testified to before the full court since the new work has been completed. Davis insisted at length, first that the plaintiffs had had one theory of the geological formation in the mine workings, that they had always held to, and advanced this one theory and that the new work together with other observations proved their contention was right.

Second, that the defendants had been driven to a change of front to meet the altered conditions as now known to exist, discrediting their former position and all testimony given to uphold it. Wherever possible to check defendants' story it was proved incorrect, therefore their witnesses should carry no weight. On the contrary the plaintiffs' testimony where checked had been found correct leaving only one inference possible. Voluminous extracts from the huge mass of testimony, were read in court in support of counsel's contention.

Bodwell was again absent from court all today on account of his brother's death. Davis expects to conclude tomorrow, then Taylor starts.

Bodwell's side will then be presented and the case will close Saturday afternoon.

FLAGS FOR SCHOOL HOUSES

Fredericton, April 16—The legislature has placed itself on record as being in favor of having the Canadian ensign float over the school houses of the province during school hours. The board of education was recommended to take the matter up with the secretaries of school boards and was empowered to appropriate a reasonable sum to assist in purchasing the flags in cases where the school boards were not willing to bear the whole cost.

ATTEMPTED TRAIN WRECK

St. John, April 16—A deliberate attempt at train wrecking is reported from Sussex, on the I.C.R., when the Canadian Pacific Halifax express, westbound, had a narrow escape. An iron ring an inch in thickness was securely clamped over the rails. About the time the train passed a boy was seen running through a field. The one thing that prevented a derailment was the fact that the track was straight at that point.

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THE INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES BILL

Hon. R. Lemieux's bill for the investigation of industrial disputes has been subjected to a good deal of criticism, but on the whole the concensus of opinion is that the bill is a move in the right direction and that it will prove of public benefit.

One weak spot in the bill has already been encountered and special attention was directed to it by the occurrences at the Taber colliery. The failure to provide machinery whereby a breach of the new law can be immediately prosecuted by some federal authority is the weak spot in question, one that was forcibly drawn to the attention of the department of labor by district president Sherman of the United Mine Workers of America.

The Montreal Herald has also noted this weakness and editorially calls attention to the need of immediate amendment to the measure to make it efficient. The Herald's sizing up of the situation is as follows:

If Mr. Lemieux's position upon the question of prosecutions under the new Conciliation Act which generally bears his name is correct, there is a gap in that legislation which will have to be filled in before it can be relied on to achieve the prime object for which it was passed. The Lemieux legislation, as we have pointed out ever since it was introduced, has its entire raison d'etre in the public interests which are involved in certain industries and which suffer by their suspension. It was not passed for the protection of either or both of the parties to the labor-and-capital relation. Ultimately, it leaves both of those parties, unprotected and unrestricted, to the issues of industries. But it does assert a right of the people as a whole, of the innocent public unaffected by questions at issue but gravely affected by the struggle itself, to impose certain conditions that must be observed before the resort to hostilities—conditions which are likely in most cases to obviate the hostilities themselves.

That right of the public was given by Mr. Lemieux and was accepted by the entire parliament, which adopted the legislation practically without formal opposition, as the basis of its logic. But now we find that the Act is ineffective except upon invocation by one or other of the *parties to a labor dispute*. The acts which are declared by the legislation to be crimes because they contravene the interest of the public—the act of effecting a strike or a lockout in a public utility before a conciliation board has passed upon the issue—are now, we find, only crimes if the employer or the employe likes to call them so. *There is no machinery whereby* the federal authorities, in the name of the people at large whom this legislation is designed to protect, may treat them as crimes, and punish them as crimes, unless a private person can be found to come forward and take the onus of prosecution.

Now we have no sympathy with *Americanizers of our polity* who would like to turn the government of Canada into a hired atorney for the prosecution of personal grievances. But it does seem necessary that the government should undertake the enforcement of laws in which the public interest may be so great, and the private interest so little, as is the case with the Conciliation Act. *Surely the purpose of* that Act is fulfilled if (as may very easily happen) both sides of the dispute decide that they do not want to be investigated and would rather go right ahead and fight, leaving the registrar of the Act and the minister of labor, to sit powerless in their offices while the public is robbed of its transportation *facilities, its light, its fuel* or its sources of power. If, as is stated in regard to the Taber Coal company of Alberta, the officials of the Act have no power to apply it until a private prosecutor appears, there is urgent need for an addition to the legislation in that sense.

Otherwise the law appears to be working admirably. The enormous weight *of that force of public opinion* which is brought into effect by the Act is strikingly shown by the result in the Springhill collieries, where the employers have abandoned their proposition rather than face public criticism. The prevention of strikes of this kind is no blow to labor, but the best thing that can possibly happen to it. But the more valuable *the new* law is, the more regrettable would it be that it should be left impotent in any case where it ought to be applied.

Nelson's 20,000 club was reorganized last evening for the coming season. Whilst there was a fair attendance, many who should have been present were conspicuous by their absence. The 20,000 club has done good work in the past and can be a powerful factor in the future prosperity of the city and district if the business men and property owners, most directly concerned, will devote some of their time and energies to the work the club is designed to undertake. It was wisely resolved to adopt a constitution and set of by-laws, for the proper regulation of business in future. In the past the work of the club was to a very great extent conducted with extreme informality, resulting in a certain loss of dignity and consequent loss of confidence on the part of the general public. Nelson must keep up the publicity work commenced last year and an effort should be made to extend the work along these lines. If it be found possible a permanent secretary is to be appointed and suitable offices provided. This will be possible only by generous financial assistance from the business men and property owners, who are the direct beneficiaries of an agency of this character. In other towns in the west similar organizations are generously supported and we feel sure that the same will prove to be the case in Nelson, when those concerned realize that the 20,000 club is being conducted on sound business lines.

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It is some satisfaction to know that the western Canadian railroads have practically settled all outstanding disputes with regard to wages for at least a year, says the Winnipeg Free Press. Men on the engines and on the trains, and now the men who look after the tracks have signed schedules which embody a good understanding between the companies and themselves. In this strenuous period, when the railway managers are endeavoring to cope with a volume of traffic which they are inadequately equipped to handle, disputes with employes as to rates of wages will not be one of their many troubles.

In the negotiations that have been taking place at Chicago between the trainmen and the managers, and at Winnipeg, betwen representatives of the Canadian Pacific railway, and the trackmen, respect has ben shown for the interests of the public. Both parties to the negotiations have evidently been conscious of the responsibility that was upon their shoulders. At Chicago the representatives of the federal government were not unwelcome, and although it was not necessary at Winnipeg for any third part to intervene, nevertheless, Mr. J. T. Wilson, the level-headed leader of the trackmen, frankly says:

"I may say that there was never the slightest danger that there would be any strike in this instance. Our men some time ago adopted the principle of arbitration, and it is our settled policy that the rights of the public shall be respected, and that the public interest shall not be sacrificed on account of the differences between the company and ourselves. We are wholly committed to the principle of arbitration, and if we cannot arrive at an agreement with the company in the ordinary way, then we will call in a third party, in whom both the company and ourselves have confidence as a trustworthy and competent judge, organize a court of our own, and settle the matter."

Mr. Wilson made another statement which indicates that the negotiations at Winnipeg, involving wages for over 3500 permanent employes, terminated with mutually satisfactory results. "The Canadian Pacific," he said, "has been as generous to its men as it has been progressive in its management. It pays good wages, and does its work well. Our dealings with the corporation have been uniformly satisfactory, and have terminated to the satisfaction of both the company and the employes."

An agreement that is reached, and bears upon it the stamp of cordiality, will no doubt stand the test of time. It can be safely assumed that the men did not get all they desired in the matter of wages. Thirteen per cent is, however, a substantial increase. The common trackmen in future will be paid a minimum of $1.70 per day in place of $1.50. Approximately this will mean an increase in the amount expended on trackmen's wages for one year on the western lines of $250,000. The fixing of wage schedules which involve amounts so large is a serious business, and it is a hopeful sign that a body of men like the trackmen have leaders that exercise such good judgment and moderation as Mr. Wilson.

Though the increase he has obtained for men who are entrusted with the important work of taking care of the steel highways, and upon whose vigilance the safety of the travelling public depends, appears to be substantial, nevertheless the minimum as now fixed, at $1.70 per day, cannot be considered high. But a few years ago the section was the refuge of the desperate at any wage. This was a dangerous state of affairs. The railroad track should be in the care of reliable men enjoying fair terms of employment. In speaking of the trackmen it should be remembered that they include all classes of workmen engaged in maintaining the permanent way, and their daily wage averages from $1.70 to $3.50

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When evangelist R. E. Johnson arrived here to conduct a four weeks' revival in the auditorium Charles Gottschalk, proprietor of the hall, says he secured a promise from the evangelist that he would not "knock" the theatres.

During the revival one night was set apart by the evangelist for an address on "Popular Amusements," and on that occasion he denounced all shows, card playing and dancing. Gottschalk could do nothing but rave inwardly. The auditorium was leased and he was helpless. But his chance came later.

At the close of the four weeks' lease a committee of pastors and business men urged the evangelist to remain another week.

He accepted the invitation and the committee at once sent for Gottschalk, and here is where the latter got his chance. The committee offered him $125 then $250 for his hall for another week, but the proprietor, smarting under the alleged grievance, informed the committee that all the money they could offer would not hire the hall if the evangelist was to remain and speak there.

The committee went back to the revival meeting and one of the members presented the matter to the gathering.

Then he asked for volunteers to build a tabernacle and the response came like *a clap of thunder*.

Men and women in all parts of the hall stood up and offered their services and when the call was made for funds $1500 was subscribed in less than 15 minutes.

The committee remained up all that night perfecting plans and the next morning an empty lot in the heart of the business district was filled with piles of lumber and workmen's tools.

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Political leaders of both parties were pleased with the work of the machines, the only discordant note being a feeble protest by a socialist. Nearly every Chicago paper has published editorials since the election calling attention to the workings of the voting machines and although there were three makes of machines in use, no flaw was discovered in any of them.

There were 37 machines in all used and they all reported as soon as the polls closed at 4 o'clock. Returns were received by the republican campaign committee from 15 districts by 4.15 and a better record than that might have been established had the telephone facilities been sufficient to allow all of the districts to call up at the same time.

It is believed that one minute was the average time occupied by the voters.

There has been no one who questions the accuracy of the machines. This is considered here one of the greatest advantages of the new system. As soon as the polls close there is the total vote for each candidate and it is accurate, something that is a decided novelty in elections.

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(Special Correspondence)

Victoria, April 12.—At the close of the day's proceedings in Star vs. White, it was made clear that the trial would take practically all of next week. As the hearing before the full court proceeds all interested, judges, counsel and witnesses, are getting more and more on edge and today this was rather more noticeable than usual. Mr. Taylor's attack on Oscar White's account of the "hidden drift" and his questioning of Mr. White all through was upon different lines than has been adopted during the week with other witnesses. Then the court fell foul of Mr. Bodwell for getting Mr. Drewry to alter the main big map used by all the witnesses in telling their story. Mr. Bodwell had jeered at Mr. Taylor saying that on the map being corrected Mr. Taylor's "nose of ore" on the No. 2 vein had disappeared, and Mr. justice Irving promptly objected to any "tampering" with the map without the leave of the court. Mr. Bodwell assumed all blame in the matter and admitted he should have asked permission before making any changes. While waiting for the court to come in, Mr. Taylor saw a red apple placed on the defendants' model: "Is that porphyry?" he asked N. J. Cavanaugh. "No," retorted the Nelson mining man sharply, "its just an apple; don't you know the difference?" and the defendants' experts grinned approval at the reply.

It was expected that Mr. Elmendorf would be the first witness today to explain, or as the plaintiffs say, to explain away, the story told yesterday by Max Bochmer, the brand new expert imported into the case, who put a new complexion on many of the points involved by suggesting a totally or nearly wholly different state of geological affairs than maintained by defendants, as generally understood. But Mr. Elmendorf was kept in reserve and will not be called until Monday. At the close of the day all that had been accomplished was the examination and cross-examination of N. J. Cavanaugh and Oscar V. White. "Nick" held his own with Mr. Taylor and Mr. White related how the 130 foot drift came to be "hidden," as described by Mr. Fowler, being vigorously cross-examined by Mr. Taylor on this and other points. Nothing very new was elicited from either witness, either in chief or upon cross-examination. Some 40 odd samples were added to the already large collection now in the possession of the court, and the general trend of the evidence given supported the contention of the defendants that the Slocan Star vein extended and could be traced without a break on its entire course as seen upon the model.

N. J. Cavanaugh told Mr. Bodwell that he was a witness at the first trial when he was an official of the defendant company; he had since severed all connection with the company. He identified several samples of rock taken from the new workings and from other portions of the mine. The witness produced black vein matter taken all through the No. 5 level of what the defendants' call the Slocan Star vein, from east end to west end, the samples differing so far as could be seen, very little from what the plaintiffs call the characteristic filling of the black fissure. The other samples were taken with a view of contradicting what the plaintiffs claim is the geological formation at different points. In all about a dozen new samples were put in.

Then Mr. Cavanaugh drew pictures on the court black board of the first turn to the north in the 5th level of the Star workings, he being on duty at the property at the time the work was being done, the point involved being whether the vein turned at the point or was, as the plaintiffs' claim, abruptly terminated by the black fissure. At the turn on the hanging wall there was three feet of clean galena. This ore could never be drag ore, it was ore in place. The ore shoots in the mine varied from 90 to 150 feet in length. The ore bodies found invariably were encountered in wedge shape widening out as the work proceeded and tapering off at the end, these kidneys of ore always showed twists and turns, the ore occurences were all of the same character.

Comparing samples produced by the plaintiffs as drag ore, the witness said he found identical ore in place at points admitted in the known portion of the Star vein, the witness added that he spoke as a practical miner and he mentioned many instances of how the ore bodies taken out of the mine, looked at the various stages of mining.

Turning to the new work at the southern extension Mr. Cavanaugh described the formation, laying stress on the stringer of ore encountered and giving similar instances of "cracks" to the south in the mine elsewhere where such small cracks had been explored before this action was brought. No permanent ore body was ever so located.

The witness ridiculed the suggestion that along the line of the black fissure two veins existed or that separate veins were originally found. He declared the Star vein held on its course as they had traced it when working on the No. 5 level straight along from east to west as worked. Mr. Cavanaugh described a recent visit of inspection made at the Ruth mine near the property under review, and contradicted Mr. Fowler's evidence given as to faulting shown there.

To Mr. Taylor the witness said all he knew of mining was picked up from practical experience of the past 20 years. He declined to technically define a fault but told what he had seen in the formation when faults had been encountered in practical working. The instructions given the men when driving No. 5 level was to follow the Star ledge and they did so the full length of that level as shown on the plan. Counsel pressed the witness closely on many of his answers given in the first trial as well as today, but Mr. Cavanaugh held his own and fairly maintained his original position throughout the morning. There was a great deal of cross firing betwen witness and Mr. Taylor. The counsel would ask: "Will you swear that this sample is not drag ore?" and the witness would reply leisurely: "It is not ore at all to my way of thinking," and a string of questions would follow. After a few questions by Mr. Bodwell, Mr. Cavanaugh was allowed to stand down.

After the noon adjournment Mr. Bodwell called Oscar White, mine superintendent of the defendant company. He said the work claimed by Fowler to have been lagged up so as to conceal it from inspection, was not purposely concealed, the lagging had ben done to protect some rails that were stored there while some of the exploratory work was under way. The 130 feet of drift had been run about 18 months previous to the lagging in the ordinary course of development. He reiterated that there was nothing to conceal at the drift in question. After the exploratory work was completed the lagging was taken down. He did not want the rails stored in the drift used on the new work, that was why they had been stored in the drift and the drift lagged up. There was no other reason for what was done, and he repeated there was nothing in the drift his side wanted to conceal. If. Mr. Fowler had asked him about the matter the explanation would have been at once forthcoming. The witness then identified several pieces of rock, in turn explanatory of what is shown at various points on the No. 5 level including the new work, and also including a specimen of black slickensided rock with polished smooth surface next to the wall having the indications described as the predominating characteristics of the black fissure, but as a fact taken from the Eureka mine, having the Star vein, half a mile away.

All told Mr. White accounted for about 25 or 30 pieces of rock and for half an hour or so the registrar was kept busy marking up the new exhibits as they came along, singly and in groups of three or four pieces. The witness described in detail how the mining was done on the No. 5 level in and around the first great bend to the north, his story practically agreeing with Cavanaugh's version and as related at the first trial. Incidentally the witness mentioned the visit of the chief justice to the mine and the lengthy visit paid by his lordship to practically every portion of the workings in company with

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Mr. Fowler and the witness, this being before the first trial was concluded.

To Mr. Taylor on cross-examination Mr. White repeated that the only reason the 130 foot drift had been lagged up was to hide the rails stored up. It was not double lagged, Mr. Fowler was mistaken as to the double lagging. The drift does show porphyry on its face. He had never been told of Fowler's discovery. He ordered the drift to be opened up without knowing anything of Fowler's find. Mr. White declined to dispute any statement made by expert Bochmer and particularly as to the extension or non-extension of the black fissure north in the new work. Zwicky's work apparently stopped at a more or less defined wall at the northern extension. The witness declined to pose as a technical expert on "drag ore" but declared he could always tell the difference between ore in place and drag ore as a practical miner when he encountered them in the mine workings.

"Are you aware," asked the counsel, "that No. 2 vein has been put on the plan differently from what it actually appears?"

"No sir," said the witness.

"Differently then, from the way Mr. Fowler sketched it in the first instance?"

"Yes, it is there now in the right position. Mr. Fowler's sketch was wrong."

"And," added Mr. Bodwell, "your beautiful 'nose of ore 'has vanished."

The witness continuing, said that the workings had been properly placed upon the plan by Mr. Drewry. He contradicted Fowler and Sizer as to the appearance of the material next to the footwall going into the new drift (on the No. 2 vein). Pressed as to statements made when the action first started Mr. White said he could not be sure of an exact statement made six years previously. Then a ten minute wrangle occurred in which the court, counsel and the witness got tangled up until Mr. Bodwell suggested that time be given to look up the evidence referred to and, if necessary, Mr. White recalled to explain.

Mr. justice Irving—I don't think any change should have been made on the plan without our permission. Mr. Bodwell refused to have his witness put the new work on in the first instance and Mr. Fowler did put it on.

Mr. Bodwell—I fear I am to blame in the matter. What Mr. Drewry put upon the map yesterday is the result of the actual survey of the No. 2 vein and is right.

Mr. justice Irving—I have nothing to say as to its correctness. What I am objecting to is any one tampering with the map that is used by both parties without the leave of the court.

Mr. Davis—Perhaps the "nose" will come back now.

Mr. Bodwell—No, the plan is correct as now drawn, but I should have asked permission to let Mr. Drewry do the work and then put him in the box.

Mr. justice Irving—How long will counsel take for argument?

Mr. Bodwell—Not less than four days, my lord.

Mr. justice Irving—When will all the evidence be in.

Mr. Bodwell—Probably by Tuesday.

Mr. justice Martin—Then next week is occupied so far as the full court is concerned, with this case.

Mr. Davis—I am afraid that is so, but we should finish by the close of next week in any case.

The court then adjourned until Monday morning at 11 when Mr. Bodwell will call W. J. Elmendorf as his first witness, Mr. Elmendorf being the defendants' star expert witness at the first trial.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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. B368, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

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

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

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

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

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

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

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1907.

64 J. M. McGREGOR.

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This elegant library including 100 volumes and oak case will be given by vote to the Lodge, Society, Church or School in Nelson district securing the largest number of votes in following manner: The merchants listed below give with each 10 cent cash purchase one vote; the contest will begin Thursday, 21st February, and close the 15th July, 1907. A ballot box is placed in Rutherford's Drug Store, where votes are to be deposited.

At close of contest, the Lodge, Society, Church or School having received the largest number of votes will be awarded the library.

Current accounts when promptly paid will be entitled to votes.

Remember votes can only be secured by trading with the firms listed below. Once a week The Daily News will report standing of contestants.

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NOVEL FEATURE OF BALL IN AID OF SANITARIUM FUND

PUBLIC SPIRITED PROPOSAL MADE BY J. J. WALKER

Notwithstanding the repeated failure of the people of Nelson to respond to the efforts made by the local Anti-Tuberculosis society, of which Dr. Arthur is president, to stir up interest in the proposed provincial consumptive sanitarium, for which Dr. Fagan, the B.C. government health officer, is working so hard, it seems probable that before long the apathy thus far manifested will give place to keen interest. If it does the credit will in great part be due to J. J. Walker, the local jeweler, who is preparing to devote a great deal of time and attention to the subject. Mr. Walker, in common with a number of other public spirited citizens, was disappointed to see how completely Nelson failed to give the sanitarium movement the support it deserved; and, after the first couple of meetings called by the local society had failed to secure adequate attendance, he approached the president, Dr. Arthur, with a proposition. He offered to give a ball in aid of the project, devoting every cent raised to the sanitarium fund, and provide every item, from music to decoration, without a cent, entirely through the free contributions of those who might be prepared to help him. The offer was at once accepted and Mr. Walker is already busy on his plans.

The ball, which is to be held in the armory, will not take place until September or October, as, before all arrangements could be completed the warm weather will be on. Its striking feature will be a surprise which Mr. Walker is to spring on the guests—a surprise the nature of which will not be divulged until the ball itself is in full swing. The idea is already stored away in Mr. Walker's mind, but no one, not even the most curious of his friends amongst the gentler sex, will be able to coax the secret from him. He intends that it will be a real surprise and not one from which the zest has been taken by premature publicity.

Needless to say the ball will receive the cordial support of the Anti-Tuberculosis society, and, in view of the worthy purpose for which it is being arranged, should receive an equally general support from the citizens of Nelson. Every cent raised will go direct to the sanitarium fund, not a single dollar being devoted to expenses. A secretary and a treasurer will be appointed as soon as organization can be completed and all the funds raised will be deposited in the bank in trust.

ARREST OF ANARCHISTS

St. Petersburg Police Effect Important Captures—Twenty-five Imprisoned

St. Petersburg, April 16 — Twenty-five members of the organization of social revolutionists were arrested here yesterday, among them being several anarchists. The majority of these taken in are recent arrivals in St. Petersburg, but none of them have been identified as accomplices of the terrorists who made an attempt on the life of premier Stolypin in August last. The police attach the greatest importance to the captures which are regarded as nipping in the bud plans for a new series of assassinations. All the prisoners have been confined in the fortress.

Minsk, April 16—In consequence of the plot to assassinate the governor of Minsk, which was discovered by the police, who captured two terrorists who were hiding opposite the governor's palace, the local authorities have arrested 11 members of the terrorist organization here.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

A WOMAN TELLS HOW TO RELIEVE RHEUMATIC PAINS

I have been a sufferer from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, for a number of years. I have tried many medicines but never got much relief from any of them until two years ago, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Through my advice many of my friends have tried it and can tell you how wonderfuly it has worked.—Mrs. Sarah A. Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost It makes sleep possible. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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PEEPS INTO WOMEN'S LETTERS

If our readers could spend one morning looking through the letters received from all over Canada by the Zam-Buk Co., it would bring home to them with irresistible force the healing virtues of this great household balm. Old women, young women, wives, mothers and even young girls have something to say about how Zam-Buk did this or that good office in their home. Many of the writers give permission to make extracts from their grateful letters. From these the following were taken:

"I was troubled for some weeks with salt rheum in hands and arms and was using a salve which did me little good. On receiving a supply of Zam-Buk I applied it and it really seemed to act like magic. The itching and burning ceased and in a few days the skin was cleared and healthy" writes Miss E. A. Butchard of North Keppel.

"Three boxes of Zam-Buk cured me of eczema, from which I had suffered a long time." So says Mrs. Gladden of Masonville, Que.

"Zam-Buk cured a case of blood poison in my family and I wish to thank you for the great blessing it has proved," is the effec. of a letter from Mrs. Webb of Devercourt.

And so one could go on quoting extracts after extract, showing how Zam-Buk cures chronic sores, ulcers, abscesses, bad legs itch and blood poison; takes the soreness out of cuts and burns and grows new and healthy skin over injured or diseased places.

All stores and druggists sell at 50 cents a box, or the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, will mail for price.

FAMINE RELIEF PLANS

UTMOST CARE EXERCISED IN GIVING ASSISTANCE.

NO ONE ABLE TO WORK GETS FREE FOOD.

Shanghai, April 16.—Investigation shows that the plans of the famine relief committee are admirable. There has been no leakage of the funds administered by foreigners. A house to house inspection has resulted in 90,000 families, totalling 500,000 famine sufferers, being enrolled by the committee, which is attempting to provide for them until the harvest. Additions to the list of families will be made only when the funds available justify it. Three kinds of relief tickets are issued.

First, free food, which are not issued unless the family has absolutely no money, food or pawnable articles and its members are too weak to work.

Second, where they are able, each members of a family is given work to pay for food.

Third, the Chinese government is paying to some families one and one half cents per day.

These tickets are given to the families entitling them to purchase famine supplies at cost. Food is furnished to ticket holders at the relief sub-centres at stated intervals.

Often the thatched roofs and timbers of houses are sold and families, because they had a table left have been refused relief, and utterly discouraged they have committed suicide.

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There will be an end to those Bilious Headaches, too, as soon as you start curing your Dyspepsia and Constipation with Fruit-a-tives.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of Bylaw No. 80, "Pound and Dog Tax Bylaw," it is unlawful for any person to suffer any horse, mule, bull, or cow, sheep, goat, pig or other cattle, or poultry, to run at large within the limits of the City of Nelson.

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

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

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

By Order,
W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., April 8, 1907.

NOTICE

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

Dated at Spokane, Washington, March 30, 1907.

AUCTION SALE OF BALANCE OF
Arnot's Stock of Dry Goods, Etc.

Commencing Monday, 15th April, at 2 p.m. at Store, corner of Vernon and Josephine Streets. We have been instructed by D. Arnot to close out his entire stock of Dry Goods, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Etc., Sale every afternoon and evening—at 2 p.m., and 7.30 p.m. until entire stock is sold. TERMS CASH.

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TIMBER NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we 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, situated in West Kootenay district:

No. 1 Limit—Commencing at a post planted one mile up and on the east side of the first south fork of Poplar creek, marked "C. O. Woodrow's and Jack Portgal's N.W. corner post," thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement.

Located April 9th, 1907.
C. O. WOODROW.
JACK PORTGAL.

No. 2 Limit — Commencing at a post planted 3 miles up and on the west bank of the first south fork of Poplar creek, marked "C. O. Woodrow's and Jack Portgal's S.W. corner post; thence 80 chains North; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement.

Located April 9th, 1907.
C. O. WOODROW.
JACK PORTGAL.

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

Location No. 1—Commencing at a post planted about 20 rods west and 350 paces north of the confluence of the South Fork of the Salmon river and Wilson creek, about 14 miles south of Salmo, B.C., thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement. Said point of commencement can be reached from the said confluence of the South Fork of the Salmon river and Wilson creek by going west up a gulch about 80 rods to a point where a trail, running in a northerly direction, has been blazed for about 350 paces.

Located March 9, 1907.

Location No. 2—Commencing at a post planted about 20 rods south and 80 chains east of the confluence of the North Fork of the South Fork of the Salmon river, and the South Fork of the Salmon river, about 20 miles south of Salmo, B.C., thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement. About 3 paces north of said point of commencement will be found an earth slide about 50 feet in height, where the said South Fork of the Salmon River makes a turn, and where a small creek from the southwest flows therein.

Located March 16th, 1907.

Location No. 3—Commencing at a post planted about 20 rods south and 80 chains east of the confluence of the North Fork of the South Fork of the Salmon river, and the South Fork of the Salmon river, about 20 miles south of Salmo, B.C., thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains; thence east 160 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 16th, 1907.
PHIL ROSELY, Agent.
N. BANGS.
Dated April 11th, 1907.

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 West Kootenay district, on the East Fork of Mission creek, about 12 miles east of Rykerts, B.C.

Timber Limit No. 1—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains east of where the East Fork of Mission creek crosses the international boundary line and marked "Charles G. Reeder's southeast corner post," thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains east 80 chains, to the place of commencement.

Located March 15th, A.D., 1907.
CHARLES G. REEDER, Locator.
A. J. KENT, Agent.

Timber Limit No. 2—Commencing at a post planted at Charles G. Reeder's southeast corner post of timber limit No. 1, and marked "Charles G. Reeder's southwest corner post of timber limit No. 2," thence 40 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains north ;thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains east; thence 40 chains south to place of beginning.

Located March 15th, A.D., 1907.
CHARLES G. REEDER, Locator.
A. J. KENT, Agent.

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 West Kootenay district, on the West Fork of Mission creek, about 12 miles east of Rykerts, B.C.

Timber Limit No. 1—Commencing at a post marked "Charles G. Reeders southeast corner post," planted on the West Fork of Mission creek, where it crosses the international boundary line, thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning.

Located the 26th February, 1907.
CHARLES G. REEDER, Locator.
A. J. KENT, Agent.

Timber Limit No. 2—Commencing at a post planted 40 chains north and 80 chains west of Charles G. Reeder's southeast corner post of location No. 1, and marked "Charles G. Reeder's southeast corner post, of location No. 2," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of beginning.

Located the 27th February, 1907.
CHARLES G. REEDER, Locator.
A. J. KENT, Agent.

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 West Kootenay district:

1. Commencing at a post marked "O. L. Boynton's northeast corner," planted at the southeast corner of Lot 7693, Group 1, thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 160 chains to point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a post marked "O. L. Boynton's southeast corner," planted at the southwest corner of Lot 7693, Group 1, thence west 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains to point of commencement.

O. L. BOYNTON, Locator.
J. R. BOYNTON, Agent.
Dated March 8th, 1-07. 4-5

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 West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "P.J.G.'s N.W.C.," planted about 70 chains north of Summit lake, thence east 80 chains to the west boundary line of the Ontario and Slocan Timber company's timber limits; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 29th, 1907.
4-5 P. J. GALLAGHER.

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 West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the south end of timber license 3459, on Russell creek, thence 60 chains south, along J. T. Burgess' timber claim; thence 40 chains west; thence 60 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 100 chains north; thence 80 chains east, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE A. HUNT.
Dated this 15th day of March, 1907.

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 West Kootenay district, British Columbia; about eight miles east of the Columbia river, on the international boundary line. Situate on South East creek, that empties into Fish creek, and adjoins the piece of land on the east located by Ralph Gillispie: Commencing at a post marked "C.E.L." on the southwest corner, thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated, this 26th day or March, 1907.
C. E. LEGG. 4-9
RALPH GILLISPIE, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the chief commissioner of lands and works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated in West Kootenay district:

Commencing at a post planted on the west side of Lardo river, opposite S. W. corner of lot 827, marked A. E. Fowler's N. E. corner, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains along west side of Lardo river to point of commencement.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1907.
218 A. E. FOWLER

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post placed near the S.E. corner of lot 2637 G1, West Kootenay and marked "H.N.'s S.E. corner," thence north about 65 chains; thence west about 34 chains; thence southerly about 80 chains; meandering along Kootenay lake to point of commencement.

H. NEWCOMEN.
March 22nd, 1907. 4-4

LAND NOTICES

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 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 "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 Kootenay district, B.C.: Commencing at a post marked "J. Cameron's S.E. corner post," said post being on the west side of Upper Arrow lake, opposite Nakusp, and at the N.E. corner of lot 7310, running thence 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 11th day of March, 1907.
J. CAMERON.

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.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "R. H. Ross," placed half a mile north of Summit creek, adjoining Angus Curry's north and south line on the west side, running 40 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

Located the 4th day of April, 1907.
R. H. ROSS
ANGUS CURRY, Agent.

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

Nelson, B. C., April 1, 1907.
G. S. REES

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London, April 16—Silver, 30 1-2; lead, £19 17s. 6d.

COPPER STOCKS

(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

New York, April 16—The following are today's quotations for the stocks mentioned:

	Asked	Bid
Granby	130	120
Dominion Copper	5½	5¼
B. C. Copper	7¾	7⅝

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Born, yesterday to the wife of H. G. Neelands, a son.

J. L. Retallack came down yesterday from Kaslo.

The annual tea of the senior ladies' auxiliary of St. Saviour's church takes place tomorrow afternoon.

The 1st Nelson Co. Boys' Brigade will parade for special drill tonight at 7:15 sharp in St. Paul's church hall; all members to attend in full uniform.

Owing to the illness of Rev. E H Shanks the regular weekly prayer meeting at the Baptist church will be conducted this evening by Rev. C. Padley.

Tonight will take place the dress rehearsal of the "Private Secretary" at the opera house at 8 o'clock. The sale of tickets has already assured a bumper house.

An informal program has been arranged for the commemoration of St. eoGrge's day which is to take place at the Strathcona hotel on Tuesday next under the auspices of the Sons of England.

The funeral of he late Frank C. Bodwell of Victoria, a brother of Mrs. D. A. McFarland, Mrs. Sherlock and Miss Bodwell of this city, took place yesterday at Victoria at 10 o'clock in Vancouver.

Tomorrow evening a congregational meeting of the Methodist church will be held at the request of the trustee board, to express an opinion on the wisdom of commencing an active campaign for the erection of a new church building this summer. The officials of the church urge all members and adherents to be present.

The 21st anniversary of the Women's Auxiliary to the church of England in Canada is being celebrated today all over the dominion and is commemorated here by a service at St. Saviour's church at 10:30 this morning. Holy communion will be preceded by an address by the rector. All members of the auxiliary should attend and all other members of the church are invited to be present.

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CLUB—J. Howard, C. Tapping, M. McDaniel, Westley; J. Graver, Y. Lirsch, Slocan.

GRAND CENTRAL—N. Powell, W. J. Powell, H. F. Annable, W. J. McLellan, Moose Jaw; J. P. Redding, Grey creek; C. E. Carson, Clorado; H. Stevens, Slocan; R. H. Hallett, Crescent; W. Wheatley, Phoenix; W. Burgh, H. Knabe, Deer Park; T. McInnes, Parry Sound; C. Lawrence and wife, Londno; H. Calaby, Norfolk; W. A. Burton, Winnipeg; F. Hunter; W. Morrison, Calgary.

KOOTENAY—D. C. Jones, Spokane; W. Clare, Slocan; T. Tompkins, Trail; K. J. McKay, E. Rainby, Boston; W. Wilson, Greenwood; J. G. Gilles, W. S. Konslake, J. L. Wright, Winnipeg.

LAKEVIEW—H. Bryden, Kamloops; E. Lyons, Spokane; J. McArthur, Lindsey; H. H. Hunter, Trail.

MADDEN—J. McDonald, Kaslo; J. Serson, C. Lawyer, D. Clark, Pilot Bay; J. Tarry, Tarry's; H. Reid, Koch siding; N. Guthrie, Slocan; J. Sherehan, Ainsworth; E. H. Holcomb, Snohomish; D. McLachlan; F. Pelton, New Denver; W. Williams, D. McCulloch, Edgewood; J. M. Taylor, Salmo; W. R. Dunlay, Calgary.

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HUME—C. F. Caldwell, D. P. Kane, Kaslo; A. Payne, New York; T. A. Shultz, Buckey; J. J. Binns, A. Simon, G. E. Frith, Vancouver; Mrs. W. J. Saunders and child, Winnipeg; R. W. Leard, Nanaimo; Dr. C. M. Kingston, Grand Forks; C. F. Armstrong; H. A. McKowan, Cranbrook; J. A. McMaster, Phoenix; W. H. Morris, Midway.

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QUEENS—A. N. Winlaw, Winlaw; A. H. Burden, Crawford bay; Mrs. W. Dent, Vernon; A. G. Stewart, Vancouver; A. Beguelin and wife, H. Beguelin, Phoenix; M. J. Walton, Medicine Hat; Miss Thomson, Scotland.

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