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MAY LOSE HIS SEAT

Mark Eagleson Said to Have Been Disqualified

Liberal Member for Lillooet Worked for the Government Shortly Before the Elections

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—It is reported here today that Mark Eagleson, liberal member-elect for Lillooet, will resign his seat shortly because of an alleged disqualifying transaction with the government, and that there will be a by-election in the constituency.

According to the report, Eagleson performed certain work for the province, was paid for it, and gave his receipt, all within such time as would render him liable to disqualification.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, Feb. 28.—The provincial government will, at the coming session, introduce legislation regarding the Lord's Day Observance Act. The executive have now the question under consideration, and will make a decision very shortly, as to the stand they will take. Pending such decision, no prosecutions will be authorized or assented to.

This action on the part of the government means that the Sunday Observance bill will not be put in force next Sunday, as was expected. As to what form of legislation will be introduced it is impossible to state definitely, but it is expected that although not quite as rigid as the bill passed by the dominion legislature, it will deal with the law as conditions in this province require, but it is not intended to work a hardship on any particular branch of business.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—Hon. Carter-Cotton returned from Victoria this afternoon and from absolutely reliable sources your representative learned that he will issue the News-Advertiser next Sunday as usual. Such a stand makes absolutely certain the position of the provincial executive at the present moment.

Hon. F. J. Fulton, attorney general, interviewed at Victoria, stated that he belived that no prosecutions could be inaugurated without his permission. The government was now discussing what stand should be taken and pending the results of such action any promise as to the matter was a mere guess. Personally he favored the acceptance or rejection of the act in toto, as it was not best for the province to take half-way measures.

Locally, railway men hail with rejoicing the attitude of the government. For weeks their legal advisers have been studying up the question as affecting transportation without reaching any definite conclusions. No changes have yet been announced on any line from the city, and from high sources it is said unofficially none will be made.

A promient member of the Lord's Day Alliance stated here this afternoon that it was his opinion that the assent of the attorney general in the final clause did not apply to the whole measure and such opinion was backed by members who assisted in the framing of the bill. Nevertheless, he believed that the matter would never be settled until an opinion was passed by the privy council.

THE NELSON GUN CLUB

ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD LAST EVENING

TROPHIES DONATED BY U.M.C. CO. AND CHAS. CAMERON

Last year's successful shooting tournament, held here on July 1 and 2, was recalled last evening by the annual meeting of the Nelson gun club, held in the office of George P. Wells. There was a good attendance of sportsmen and Mr. Wells was moved to the chair by a unanimous vote. The election of officers for the ensuing year was the first order of business. George P. Wells was unanimously elected president. On motion of Mr. Wells, seconded by everyone present, W. A. Ward was re-elected secretary-treasurer. C. D. Goepel was elected field captain for the year, with the understanding that if Mr. Goepel is absent at any of the regular shoots, one of the participating members be appointed to act pro tem.

A committee consisting of Charles A. Ink, C. D. Goepel, W. A. Ward and C. D. Blackwood, was appointed to arrange the details of the several shoots during the year and the prizes therefor, with full power to classify all shooters.

The membership fee will remain the same as last year, $1, and the charges for birds will be increased to 2 cents.

The secretary was instructed to write to Charles H. M. Cameron, Collingwood, Ont. accepting his donations of handsome Cobalt silver trophies for the club's shoots and to prepare and forward to Mr. Cameron an agreement setting out the terms under which the trophies are to be competed for and held ,as requested by the donor in his letter of Jan. 20.

The Union Metallic Cartridge company, through their representative, C. D. Goepel, signified their willingness to donate a trophy of the value of $25 for the club's competitions this year. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Cameron and the U.M.C. company.

The first shoot of the club will be held on the grounds on the water front at the foot of Stanley street tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, and shoots will be held every succeeding Saturday afternoon at the same time and place until further notice. The meeting then adjourned. The club starts off with a good membership this year and with the promise of several new members.

HYMAN'S RESIGNATION

ELECTION COMMITTEE MEETS TO DISCUSS IT.

REFUSES TO READ MINISTER'S PRIVATE LETTERS.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The privileges and election committee was called at 10.30 today to further consider the resignation of Hon. Chas. Hyman as to its validity, which was questioned by Mr. Bordon in the house, but it was near 11 o'clock before a quorum arrived. Mr. Logan, the chairman, produced a letter from Sir Wilfrid Laurier's secretary, stating that he had received no correspondence from Mr. Hyman, other than that laid before the house. The premier only wrote one letter to Mr. Hyman, and the reply he received was the telegram laid before parliament. On December 3rd sir Wilfrid received a letter from Mrs. Hyman, which he enclosed, and which was at the disposal of the committee. The chairman said that the letter was purely of a private character. He asked if he would read it to the committee. There was an almost unanimous "No." Mr. Aylesworth said that he had received three letters and one telegram from Mrs. Hyman, written in the month of December last, one of the letters contained a short note in the handwriting of Mr. Hyman.

"In the language of the resolution," said the minister of justice, "I have got to hand in all the correspondence relating to the subject matter of the inquiry. I must say that the letters written by Mrs. Hyman were written on her husband's behalf."

Mr. Barker—"What is the date of Mr. Hyman's note?"

Mr. Aylesworth—"There is no date on Mr. Hyman's note which is enclosed in Mrs. Hyman's letter dated December 30."

Mr. Logan asked if Mrs. Hyman's letters should be read and there was again a unanimous "No." Mr. Aylesworth said he produced the letters and they were at the disposal of the committee. Mr. Barker said that they could be kept in the possession of the committee.

THE MORMON QUESTION

RAISED BY M'KENZIE IN ALBERTA'S LEGISLATURE.

CHALLENGES STATEMENTS MADE BY DR. KILPATRICK.

Edmonton, Feb. 28.—At today's meeting of the legislature, Mr. McKenzie, of MacLeod, called the attention of the house to the Oliver-Kilpatrick controversy in the east regarding the Mormons. Mr. McKenzie said the legislature of Alberta was unique in that it was the only legislative body that listed among its members a Mormon as one of the people's representatives. The statements of the eastern doctors of divinity, he said, were a reflection on the whole province, and should, and would, not go unchallenged. It was strange that these alarms in regard to Mormons were periodically raised. This was the third one. Mr. McKenzie wanted to know where these men secured their information. He thought Dr. Kilpatrick's misguided enthusiasm outran his information.

"It is unfair and dastardly," said McKenzie, "for opponents 2000 miles away to so shamefully traduce these people, whom they do not even know. If they have evidence of their assertions, the criminal courts are wide open, and if they have not evidence, they are cowards and slanderers."

RAMBLER-CARIBOO.

Upraise From the Famous Long Tunnel is Now Completed.

It was stated yesterday, on good authority, that the men at work in the upraise from the famous long tunnel on the Rambler-Cariboo mine in the Slocan, had broken through into the drift off the 600 foot level.

The company sank a shaft down 600 feet from the surface a long time ago, and, as all the mining world knows very well, started in a couple of years ago to run in the longest tunnel in the country to a point 600 feet below the foot of the shaft above referred to. When the tunnel was completed there was a good deal of excitement over the matter, but W. E. Zwicky, the manager, announced that much remained to be done before the plans of the company were completed.

One of the first things to be accomplished was the connecting up of the long tunnel with the surface and an upraise was commenced to the 600 foot level of the shaft. This upraise has now been completed and the work has been done with an exactness that reflects credit on the surveyor in charge, W. J. H. Holmes, of Kaslo.

What Mr. Zwicky proposes to do next is not announced but the completion of the present work is an important feature in the general plan of the management.

NO FEAR OF BIG STRIKE

Coal Miners and Operators Will Reach an Agreement

So Say Both Mr. Flumerfelt and President Sherman of the United Mine Workers

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—A. C. Flumerfelt, of the International Coal and Coke company, left this afternoon for Calgary to attend the conference of coal operatives and employees at Calgary. Before leaving he stated that he did not have the least fear that there would be any strike in the Alberta coal district. The convention he was going to was such a conference as he had been anxious to inaugurate, and he believed the outcome would be a better understanding than ever between the companies and the men.

Calgary, Feb. 28.—District president Sherman, of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived in the city from the south today accompanied by ten prominent members of the United Mine Workers, and they expect more tomorrow. They are here with a view of meeting the operators and the first meting will take place at 2 p.m. tomorrow. Mr. Sherman expressed a belief that they would be able to complete all business with the operators in two or three days if nothing turns up to cause friction. Accompanying Mr. Sherman are John Sillivan from Michel, W. Graham, member of the Crow's Nest sub-section, D. M. Miller, member for Lethbridge district, and others. Tomorrow international vice-president Lewis, and district member Thomas Burke, of Illinois, are expected. Mr. Mitchell, president of the organization, was expected, but was unable to come owing to the serious illness of his father-in-law.

HEINZE VS. THE C.P.R.

CASE CAME UP IN VANCOUVER BEFORE JUSTICE MORRISON

BUTTE MILLIONAIRE ORDERED TO ANSWER POINTED QUESTIONS

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—Another step was taken this morning in the case of Shaughnessy vs. Heinze for compelling the latter to allocate his interest in the C. & W. land grant. This consisted in justice Morrison ordering the defendant to answer a list of pointed queries on the matter within 15 days. It is expected the Butte millionaire will fight the suit, as recently W. J. Bowser made a special trip to Salt Lake in connection with the controversy.

Pinkerton detectives and the local police are scouring the city for traces of William F. Walker, the absconding treasurer of the New Britain, Conn., bank, who took $280,000 of the institution's funds recently. Walker was traced to the west and is known to have been in Portland last week. He left there presumably for this city, and it is thought he expects to get away to the Orient. A reward of $500 is offered for his capture.

PRESBYTERY ADJOURNS

TWO BUSY SESSIONS WERE HELD YESTERDAY

HALF YEARLY MEETING BROUGHT TO A CLOSE

The Presbytery of Kootenay continued its sittings in St. Paul's church yesterday. The forenoon and afternoon sessions were devoted to the reports on home missions and augmented charges. The grants to be asked for from the home mission and augmentation funds were carefully revised and the placing of missionaries in the mission fields was arrranged for. A new mission is being opened at Elkmouth and it is probable that missionaries will be stationed during the summer at Ainsworth and Rock creek. A request was sent on to the general assembly's home mission committee to send in a missionary to do itinerary work throughout the Kootenays, and report regarding the increase of population in the secluded valleys.

Rev. T. R. Forbes and Rev. I. D. McKinnon are leaving respectively Slocan City and Upper Columbia. Rev. S. Lundie was appointed to assist Rev. R. T. Douglas in his work as clerk. Rev. M. D. McKee intimated that he had been asked to look after the interests of Manitoba college in the Presbytery. Some conversation took place regarding the prospects of the theological college proposed to be instituted in Vancouver, which it appeared has received promise of good financial support from the churches of the coast. An application to the church and manse board was adopted in favor of the granting to the congregation at Phoenix of such terms for the occupation of the manse as would make it easier for the managers to clear off existing obligations.

At the evening session some time was spent in conference regarding pastoral work in relation to visitation of the sick and family worship, and approval was given to the plans of the morning watch association with reference to the latter.

The acting moderator, the Rev. W. G. Brown, announced his resignation of the pastoral charge of New Denver and Sandon. He expressed the pleasure which he had had in the fellowship of the Presbytery and the brotherly spirit which prevailed among the members. He felt very thankful for the encouraging features of his work. His present intention was to go to Scotland for a period of study and his hope was to return to the work in B.C. On the motion of Rev. M. D. McKee, seconded by Rev. S. Lundie, Mr. Brown's resignation was accepted as taking effect on the 18th prox. These gentlemen, followed by Rev. J. T. Ferguson and captain McMorris, expressed the Presbytery's high appreciation of Mr. Brown's character and services and their regret at losing him for the present. A cordial vote of thanks was passed to the session and managers of St. Paul's church for the facilities which they had afforded for the Presbytery meeting and to the ladies and friends in the congregation for the hospitality so kindly extended to the members during their visit to Nelson. A very pleasant and useful meeting was thus brought to a close. The business of the church will, until the next meeting, be carried on by the standing committee, which was appointed yesterday.

ALL SEATS CONTESTED.

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—The Manitoba legislature nominations resulted in every seat being contested by each party. There will be 38 contests on March 7, and the Gimli and Gilbert Plains elections will be held on March 15. The election fight is waxing warm.

BELL CO. HITS BACK

POOH-POOHS IDEAS OF MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

SAYS IT WILL GO ON EXTENDING LINES IN THE WEST.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—At the annual meeting of the Bell Telephone company today, F. Sise, president, took occasion to defend his company against what he termed the assaults of the press and people of Toronto and Manitoba. In regard to the recent strike of Toronto operators, he said they were exceedingly well paid as compared with what they could earn in other walks of life. They were taken care of when ill; their pay ran on, and they were given a month's vacation annually. The pay ran from $20 to $30 per month, according to the time of service, and this was certainly more than the same young women could get in departmental stores, and factories, from which they were largely drawn. Regarding the fight in the west, Mr. Sise stated that the company had gone ahead as fast as the development of the country warranted. In spite of all municipal ownership ideas, they intended to procede with their work. In respect to all investigations which had been held, they had no reason to feel ashamed. Their operators throughout Canada had rallied to their side when the trouble in Toronto took place. The annual statement shows the gross profits to have been $4,136,000 for the year ending December 31. The net profit is $992,000.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

E. K. Beeston goes to Victoria today and his worship mayor Gillett expects to leave for the coast Sunday morning.

Al. Houston, who is in charge of the work at the Broadview, has a force of 20 men engaged in development and when the spring opens up will employ about double that number. The property is in the Lardeau, near Ferguson.

At the mining recorder's office on Feb. 28 certificates of work were issue to A. Gallupe on the Quebec and Montreal. An agreement was filed, dated Sept. 11, 1906, and containing a working bond and option on the Sultana, Uasadena, Yosemite, Rio Tinto and Rio Tinto fraction from Agnes Billings, M. L. Fennell, T. Bennett and F. P. Drummond to G. D. Bell, R. B. Bell and M. C. Donaldson; consideration $74,000, in various payments stretching out to March 11, 1909, when the final payment of $21,000 is due. Another agreement was filed from G. D. Bell, R. B. Bell and M. C. Donaldson to F. H. Nettleton of Spokane assigning certain interests in the four recited bond and option. The properties involved are on Sheep creeek, Yellowstone mountain, near Salmo.

Before Mr. justice Clement yesterday in the supreme court the case of Curran vs. Gosnell came up upon the report of registrar Bowman, to whom the case of accounts had been referred. The registrar reported an adjudication of the accounts with the exception of one item of $50, the entries, or want of entries, concerning which prevented him from reaching any conclusion. The evidence was conflicting and the learned judge finally gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff, directing that the defendant execute a reconveyance of the two lots, held for security on money advanced. S. S. Taylor, K. C., appeared for Curran and H. A. Stewart for Gosnell. The court then adjourned to meet this morning at 10:30 when the interpleader issue of Ferguson vs. Prozesky and some applications will be heard.

STATEMENT FOR PRESS

Thaw Hands Reporters a Carefully Typed Document

Goes Through Queer Manoeuvres in Sending it Out—Calls Jerome Names

New York, Feb. 28.—Harry K. Thaw enlivened the extremely dull session of his trial yesterday and today by furnishing the newspapers with a brief statement in which he accused district attorney Jerome of having made unprofessional remarks in court, asserted that his wife's testimony was absolute truth, and declared that Mrs. Thaw's natural "real goodness" was above the comprehension of the prosecuting officer.

It was just before adjournment for the day, and after long hours of wearisome testimony as to the sane or insane character of extracts from eight letters written by the defendant and heretofore in court, that Thaw caused the sensation by giving his statement in court. The circumstances attending the delivery of the statement to the newspaper men were about as interesting as the statement itself. Thaw began the preparation of his statement yesterday afternoon. One of the newspaper tables adjoins that of his counsel, and a reporter, seated near the defendant, read over the latter's shoulder the two opening paragraphs. When the papers appeared yesterday with the extracts from his statement printed in display type, Thaw was much chagrined. Today, in court, he took the reporter to task. He had not intended making the statement public until the end of the trial. He further asserted that many mistakes appeared in the portion of the statement which was published and added that he might make a correction later.

Last night, in his cell in the Tombs, Thaw completed his statement, and today, after he had spoken to the reporter who had looked over his shoulder, he handed the original draft to another reporter whom he has known for many years and in whom he has implicit confidence. He also handed the newspaper man a brown envelope.

"Seal the statement up in this envelope," said Thaw, "and write your name across the flap. I am going to have some typewritten copies made, and, when they are completed, I want you to compare them with the original and if they are all right they will be given out.

Daniel O'Reilly, one of Thaw's lawyers, said later that he also had a copy of Thaw's statement but would not give it out until the defendant directed him to do so. Late today the typewritten copies suddenly appeared in court. Attention was first attracted to them by Thaw handing a carbon copy to his newspaper friend and asking him to compare it with the original. Four or five copies lay on the counsel table in front of the defendant. One of the reporters reached over, picked up the copies and hastily left the court room. He was quickly followed by other reporters and soon the statement was flashed into the newspaper offices throughout the country. The copies and the original were exact, and Thaw then said he was content to have the statement released as a correction of the garbled statement which appeared yesterday afternoon and today.

"With the chances millions to one against her after the catastrophe in 1901, it is wonderful that Mrs. H. K. Thaw prevailed in the cross-examination, against the prosecution, backed by blacklegs. Her testimony was absolute truth. Our evidence was of conversations. The cross-examination has proved the exact facts under oath. Mr. Jerome finding his informants in certain lines falsifiers, concluded by more usual methods, which is to his credit. However, from some of his questions and some of his unprofessional remarks in court, it appeared clear that the natural and real goodness of the witness is above his comprehension."

Clifford Hartridge, of Thaw's counsel, and Mr. Delmas declared that they had no knowledge of the statement having been prepared or issued.

Dr. Britton Evans, the alienist, was in the witness chair all of today, undergoing cross-examination at the hands of district attorney Jerome. The prosecutor said before adjournment that he would probably keep Dr. Evans on the stand throughout tomorrow. This means that the cross-examination of Dr. Wagner, another alienist, will not be reached until next week and makes indefinite the time when the defense will rest.

Dr. Evans and Mr. Jerome spent the entire day in going over eight letters written by Thaw, and culling out of them all excerpts on which Dr. Evans based his expressed belief that they were written by a person of unsound mind.

Mr. Jerome seemed as interested as the expert in searching out phrases in the letters which might be construed as the writings of an insane man, and for the first time the jurors were permitted to thoroughly examine photographic copies of the letters. As the witness and the prosecutor poured tediously over the documents, the jurors were enabled to follow them closely. The district attorney apparently wanted the letters thoroughly scrutinized and understood by the jury. His attitude in this direction again led to the circulation of rumors that he intends to pave the way, if possible, for a commission of lunacy.

San Francisco, Feb. 28.—A good deal of money is being wagered in the local poolrooms on the result of the Thaw trial in New York. Along Fillmore street, where many handbooks are kept, sums of varying amounts are being wagered by those who are following the case with interest. The prevailing odds are two to one for conviction.

Portland, Feb. 28.—The Portland Woman's club unanimously adopted a resolution of condemnation and protest over the way district attorney Jerome is cross questioning Mrs. Harry Thaw, and will forward a copy to Jerome at once. The resolution was introduced by Mrs. Abagail Scott Dunaway, Oregon's noted woman suffrage fighter. The ground taken is that Mrs. Thaw is trying to build herself up in the world and live down her past, and that Jerome in undoing this work is acting wickedly.

CHURCH AND THE STATE

BRITISH COMMONS IN FAVOR OF DISESTABLISHMENT

RESOLUTION CARRIED BY 198 TO 90. GOVERNMENT NON-COMMITTAL

London, Feb. 28.—In the house of commons last night, a resolution in favor of dis-establishment and disendowment of the church in both England and Wales, was adopted by 198 votes to 90. This resolution does not commit the government, but Augustine Birrell, the chief secretary for Ireland, said he failed to see how the continuance of the established church could be justified.

Far from harming the church as a spiritual body, dis-establishment, he said, would restore it to a position of spiritual authority throughout the land. The government's hands, however, were already too full to assume any responsibility in the matter.

This is the first time in history that the house of commons has adopted such a resolution. The only previous time a similar resolution was pressed to a division was in May, 1871, and it was then rejected by a large majority.

CHILDREN WERE SAVED

MR. SCRUTON HAD TWO IN MONTREAL SCHOOL FIRE

SAYS DRILLS WERE HELD WHEN WEATHER PERMITTED

In Nelson, as a guest at the Hume hotel, is one of the men whose children were amongst the number saved from the flames in the fatal Hochelaga Protestant school fire on Tuesday last. His name is E. Scruton. Mr. Scruton says that responsibility for the awful holocaust lay not in the absence of regular fire drills, but in the unfitness of the school building itself. He writes to The Daily News:

Editor The Daily News—From your editorial of Thursday's issue on the subject of "School Fire Drills," I gather that you accepted the Associated Press reports as being authentic and based your remarks thereon. You state that "if the children had been properly instructed in fire drill, not a single life would in all human probability have been sacrificed." As a parent of two children who were saved from the fire, permit me to assure you that fire drill was an established fact when conditions would permit. Could you expect to exercise in this manner by clearing the school during lessons and turning the scholars into the yard, when the temperature was below zero, without their wraps? Such action would certainly invoke very serious objections from the parents. Yet since November last conditions of this kind have prevailed, hence fire drill was impracticable for the past four months. Furthermore, the construction of the building was such that it would have been a physical impossibility to marshall those of the kindergarten and first year preparatory, none being much over nine years of age, and march them through the blinding smoke down a flight of stairs. All honor to brave Miss Maxwell. She saw the difficulty and like a brave woman prepared to do her duty. Kindly affectionate to all under her charge, she tried to mother them all until help came. You know the rest. She died at her post of duty.

Some one will be blamed for the loss of life, but never let any say that Miss Maxwell was remis in the carrying out of all the necessary details of school life, even to a very careful instruction in school fire drill. Her last action fully emphasized the principal trait in her splendid character. The most minute detail of school duty must be done just as well as those items which command public attention. Forgetful of self in considering her trust, she refused to consider her own safety while any one else was in danger.

E. SCRUTON.

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GAMBLERS CONVICTED.

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 28.—Harry Daniels, William Buckingham and Edward Hickey, were today convicted of keeping gambling clubs and sent down by magistrate Jeffs for two months each. A fine of $100 each was imposed, in default of which three additional months' imprisonment are to be served. It was argued in their behalf that these men had a charter and conducted licensed clubs. The rake-off on poker games went to pay the rent and operating expenses. The charges against frequenters were abandoned.

SPRINGS A SENSATION

Adams Says Police Wanted Him to Commit Perjury

Conspiracy Was Formed to Convict Western Federation of Complicity in Murder

Wallace, Idaho, Feb. 28.—That a deliberate conspiracy was formed among the officers of the penitentiary and the detectives to implicate the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners in the assassination of ex-governor Steunenberg, and that the conspiracy was to be backed by false evidence obtained by threats and bribes is, in effect, the charge made by Steve Adams in court today.

Adams' statement was, in substance, as follows: On the sixth day after I was taken to Boise, and put in the cell with Harry Orchard, I was taken to the office of the penitentiary and introduced to detective McPhartland. He told me about 'Kelly the Bum' and other men who had turned state's evidence and had been set free. He kept me until 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning trying to make be confess. McPartland told me that he wanted to convict Moyer, Haywood, Pettibone, St. John and Simpkins, whom he called 'cut-throats.' If I would not help to convict them, he said, I would be taken to Colorado and either hanged or mobbed. If I helped I would only be taken to Colorado as a witness. When we parted, McPartland told me he was my friend. They put me back in the cell with Harry Orchard. Orchard talked to me about the need of backing up his story. I was somewhat frightened. Next day McPartland called again. I said I would do what he wanted me to do. He told me to think well what I was doing, to think of my family and save myself. He said he would see that my family was cared for. When the confession was made, McPartland led me on step by step and showed me all he wanted to say. He told me that what I said about the Tyler and Boule murders was only taken with the idea of making a strong chain of evidence to convict the officers of the Western Federation of Miners. He wanted the names of the officers of the Federation used as much as possible all through the confession. Two or three days later warden Whitney brought the confession to me to sign.

Adams confirmed that part of the confession dealing with his family but denied the paragraph relating to the plot to kill ex-governor Steunenberg.

The witness said that he had at different times been visited by W. E. Borah, governor Gooding and attorney Howley, but he was not allowed to detail the conversations.

QUEER DISAPPEARANCE

MONTREAL WOMAN MYSTERIOUSLY VANISHES FROM VIEW.

HAD RECENTLY PAINTED PORTRAIT OF LADY EVELYN GREY

Mantreal, Feb. 28.—On Friday of last week Mrs. Arthur Behenna, arrived in Montreal from Ottawa, in order to superintend the exhibition of her portraits, portrait studies and miniatures in the galleries of the art association. Her pictures were sent in advance from Ottawa. Since the hour of her arrival she has not been seen and a mystery of a remarkable character surrounds her disappearance. Mrs. Arthur-Behenna (Arthur is her family nome) has a home in the south of France. She is a Canadian by birth, but has lived chiefly in Europe and the United States. Years age she became an intimate friend of William T. Stead, whose letters of introduction were flattering indeed. In Europe Mrs. Arthur-Behenna was introduced to lord and lady Grey and their family. She was invited, when she came to America, to visit Ottawa and paint the portrait of lady Evelyn Grey. She accepted the invitation and the portrait was painted together with a miniature of the governor-general's daughter. These pictures were included in the catalogue, but they never arrived at the art gallery. Neither did the painter. The police have been notified, but there is no trace of the woman nor has there been, in spite of all efforts, since the moment she stepped off the train on Friday last.

BRYCE'S FUTURE

London, Feb. 28—In the house of commons today Mr. Liddell, unionist, wanted to know whether ambassador Bryce, at Washington, would be compelled to retire on reaching the age of 70, in May, 1908; and whether he would then receive a pension for his 15 months service. Foreign secretary Grey, in reply, said the premier would recommend to the king the retention of the ambassador's services after the aged of 70, if it was in the interest of the public service to do so. No ambassador, however, was entitled to a diplomatic pension until he had served ten years abroad.

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OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The question of old age pensions, in connection with which sir Richard Cartwright, according to a telegraphic despatch received yesterday, intends to introduced a bill into the house at an early date, goes to the root of our social and industrial system. The country requires for its development an immense amount of manual labor, and at the present time there is a special demand for unskilled labor. Though this demand has the effect of raising the price of labor, it cannot be said that the prospects of those who must earn their bread by hard manual labor are of the brightest. The wages, at best, are usually not sufficient to allow of any great margin for making provision for old age. A drain-digger who was being warned not to put his savings into speculative concerns, said that after he had paid the butcher and the baker and the landlord, and the weekly instalment on the sewing machine, it was his prudent custom to pack the rest in barrels. There is a lot of food for thought in this sarcasm.

Another difficulty that faces this class of workers is that their working life is comparatively short. The strength of the body begins to decline long before the strength of the mind, and the man who has led a life of hard labor, especially with exposure to the weather, is often old at fifty, and the outlook for the years that are left is anything but bright.

The country owes something to men who have thus worn themselves out in its service, and it is impossible to deny the logical force of Ruskin's contention that the old soldiers of the plowshare are as much entitled to recognition as the old soldiers of the sword.

We may not at present be able to see our way to the solution of the problem thus presented. Yet it is well to keep before our minds the great debt and duty that we owe, and not to conclude hastily that the debt cannot be paid. In this country we are happily free from the enormous burden that rests on the nations of Europe for military purposes. We should be making a very ill use of this immunity if we regarded it merely as a means of fostering selfish ease and luxury. The wealth and the energy that is elsewhere spent in warlike aggression and defence, we ought to spend in bettering the condition of the masses of the people.

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LOCAL OPTION LAWS

The standing committee on temperance and moral reform of the Hamilton Methodist conference, after a careful consideration of the record of the year in the matter of local option, has adopted a statement setting forth that they have ample evidence to convince them that the great majority of the electorate of the province of Ontario are now and have been opposed to the legislation which requires a three-fifth majority to carry a local option by-law. That one hundred Ontario municipalities undertook to submit local option by-laws on January 1, 1907, notwithstanding the unfair and discouraging conditions to be overcome to achieve success, shows clearly the strong desire of a large section of the province to free themselves from the incubus and injury of the liquor traffic, and also records the protest and resentment of the electorate against the legislation that aims to hinder the carrying of such by-laws. If those opposing local option had been under the requirement of a three-fifths majority to succeed they would have failed in every one of the one hundred and eight municipalities voting, for in not one instance did the vote against local option reach 60 per cent of the whole vote cast. They deem that it can be regarded as hardly less than a grave calamity, both morally and politically, to the province that of the municipalities giving majorities in favor of local option in so great a number as 41, or nearly one-half, the will of the people should be thwarted, their worthy aspirations to be free from the evils of the local liquor traffic crushed and a sense of rankling injustice engendered and that, too, by the action of the government that should have given encouragement to every step of moral progress and social security. In their judgment there never was any dissatisfaction with the ordinary majority provision of the local option law on the part of the mass of the electorate, and they make an earnest protest against this legislation requiring a three-fifths majority, believing the results are an intolerable wrong against the people.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

When a week ago, Mr. Peter Ryan of Toronto was on a visit to Montreal, he called on Hon. James McShane, now harbor master of the part. After a hearty handshake and a chat about old times and politics of the past as compared with those of the present, the talk turned to king Edward. The veterans agreed that barring the Holy Father he was the finest man on earth. "He's had a fine influence over Laurier!" remarked Mr. Ryan with characteristic jocularity. "It's a splendid thing he's done in influencing the government to recognize St. Patrick's Day." And then Mr. Ryan went on to say that by government enactment St. Patrick's Day in this year of grace, would be observed as a strict public holiday, and that all government offices, banks, factories, stores and places of trade would be closed under severe penalties, and all unnecessary labor suspended for the day.

"It will go hard with some, McShane," said Mr. Ryan, "but there's the law, and they must obey."

"Glory be," cried McShane, "but this is a day worth living for, and Laurier's the boy that fears nothing!"

"Why don't you write and thank him?" asked Mr. Ryan.

"Faith, I'll do more than that, I'll telegraph him the thanks of the Irishmen of Canada this very day."

When last seen Mr. McShane was hurrying to the telegraph office. Mr. Ryan had neglected to tell him that St. Patrick's Day this year falls on a Sunday, and that the new Lord's Day Observance Act will be then in force.

FOLLOW NEW ZEALAND

Editor, The Daily News: The workingmen of New Zealand have solved problems which have baffled all civilized nations by the wise administration of the affairs of their country. There can be no paupers as every respectable man and woman is entitled to withdraw money from the government at a certain age, under the assumption that, as they contributed to the general welfare by the payment of taxes, when they were young, they are entitled to benefit from the same source now that they are old.

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WILL LAST TEN YEARS
SUPPLY OF CANADIAN HOMESTEADS NOT EXHAUSTED.

MOVEMENT TO B. C. EXPECTED TO COMMENCE VERY SOON.

Winnipeg, Feb. 28.—J. Obed. Smith, commissioner of immigration, speaking of immigration prospects for the coming season, said today that they were exceptionally bright. "We have figures to hand," he said, "for seven months from July 1 to February 1 last, and these show an increase of 58 per cent in immigrants from Great Britain over the same seven months in the previous fiscal year. The immigariton from the United States increased 31 per cent during the same period. If this same ratio is maintained, the prophecy of the department made some time ago that the immigration should be 225,000, will be borne out."

Asked with regard to the probability of homesteads giving out, commissioner Smith said that there were enough claims to last ten years or more at the present rate they were being taken up. In the Red Deer district there are still some 3000 good homesteads left. Mr. Smith expressed the opinion that the special rate the C. P. R. is putting in force to British Columbia the first of March would tend to take a large percentage of immigration that way. The immigration authorities in B. C. welcome this, as the rate hitherto prevailing has been beyond the means of the average man.

MAY CRASH INTO EARTH
COMET WILL ENTER DANGER ZONE AT END OF MARCH.

ITALIAN PROFESSOR THINKS LIFE MAY BE DESTROYED.

Rome, Feb. 28.—Professor Matteucci, of the Vesuvius observatory declares that toward the end of March the substance of the new comet, discovered by Marchette, will come in contact with the earth's atmosphere, with consequences probably dangerous to the world. The professor is of the opinion that the danger will be brief but it may be acute. If the earth comes into collision with the comet's tail the earth's atmosphere may possibly cause ignition and life would be destroyed.

Harbine, Manchuria, Feb. 28.—A number of Chinese bandits on February 24, attacked a Russian patrol at Hulanchen and wounded five men. The bandits escaped with 21 killed. Since then skirmishing has been in progress and serious fighting began yesterday. Later the Russian commander reported that the ammunition of the field gun, with one Cossack detachment, was exhausted and appealed for reinforcements. These were sent to him. The Chinese government is moving troops under general Ma, through Mongolia, to Tsi Tsikhar.

Radison, Sask., Feb. 28—A hotelkeeper here named Craig, has been arrested, charged with assaulting and threatening to kill a license inspector, while the latter was discharging his duties.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 28.—The U. S. battleship Connecticut, proceeding from southern waters to New York, with an epidemic of typhoid fever among her crew, was in communication with Norfolk by wireless telegraph while off the Virignia capes. A message from the Connecticut says 15 of the men stricken with typhoid are in a critical condition.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—An influential delegation of leading business men and vessel owners of Montreal, Toronto, Kingston and Winnipeg, appealed to the government today for better transportation facilities for the Great Lakes trade They said they represented the grain associations and boards of trade of many points in asking for the deepening of the Welland canal to accommodate the large vessels now operating through the Soo canal. Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised consideration, saying that as soon as money was available the work would be done. The petition was backed up by a striking array of figures showing that the improvements would reduce the cost of carrying grain from Fort William to Montreal three cents a bushel.

Regina, Feb. 28.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the legislature, attorney general Lamont presented the judiciary proposals of the government. These provide for a supreme court of five judges, all resident in Regina, and for eight district court judges, the districts being Regina, Moosejaw, Prince Albert, Battleford, Yankton, Saskatoon, Moosomin and Cannington.

New York, Feb. 28.—Custom inspectors at Hoboken, N.J., have seized 500,000 lottery tickets being taken ashore by two stewards of the Hamburg-American liner Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. The tickets are said to have been issued by a Hamburg lottery and were placed in the appraisers stores and the case referred to the surveyor of customs.

Elmira, N.Y., Feb. 28.—There are over 400 delegates at the state conference of the prohibition party which opened here today. J. H. Burke, of Rochester, the state chairman, is presiding. P. Frank Bennett of this city, in the course of an address, said the ranks of the prohibitionists were daily receiving recruits and predicted a great success for the cause in the near future.

MICHEL NOTES.
(Special to The Daily News)

Michel, Feb. 28.—The smallpox quarantine was raised at midnight last night at Mrs. J. B. Hylle's boarding house and the C. P. R. caboose. No further signs have developed in either place.

Tim Turner, master mechanic at the Michel mines, left for Banff today to take treatment at the hot springs for muscular rheumatism.

The Crow's Nest Pass country is experiencing some fierce weather lately. Saturday was a splendid spring day, Sunday the ground was covered with six inches of snow, which partially disappeared before night, thawed by the heavy rains and the Chinook wind but by sundown it turned cold, and winter seems to have again taken charge of affairs, sending the thermometer to 20 below zero.

The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. is directing all efforts to complete the new wash house that is being built on the site of the one destroyed by fire during the strike last fall. The new building will be much larger and more commodious than the old one. The outer walls are now completed; within a week the roof will have been finished, and by the first of April the building will probably be ready for use. The company will also erect 20 new cottages and a large up-to-date boarding house as soon as the material can be brought here.

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NEGLECTED COLDS THREATEN LIFE
(From Chicago Tribune)

"'Don't trifle with a cold,' is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained throughout the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected and a well established, ripe cold is to the germs of consumption what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this time of the year is the neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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FERNIE HAPPENINGS.

Fernie, Feb. 28.—The number of tagless dogs wandering around the town has become such a public nuisance that the authorities lately inaugurated a grand round up with the result that the pound contains as fine an assortment of mongrels as has ever been gathered together in British Columbia. Unless the owners claim their canines and pay the tax they will be destroyed.

Charles Lindsey, son of G. G. S. Lindsey, the general manager of the C. N. P. C. Co., who has been in the hospital at Victoria for some time suffering from typhoid fever, is reported as recovering rapidly

ELECTRIC PIANO

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Editor, The Daily News.—With reference to your editorial on the subject of fire drills in the local schools, permit me to allay any feeling of disquietude regarding the schools of Nelson. Of course the danger from unseen causes we cannot guard against; but the manner in which the pupils are drilled in the public schools of Nelson compares most favorably with any city, large or small, on the continent. If it is considered necessary to prove this statement, I might refer to the standard publication on fire matters throughout the United States and Canada, in which the drills of the Nelson scholars are commented on most favorably. Without warning to the teachers or scholars, we have seen the schools cleared within one minute, the scholars marching out the different doors under the direction of their teachers, without a break in the lines. Further, the scholars in the high school are drilled in the use of hose and ladders and form a fire service of their own, ready to act in case of fire in the school or in neighboring residences.

At the central school, and high school, a fire alarm system is installed, which gives notice of fires to the teachers and scholars and continual drills avert panic. A chemical extinguisher has been instanled for suppressing incipient fires and it is the intention to have a direct fire alarm between the central school and the fire hall, thereby avoiding the waste of time now necessary in seeking a regular alram box or running to the fire hall. The "Fire Escape Act" does not cover buildings under three stories in height; but we are now proposing to install fire escapes on both buildings, with the entention of making them temporary, for removal when the new school buildings will be erected.

Regarding the unfortunate fire in Montreal, the despatches to hand state that the late principal notified the children to secure their hats and wraps, thereby causing the little ones—and many of them so young that it is a wonder how they were ever allowed to enter a school—to take their own time in securing their property. This was occasioned, most likely, through the cold weather prevailing there. We have not called out the children here since the snow appeared, for the reason that they leave the buildings without the necessary wearing apparal, and the prevalence of lagrippe would be cause of sickness and complaint, if we forced the children to go out in the snow. That this was a wise move is proved by the sad occurrence in Montreal, where the children scattered throughout the building in quest of their clothing.

I must, in conclusion, give my predecessor and the teachers of the Nelson schools credit for the manner in which they drilled the children. In some places throughout the province they neither have fire escapes nor drills and the buildings are higher and the chances of fire more apparent. Years ago, when I approached one trustee regarding a fire escape, on a three-storey building, he positively refused to have one erected; he was a lawyer and claimed that the act did not apply to schools. Before concluding permit me to state that the convent building is provided with a good fire escape and regular fire hose attached to the water mains. If the school trustees throughout the province will take a few lessons from the Nelson teachers, it is possible they will avert a catastrophe. Some of them require lessons and I trust they will not await a repetition of the Montreal horror.

THOMAS DEASY.

GEN. BOTHA IS PREMIER

BOER'S SWEEPING VICTORY IN TRANSVAAL ELECTION.

ALL PARTIES ARE LOYAL TO THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

Pretoria, Trasvall, Feb. 28.—The first Transvaal colony ministry will comprise general Botha, premier and minister of native affairs; advocate Smutts, colonal secretary; H. Cullinan, minister of lands and public works; H. C. Hull, treasurer; advocate Devilliers, minister of justice; J. Bissik, minister of mines. Colonial secretary Smutts, like Botha, was a general during the war, and formerly was state attorney in the government of president Kruger. Minister of justice Devilliers was attorney general during the late war. Messrs. Cullinan, Hull and Bissik, are connected with mining interests.

The elections resulted in a majority of 25 for Hetvolk, the nationalist- labor combination. The house will be constituted as follows: Hetvolk, 36; nationalists, 7; labor, 3; independents, 2; progressives, 21. Sir Richard Solomon leader of the nationalists, who was popularly mentioned for the premiership, was defeated in Pretoria by sir Percy Fitzpatrick (progressive.)

There were four parties with candidates in the field. The progressives are supposed to be the party of the mine owners, and also the party which opposed the granting of representative government; Hetvolk, or Dutch party, represented those who were in control of the Transvaal in the days of Kruger before the war, and who favored self-government; the nationalists, supposed to represent the English-speaking residents who favored self-government, and whose main plank is the federation of the colonies of South Africa on the lines of the Canadian and Australian federation. Lastly, there is the labor party, which represent the cause of white labor in the Transvaal. Besides this, there are a number of independents, mostly Britons of long residence in the country, who are not quite ready to ally themselves with any particular party, but who will probably support any reasonable government not antagonistic to Great Britain.

No party advocates secession from the empire. The great question is that of labor for the Rand gold mines. By the action of the British parliament in 1904 the mine owners were allowed to import 50,000 Chinese coolie laborers under three-year contracts. By the terms of the new Transvaal constitution the arrangement under which these were hired expires one year after the first meeting of the legislature. As the legislature will meet next June this means that unless this law is modified or repealed the Chinese must leave the Transvaal by June, 1908. The progressives represent that this will ruin the mining industry, the great industry of the colony. They say that white labor is out of the question, and that black labor it is impossible to get in sufficient quantities.

On the other hand, Hetvolk started into the campaign with a policy of sending back every Chinaman as soon as his term expired, and the nationalists and labor parties largely supported them. Later, however, the line of cleavage considerably modified. Hetvolk leaders, in their recent speeches, said that they would not send away a Chinaman without having a laborer to put in his place. It appears, therefore, that Hetvolk's later contention was that it was more to be trusted to find a proper substitute for Chinese labor than the progressives.

London, Feb. 28.—The result of the Tranvaal elections has been received with a certain amount of disappointment by the liberal M. P.'s. Hamar Greenwood states to the Chronicle that as the application of self-government will solve all the troubles of the Transvall, therefore he is not concerned which way the election went.

The Daily Graphic representing conservative opinion, attributes the defeat of the progressives to trimming tactics. It cannot but be disappointed at the result of the elections, but takes comfort in the strength and ability of the progressive minority.

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CANADIAN GARRISON AT WORK POINT UNDER STRENGTH

MANY OF THE OLD ENGINEERS HAVE DESERTED THE CORPS

Victoria, Feb. 28.—If the Canadian garrison at Work Point is to be kept efficient, reinforcement from the eastern recruiting stations must be sent out at once. At present the force is not sufficiently large, being about half the required numerical strength. Some months ago about 25 men were sent from eastern Canada in order to assist in maintaining the Esquimalt defences. This, however, did not help matters appreciably, and although it is possible to carry on the ordinary routine with the available troops, their augmentation is generally considered imperative if it is intended that the garrison duties should be attended to satisfactorily.

Some difficulty has been experienced since the local fortresses have been taken over by the Canadian government in preventing the desertion of numbers of the soldiers. It is authoritatively reported that several have succeeded in escaping the vigilance of their superiors in rank, taking the steamer to Seattle or other Sound cities, and there entering employment in different lines of trade. In most instances those who have done this have been members of the Royal Engineers. Those who have been successful in getting away have, it is reported, written to their former companions in arms, informing them of the high scale of wages in vogue throughout the United States. As a result many have been rendered somewhat dissatisfied with their condition.

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Nelson, Feb. 25, 1907. 263-7

Corporation of the City of Nelson

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By Order,
W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, eFb. 26, 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 8 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 year, and in case of illness are entitled to free treatment in the hospital.

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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL

FIGURES IN DETAIL FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY

MISS SCANLAN'S CLASS WINS WILSON BANNER

The figures showing the number of pupils enrolled at the high and public schools for the month of February, the actual average attendance and the percentage, as well as the list of those perfect in attendance, are given hereunder.

High School	Enrol.	Att.	p.c.
Division I	19	15.40	81.06
Division II	23	20.38	86.61
Total	42	35.78	85.19
Public School	**Enrol.**	**Att.**	**p.c.**
Division I	32	28.65	89.53
Division II	27	24.35	90.19
Division III	27	23.67	87.67
Division IV	44	36.60	89.27
Division V	47	41.71	88.77
Division VI	49	39.08	79.75
Division VII	32	26.70	83.44
Division VIII	38	31.43	82.71
Division IX	36	27.52	76.44
Division X	28	22.82	81.50
Total	360	302.54	84.03

The total attendance at the high and public schools for the past month was: Enrolled, 402; attendance, 338.32; percentage of regularity, 84.1. The Wilson banner for the best percentage was won for the month by Miss Scanlan's class, division 2.

The list of those who attended perfectly throughout the month is as follows:

Division 1, A. Sullivan, principal—Roland Brown, Naomi Butchart, Donald Currie, Hugh Gunn, Percy Howard, Lorne McCutcheon, May McVicar, Jim Nicoll, Leon Pitts, Buelah Wade.

Division 2, Miss K. Scanlan, teacher—Margaret McPhee, Lottie Annable, Albert Poupore, Marion Wade, Erma Ferguson, William Gunn, Mary Donaldson, Harry Pitts.

Division 3, Miss E. S. DeBou, teacher—Charles Darrough, Bertie Donaldson, John Ferguson, Edna Graves, Clifford Irving, Milton Newitt, Jean Nicoll, Lucile Perkins, Hester Pierre, Rachel Wilson.

Division 4, Miss Thomas, teacher—Kenneth Adams, Beatrice Amas, George Norman, Annie Donaldson, George Elliot, Beth Ingram, Louis Johnstone, Jack Laughton, Alfred Manson, Helen McArthur, Ida McCohn, Gladys Macdonald, Gordon McPhee, Lula McVicar, Almida Palmquist, Emma Svoboda, Mary Taylor, Edmund Traves.

Division 5, Miss L. Wade, teacher—Laurence Amas, Esther Bard, Leila Buggin, David Friedman, Ida Gunn, Terry Hopkins, Earl Marks, May Manson, Rita McCutcheon, Willie McVicar, George Nicoll, Nellie Richardson, Charlie Riley, Frederica Starkey, Hazel Thompson, Charlie Traves, Lily Oates, Murdo McLeod, Ray Alban, Mabel Allen.

Division 6, Miss M. L. Moffatt, teacher—George Amas, Eddie Boyes, Marguerite Buggin, Everett Brusch, John Craig, Arthur Donald, Joe Greyerbiehl, Norman Hall, Aggie Leslie, Jack Leslie, Clarence McKeown, Muriel Marks, Archie Nicoll, Bertie Whitehead.

Division 7, Miss A. O. Barber, teacher—Fred Burchell, Myrtle Darrough, Clifton Hodge, Albert Kinahan, John Lawson, Victor Mastberg, Lodona McDonald, Gladys McKeown, Hamilton Neelands, Elsie Richardson, Beatrice Turner.

Division 8, Mrs. Pearcy, teacher—Alexander Ballan, Alfrida Bergman, Earle Donaldson, Irene Donaldson, Gladys Dinwoodie, Margaret Hamilton, Marjory Ingram, Dan Jones, Agnes Lawson, Ernest Mchin, Joe Riley, Ruth Taylor, Grace Wright, Claud Miller.

Division 9, Miss Thom, teacher—Gummar Bergman, Wilfrid Carrie, Wesley Calbick, Bessie McKenzie, Jack McPhee, Georgie Svoboda, Willie Wallach.

Division 10, Miss Abercrombie, teacher—John Ballan, Arthur Barber, Harry Burchell, Thomas Craig, Tony DeFero, Jessie Donaldson, Earle Hall, Herbert Jordan, Edith McPhee, May Ratcliffe, Gladys Young.

George McL. Brown, general passenger agent of the C.P.R. company's steamship lines at Montreal, advises that all cabin accommodation on the Lake Champlain, sailing from Montreal on July 6th, and on the Lake Erie, sailing from Montreal on July 20th, has already been disposed of. It will thus be seen that early application for spring and summer reservations on the other steamships of the C.P.R. company is most advisable. This does not apply to the third class bookings. There is ample accommodation in the third class section.

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THE METALS IN 1906

REVIEW OF MARKETS FOR COPPER, ZINC AND LEAD

RECORD PRICES FOR MANY YEARS—FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

(From the Mining Journal)

Last year was unquestionably the greatest year ever recorded in the metal markets. In all the metals except quick silver the highest prices for many years were recorded ,the year closing in most cases at top prices and this though the volume of output is perhaps double that of 15 or 20 years ago. Certainly no more striking illustration of the necessity of devoting more capital to metal mining, to which we called attention two years ago, could be well imagined. While miners all the world over have been rejoicing in the prosperity which the enhancement of metal values has brought them, it is always tempered by the thought that the sharper the rise the sooner the trade reaction caused by prices reaching a point beyond the buying powers of the community; but while the coming year will be scanned very carefully for indications of falling consumption due to the high price of raw materials, it is fortunate that basal elements in the metallurgical industries, coal and iron, do not as yet show anything like the same relative advance as the metals.

Though a record year for all metals, 1906 will probably be remembered as pre-eminently a "copper year." An absolutely record price was not reached, but we have to go back to 1873 to find a higher price prevailing. The course of the market for the year is sufficiently shown by the average prices for each month of standard and electrolytic, which were the following, according to the figures of the New York metal exchange:

	Electrolytic
January	$18.53½
February	17.91
March	18.34
April	18.50
May	18.55
June	18.53
July	18.25
August	18.47
September	19.18½
October	21.39
November	22.06
December	22.96

The two assignable causes for this tremendous and quite unexpected advance were the great American demand and the comparatively small advance in available supply. The impossibility of building much upon the statistics for the United States is shown when we come to examine the estimates of last year.

Putting these aside, what does the history of the past year suggest? First, the absence of Jeremiahs in the copper market is noticeable, especially when contrasted with the tone of similar authorities towards the price of tin. Market appreciations of the copper future became towards the end of the year almost hysterical at times and the confidence with which a 30c. level was talked of in America toward the end of December argued a speculative optimism which has been noticeable in all departments of industry in that country and which is somewhat generally considered in this country to threaten widespread disorganization of business. A strong feature of the present position of the metal is undoubtedly that much of this year's production is stated to be sold ahead up till the first five or six months, but how far these sales are more than options cannot be known. It is common ground with all authorities that it is American consumption that caused the rise of last year, since the exports are much lower and the imports much higher, and the demand has been chiefly accounted for by the development of electric railways.

One other consideration deserves to be considered, viz., the consolidation of producing interests in a few hands and the possibility of interference with normal developments. It is estimated that with the recent transfer of the Cananea properties and reported deals in Lake Superior mines, the amalgamated interests virtually control the production of some 250,000 short tons of copper, and, through the United Metals Selling sompany ,the marketing of some 400,000 short tons, or pretty well half the production of the world. Now, while it may be perfectly true that there is no manipulation of the position in the ordinary sense of the word, it is manifest that such a control permits of interference with normal growth in a way impossible of detection. It may be found necessary to make a stand against a labor union and a section of the mines are closed down or a smelter may require an overhauling or the scrapping of obsolete plant; or, again, it may have been impossible to foresee the growth of consumption, and refineries may be unequal to the demand as was said to have been the case last year. All these and like stoppages in the chain of production and manufacture are such perfectly natural occurrences that it is quite impossible to say when they may be adopted for ulterior reasons and when not. The record of American railroads certainly suggests that the financiers at the back of the Amalgamated have nothing to learn from the Rand financiers in market manipulation; and as our American correspondents have recently testified to the general development of public speculation in mining shares during the last year ,the possibility of bringing down prices so as to shake out holders of copper stocks must be considered. It can hardly have escaped notice that Herr Dernburg, the German colonial minister, referred in one of his recent addresses to the menace to German national interests of the American copper trust, and as he was appealing to the commercial classes, it may be assumed that the idea of manipulation is not altogether strange to German financiers. Once the possibility of manipulation is admitted, it becomes impossible to attempt any forecast of the future; but for the benefit of mining it should be remembered that even a heavy fall in the metal would still leave most properties a very satisfactory margin between profit and costs, while, on the other hand there is little evidence that last year's prices have seriously prejudiced business.

ZINC

Like the other metals, spelter had a remarkable, not say a record year ,and although the record prices were reached during the squeeze early in January, the average price was better in the second than in the first six months and the metal finished at the high price of £28 2s. 6d. for ordinaries. The average London price for the year was £27 4d. per ton. The London price showed a gain on the previous year of £1 11s. 5d. In America the average price was 6.19c. per lb. In January the average price was 6.47 1-2c. The lowest monthly average of the year was reached in July, with 5.97 1-2c. American exports during the first 11 months of the year amounted to 3775 tons, compared with 4847 tons during 1905. In London the market started at the beginning of the year with £29 5s., and reached the culminating point with £29 7s. 6d. Interrupted temporarily by unimportant improvements, quotations after that constantly fell until they reached the lowest point of the year during the first week in March, with £24 2s. 6d. By the end of April they had risen again to £26 12s. 6d. and to £27 11s. 3d. by the end of May; in December from £28 15s. to £28 5s.

In Germany the total production was about 220,000 tons, against about 200,000 tons in 1905. The home consumption is estimated at 180,000 tons, compared with 165,000.

When making allowance for re-exports, the imports of ore during the year were considerably larger than in the previous year, the surplus amounting to 422,952 double cwts. Among the countries which exported to Germany were the Australian Commonwealth, Spain, the United States, Algiers, Greece, China, Sweden and Turkey in Asia. In the United States our contemporary, the Engineering and Mining Journal, gives the production at 225,395 tons, a gain of 23,647 tons, while the New York Metal Exchange gives an increase of 18,000 tons.

In all the chief centers of zinc mining great activity was witnessed during the year. The production of the Joplin field is reported by the Lyon Investment company at 278,556 tons, valued at $12,063,261 a gain of 26,125 tons. As regards prices paid by buyers, they state: The highest price for ore during the year was $54 per ton in January. The average price for the year was $43.30 per ton and the year closed with top grades selling at $49.50. The apparently low average price of zinc as compared with top prices, is explained by the inclusion of a few hundred tons of silicate, which sells for about one-third the price of zinc sulphide. While it is yet too early to segregate the relative values of these ores, it is likely that later official figures will show the average price of zinc sulphide, which comprises over 95 per cent of the zinc output, to be very close to $47 per ton. In 1905 the average price was $44.88 and the highest price paid was $60 per ton during January of that year, caused by the extremely cold weather, which put many mines out of business for several weeks.

In remelted zinc a strong demand prevailed up to well into the autumn with few interruptions. Towards the end of the year the market became somewhat less active, consumers having secured abundant supplies before the close of the inland shipping season. Prices were satisfactory. Hard zinc remained in active demand and maintained high prices all the year round. For zinc ashes quotations during the current year did not always remain in sympathy with the movement of spelter prices. At times the supply exceeded the demand, but there was no accumulation worth mentioning of stocks, the floating supplies always being speedily taken up by speculators. As regards zinc white, during the year under review the results obtained were again but little satisfactory. It is true the consumption was large so that all the factories were kept busy, but the prices which could be obtained throughout the year in no proper proportion to those which ruled for the raw materials. Besides there were often considerable quantities sold for future delivery at low prices. The export to Russia, which used to be very considerable, has almost entirely ceased owing partly to the highly increased import duty and partly to the political troubles prevailing in that country.

Regarding the future development of the market, Mr. Spier expresses the opinion that the probability is that towards the middle of the year, and perhaps even sooner, a decline of prices may take place. Regarding the efforts made in Australia to convert the enormous quantities of tailings at grass there, first into concentrates and then into spelter, the increased production which must be a consequence of these works is likely in the coming year to be an important factor in the development of the market. Moreover, a number of new zinc works are in course of erection in Germany, as well as in Great Britain and France and may be expected to start work. In the United States, too, business was very active, though at times supplies were allowed to accumulate. At present stocks are completely exhausted.

LEAD

Like all other departments of the metal market, lead was a rising market in 1906. The average price in London was £17 8s. 4d against £13 14s. 4d. in 1905, and in New York 5.78 1-2c. against 4.48c. As compared with the prices at the end of December 1905, however, the average for the year shows a slight decline, 6.05c. being then asked in New York, and £17 17s. 6d. touched in London. The course of the year's markets may be more easily seen from a comparison of the average prices for each month, which are given by the New York Metal Exchange as follows.

	London £	s.	d.	N. Y. $
January	16	18	8	5.85
February	16	3	1	5.40
March	16	0	0	5.40
April	15	16	11	5.46½
May	16	13	10	5.58
June	16	16	3	5.89½
July	16	13	2	5.76
August	17	1	11	5.78
September	18	6	9	5.96½
October	19	9	4	5.91
November	19	8	8	5.92½
December	19	12	2	6.08

The average price for the past eyar is a high one relatively to recent years, the nearest approach bing £17 5d. in 1900, but it is not absolutely high as compared with tin, copper or antimony, seeing that from 1850 onwards the price of lead never fell below £17 a ton till 1878. America as the chief producer and consumer, had a busy year. The production of lead reached, approximately 300,000 tons, according to the N. Y. Metal Exchange computation, while the Engineering and Mining Journal makes 335,300 tons—an increase in the first estimate of about 30,000 and in the other of about 40,000 tons. The imports and exports were both smaller, the Metal Exchange estimating them, respectively, at 73,350 and 41,597 tons, against 87,680 and 53,081 tons in 1905. As bearing on the American position it is worth noticing that the smelter trust raised its prices $5 a ton on Dec. 13, which, no doubt accounted for the mid-December rise expected both here and in America. In the the Missouri district ore was fetching $87 a ton at the close of the year and prospecting during the year was very active.

The Canadian output, as recorded in our last week's issue, was 30,000 short tons, an increase of about 1800 tons, while Mexico is reported slightly below last year's figures. The future of the market depends chiefly on the course of business in the United States. Continued prosperity there is bound to stimulate building operations as well as maintaining the electrical demand, and the view of the smelter trust is evidently that higher prices can be got. The breadth of the present boom is, of course, in favor of the building trade in Europe; so that, given a good year in America, it certainly looks as though high prices should continue during the current year.

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THE "UNWRITTEN" LAW

URGED IN DEFENCE OF THE STROTHER BROTHERS

CASE FOR THE DEFENCE HAS OPENED AT CULPEPPER

Culpepper, Va., Feb. 28.—The case of the prosecution against James and Philip Strother, charged with the murder of William M. Bywaters, their brother-in-law, is complete, and the defence today began the presentation of evidence which they claim will establish a complete justification under the plea of "the unwritten law."

The brothers are accused of killing Bywaters within an hour of his forced marriage to their young sister, Viola, who was still suffering from the effects of an operation performed in Washington at the instigation of Bywaters. The two families are prominent in this state and in West Virginia, one of the brothers being a member of the West Virginia legislature.

At the preliminary hearing the brothers did not deny that they shot Bywaters. The widowed bride was unable to testify then. The witnesses were Mrs. E. L. Gaines, a sister of the Strothers, and her husband, both of whom were at the Strother home and witnessed the shooting. Mrs. Gaines held her husband in her arms outside of the room to keep him from mixing up in the trouble.

Viola Strothers and Will Bywaters had been sweethearts for many years. Bywaters was a distant cousin and had been welcomed into the Strother home as a brother. The man of the world had little difficulty in capturing the heart of the simple country girl. Following a surgical operation in Washington she had to take to bed; and on her return home her pitiable story came out. She will have to go on the stand in her bothers' defence and tell the story of her own betrayal.

It appears that Bywaters loved her devotedly and intended to marry her. He told friends that he proposed to marry Viola as soon as he was financially able. That time had not arrived, however, when her brothers learned the truth. They found Bywaters in a country grocery. With drawn revolvers they forced him to enter a buggy with them and drove him to their home where Viola was lying at what was supposed to be the point of death. A minister had already been summoned, and Mr. and Mrs. Gaines were on hand as witnesses. Bywaters had been informed on the way of what was required of him and warned that any attempt at evasion would mean his death. The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, after all had supper together.

After supper Bywaters said he had promised to spend the night at the home of his mother. He was warned that any attempt to leave the premises would result in his death; that he must stay and watch by his suffering bride's bedside. He apparently acquiesced, but the brothers followed him when he left the dining room, they in turn being followed by Mr. and Mrs. Gaines. They came on Bywaters in the act of crawling through the window of his bride's room on the way of escape, and they opened fire. He was litterly riddled with bullets.

After killing him the brothers surrendered. The belief is general that they will be acquitted.

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NO SENSATIONAL FEATURES IN THAW TRIAL.

MEDICAL WITNESSES TESTIFY AS TO SANITY.

New York, Feb. 28.—When court opened this morning for the trial of Harry K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White, the usual crowd was missing, only comparatively few applying for admission.

The dullest day of the Thaw trial was reached today when district attorney Jerome continued his cross-examination of Dr. Britton Evans, alienist for the defence. The morning was taken up with questions concerning details of certain of Thaw's letters which have been admitted in evidence. Mr. Jerome repeated several of his questions many times before securing a definite answer. In the end Dr. Evans was convinced the writer was insane at the time of writing, "but not insane in the sense that he would always remain insane."

There were only half a hundred spectators in the courtroom when the proceedings began today and half of these had left by the time luncheon recess was ordered. The long drawn-out cross-examination of Dr. Evans evidently precludes the possibility of the defence concluding its case this week.

The immediate future in the Thaw trial promises nothing but expert testimony. Dr. Britton D. Evans, superintendent of the asylum at Morris Plains, N. J., resumed the stand today and district attorney Jerome continued the searching cross-examination which took up practically all of yesterday's session. Today Dr. Evans told what signs of melancholy he found in Harry Thaw's letters and in the will and codicil thereto, which bears the date of April 4, 1905, the day on which Thaw and Evelyn Nesbit were married.

Perhaps the most interested man in the courtroom yesterday was Dr. C. G. Wagner, superintendent of the insane hospital at Binghamton, N. Y., whose cross-examination will follow that of Dr. Evans. He occupied a seat close to the rail and listened intently to every question and answer. Behind Mr. Jerome during the cross-examination, sat Dr. Carl Macdonald, Dr. Austin Flint and Dr. William Maben. They made voluminous notes of the testimony and Mr. Jerome conferred with them constantly. It is said that all three of these alienists will go on the stand in rebuttal. While the district attorney has stated that he will call Dr. Allen Hamilton to the witness stand, it is probable that the rule of physician of patient will be invoked by the defence. Dr. Hamilton was retained by the defence soon after the killing of White and saw Thaw in the Tombs at the request of Thaw's lawyers. When he examined Thaw it was as a physician in Thaw's employ. There is little chance that the defence will allow him to testify for the prosecution without a specific waiver on the part of the defence. Mr. Delmas stated yesterday that he expected to finish the defence's direct case this week, the sixth of the trial. If this is done it is likely that the case will go to the jury within two weeks.

Dr. Evans was recalled and his cross-examination resumed by Mr. Jerome. Last evening Dr. Evans was given copies of Thaw's letter, will and codicil, so that he might be prepared for cross-examination on his theory that these documents contain evidences of an unsound mind. He read them again in court this morning.

A letter written with a lead pencil by Thaw to Evelyn Nesbit, he said, showed lack of sense of proprieties.

"Would this fact," asked Mr. Jerome, "that the writer had been travelling through Europe with the young woman as man and wife, though not married, have any effect upon your opinion?"

"No," replied Dr. Evans, "for a man under these circumstances may love the woman just as much as though she were joined to him by holier ties." Dr. Evans finally admitted that the letter taken alone would not show a pathological condition of the mind and declared that, generally speaking, it was a diseased condition of the brain. Dr. Evans was explaining the effect of "mental medicine" when district attorney Jerome interrupted.

"I will be short," said the expert.

"If we can get anything short," said the district attorney, "go ahead."

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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.
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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.

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London, Feb. 28—Lead, £19 10s.; silver, 32 1-8.

COPPER STOCKS

(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

New York, Feb. 28—The following are today's quotations for the stocks mentioned:

Stock	Asked	Bid
Granby	151¼	138¾
Dominion Copper	7¼	6¾
B. C. Copper	8⅞	8⅝

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Born, Feb. 27, to the wife of J. Belsaw, Fairview, a son.

Born, in this city on Feb. 27, to the wife of J. F. Martin, Hall street, a son.

Collections at the local customs house for the month of February amounted to $12,101.95.

His honor judge Forin has gone to Rossland to hold county court in that city and will not return here until tomorrow evening.

The regular meeting of the C.O.F. will be held this evening in the K. of P. hall at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

A meeting of the Nelson launch club is called for Tuesday afternoon next at 2:30 in the office of the secretary, G. A. Hunter, Baker street.

Nelson Encampment No. 7, I.O.O.F., meets tonight, when important business will be transacted. A full attendance is urgently requested.

The club room of the 1st Nelson company Boy's Brigade will not be open this evening, but the usual meeting will be held on Sunday, and there will be a parade on Wednesday evening next at 7 o'clock.

The meeting of the anti-tuberculosis society called for Friday evening at 8 o'clock will be held in the city hall, not in the board of trade rooms as stated yesterday in error. Everyone who takes an interest in the subject, and they should be legion, is urged to attend.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the parlor of the Kootenay hotel last night by Rev. E. H. Shanks, pastor of the First Baptist church, when Mrs. Richter of Waneta was married to S. C. Miller, Great Northern railway agent at Waneta. Mrs. Alice Shields of Waneta and L. H. Couture of this city were the only guests present.

Seven years ago yesterday the relief of Ladysmith was flashed out to a listening world and a great shouting went up all over the empire. The greatest demonstration was made three and a half months later when Mafeking was relieved on May 17th.

The "Rev. Dr. Jekillin," mentioned in yesterday's Associated Press despatch in connection with the Montreal school holocaust is Rev Henry Jekill, rector of St. Mary's church, the church from which the children will be buried. Miss Maxwell, the heroic lady principal, who lost her life in trying to save some of the little ones, was a member of Rev. F. H. Graham's congregation at Trinity church, when the present rector of St. Saviour's was stationed in Montreal previous to coming here.

D. W. Sinclair, the man whose sanity was questioned owing to his peculiar actions of late, and who has been in custody for the past few days, was examined yesterday by Drs. Arthur, Hawkey and Hall, and his insanity certified to. The case is a particularly pitiful one. Sinclair is a man well over six feet in height and built in proportion. He has not been an intemperate man and physically is in the pink of condition. He is 34 years old and unmarried. He has done good work at his trade, that of a machinist, and is well known here, having resided in Nelson for some years. At times he is perfectly rational and then suddenly something snaps and he commences to rave. Religious topics are his favorite theme, but he turns aside to address imaginary audiences in his cell at police headquarters, on socialistic and other questions of the day, talking rapidly until exhausted. It is the intention to take the unfortunate man to the New Westminster asylum this morning. Under treatment he may possibly recover.

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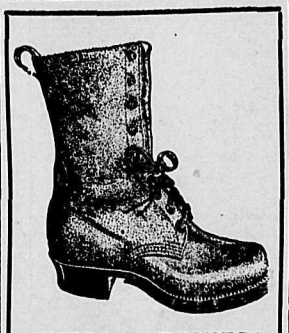

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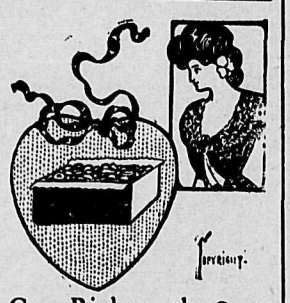

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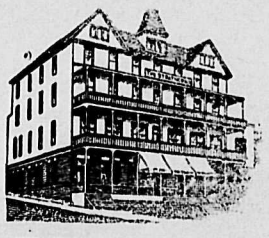

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