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RAPS PRESS ON KNUCKLE

University Club Condemns Character of Recent Campaign

Says There Were no Issues, and Deplores Low Level of Politic.l Life in B. C.

A severe arraignment of political conditions as they exist today was made at, and by, the University club at its regular monthly meeting held last night, Mr. Fraser presiding. Rev. F. H. Graham read the paper of the evening which, though introduced under the sonorous title of "Ethics and Politics," formed a severe attack on the failure of the two great parties, liberal and conservative, to divide on vital issues. Mr. Graham was very impartial, administering a touch of gall now here, now there, with perfect good nature and with the vigorous hand of a real independent. He decried the nature of the political battle recently waged in British Columbia—one which he characterized as consisting merely in deplorable efforts on the part of each contestant to besmirch the administrative record and the personal characters of those on the other side. He instanced two great faults, one liberal, one conservative, which merited condemnation. The first was the attempt made by the Ottawa liberal government to capture British Columbia in the interests of the liberal party; the other was the failure of the McBride ministry to take the people into its confidence and explain the reasons which lay behind the resignation of two of its late members, Messrs. Wilson and Green. As a remedy for the existing evils which he pointed out, he urged that men should cease to be tied to party allegience—that they should vote, as independents, with the side which put up the best candidate or which stood for the most acceptable policy. The seat of the whole disease in the political fabric he found in the fact that both parties had strayed away from ethical principles and had allowed politics to become a trade. Incidentally he took advantage of the opportunity to rap the knuckles of the press, asserting that on both sides the recent journalistic campaign was a disgrace and a reproach to those who were responsible for it.

Mr. Graham was promptly answered by Mr. R. J. Clarke who, in true Irish style, challenged his attacks on the press, on the conservative party, and on politics generally. Mr. Clarke maintained that, since the issue had been the government's administrative record, the opposition had a perfect right to attempt to pick flaws in that record and try to fasten the blame therefor on responsible ministers; and that the government was equally justified in countering with cross charges. He held, too, that since the conservative press honestly believed that the Ottawa liberals were trying to influence the British Columbia elections, it was its duty to make sturdy protest and attempt to block the intended move in every legitimate way. But he admitted that, in the heat of the campaign, words might have been used and assertions made which, to say the least, were somewhat exaggerated. He generally traversed the whole of Mr. Graham's paper, only stopping at a philosophic discussion of the real relation between ethics and politics.

Mr. V. W. Odlum, who was one of the visitors present, congratulated Mr. Graham on the character of the paper he had read, affirming that he agreed with almost every word of it. But he took issue with Mr. Graham on the statement he had made that the Ottawa government had attempted to influence the elections in British Columbia and to seize the province in the interests of the liberal party. This assertion he said was unjustified and he challenged Mr. Graham to advance grounds in support of it which he could not successfully attack.

Mr. Graham promptly accepted the challenge and said that he had been told by a prominent liberal worker after the campaign was over that the Ottawa government had used its influence as stated.

Mr. Odlum replied that this was not a valid argument. Any one might be termed a prominent liberal worker, and moreover many prominent liberal workers knew very little of what was actually going on in the inside circles of the party.

Dr. Arthur, following, agreed with Mr. Odlum that Mr. Graham's assertion of Ottawa interference was unsupported by convincing evidence. But he was not altogether satisfied with the campaign as conducted by the liberals any more than with that conducted by the conservatives. He accused the press of both parties of reducing the fight to a low level, of publishing charge and scandal after charge and scandal ad nauseam.

Messrs. Dyer, Baird and one or two others gave brief contributions to the debate, and then Rev. Mr. Ferguson gathered up the threads of the various arguments and framed on them a grand indictment against the people of Canada for the cynicism with which they viewed public questions. He cited the instance of a young man who frankly said that he was willing to take money for his vote because the big men in both parties were making a good thing out of public life; and why should he not get as much as he could out of his share of it? Mr. Ferguson saw an unhealthy sign in this cynicism and feared that it boded ill for the dominion.

At the next meeting Mr. Baird is to further enlarge upon the subject by reading a paper on party government.

FLAG FOR CANADA.

Sandwich, Ont., Feb. 9.—Ernest Girardot, exhibition commissioner of the dominion, says he is frequently asked abroad why Canada has no distinctive flag. Foreigners look upon our flag as consisting of the British ensign with a cluster of provincial escutcheons. Mr. Girardot suggests a flag consisting of the Union Jack, the Maple Leaf and nine vertical bars representing the provinces.

OFFICIAL KASLO COUNT

GIVES NEIL McKAY A MAJORITY OF FORTY-FOUR.

KEEN'S BEST VOTE WAS AT FERGUSON.

(Special to The Daily News)

Kaslo, Feb. 9.—The official count of the balloting in Kaslo riding was made yesterday, and gave McKay, the conservative candidate, a majority of 44. The polling in detail was as follows:

	Keen.	McKay
Howser	0	4
Ainsworth	11	10
Pilot Bay	2	11
Lardo	6	6
Whitewater	13	4
Gerrard	11	6
Poplar Creek	6	9
Trout Lake	15	43
Ferguson	25	10
Silver Cup	11	9
Kaslo	89	121
	189	233

INDIANS SELL LAND

G. T. P. BUYS PART OF THEIR NORTHERN RESERVE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA HOLDS REVERSIONARY INTEREST.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, Feb. 9.—A despatch to the Colonist from Ottawa, says: "Notwithstanding the fact that British Columbia last summer refused to waive its reversionary rights to the land of the Metlakatla Indian reserve, of which the Grand Trunk Pacific railway desired to purchase 13,519 acres, the deal has gone through, being finally consummated last month. According to returns brought down yesterday, at the inception of the Grand Trunk Pacific project its promoters had serious thought of making Port Simpson the Pacific terminus of the line but in April, 1905, a formal application for the Indian lands of Digby island, Kaien island, and the Tsimpsean reserve was made. British Columbia refused to waive its interest on the ground that one of the chief considerations which induced the government of the province to recommend a partially free grant of 10,000 acres to the Grand Trunk Pacific was the belief that if the western terminus of the railway were located on the land sold, the value of the provincial government's reserve there, and of its reversionary interest in the Indian lands, would be greatly enhanced and great benefit to the province would thereby likely accrue. For this reason the provincial government declined to waive its interests.

Last fall the Indian department undertook to dispose of the land asked for by the G. T. P. on the express stipulation that the company would accept the lands without recourse against the dominion in case of the establishment of any claim in respect of the reversionary interest held by the province. The G. T. P. accepted this condition. Then Mr. Vowell, Indian agent at Victoria, secured a surrender from the Indians, the price being $7.50 an acre. The surrender was accepted by the government on September 21 last. The correspondence since that date has had to do with the surveys of the land preparatory to the issue of a patent.

KING EDWARD RELENTS

London, Feb. 9 — King Edward, who never visited Cliveden while William Waldorf Astor occupied the place, is said to have signified his willingness to have a day's shooting there before the season ends. The coverts are being preserved with especial care, for when the king goes shooting he likes to have a regular battue. Such a visit will be all the more noteworthy because young Mrs. Waldorf Astor, the present mistress of the mansion, has not yet been presented at court, although her presentation is being arranged. Lady Bingham will present Mrs. Astor at the next court, at which Mrs. Chas. Dana Gibson will be formally presented at Buckingham palace.

SEVEN ENTOMBED

Wilkesbarre, Feb. 9—The seven men entombed last night in No. 19 colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company, were found dead today. The bodies were found in the bottom of the lift. The men were caught through a fire which started on the fourth level, cutting off their escape.

CRUSHED BY CAR WHEELS

George Prill, of Fernie, Instantly Killed Yesterday

Stepped Off Passenger Coach Before Train Stopped and Missed His Foo ing

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, B. C., Feb. 9.—Another fatal accident occurred at Coal Creek at 7 o'clock this morning, when George Prill, aged 23, a fireman employed in the boiler house, was instantly killed by being run over by a passenger coach in the Morrissey, Fernie & Michel railway.

Prill was a passenger on the mine train from Fernie, and was on his way to work. He attempted to alight from the car before it had stopped. He missed his footing and fell between the wheels of the last coach which passed over his body at the hips, crushing him in a terrible manner.

An inquest will be held this afternoon.

WEEK'S ORE SHIPMENTS

OUTPUT AND SMELTER RECEIPTS ABOUT THE AVERAGE

SCARCITY OF FUEL STILL CAUSING MUCH TROUBLE

The output of mineral for the last week and the smelter receipts were both about the general average.

The scarcity of fuel is still causing much trouble to smelter managers and no promise of a better state of affairs is given until the end of next month.

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

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS

MINE	Week	Year
Granby	9,995	40,491
Mother Lode	2,640	17,283
Snowshoe	1,153	5,485
Brooklyn	992	7,445
Rawhide	448	4,927
Sunset	352	2,080
Emma	264	974
Skylark	20	60
Mountain Rose	66	364
Providence	143	198
Total	16,073	79,297

ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS

Centre Star	3,253	8,034
Le Roi	4,017	14,389
Le Roi No. 2	429	1,946
Other mines		680
Total	5,699	25,049

SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHIPMENTS

Emerald	73	233
Sullivan	600	3,600
La Plata	98	516
La Plata, milled	425	2,550
Second Relief, milled	145	870
Queen	24	51
Queen, milled	185	1,110
Standard	22	181
Hunter V.	47	69
Arlington, Erie	56	170
Arlington, Slocan	21	71
Mountain Boy	22	22
Other mines		1,836
Total	1,718	11,869

The total shipments from the mines in the above districts for the past week were 23,489 tons, and for the year to date 116,215 tons.

GRANBY RECEIPTS
Grand Forks, B. C.

Granby	9,995	40,491
Skylark	20	60
Other mines		198
Total	10,015	40,749

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

Mother Lode	2,640	17,283
Snowshoe	320	3,650
Emma	264	561
Mountain Rose	66	66
Total	3,290	21,560

LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS
Northport, Wash.

Le Roi	2,169	6,135
Copper King	95	143
First Thought	47	240
Snowstorm	47	47
Other mines		583
Total	2,358	7,148

HALL MINES SMELTER RECEIPTS
Nelson, B. C.

Emerald	73	233
Standard	22	181
Arlington, Erie	56	170
Arlington, Slocan	21	71
Hunter V.	47	143
Mountain Boy	22	22
Other mines		467
Total	241	1,287

TRAIL SMELTER RECEIPTS
Trail, B. C.

Centre Star	3,253	8,034
Le Roi	1,848	8,254
Le Roi No. 2	429	1,946
Snowshoe	833	1,835
La Plata	98	516
Queen	24	51
Providence	143	198
Iron Mask	134	134
Other mines		1,517
Total	4,761	22,475

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

Brooklyn	992	7,445
Rawhide	448	4,927
Sunset	352	2,080
Other mines		298
Total	1,792	14,750

MARYSVILLE SMELTER RECEIPTS
Marysville, B.C.

Sullivan	600	3,600

The total amount of receipts reported from local and foreign mines for the past week were 23,057 tons, and for the year to date 111,569 tons.

LACK OF FUEL

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, Feb. 9—The Dominion Copper company's Brooklyn mine, in this camp, has been forced to close down because coal cannot be obtained for steaming purposes. Some weeks ago the Brooklyn was closed but opened again on Jan. 30, after a few cars of coal had been received. Now it will likely be kept closed till it is certain a supply of coal can be kept up. When the company's new electric compressor, now being installed at the Idaho mine, is ready for operation, the company will be entirely independent of the coal supply for its mines, as it is at its smelter. The compressor is now all ready but the large motor to drive it has not yet arrived. The supply of ore for the company's Boundary Falls smelter will be forced to come for the present from the Rawhide and Sunset mines largely. One furnace only is being operated at the smelter most of the time, because of the difficulty in getting coke—due to the same cause as the lack of coal at the mines—lack of coal by the C.P.R. for motive power.

ZINC ORES FREE

Blake Wilson returned to the city last night after a fortnight's visit in the states. He brought the news that the United States authorities have held that carbonates, and silicates of zinc are not subject to the one per cent tax. The decision was on a case from Mexico but it will affect Canadian zinc ores and will be good news to all B.C. zinc mining men.

ACCEPTS G. T. P. PLANS

ROUTE THROUGH BRITISH COLUMBIA IS OUTLINED.

WILL FOLLOW WATER COURSES ALMOST ALL THE WAY.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, Feb. 9.—Hon. R. G. Tatlow, acting chief commissioner of lands and works, has accepted the plans submitted by the G. T. P. showing the route of its line into British Columbia. The railway will enter at the Yellowhead Pass, run north of Cowdun and Moose lakes, and follow the north bank of the south fork of the Fraser until it is joined by the north fork. The river will be crossed near Fort George. It will leave Fort George on the south and follow almost due west to the Fraser; will then change and go northwest along the northeast bank of the Endakow river and Burns and Duker lakes to the head waters of the south Bulkley valley; will follow the Bulkley river on the east side and cross the Skeena near Hazelton. The line will then turn to the southwest and follow the north bank of the Skeena to its mouth, then cross to the Kaien island terminus. The line will run up the Nechaco and Bulkley valley. This is considered the most feasible of any route proposed, its characteristics being avoidance of long bridges and following the water level for almost the entire distance.

BLAMES THE SHIPPERS

Harriman's Explanation of the Existing Traffic Congestion

New York, Feb. 8—Replying to questions about his health today E. H. Tarriman said: "Everything has been going along smoothly and they appear to be able to get along as well without me as with me. Why should I not stay at home altogether? But I must work, and soon I may be looking for a new job. My recommendations are many years of experience on many railroads and in many railroad fields and if they will raise the salary a bit I may apply for a job on the interstate commerce commission, inasmuch as if the interstate commerce commission is to run all roads, I think they ought to have me."

On the congestion of traffic on the railroads of the country, Mr. Harriman said: "The railroads cannot build and supply cars for the shippers to use as storehouses. There are hardly enough cars for transportation. Yet the man to whom a load of freight is consigned thinks he ought to be privileged to use the railroad car as a storehouse as long as he likes. Limit the time the service of a car can be used by a procrastinating shipper and much of the present trouble will disappear."

COMPLAIN OF REPORTS

Ottawa, Feb. 9—The postmaster general has been asked to deny the use of the mails to all local papers which printed the details of the evidence of the Thaw trial in New York. The postmaster general said he had not read the reports in the newspapers, but the law was clear upon the point and he would see that it was enforced. Any newspaper publishing filthy evidence of a trial in court, he said, would be guilty of a misunderstanding under the law.

IS CUT OFF FROM COAST

Traffic From Spokane to West is Completely Blocked

Northern Pacific Line Was Open for a Few Hours and Seven Trains Rush'd Through

(Special to The Daily News)

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 9—Railroad traffic between Spokane and the Pacific coast is still completely blocked. This is the fourth day that traffic to the west has been at a standstill with the exception of a few hours Thursday morning, when the Northern Pacific had a clear track and was able to send through to the coast seven passenger trains which had been stalled at Pasco. The movement of these trains gave rise to the report on the coast that the road was open. Before any trains got through from the coast, however, or before any could leave Spokane for the coast, another serious washout occurred at Cunningham, 98 miles west of Spokane. The tracks have been submerged for 36 hours, but the water is said to be receding tonight and an attempt will be made to get the damage repaired tomorrow.

The Great Northern and the O. R. & N. are still tied up by snowslides and there is little hope of getting either road cleared before Monday. The Great Northern has been cleared of the slides in the Rockies and all delayed trains from the east arrived today. On this road and the Northern Pacific trains are being sent out from Spokane on regular time. Locals to Wallace are the only trains being operated on the O. R. & N.

Many tons of westbound mail are collecting here and will be sent out in the first train to get through to the coast.

Winnipeg, Feb. 9—Aeneas Mackintosh, who resides with R. A. Franklin, near Goose lake, Weyburn, Sask., met his death on Wednesday in a storm. He had gone to the postoffice for the mail for Goose Lake, about four miles distant. Mr. Davidson, the postmaster, seeing that a storm was coming, advised him to remain, but he determined to return. Shortly after leaving the postoffice he was seen on the trail, but not since. Not arriving at Franklin's, a search party was organized and the country travelled for miles without finding any trace of the unfortunate man. The R.N.W.M.P. were notified. Another search party is being organized, but there is little hope of finding the remains until the snow melts. The deceased was a Scotchman by birth but lived most of his life in England and at one time was a member of the English bar. He came to Winnipeg about two years ago. Chief McRae induced him to come to Weyburn where he lived until last autumn with James Dalglish, a brother-in-law of Mr. McRae. Since that time he has been residing with Mr. Franklin. A father and two sisters reside in Brighton, England and are wealthy.

HENDERSON'S SUCCESSOR

TWO MEN WIL SHARE THE COUNTY COURT WORK IN VANCOUVER

G. F. CRANE TO BE SENIOR JUDGE AND DAVID GRANT JUNIOR

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 9 — Private advices from Ottawa state that the duties of the county court here are to be shared by senior and junior judges hereafter, this action being in accordance with a request of the local bar, made two years ago. G. F. Cane is understood to have the appointment as senior and David Grant as junior. The commissions are expected in ten days and are anxiously awaited as two months' business has piled up awaiting action.

Local officials of the V. W. & Y. have received the approval of the dominion government on the report of engineer Keefer of its bridge over the second Narrows. The structure will be high level throughout, crossing over the C. P. R. track at a height of 25 feet and the distance above high water at every point will be 50 feet. A draw of 300 feet in the center will provide ample accommodation for traffic up the inlet.

C.P.R. IMPROVEMENTS

Montreal, Feb. 9—William Whyte, second vice-president of the C.P.R., is considering an expenditure of a quarter of a million dollars on the Canadian Pacific shops at Winnipeg. These car shops and a foundry, while only built a couple of years ago at a cost of two millions, have already proven inadequate. As soon as the spring opens, extensive enlargements will be made.

A COUNTER DELEGATION

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Isadore Jacobs, of San Francisco, president of the California Canneries company, and chairman of the executive committee of the Commercial Manufacturing association of San Francisco, was in Chicago last night on his way to Washington. There he will oppose mayor Eugene Schmitz and the board of education of San Francisco in their efforts to have the Japanese segregated from the American school children of that city. Mr. Jacobs said he represented the manufacturing and commercial interests of San Francisco and that all the commercial organizations are a unit in opposing the stand taken by the board of education in the matter of the Japanese. Mr. Jacobs is a cousin of Oscar S. Straus, secretary of commerce and labor, and says he will do all he can to preserve friendly relations between the U. S. and Japan.

CAPITAL MAY CHANGE

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 9.—Speaker Sutherland, of the house of commons, in an address on the Canadian constitution last night, said the time is not far distant when the west will be the centre of the Canadian empire. It is conceivable that if settlers continue to pour into the west, one of these days the seat of government may be changed from Ottawa to a western city.

CENTER OF TERRORISM

IS FOUND IN MOSCOW FEMALE UNIVERSITY

HEADQUARTERS OF "FLYING GROUP" LOCATED AT LAST

Moscow, Feb. 9—The headquarters of the flying group of terrorists, whence agents were sent out to execute the death sentence on general Ignatieff, lieutenant governor Pavloff, major general von der Launitz and governor Alexandrovsky of Pensea have been located at the Moscow female university. The police searched the university buildings and many nearby tenements and arrested eight girl students and a number of men, but the leaders have thus far escaped. A number of bombs and 60 pounds of pyroline were seized at the university.

LET HIS FAMILY DIE

SETTLER WENT FOR FUEL — BUT FORGOT TO RETURN

WIFE AND CHILDREN WERE FROZEN TO DEATH

Winnipeg, Feb. 9—A number of Winnipeg manufacturers have decided on joint extensive advancement and will start branch industries in the west and in B.C. if present plans do not miscarry. The weather report says that there is no sign of a cold spell, and the present warm weather in the west is likely to continue. The fourth session of the eleventh legislature of Manitoba will prorogue next Friday. By holding night sessions the work can be disposed of. Elections will likely be held in March.

At a meeting of North Winnipeg liberals tonight the nomination as candidate went to Alex. Macdonald, wholesale grocer, who has large interests in British Columbia. His family resides in Victoria.

The legislature has incorporated Portage la Prairie as a city, but has refused to allow the new city to go in for municipal ownership of its electric light plant, as a company already had a contract for supplying electric light and gas.

Arthur Congdon, wholesaler, has received word from a merchant at Alameda that a German settler's wife and five children were found frozen to death eight days ago in their farm house, 20 miles north of Bienfait. The farmer had gone into the village to get fuel; there was no difficulty in securing the fuel there but he went to Estevan, where he became the worse of liquor and on arriving home, three days later, discovered that every member of his family had perished during his absence, being without fuel. There was no storm on and it was a matter of neglect, it is alleged on the part of the husband and father that caused the tragedy. The settler was a new comer. Every stick of furniture in the house and even the flooring had been burned by them in the terrible fight against freezing.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

At the Methodist church this morning the sacrament of the Lord's Supper wil be administered after the morning service.

The Boundary train reached the city last night a little before midnight and shortly afterwards the train from up river points came in, connection having been made with Nakusp and at that point with Arrowhead. The train for the coast will leave this morning as usual and the company expects to get mail and passengers through to Revelstoke. F. J. Deane, who left for the coast last Tuesday morning, reached Revelstoke last night. He wires that no connections east or west have been made for several days and that further delay is looked for. The Crow train arrived at 8:30 last night and the Great Northern express got in on time. The Lardo-Gerrard, and the Rosebery-Sandon lines, as well as the K. and S. branch are still blocked.

ATLANTIC COLLISION

Southampton, Feb. 9.—The Atlantic transport line steamer Menominee from Antwerp Saturday for Philadelphia put in here this afternoon badly damaged as the result of a collision off Beachy Head during the night, with the French coasting steamer President Leroi Lallier.

DEFENCE'S NEW PLANS

Mrs. Thaw May Not be Put on the Stand on Monday

More Attention is to be Given to Evidence Supporting the Insanity Plea

New York, Feb. 9.—Doubt and speculation exists tonight as to what course the defence will take in the case of Harry Thaw when his trial is renewed before justice Fitzgerald in the criminal branch of the supreme court Monday morning. When court adjourned Friday it was the intention of Mr. Delmas, who is now in absolute command of the defence, to place Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw again on the stand to continue the narration upon which the prisoner's life depends. District attorney Jerome dramatically protested against any further "defamation of the dead" just before adjournment was taken, and was upheld by judge Fitzgerald in his contention that "a broader foundation" of the plea of insanity should be laid before "the loose tattle of the tenderloin" should be spread on the records. The district attorney's reference was to the question that Mr. Delmas put to Mrs. Thaw whether she and her husband discussed together "the fate of other girls at the hands of Stanford White."

The court's ruling that the insanity of the defendant has not yet been sufficiently established to admit of bringing in further details of his wife's testimony may result in a temporary change in the line of evidence. The course to be pursued Monday morning depends entirely upon the attitude of district attorney Jerome who declared he could have offered legitimate objection to Mrs. Thaw's testimony at the outset, on the ground that the alleged insanity of the defendant had not been established, but refrained because he knew the testimony as to her revelations to Harry Thaw must come some time.

New York, Feb. 9.—When the Thaw trial is resumed on Monday it is expected that Mr. Delmas will make a vigorous effort to introduce Thaw's will in evidence. It is believed to be strongly relied upon to show the effect upon Thaw of the stories related by Evelyn Nesbit to him. It is said to have been written on loose sheets of paper, partly typewritten, and partly in hand writing. According to a report today, the will is expected to show that Thaw feared assassination and it is stated that in it he ordered that the sum of $50,000 be devoted to the presecution of his assassin and the investigation of his anticipated assassination. Among other provisions is one setting aside a fund of $75,000 for the care of women whom he believed to have suffered through Stanford White. The names of these women are reported to be given in the will. It is also reported that the will contains a provision for the education of Howard Nesbit, Mrs. Thaw's brother, and that an allowance is made for the care of Evelyn's mother during her life.

IMPORTANT YMIR DEAL

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, Feb. 9—An important deal has been put through in this camp whereby Stiles Bros., of Seattle, have secured a bond on the Yankee and Canadian Girl mineral claims situated on Dundee mountain, the consideration being a tidy sum. Stiles Bros. have also a bond on the Yukon fraction, which adjoins the above property, and at present have a force of men at work under the foremanship of Patrick Daly. The Yankee and Canadian Girl group is owned by Messrs. Lovell, Grobe, McLeod and Cronin.

Ymir has for the past two days been experiencing a chinook, which has softened the snow and caused it to settle considerably. This will facilitate work at the mines and in the bush.

Mrs. J. W. Ruddy and Mrs. Samuel Miller have returned from a trip to Ontario. Their experience on the Canadian Pacific railway was none too pleasant. They were snowbound for 36 hours on the eastern slope of the Rockies on the Crow's Nest line, with no dining car attached to the train.

NEW FAIR WAGE OFFICER

J. D. McNiven of Victoria, Gets the Appointment

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, Feb. 9—J. D. McNiven, foreman of the Times composing room and one of the defeated candidates at the last election, leaves at the end of the month for Ottawa where he takes over the duties of fair wage officer of the department of labor in succession to the late D. J. O'Donoghue. His territory includes Ontario and west to the Pacific coast. Mr. McNiven is an old Ontario boy and has been prominent in labor circles for several years, being a very moderate and conservative man. It is generally conceded he will make a good officer.

FATAL TRAIN WRECK

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 9—Passenger train No. 3, on the Frisco line from Memphis, due here at 5 a.m., was wrecked near Platt City, Ala. Two persons are reported killed and 12 hurt.

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THE UNIVERSITY CLUB

In the language of parliamentarians, "a debate arose" at the monthly meeting of the University club last night—a debate so extended in scope and so prolific in suggestions that the journalistic auditor was early lost in the sea of ideas advanced, combatted and defended on every hand. It was a veritable field day for philosophic politicians and politic philosophers—for the connecting strain of argument which ran through it all and which was even noticeable in the widest digressions, formed an attack on the low level to which Canadian politics in general and British Columbia politics in particular have fallen of late years. Rev. Mr. Graham opened the subject with a paper so rich in thought and so nicely discriminating in the volume of critical acid applied to each of the political parties of the day, that he touched a responsive chord in the minds of most of those present. Indeed, save, perhaps, for a lonely stiff-necked partisan who refused to bend before the storm of popular disapproval, every one who took the floor admitted, as the premise of his contribution to the debate, that a political evil did exist, and that, in great measure, it was due to the almost total lack of an ethical standard in modern public life. But ethics and ethical standards soon faded away from the discussion until they only remained in the misty form of an ostensible line on which to hang arguments—a common ground in which each separate excursion into the field of practical politics had its origin.

Three strong indictments were made in the course of the discussion: Mr. Graham indicted the two great parties, liberal and liberal conservative, for failing to stand for any recognized principles of government; Dr. Arthur indicted the press, including papers of both political hues, as degenerates of the lowest journalistic type,—outcasts from the realm of lofty thought and fecund debate in which their predecessors of fifty years ago, in the good old days of Geo. Brown, conducted themselves with such credit and ability; and Rev. Mr. Ferguson indicted the whole Canadian public for the spirit of political cynicism with which it has been seized—a cynicism reflected in the frequent street corner admission that "both parties are crooked, of course, but the conservative (or the liberal as the case may be) is not as crooked as the other one."

Each of these indictments is a serious one and should, if valid, make all thinking men pause and consider what will be the future of the country if such unfortunate conditions are to continue to prevail in its public circles. A party struggle without an issue, journalistic warfare without either conscience or ability, and a general electorate without honor are certainly three things to be sincerely deplored. For the moment let us confine our attention to the first—the chief, we think, since in it lies the germ of the others.

Mr. Graham's main indictment (the term "main" is used advisedly, since this clerical critic of things as they are spiced his remarks with minor arraignments of everything else in sight, including the press) was fortified by sound argument and concrete example; even had Mr. Graham failed in making out a verbal case, he would still have been justified by recent circumstances in advancing the charge. Political strife in British Columbia has certainly become strife without big issues—division of parties without division of principles. And what is true of British Columbia is true of many parts of Canada. Liberals and conservatives are today working along the same lines—the only divergence, if divergence there be, being a clash of opinions as to which is the more capable and honest administrative body. In Ontario public ownership has become the cry of liberals and conservatives alike; in Manitoba it is the same, the parties agreeing on the principle but dividing on the issue of whether it shall be public ownership of grain elevators (lib.) or public ownership of railways (con.). What applies to Manitoba and Ontario applies also to Alberta and Saskatchewan. From the Ottawa river to the Rocky mountains the parties are racing to reach the most advanced legislative position—and they are racing along the same lines. But, mark this, and mark it well. Those lines are liberal. Liberalism, in its essence, is the spirit of progress, of venture into the new and unpowered, whether it be of administration or legislation. On the other hand, conservatism, in its essence, is the spirit of opposition to change. It is the doctrine that gives rise to such campaign cries as "Let well enough alone," "What is should be," "Change is dangerous." It stands for things as they are—for a preservation of the old, through thick and thin. But that spirit has entirely vanished from the so-called conservative party of the dominion. The conservative party today is striving to become more liberal than the liberal party—to outreach its competitor in grasping after progressive legislative ideas—ideas that will be popular with the masses—no matter how radical they may be. As a result, there is no longer any wide chasm between the principles of the two parties, and the real purpose of party strife, the weighing and testing of platforms and principles, has vanished from the political arena. In its place has come warfare on a lower level—a warfare of recrimination and abuse over respective administrative records. As far as central Canada, including Ontario and Alberta, is concerned, this much must be granted. For timely illustration, it is only necessary to turn to the legislature of the premier province where, within the last two weeks, the government issued its speech from the throne and the new leader of the liberal opposition publicly stated his platform.

In Mr. Whitney's speech from the throne, the subjects touched were all administrative, and such that on any one of them a member might agree with the government, or differ from it, without committing himself on any of the rest. The only one about which a question of principle might arise is not political but industrial and social. It is the question of prison labor, concerning which so much jealousy is felt in the east. On the other hand, Mr. Graham's declaration of policy might almost be superimposed on that with which the conservative party appealed successfully to the electorate for support without causing the least clash or disturbance. Under such conditions, it is difficult to see from whence real issues are to be evolved; the only apparent resource left the party leader on both sides, since each party urges the identical measures urged by the other, is to claim that with his particular party in power the work of administration will be more efficiently, economically and honestly handled. And to this resource the leaders have already turned, in point of fact. The logical result, as exemplified in the politics of today, is the campaign of slander—of accusation—of charge and counter charge.

British Columbia's case is a peculiar one—identical in principle with the case of Ontario, but differing in many minor though important features. Here, as in the east, no vital issue separates the parties. The recent contest was almost entirely confined to the topic of administration—or maladministration — according to the particular party view adopted. But while this is so obviously true that it must be conceded by both sides, the local situation differs widely from that of Ontario, as will readily be seen if the platforms of the British Columbia conservatives and the Ontario conservatives, or the British Columbia liberals and the Ontario liberals, are compared. Neither party in British Columbia urges very striking measures of progress. If the advantage lies on either side, it lies with the liberals, since their leader has taken the trouble to outline some of the reforms he advocates, while the leader of the conservative party, premier McBride, stolidly abides by his record and refuses to be drawn out any further. Relatively speaking, British Columbia is not as advanced politically as Ontario; but comparatively speaking, it is in the same position. Ontario is urged on to progress by both parties, though both parties occupy practically the same ground; British Columbia is not urged on very energetically by either party, though, here again, both parties practically occupy the same ground. A strong partisan might urge that this is not altogether true, since premier McBride has had a three year opportunity and has not taken legislative advantage of it. But the fair minded observer will admit that the premier has been sadly circumscribed by circumstances in the past; and that his real ability as a legislator is yet to be revealed.

But it is time to end this review, readily though it lends itself to extended literary effort. We have traversed the ground at some length, but have not failed to keep in sight the cardinal point at stake—the charge made by Mr. Graham that the political parties of today are not divided by ethical principles, but are divided by desire to secure and maintain office and by severe, even if honest, attacks on administrative acts or plans. That this charge is justified, we readily admit; but in making the admission, we must confess that we scarcely see at present how the unfortunate condition now prevailing can be remedied—since, should one party launch out on a progressive and advanced campaign, the other would promptly counter by espousing the same principles. Such a step would be a fortunate one for the province in an administrative way—and for that reason we hope it will be taken at an early date—but it would not alter the relative positions of liberals and conservatives, nor would it serve to elevate the tone of political warfare by creating issues based on divergent interpretations of vital ethical principles.

Both time and space make it necessary to halt at this point, but in closing, we reserve the privilege of discussing at a later date and at length the two other indictments made last night—taking issue with Dr. Arthur and supporting Rev. Mr. Ferguson. Nor can we drop the subject thus baldly without venturing the opinion that further and more frequent discussions along the lines of that held by the University club last night will do much to hasten the end for which the debaters are longing—the elevation of the tone of politics and of political controversy.

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The contamination of kaolin with these finer crystalline particles gave rise to the erroneous deduction that kaolin itself had a crystalline structure. Occasionally there are many other compounds found in clays which have an important bearing in determining their economic value, the chief of these being, iron pyrites, sulphate of lime, carbonate of lime, carbonaceaus or organic matter, etc., etc. To these are due the various colors that characterize ordinary clays, any which vary in their effects upon the material when it is applied for technical purposes.

Disintegration of the primitive rocks, and the rocks that were again formed from them going on through millions of years has resulted in vast amounts of clays, being deposited, of more or less purity. They occur in beds of varying thickness, and follow the stratification in dip and strike of the underlying rock. These primary deposits of clay have been re-arranged many times by subsequent geological changes, which have sometimes resulted in the purification of the clay mineral proper and at other times in its degeneration.

The power to pass into a plastic state decreases in proportion as a sandy element is mixed with the clay. It is strongest in a "fat", and weakest in the "lean" clays. A "fat" clay dries very slowly and unevenly and warps and cracks in drying.

Equivalent quantities of different fluxing oxides produce the same effects upon the fusibility of a clay; for example, if the analysis shows that a certain clay contains .7 per cent of potash and that another contains .3 per cent of magnesia, we may expect that both will have the same resisting power to the action of fire. The presence of these several substances in the clay does not influence the effect produced by each singly, their fusibility increasing only with the higher sum of their combined weights.

Brick Clay—The obtaining or "mining" of this material at the present time is not important, but the rapid advance of British Columbia and the great quantity that will be acquired in the near future justifies us in giving fuller particulars, of the ways and means of its source and manufacture, than should be done under other circumstances.

Ordinary yellow brick clay contains iron as an oxide and carbonate chemically combined with water in the form of hydrates. The expulsion of this water in the process of burning imparts a red color, due to the conversion of these hydrates into the anhydrous form. The principal constituent of brick clay and that upon which its plasticity depends is silica. This constituent when used alone shrinks and cracks in drying, warps and becomes very hard when baked. A proper proportion of sand must be present, so as to cause the necessary partial fusion of the materials, which increases the strength of the brick, but an excess must not be present else the brick will be brittle. The addition of a small quantity of lime carbonate is also beneficial in two ways as it renders the brick less brittle in drying and acts as a flux in burning, forming lime silicate which cements the particles together. It will be seen from this that an excess of lime in the brick will be detrimental as it would cause the brick to mettle and lose its shape. Common salt is nearly always found in brick clay, and if in any quantity is very objectionable owing to the salt metling readily, and fusing on the outsides, so that the heat cannot be raised and mantained for a sufficiently long period to burn them to the core; as a consequence bricks of this class are always soft, and damp, owing to the tendency of these salts to absorb moisture from the atmosphere.

As a general rule, a clay fit to manufacture a first class quality of brick is not met with in nature being either deficient in sand or lime. A good brick clay is one that contains sufficient fusible matter to bind the mass together, but not so much as to make the bricks adhere to each other and become vitrified. Such clays contain 20 to 30 per cent alumina and 50 to 60 per cent silica, the remainder consisting principally of lime and magnesia carbonates and iron oxides.

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Anglican—St. Saviour's church, corner of Ward and Silica Streets. Quinquagesima Sunday. Holy communion, 8:00 a.m.; morning prayer and litany, 11:00; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; evensong, 7:30; Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

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

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

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

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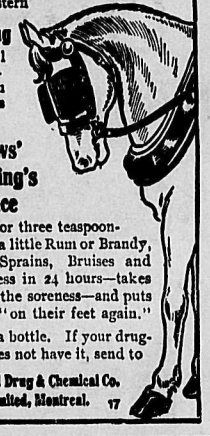

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STOCKS FOR THE WEEK

VERY LITTLE CHANGE IN MARKET QUOTATIONS

TRADING WAS LIGHT AND PRICES STATIONARY

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

The stock market for the past week has been steady, with but few changes in the prices from last week. Granby advanced from $132 to $148, with every prospect of going still higher. Rambler was in good demand though towards the close weakened perceptibly. Consolidated Smelters since the dividend was declared became stronger, with an advance eminent. Diamond Vale Coal weakened slightly, with plenty offering at a low figure. There was a slight advance in International Coal and in Sullivan.

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Canadiain Goldfields	.8	.7
Carlboo-McKinney	.5	.3
Denoro Mines	.11	.9
Dominion Copper	7.25	6.75
Diamond Vale	.32	.29
Granby	150.00	145.00
Giant, Rossland	.2	.1
International Coal	.64	.62
Monte Cristo	.4	.2
North Star	.20	.18
Nicola Coal Mines	.10	.6
Nicola Valley C. & C.	100.00	...
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NOTICE

TO CONTRACTORS AND THE PUBLIC

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

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, Feb. 9—There was a time when women took a rest after the Christmas from the toil of dressmaking, but now that the exodus to the south has become as well an established custom as a trip to the Reviera in Europe, it is necessary that the woman who makes such a trip must make a thorough and complete outfit, for the winter outfit is in no sense fitted for the southern climate. This migration in greater numbers than ever before, from all reports, has already set in. For some weeks past now, in fact before the holidays, preparations have been going on early and late in the great dressmaking establishments in this city.

For the woman who must stay at home and who does much of her own sewing these advance styles are of inestimable value and usually this class are to be seen daily roaming through the great stores taking notes and buying whatever bargains they can that will be of advantage to them in their spring outfit. To buy the cottons and wash goods now is economical and insures your getting styles and fabrics that will not be found later on. Even hats, early as it is, you can pick up a hat nothing like which will be seen later in the season, for at Easter it would seem as though the only thought the milliners had was to turn out as many crude oddities made of cheap materials for the many, all on a few patterns and charge as much as possible for them—as much as their audacity and the foolishness of the buyer will permit. A hat bought now often has a style and distinction that is missed in the Easter sales, except you pay well up above the twice ten figure.

The first thing to be brought out by the houses that cater to the southern resorts are the linen and muslin frocks, and among them one finds little that is radically new; of course, oddities and freak looking clothes are brought out all the time, but changes are taking place more gradually all the time and most of models seen are planned on those lines seen during the past three months. They follow accepted lines and ideas, which are cleverly modified and adapted to the summery fabrics. First to be noticed is the princess model which has been so very popular during the past two seasons, and for which another season is an assured fact to judge from the new models shown. Both the heavy and soft linens and muslins are used and from experience learned in the past, the dressmakers have learned pretty well what and how to do to get the best and most becoming results for all figures.

For the tall woman with a well formed figure there is a rather severe princess style with empire modifications, or a sort of compromise between the two; the sides and front are close fitting and the back left full from the shoulders. The original of the mode was developed from white voile over a delicate shade of lavender with the accompaniments of a sunshade of lavender silk covered with lace and a white hat trimmed with violets and gold bands. Another princess dress was constructed from white embroidered batiste much trimmed with insertion and fine medallions. Still another frock was of fine linen elaborately trimmed with deep bands of Cluny and crochet insertion. Joining the waist to the skirt ran an inset of insertion. One frock, cut all in one, was shaped to the waist and clinging round the hips flared to immense fullness at the bottom. Sheer batiste had been used, embroidered and trimmed with Irish lace insertions. Inset bands of the lace ran from the shoulders to the waist, narrowing in their downward course until they nearly met at the waist line, below which they were continued on the skirt, broadening gradually until they met the trimming on the bottom of the frock. For gaining height this model is a good one.

That the elbow sleeves for these fine linen goods is to dominate sleeve models is a fact to be accepted without question; and nearly all the new tailormade costumes show the neat trim short skirt, an example of which was part of a brown cloth two-piece costume, where the skirt was arranged in stitched pleats below the waist line. *From the pleats the fullness* falsi in graceful folds to the feet. The little coat is faced with tiny revers, made of brown and white checked velvet. The collar and waistcoat are also created from the same material, while the blouse of creamy silk is adorned with lace to match. The short sleeves are trimmed with turnover cuffs of the checked velvet. With this suit is worn a soft crushable felt in white, just now so fashionable because of their softness. A bandeau raised the hat to just the right angle and was decorated with trimmings of gold galloon, a twist of brown and a white wing on the left side.

Linen frocks promise to be more in demand than ever. Lace and wonderful embroideries blossom out on all of the new importations, but the linen frocks that will make the strongest appeal to the average woman are those showing a jaunty coat and skirt, which suggest summer outings and are practical even for the woman of moderate means. Many are seen trimmed with another color and especially is this true of those linens other than white; for instance, a light mode shade of linen was trimmed with a warm shade of blue, a black with lavender, a grey with red.

White is to become more fashionable this spring and summer than it has been and last season was a record breaker for the white gown; therefore investing in white goods for the summer dress at this time of the year is not so foolish a proceeding as might be supposed. The light weight cloths, the veilings, the crepe de chines, plain or embroidered; the chiffon cloth, white serge for the coat and skirt model and all the fancier goods are in great demand, indeed, the other day when visiting the stores for information the white goods counters are the most popular of all. White taffeta and the novelty silks must not be omitted from this list, and the employment of silk of all these goods is fashionable at present.

The black and white gown is to be much worn during the coming summer, but its latest development is the stripe in these two colors and they will be seen in all sorts of combinations.

Practical women will be glad to hear that the Paris modistes have been making many mohairs up into tailor mades for the coming season. A quantity of these dresses are said to be now on their way here. Among the English mohairs that sell for $1.25 a yard there are checks, stripes, shepherds' plaids, black and white gun metal effects.

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Halifax, Feb. 9—Two persons are reported killed and several injured in a collision on the Halifax & South Shore railroad near Mahone Junction.

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New York, Feb. 9—In the second game of the world's professional championship pool tournament between Thomas Heuston of Scranton, and Edward Dawson of St. Louis, last night, the score was Heuston 193, Dawson 143. The total to date is Heuston 400, Dawson 277. *High runs last night* Hueston 26, Dawson 21.

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

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

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

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

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Deputy of the Minister of the Interior

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EXTENSION OF TIME

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By Order,

FRED GELINAS, Secretary.

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There are many and greater bargains all through the store than those mentioned in the above list, but time or space will not permit of complete description of our stock. We advise: COME EARLY. Terms Strictly Cash.

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ST. LOUIS MANUFACTURER PLAGUED WITH WEALTH

New York, Feb. 9—Russe'l E. Gardner has stolen a few hours from his occupation of accumulating millions and is in New York arranging to have built the largest balloon in the world. Gardner is the owner of a factory in St. Louis that turns out 50,000 buggies a year.

He sprang into fame six years ago when he was doing just a comfortable business by announcing that he had made $250,000 and did not need any more. Advertisements which he put in the St. Louis papers asserted he intended to turn his business over to his employees and that he would take a small share of the profits. The idea was so unique that Gardner got his name into every newspaper in the land. He was in earnest about the plan and tried to work it out. But the business that came to his factory after he became so extensively advertised made it impossible for him to retire. The plant was actually flooded with orders. The men worked day and night and Gardner's fortune of $250,000 was more than doubled within a year. It has been growing ever since.

Gardner wants the largest balloon so he can win the international race that is to be sailed from St. Louis next October for the James Gordon Bennett cup. He had to fairly tear himself away from his plant to make the trip here. He told all about it yesterday at the Hotel Broztell on West 27th street.

"While I am sitting here," he said, 'those men of mine in St. Louis are piling up more millions for me. Do you know that it really becomes a bore to be making so much money? Now, what in blazes can a man do with six millions? That's what I have made in the last six years. Unless a man goes the pace of a Pittsburg millionaire he can't spend it all in a life time. I'm not fooling about this. I honestly don't like having it come so easy."

Gardner was just then called to the telephone. "Excuse me while I make another million," he said. When he returned he said he had picked up an order for 500 more buggies.

"I simply can't get away from 'em," he said dolorously, "and all on account of that plagued announcement that I wanted to hand my business over to my men. Everywhere I go I am 'kidded' about it, and then I am handed more orders for buggies."

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"SCARLET MYSTERIES

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The "Scarlet Mysteries" company will appear at Sherman's opera house tomorrow and Tuesda yevening under the direction of Edward Branscombe. The Calgary Herald speaks very highly of the performance given in that city last week saying:

The entertainment as given last night may best be described as refined vaudeville ,consisting of solos, duets, quartettes, humorous and musical sketches and there was not a weak number on the program.

The performance opened with a chorus "The Strolling Players," in which the Mysteries wore masks of red and black cloaks over handsome old style evening dress. Other choruses were "A Pierrot on the Portobello Pier," one of the gems of the evening, sung in pierrot costume; "The Hunt is up," in hunting rig, and the final chorus; each of these was excellently rendered.

David W. Norton, who presided at the piano, is a most efficient and sympathetic accompanist, and seems to be a perfect master of his instrument. The audience would like to have heard him in a solo. Among the most enjoyable numbers on the program were the quartettes by Messrs. Price, Calvert, Luscombe and Wood. "The Soldier's Farewell" was delightfully rendered, the closing effect being particularly beautiful. "Four Jolly Sailormen" was also sung by this quartette, who are, of course, unaccompanied. In their several numbers they showed the effect of careful training which has brought them to perfection.

The last piece on the program, "Willie's Whiskers," was a masterpiece and brought the audience to the highest pitch of enthusiasm.

The "Scarlet Mysteries" company is certainly an aggregation of unusual merit and their performance is well worth going a distance to hear. A complete change of program will be given tonight and in view of last night's success a bumper house is assured. The Mysteries are certainly deserving of the very highest patronage that it is possible to give them and they will be wished the best of success on tour of the colonies they are now undertaking.

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(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

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

Stock	Asked	Bid
Granby	45¾	45
Dominion Copper	7	6¾
B. C. Copper	10⅝	10

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The regular fortnightly meeting of the city council will be held tomorrow evening.

Born, in this city, on Feb. 7, to the wife of Hugh McCausland, Stanley street, a daughter.

The annual meeting of the Nelson Young People's union will be held in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, when the election of officers will take place. His honor judge Forin will give a short address and a short musical program will follow, then refreshments will be served. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Kootenay lodge No. 16 I.O.O.F. will hold their installation of officers tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

Owing to other attractions, the weekly practice of the Nelson choral society called for tomorrow evening, has been postponed one week. The society hope to announce shortly the program for their forthcoming concert.

All members wishing to invite friends to the K. of P. At Home, which will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 19, are requested to forward their names to any member of the committee or to E. W. Widdowson, K.R. and S., so that invitations may be sent out as soon as possible.

A correspondent writes The Daily News protesting vigorously against the practice indulged in by small boys of killing the little snowbirds that abound just now. The birds are protected by law and if the youngsters are detected they can be dealt with by the police magistrate. Some better use should be found for air guns than killing off the little feathered visitors.

Owing to the uncertainty of the arrival here of Will J. White and Miss Hazel Bell, the city band's benefit concert last evening in the opera house was not as largely attended as it otherwise would have been. The band executed a number of popular airs most creditably and were warmly applauded. Miss Bell gave two piano solos and Mr. White entertained the audience with very clever character impersonations and three comic songs.

The Presbyterian services today will be held in the church hall in place of the church, the same as last Sunday, the managers being unable to obtain fuel for heating the church.

The full court at Victoria has handed out its judgment affirming the decision of Mr. justice Duff, who held in a case submitted to him at Rossland a year ago, that the Rossland police magistrate was right in convicting the Le Roi Mining company and the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company for infringing the 8-hour law, by employing hoisting engineers for over eight hour shifts. The original conviction has now been sustained by Mr. justice Duff and the full court, and presumably the companies will now carry out the terms of the act.

The public services in the Methodist church today are to be specially devoted to the young people. In the morning the pastor, Rev. R. N. Powell, gives a chalk talk to the children on "Clocks and Watches." In the evening the sermon, on the subject "Turned into Another Man" is to be especially for the young people. After the evening service, the family circle will be held and promises special interest. Mr. Joseph Patrick of Montreal, will tell the story of a young man's life. Miss Annable and Miss Nellie Annable will sing a duet and Mr. V. W. Odlum will conduct the circle.

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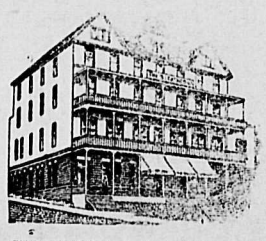

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