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WAS QUIET MAY DAY

Worst Disorder Occurred in Warsaw, Lodz and Paris.

Day Passed Off Very Quietly In New York —In Eastern Canada Building Trades Were More or Less Affected.

New York, May 1—May day found the working men in comparatively few of the trades in this city ready to assert any demands for increased wages and in consequence strikes were few. Chief interest centered in the possibility of a strike today of the first, second and third officers of the coastwise steamers, who have made demands for $100 a month for the first officers, for the second officers $80, and for the third $60. They are now receiving an average of $20 per month less than that amount. Up to this morning seven of the 17 lines of steamers having termina's here had accepted the schedule and their steamers were unaffected.

Luther B. Dow, general manager of the American association of masters, mates and pilots, who represented the officers, held several conferences with representatives of the companies last night in an effort to secure the advances demanded but was unsuccessful in the case of ten of the lines. Realizing that the threatened strike would greatly hamper coastwise trade, the department of commerce and labor at Washington sent two of its representatives to this city to try to avert the strike.

In Paterson, NJ., 1000 journeymen carpenters went on strike for an increase of wages from $3.50 to $4 a day. In the same city the bakers have demanded an increase in wages to $14 per week for journeymen and $17 for foremen, and there would have been a general strike if the companies had not yielded to the demands of the bakers.

Brest, France, May 1—Seven May day meetings of workmen here today declared in favor of a genenral strike.

Warsaw, May 1—The general strike ordered for May day here, resulted in practically a complete tie up of the business and traffic. No meat or bread was available, no street cars or cabs appeared on the streets, no papers were printed and the stores were closed. Warsaw today is practically a military camp. Strong patrols of cavalry and infantry in the streets during the morning quickly scattered the crowds which attempted to congregate and prevented any disturbances.

Lodz, May 1—Sanguinary fights in the streets here marked the May day cessation of work in the factories, stores and newspaper offices. The nationalists who opposed the strike, and the socialists who declared it, were in conflict throughout the forenoon. Several men were killed or wounded and many arrests were made. The street cars were kept running under the escort of armed soldiers.

Bordeaux, May 1—About 4000 dock laborers here struck work today.

Paris, May 1—Although the entire garrison of Paris was under arms and 600 mounted republican guards and 400 police reservists were on duty in order to prevent the gigantic May manifestations planned by the socialists, the city presented almost its normal aspect this morning. Troops were massed at the Prince Eugene barracks, the bank of France, the opera, the Grand Palace, the Bourse, the Rue Droit and other strategic points, but all were discreetly kept out of sight in order to avoid alarming the population. The authorities, while not interfering with the workmen's meetings were resolved to break up the first attempt at street demonstrations which might lead to serious disorders. It was apparent this morning that the mass of the people had not much sympathy with the agitators. The appeal of M. Jaures and other socialist leaders for a complete suspension of work through out France was generally unheeded. All the stores and restaurants were open and the omnibuses and horse car lines and electric roads were running as usual.

During the afternoon a man who was visiting the Place de la Republique, on top of an omnibue, fired five shots from a revolver at a squadron of cavalrymen and wounded two of the troop. The man, who was subsequently identified as a Hebrew, named Jacob Law of Balta, province of Podolia, Russia, was dragged down from the top of the omnibus by the police and narrowly escaped lynching at the hands of the crowd.

During a demonstration near the labor exchange a detachment of cavalry with drawn sabres charged the crowd and a score of men were knocked down and trampled on. About 1000 arrests were made during the day.

Rome, May 1—The police forbade a public meeting here today organized by the socialists to commemorate May day, at which Maxim Gorky had promised to speak. All the streets leading to the botanical gardens, near the Coliseum, where the meeting was to be held, were occupied by troops or police. Workmen who had gathered in the vicinity broke through the lines, entered the gardens, and held a meeting. Socialist deputies delivered fiery speeches, but Gorky did not spear. According to one report his absence was due to the fact that he was suffering from consumption, which prevented him making the journep to Rome. But on the other hand it was stated that Gorky had been cautioned that he would be expelled from Italy if he attempted to raise a disturbance. After this meeting in the gardens the workmen who had participated in it, attempte dto march in procession through the principal streets of the city, but were prevented from doing so by troops of cavalry who charged and dispersed the processionists.

Ottawa, May 1—Two hundred stone cutters and bricklayers went on strike today Of these 60 are at work on the new museum. Bricklayers get 45 cents an hour now and the stone cutters 43. They want 50 cents all round.

Toronto, May 1—The May day strike amounted to very little in Ontario. Two hundred painters are out in Hamilton; 100 carpenters in Brnatford and 100 laborers in Toronto, besides a few other men who were out before.

Some parts of the city went short of milk today owing to a dispute between the farmers and the retailers over the price. The farmers want $1.30 for an eight gallon can.

Hamilton, May 1—Hamilton had its usual May day strike today, union painters failing to show up for work this morning. Some time ago the painters made a demand that wage sbe increased from 30 to 40 cents an hour. At first the bosses refused to give any increase but finally decided to offer 35 cents. This was refused and a strike was ordered this morning. About 180 men are affected. There is a likelihood of the plumbers going out tomorrow or Friday. The men have asked for an increase from 35 to 40 cents an hour and the bosses will not agree to pay more than 35 cents. The moulders and foundrymen have not yet settled their differences but are likely to do so today.

Brantford, May 1—The union carpenters struck today for an increase of ten cents. The moulders at the Buck Stove works are still out. Everything is quiet and peaceful throughout the city.

Winnipeg, May 1—The plasterers went out this morning in an attempt to enforce their demand for a raise of wages to 60 cents an hour with regard to which they were unable to come to any agreement with the committee appointed by the builders' exchange.

Kingston, May 1—Knigston has no labor strikes this May day, all is quiet n labor circles, unions having obtained the increased wages asked for.

REGINA'S MASONIC TEMPLE

Corner Stone Well and Truly Laid By Grand Master of Saskatchewan.

Regina, May 1.—With full Masonic honors and ceremonies, the corner stone of the new Masonic temple, now in course of erection, was laid this afternoon. A large number of the leading members of the grand lodge of Saskatchewan were present. Over one hundred and fifty Masons took part in the proceedings. The actual ceremony of laying the stone was performed by grand master H. P. Campbin. The new building, which is to cost between $40,000 and $50,000, is being erected on Eleventh avenue in the business section of the city and will be one of the most notable structures included in this year's building program.

THINKS HE IS CHRIST

Englishman in Manitoba Has Acquired Doukhobor Theory.

Snowflake, Man., May 1.—Constables McFarlane and Mandford escorted Joan Taylor to Morden today where he was committed for 30 days, pending an official investigation into his sanity. Taylor is a burly Englishman of 280 pounds weight, and has spent the past 15 years in Canada, the last four in Manitoba. During the winter months he has exhibited strange freaks, his chief hallucination is that he is Christ; so it was thought best to remove him, but he showed an amount of cunning that required strategy on the part of the officers to overcome and land him on boarl the train.

WHITEWASH WESTMINSTER ABBEY

London, May 1—Londoners are startled and somewhat wrathy at the suggestion of Mr. Lethaby, the well known authority on Gothic architecture, that Westminster Abbey should be gradually treated to a coat of yellow-tinged whitewash, which he asserts is the only method by which to preserve the fast crumbling stone work, occasioned by the deleterious fumes of the atmosphere, and he cites the fact that in the middle ages whitewash was frequently applied to stonework as a preservative, with excellent results. Experiments have already been made in some of the passages leading out of the Dean's yard and are said to show satisfactory results. At this time of year one sees scores of steam cleaning machines at work on the outside walls of the large hotels and public buildings, and an army of men, hundreds of yards of hose, scaffolding, or rather "slung cradles" cover the face of buildings and one has an excellent opportunity of studying the really admirable cleaning process which this ingenution presents.

CAUGHT IN A FOLDING BED

Hamilton, May 1—While two patrolmen were passing the residence of Charles Hunter they heard, faintly, sounds of distress inside the house. An investigation showed Mr. and Mrs. Hunter almost strangled and crushed and lacerated within a collapsed folding bed. The bed closed like a pair of shears, doubling up the occupants, half suffocating them and smothering their cries. They were in great agony and were with difficulty released from the clutches of the bed where they had been held almost all night.

TRIAL OF MOYER, HAYWOOD AND PETTIBONE

Western Federation Officials, Charged With Murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg, Issue Statement Asking for Fair Treatment.

(Special to The Daily News)

Boise, Idaho, May 1.—Tonight Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, accused of the murder of former governor Steunenberg, issued the following statement on their behalf after a consultation with them and with his associate counsel.

"We have been charged with the killing of ex-governor Steunenberg with dynamite bombs. Our trial is to be given on the 9th of this month. The details of the assassination have been published broadcast throughout the civilized world for more than a year. During all this time the press of the country and especially of the section where we will be placed on trial, has bitterly denounced us and the Western Federation of Miners to which we belong. The most powerful interests of the country are seeking to take out lives. We were not in Idaho for four years before the crime was committed. Under the law we could not be extradited from Colorado. But, in spite of this, we were arrested on a perjured affidavit, charging that we were in Idaho at the time of the commission of the crime, and more, the we fled immediately from the state, and on this perjured affidavit charging that we were in Idaho at the time of the commission of the crime, and that we immediately fled from the state and on this perjured affidavit, known to be false, the governors of the two states of Idaho and Colorado, kidnapped us in the night time, refused us an interview with our family, friends or counsel or a chance of appeal to the courts and brought us an a special train a thousand miles from home and into a state and community systematically poisoned against us by the newspapers and officials. We have been confined in the jail for 14 months against our protest and denied bail while constantly demanding a trial. Every effort has been made to convince the farmers, businessmen and workingmen of the community that we were assassins and outlaws.

"After all this time our case has been about reached and the president of the United States, in no way interested or otherwise, sends two letters broadcast over the country charging us with guilt and crime and these are published in every paper in the land, and especially in every paper in Idaho.

"The governor of Colorado, a day or two later, addressed his words to augment the venom of the president and says we are not only guilty of the crime charged but of many others too. While the president of the United States and the governor of Colorado are sending out their statements to compass our death, the judge of this county has brought a citizen before him for contempt, on the charge that he tried to influence the mind of a prospective juror by saying that 'the state administration was trying to railroad us to the gallows.'

"On the appearance of this rumor the judge promptly told the state's attorney that he should have this obscure farmer indicted for felony because he tried to influence the mind of a prospective juror.

"The president knows how much greater weight will be given to his *words than to those of an* outsider, or private citizen, if we are to be tried in court.

"Every law-abiding citizen, however, great or humble, should do everything in his power to cool the passions of men rather than add fuel to the flames.

"If we are to be thrown to the mob the officers should at least open our prison doors and give us some chance to defend ourselves."

Boise, Idaho, May 1.—William D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners, will be placed on trial for his life at Boise in a few days. With Charles H. Moyer, president of the Miners' union and George A. Pettibone, an honorary member of the Miners' Union, he is charged with instigating the assassination of former governor Steunenberg at Caldwell, Ida.

The special prosecutors have decided to try Haywood first, as he is considered the most influential man in the labor movement in the mining states, and his activities in the movement have brought upon him the bitter hatred of the mine owners. Moyer and Pettibone were caught, with Haywood, in a dragnet handled by James McPharland, head of the Pinkerton detective agency at Denver, and the sole evidence, so far as known, against the accused is an alleged confession made by Harry Orchard, who is reported by McPharland to have admitted killing Steunenberg. Orchard, according to his reported confession (which has never been published), declares that the crime and many other atrocious acts were instigated by Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone.

President Roosevelt has increased public interest in the forthcoming trial by unqualifiedly denouncing the miners' officials in advance of the testimony in court.

Labor organizations throughout the country are more deeply interested in this case than in any other subject now confronting unionism. If the accused men are guilty, the union men of the country want to know it. If they are not guilty, the people of the nation are interested to learn why these three men were kidnapped, under the guise of law, from their homes in Denver, taken to Idaho and held in jail for a year without trial.

So far as the newspapers have been able to get the inside of the case, it appears that the prosecution is not confident of securing a verdict against the accused. Harry Orchard's confession; standing alone as it does, is not sufficient, the lawyers for the state admit, to convict Haywood or his associates. At one time the state thought it had a corroborating confession, but that has failed. Steve Adams, also a member of Western Federation of Miners, did make a confession which tended to corroborate Orchard. Adams made this confession to detective McPharland, and later on, when Adams was tried for murder at Wallace, Idaho, he retracted his admissions implicating Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone in numerous dynamite crimes. Adams was under indictment for murder, and he says he made his "confession" to McPharland, who promised him immunity and freedom if he would "come through" with testimony corroborating Orchard. On the witness stand he declared his confession was false. The jury disagreed as to his guilt of murder.

President Roosevelt's condemnation of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, at this time, just on the eve of trial, may seriously interfere with the securing of a jury at Boise. Governor Gooding of Idaho has repeatedly, and officially pronounced the accused men guilty, and now the president declares they are "undesirable citizens." These utterances by men in executive positions who pronounce judgment in advance of judge and jury, are likely to produce such prejudice in the minds of citizens of Adah county, Idaho, as will prevent the obtaining of a fair and impartial jury. The change of venue, on account of prejudice against the defeudants, has already been granted, and if the president's declarations are generally read in Adah county it may follow that opinions will be formed that will disqualify jurors, and Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone may be compelled to remain in jail another year before they are tried.

That the trial will be a bitter contest between the prosecution and the defense is absolutely certain. Prosecutors Hawley and Borah, with the aid of detective McPharland, will endeavor to interject into the trial all the labor troubles of Idaho and Colorado for the past fifteen years. This will be done in an effort to show that the Western Federation is directed by men who are anarchists and dynamiters. The defense will combat this testimony, if it is admitted by judge Wood, with evidence to show that the mine owners' associations have been greater anarchists than the irresponsible individuals who have committed outrages in strike times.

Judge Wood, who will rule on these questions, was United States attorney during the Coeur d'Alene strikes, when the miners were herded into "the bull pen" by troops and kept there. He prosecuted the miners for conspiracy.

The list of venire men for trial jurors has already been drawn and the defense has been working to ascertain what measure of prejudice has been created against the defendants by president Roosevelt and governor Gooding.

The Colorado Mine Owners' Association is doing all it can to assist the prosecution. Money and detectives have been supplied by the mine owners to procure evidence. The state intends to call about fifty witnesses who will tell of crimes alleged to have been committed during strikes by the union miners.

New York, May 1.—With the "Marseillaise" as their marching hymn, more than six thousand socialists and labor unionists paraded through the Bronx and east New York sections of Brooklyn today to show their sympathy for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, the labor leaders under indictment charged with the murder of governor Steunenberg of Idaho. Every man wore a picture button of the accused men and several large banners picturing them as martyrs in a righteous cause were also displayed. Red flags and American flags were equally in evidence. During the parade and the meeting in congress hall, which followed it there were no disorders. This meeting adopted resolutions of sympathy for Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. One of the speaker's criticized president Roosevelt's allusion to them in the Harriman letter.

New York, May 1.—U. Solomon, campaign manager of the socialist party for New York and a member of the Moyer-Haywood-Pettibone conference of Manhattan borough, said to day, in connection with the efforts of the conference here and in other cities to collect funds for the defense of the accused officials of the Western Federation of Miners:

"On April 1st *the sum collected was* $101,587, and out of this $92,000 had been paid in preliminary expenses. Since then many large contributions have come in, and some individual unions have contributed as much as $5000. There are 3,000,000 organized workers in this country alone, and we expect eventually to raise $1,000,000."

FACTS OF WESTERN EXPANSION.

Regina's Customs Receipts Increase 100 Per Cent—Building Boom On.

Regina, Sask., May 1.—Customs receipts for the part of Regina for last month amounted to $29,807.92 as compared with $15,678.39, for the same month last year show an increase of practically one hundred per cent. This is all the more remarkable in view of the congested state of transportation which has delayed many shipments.

Calgary, May 1.—The Calgary bank clearings for March are $6,148,906.

Edmonton, May 1.—The Edmonton bank clearings for March were $4,275,379.

Winnipeg, May 1.—Building permits were issued in April to the value of $1,125,250. The number of permits for the month was 472. Total since January 1, two million dollars.

Edmonton, May 1.—A total of $311,936 is the amount of building permits issued during April compared with $218,907 for the same month last year. The total for the first four months of the year amounts to $950,480 compared with 392,180 for the same period last year. The largest individual permit issued during the past month was one for $145,000 for the Windsor hotel addition.

MAKING GOOD TIME.

Winnipeg, May 1.—The Overseas Limited, which passed through here yesterday, left Vancouver 15 hours ahead of time and passed through Fort William 20 hours and 50 minutes ahead of time.

ANOTHER MINE DISASTER

EXPLOSION ENTOMBS FORTY-ONE MINE WORKERS.

MOST OF WHOM, IT IS THOUGHT, HAVE BEEN KILLED.

Charleston, W. Va., May 1.—Fifty to one hundred men are reported to have been killed by an explosion of gas in the Whipple mine at Peterboro this afternoon.

At the time of the explosion about 100 men were in the Whipple mine. At 8 o'clock tonight 51 men had been able to climb out of the air shaft stairway. Bank boss Isaac Pelter is thought to be alive in the mine.

Forty-one are still entombed with little chance of escape. The Whipple mine is within two miles of the Stuart mine which exploded on January 27, killing 80 men. Both mines are owned by the White Oak Fuel Co. and were always considered safe. The cause of the explosion was probably the result of firing a heavy shot at the face of the workings.

ADVANCE NEWS OF 'QUAKE

Manila, May 1.—Earthquake experts believe that it is possible to be warned by wireless telegraph eight or ten hours in advance of shocks. Tests are now in progress as the result of observations concerning the last trembler. At that time vibrations in the wireless were noted eight hours before the earthquake was felt. The phenomenon can be explained on no other hypothesis.

DEMAND AN INCREASE

Phoenix, May 1.—A short time since a request was made by the miners employed here for a raise of about fifty cents per day for all employes. A few days since a counter offer was made by the employers of a ten per cent increase to all the men employed underground. This offer was not accepted by the union and a further conference is being held, from which a satisfactory solution is expected. Just at this time nearly all copper mines and smelters are closed down because of coke shortage. Without a doubt the question of increase of wages will be settled by the time coke can be had.

EMMERSON SUES FOR $25,000

Fredericton, N. B., May 1.—The writ in the action for libel instituted by Hon. H. R. Emmerson against the Fredericton Gleaner, has been served by sheriff Sterling on J. H. Crockett, managing director. The amount of damage claimed is $25,000. Hon. Pugsley and J. H. Barry, K. C., are solicitors for the plaintiff.

TO TEST SYDNEY ROUTE

Ottawa, May 1—The Sydney route is to be tested for mails as long as steamers take the southern instead of the northern passage, which will not be until about the end of July. The first boat to receive mail at Cabot straits on the way out will be the Virginian. The first boat from the other side to receive mails to Sydney will be the Victorian, leaving on the 10th. An effort will be made to make quicker time between Montreal and Liverpool for the mails than by New York. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and A. A. Allan were here yesterday talking the matter over.

DREDGING ON SASKATCHEWAN

Past Success Leads to Purchase of Additional Plant

Prince Albert, May 1 — Hon. Charles Ramsay and Dr. Roughedge, president and managing director of the International Dredging company, have arrived in the city ready to resume operations at the dredge. The success of the dredge in taking gold and platinum from the bed of the Saskatchewan river last year has determined the directorate to largely increase their operations and considerable additional plant has been purchased. Refining processes will also be carried further on the spot than previously and a good sized laboratory is being built. The plant most urgently neheded was shipped to this city by express and a shipment of 18,000 ounds arrived this week.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION

Drying Cartridges on Shanty Stove Proves Dangerous Trick.

Quebec, May 1.—The news of a terrible explosion in a lumber shanty in the upper part of Montmagny has reached here. Dynamite cartridges were being dried on a stove in the shanty in which there were seven men. When one of them unthinkingly set a pot on the stove with a sudden jar. Immediately there was a terrible explosion which knocked down the seven men, all of whom were badly mutilated and five were so horribly mangled that they are in a critical condition.

LATEST EXCUSE FOR THEFT.

Women Caught in the Act Claim They Were Doing it on a Wager.

Toronto, May 1.—Mrs. Jennie Johnson, wife of a Toronto mining man, and Miss Olive Bodman, a resident of a fashionable boarding house on Sherbourne street, were committed for trial by the police magistrate today. They were caught shop-lifting in Eaton's and claimed they were doing it on a wager. Too many things were found in their possession to make that yarn wash. Bail was accepted for their appearance in two weeks.

LARDER LAKE GOLD.

New Liskeard, Ont., May 1.—The Larder lake stampede still continues and is growing from day to day. Excitement runs high owing to the statements and reports from mining engineers and miners coming out regarding the wonderful finds and strikes made in that district.

The Blue Bell company started two large crews of men from here today with complete outfits for establishing camps and commencing active development prepartory to installing twelve stamp mills upon their properties, which are reported to be marvelously rich. It is claimed this company will be the first to send out gold and that the results will astonish the outside world.

B. OF R. T. BIENNIAL MEETING

Winnipeg, May 1.—The biennial meeting of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will be held in Atlanta, Ga., the next few days. Western Canada's representative is J. C. Ward, of this city, a well known C. P. R. main line conductor.

Mr. Ward attended the Buffalo convention two years ago and was instrumental in having a grand lodge representative from Canada appointed, Jas. Murdock, of Toronto, being the fourth vice grand master of the brotherhood. Among the important matters coming up will be the proposed increase in insurance rates, the selection of a regular convention city and a change from two years to four years in the regular meeting time.

B. & O. FYLER WRECKED

Parkersburg, W. Va., May 1.—A passenger train on the Ohio division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, the fast flyer between Henova and Hillsburg, was wrecked at Pleasant View this evening while running sixty miles an hour.

Twenty persons were injured, two fatally.

The relief train returned here at 8 o'clock bringing the injured. The train was met by several ambulances and the most seriously injured were taken to the hospital. The cause of the wreck is attributed to the bad condition of the track. The most seriously injured are Judge William A. Only, of Charleston, W. Va., fatally, and captain T. R. Cowell, of Parkersburg.

WOMEN TENNIS EXPERTS.

New York, May 1.—Seven women lawn tennis experts began the final competitions in singles today, which are to bring the series of the tournaments on the court of the St. Nicholas rink to a close. Miss May Sutton proved the most aggressive and active of the number. The California girl, who is preparing for a season on the English courts, was at the top of her game. She administered an overwhelming defeat to Miss Margaret Behr, the sister of Earl M. Behr, in straight sets, by the score of 6-1 and 6-2.

CAPITALS BEAT 'VARSITY

London, May 1—In a good game of lacrosse between the visiting Ottawas and the Oxford-Cambridge 'Varsity team, the capitals won by a score of 7-3.

GREY GOING HOME.

Ottawa, Ont., May 1.—Earl Grey leaves for England by the Virginian on May 15th.

OUTCOME DOUBTFUL

Today's Vote May Not Be in Favor of the New Two Year Agreement.

Reports From Fernie and Michel Are Discouraging, But Union Officials Express Entire Confidence.

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, May 1.—The situation is unchanged tonight. The miners still are excited and anxious and eager for the developments of Thursday's vote.

Some openly say they will not return on the agreement presented, but those in authority say the same will be accepted.

In connection with the reports that armed forces of mounted police were being rushed to the border in case of an outbreak among the miners, deputy minister of labor, Mackenzie King, tonight received the following telegram from sir Richard Cartwright, acting premier:

"Council wish you to inform all parties concerned that the commissioner and comptroller both advise that the simple fact is, that owing to urgent demands in Saskatchewan during the past winter they had to employ more police in that province that in Alberta. In other words Alberta was short about 35 men of its proper quota, and recently they have been trying to restore the equilibrium and that only one officer and ten men have been sent from Regina to the western division, and these simply to replace wastage in that division. Report that more men are to be sent is quite unfounded. No interference is contemplated. (Sgd.)

R. P. CARTWRIGHT.

Today sir William Mulock, chairman of the conciliation board, looked over the C. P. R. mines at Hosmer. He was accompanied by Mackenzie King and other officials. The visit was only one of inspection and purely unofficial.

Today the rumor was circulated that the Michel miners did not favor the proposed contract but no confirmation can be obtained.

LEAD AND ZINC.

Comparative Statement of Prices Paid For Same Week Last Year.

Joplin, Mo., May 1.—The highest price reported paid for zinc ore last week was $52 per ton, for some choice lots on the lands of the Missouri Lead & Zinc company, the Continental Zinc company and the Rex Mining & Smelting company in Joplin. Lead sold at Webb City as high as $82 per ton, but in the other parts of the district $80 and $81 were the prevailing prices. The highest price a year ago for zinc ore was $47 per ton and for lead ore $78 per ton. Compared with the same week last year the shipment last week was 1,152,730 pounds of zinc and 278,840 pounds of lead and in value $78,367 greater. Sixteen weeks this year compared with the same 16 weeks last year show an increase of 35,129,180 bounds of zinc, 7,535,100 pounds of lead and in value $1,487,412. The shipments last week were: Zinc ore 12,259,980 pounds, valued at $298,855; lead ore, 1,962,900 pounds valued at $77,944; combined value $376,799. The shipment for the 16 weeks of this year are: Zinc ore 192,756,120 pounds, valued at $4,564,898; lead ore 29,881,820 pounds, valued at $1,236,009; combined value $5,800,907.

HOT AFTER LUMBER TRUST

Washington, May 1—The investigation of the lumber trust is now under full swing. It is regarded by the bureau of corporations as the most comprehensive and far reaching inquiry yet undertaken. A preliminary enquiry regarding prices has been concluded and special agents are being sent to all the principal lumber producing distrcts to ascertan the facts relative to production and the restraint of competition. The figures collected clearly show that the diminishing supply of timber is not alone responsible for the great advance in prices.

MONTREAL BAR ASSOCIATION

Montreal, May 1.—Frederick E. Meredith, K.C., a native of Quebec, son of the late sir W. C. Meredith, chief justice for Ontario was elected by acclamation, batonnier of the Montreal bar. Louis Coderre was made syndic, and H. Gerin Lajoie, treasurer. Leon Faribault and J. A. M. Pruneau are candidates for secretary.

MILLER FOUND DROWNED

Hamilton, Ont., May 1.—The lifeless body of Robert Grassie, a Mount Albion miller, was found in the stream beneath his mill this morning. It is supposed that while making repairs to the machinery he was struck on the head and was instantly killed or stunned, and knocked into the water.

TWENTY MILLIONS STARVING

Shanghai, May 1.—This is the day when supplies are expected to be exhausted. There is practically nothing left to feed the poor famine stricken wretches, who are literally starving.

Prospectors', Lumbermen's, Miners' and all Campers' Supplies

TENTS in all sizes and weights.
RUBBERS and OIL SKIN CLOTHING.
OVERALLS and JUMPERS.
UNDERWEAR at all prices.
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OVERALLS and JUMPERS.
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LAURIER AT THE CONFERENCE

Some few ill-informed and irresponsible conservative organs seem to take a pleasure in belittling the attitude of Canada's representative at the Imperial conference. We read in these sheets that sir Wilfrid Laurier is doing this, that or the other, and whatever it may be he is alleged to be doing it badly and contrary to the best interests of the people he represents. In the long run these silly attacks upon a man, who is admittedly the peer of any of the statesmen now gathered in London, will work their own undoing. The people of Canada know their prime minister too well to believe for a moment that he would be guilty of any false step and his proved loyalty to the cause of strengthening the bonds of empire is so well recognized that the sneers and slurs of a boorish section of the tory press can have no weight. Whilst it is regrettable that any Canadian paper should so lower itself as to engage in absolutely false and malicious attacks upon Canada's great statesman, it is refreshing to find in one of the most pronounced tory papers, of Toronto, the greatest tory stronghold in the dominion, a fair appreciation of sir Wilfrid Laurier's good work in London.

The Toronto World, commenting upon sir Wilfrid Laurier's work at the Imperial conference, says:

Canada has reason to be satisfied both with the reception accorded sir Wilfrid Laurier in the motherland and the part he has taken in the deliberations of the imperial conference. The prime minister of the dominion is no stranger to the British people. His reputation as the Chrysostom of political orators, the charm of his personality and unfailing courtesy, and the fact that he is at once the representative of the premier among the Outer Britains, and of the French portion of its people, have all combined to make him the most picturesque figure at the imperial conferences. Nor has this special niche in the affectionate regard of the public of the United Kingdom been impaired by the advent upon the imperial stage of general Botha, the quondam Boer leader and now the first premier of the youngest of the British states. They are comrades, not rivals, and it is natural that despite their different records and experiences, the parallelism in their political environment should act as a special bond of atraction. It is permissable to believe that the counsel and influence of sir Wilfrid Laurier will be valuable and acceptable to the statesmen who, in South Africa, are confronting a cognate problem to that solved by the makers of the dominion of Canada.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, The World believes, stands for a sane and sober imperialism, founded on the conviction that a closer union of the British states is possible on the basis of co-operation and partnership, while preserving to each complete self-government and independence of action. The line he appears to have taken at the conference table is entirely consonant with that view, and The World is convinced his attitude will be heartily approved by the great majority of the Canadian people, and, rightly understood, it ought not to evoke opposition even from those of his own race who seem saturated with the notion that imperial conferences conceal an attack upon Canadian nationality. Sir Wilfrid Laurier deserves high commendation for the course he has pursued, and The World is agreeably surprised at the distance the dominion premier has gone in furthering the objects of the conference. Immense headway has been made—how much time will make clear. There can be no doubt that never before have the vital elements of the problem of the empire been more squarely acknowledged, or has there been more ready acceptance of their necessarw corollaries. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is entitled to a full share of credit for the initial success of the conference. The increased prestige accruing to him and to Canada cannot fail to modify profoundly the future course of international affairs, so far as the dominion is concerned. The closer the British states get in touch one with another, and the more solid their front, the greater their weight in preserving their just rights through diplomatic negotiations. By his presence at the imperial conference and by supporting closer union he has placed Canada in the best position for maintaining and protecting her just claims.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The trade returns of Canada for March last and for the fiscal period of nine months ending with March indicate a splendid and steadily increasing growth in the trade of the country. For the nine months closing the fiscal year the total increase in trade was $55,018,726, or nearly 15 per cent over the corresponding period of 1905-06. Imports increased $47,506,476, and exports increased $7,502,250. The aggregate trade for the nine months was $441,815,646. For the month of March alone there was a record increase of no less than $12,817,658 in the total trade as compared with March of last year. This increase was made up of $10,078,787 in imports and $1,838,871 in exports. The aggregate of imports for the nine months was $249,717,413, and of exports $192,087,233. For March the imports totalled $36,042,076, and the exports $15,304,236. The total trade of last month was over one-third greater than the total trade of March, 1906. For the nine months the duty collected was $40,196,085, an increase over the corresponding period of last year of $6,338,287. Of the total increase in exports $676,599 came from mines, $6,999,096 from the forest, $1,421,144 from animals and their produce, manufactures $1,963,158. Exports of agricultural products decreased $1,888,412.

Tory papers are making much of recent speeches by Goldwin Smith and G. T. Blackstock on the subject of purity in politics. Both speakers, it is true, commented upon what is only too much to be deplored in both parties, regarding political corruption, but both spoke generally and, as well informed men, did not seek to suggest that political wrong doing was peculiar to any one party. One over zealous tory organ, with a view to scoring a point against the hated grits, had the ignorant effrontery to refer to G. T. Blackstock as a prominent liberal. Mr. Blackstock, of recent years, has taken no very active part in politics. But years ago Mr. Blackstock was anxious for parliamentary honors and he contested West Durham against Hon. Edward Blake. He was put up by the conservatives in a hopeless fight. Mr. Blackstock is now spoken of as one of the probable tory candidates in Toronto city at the next general elections.

DEATH OF GEORGE WOOD.

Winnipeg, May 1.—George W. Wood, head of the wholesale hardware firm that bears his name, and a son of the late senator Wood, of Hamilton, Ontario, died this morning.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

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Work is to start at once on the extension of the city water system to Fairview.

Choir practice at St. Saviour's church will take place this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Queen cigar store changed hands yesterday, W. H. Smyth selling out to Messrs. Matthew and Bush.

The pianist for the choral society is Mrs. Hannington and not Mrs. Baer, as stated in yesterday's issue of The Daily News.

Died in this city yesterday, Mary Mainwaring-Johnson, the only daughter of Arcme and Mary Mainwaring-Johnson, aged 9 months and 21 days.

The new shells for the boat club arrived yesterday from England and have been cleared from the customs house and will be on view at the boathouse today.

T. G. Procter is shifting his office to that up till now occupied by M. S. Parry, who is retaining desk room for his insurance business.

It is definitely decided that Coleman will play Nelson at Association football here on Empire day next. The game will be called at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and will last for an hour and a half. On the same day and on the same grounds the Nelson cricket club is arranging a match probably with New Westminster.

NEWMARKET STAKES

Won Easily By Slieve Gallion—Ten Horses Ran.

London, May 1.—At the Newmarket today the 2000 guineas stakes for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1904, distance one mile were won by Slieve Gallion, Benzonian was second and Linacre was third. Ten horses ran. Slieve, a warm favorite, made all the running and won by three lengths. The betting was 11 to 4 on Slieve Gallion, 100 to 9 against Benzonian and 100 to 6 on Linacre.

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April 27, 1907.

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Located April 22, 1907.

B. F. REAMY, Locator.

LARDER LAKE DISTRICT

LARGER VEINS ENCOUNTERED THAN IN COBALT CAMP

NO WILD CAT SCHEMES SAYS F. E. SCHOONMAKER, M.E.

Toronto, May 1—"Over 68 mines have installed machinery in the Cobalt district and I don't know of one purely wildcat scheme existing," says F. E. Schoonmaker, geologist and mining engineer. Mr. Schoonmaker is an authority on conditions at the camp, having been in Cobalt when there was but one shack. Since that time he has made a careful and extensive study of the geological structure and composition of the rock and ground.

"Every company there," continued Mr. Schoonmaker, "is on an honest basis. I wouldn't dispute any company organized; they are all bound to get the mineral. Some may have a high capitalization, but all have the conditions and indications to warrant their work. I don't believe there is a company doing business in the Cobalt district that wouldn't stake its whole claim on the soundness and genuineness of its own value. You may take my word that the man does not live today who will live to see the mining operations in that country cease."

The engineering and geological side of the camp was the special study of Mr. Schoonmaker. "Conventionality has done more to retard the progress of this camp than any other cause, by the acceptance of reports of conditions known to be absolutely foreign to the country." As an example of this he cited the township of Lorraine, where all engineers declared the formation as granite and diabase, while in all his investigations not a sign of granite did he encounter except in the floating condition. What others had called granite he described as the finest formation of conglomerate.

"Some prominent authorities have reported slate existing where I claim it does not exist," he said. "I wish to make this broad statement: That in no case have I found slate to exist north of the boundary of the southern part of Coleman and south of Diamond townships. If some people knew that the formation was composed, in most cases of conglomerate and solidified quartz, perhaps they would understand better the means of locating the minerals. To the novice this means nothing, but to the investor in Cobalt camp it means that the values based upon the contact of quartz and conglomerate formation is an assurance of liberal assets for his investments.

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Mr. Schoonmaker continued to describe the wealth of the country, mentioning the discovery of the largest gold and silver bearing vein in North America of sugar quartz, averaging 200 feet in width, at a distance of 18 miles west of McDougal's Schutes; the discovery of the Coin Silver Mining company or ores valued at over $2400 per ton at a depth of 52 feet in Bucke township, and the equally satisfactory development of the Wonderland Mining Co. in the same township. In closing he prophesied as to the direction future mining will take, saying: "The largest veins in the territory are those in the Larder lake district and the immediate territory lying west, and upon investigation the mining interests will naturally drift to this district."

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JNO. N. LYON.

Nelson, B.C., April 27, 1907. 4-28

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in Fire Valley, West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted 20 chains west from N. E. corner of L. C. Morrison's preemption and marked "D. J.s purchase, S.E. corner," running 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

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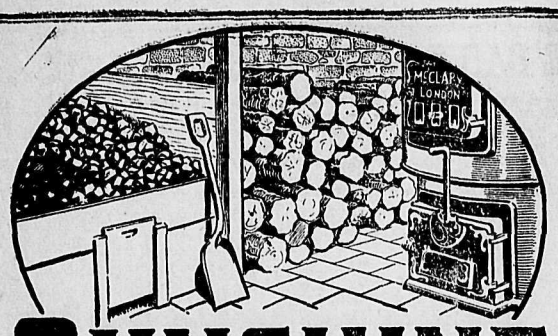

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GIVEN A LIFE SENTENCE

PAUL MANNARINO WAS QUICKLY DISPOSED OF

SUIT FOR BIG COMMISSION NOW IN PROGRESS

The supreme court opened yesterday morning at 11 o'clock with Mr. justice Clement on the bench. There were only one criminal and six civil cases set down for trial. The grand jury empanelled was: John Keen, foreman, F. J. Deane, J. Laing Stocks, D. C. McMorris, J. Hamilton, H. Selous, G. W. McBride H. P. McCraney, J. Dewar, F. Irvine, G. Hunter, J. Irving and G. A. Spink. They quickly found a true bill against Paul Mannarino for *the attempted murder of his uncle at Sirdar* on March 21 and as they did not think it necessary to inspect the public buildings of the city at this session of the court, they were discharged from further attendance at the court but not from service until such time as the crown prosecutor, W. A. Macdonald, K.C. knew whether another criminal case would be brought up at the present sitting of the supreme court.

Paul Mannarino was then put in the dock, Mrs. Maglio interpreting, and, through his counsel, S. S. Taylor, K.C., pleaded guilty. Mr. Taylor made a brief address to the court asking for mercy on the ground that there had been bad blood between uncle and nephew, that the prisoner had been hardly treated by his relative, and that he came of a hot tempered nation, whose people did not regard life as sacred as it is considered in this country.

Mr. Justice Clement in passing sentence would not consider the validity of the plea for mercy. He considered the attempted murder as brutal and cowardly and felt that the prisoner was a danger to society as long as he was at liberty. Hence he would put him out of the way of attempting to kill any more people in this country by placing him in jail, his release from which would depend upon his convincing the authorities over him that he had become a changed man. The sentence he would therefore impose was that he be imprisoned in New Westminster for the term of his natural life.

The court then settled the order in which it would take the cases on the civil list, which is thus arranged: McMillan vs. Wheeler, Nagorsen vs. Granby, Genelle vs. Genelle, Campbell vs. Wall and Creelman, Westfall vs. Stewart and Highland vs. Maryland.

The court then adjourned until 2 o'clock in the afternoon when on the first case being called S. S. Taylor appeared for the *plaintiff, George* McMillan, and W. A. Macdonald for the defendant, A. D. Wheeler. The case is a suit for the recovery of a commission for the sale of the Krao mine, and the plaintiff, taking the stand, declared that on September 2 or 3, 19 6, he was introduced by G. W. McBride to Mr. Wheeler in the Wood-Vallance hardware store in this city and had a conversation with him, at which his introducer was present for a part of the time. Mr. Wheeler gave him on Sept. 4, a letter to Mrs. Wheeler at Ainsworth, enclosing another to the foreman of the Krao mine at Ainsworth, authorizing him ot look over th eproperty. Plaintiff did so, and then made a bargain with Mr. Wheeler to sell the Krao, plaintiff to receive $25,000 as his commission. Plaintiff could not get any time to sell beyond the time necessary to go to St. Paul, where he thought he could secure a purchaser, and wiring from there that a man would come upon the ground. Plaintiff packed *his grip at once and prepared to leave for* St. Paul, but received a letter telling him that professor Winchell, the leading geologist of the Great Northern railway, was in the city. Plaintiff went to see him and in consequence Mr. Winchell went up to the Krao and examined the property. On his return from the mine, satisfied with his inspection, which had been made with Mr. Wheeler on the ground, there had been a discussion of terms as to how the price should be paid, but none as to the price itself. This was at Ainsworth, between Messrs. Winchell and Wheeler, the plaintiff being present. Winchell then wired to W. W. McDowell, a mining promoter of Butte, who in consequence came to Nelson. That was on the evening of Sept. 12. That night in the lobby of the Strathcona hotel plaintiff had said to defendant that he now had a purchaser on the ground and wanted 30 days in which to conclude the deal at $125,000. This defendant agreed to and also that if any *sale were made of the property during* that 30 days to any person whatsoever that plaintiff was to get his $25,000 commission anyway. Mr. McDowell examined the property and wanted time to bring in two more men to visit the Krao. Mr. McDowell then went away, and early in October two men, Messrs. Lavis and Hand, came in from Butte and with them a deal was closed on Oct. 8. This date was admitted by the defence as being that of an optional sale being concluded.

Cross-examined by W. A. Macdonald, plaintiff would not swear that $100,000 had not been mentioned by Wheeler as the price of the mine on his first introduction to him. Plaintiff admitted that he had promised Winchell $12,500 for his examination of the property but maintains that he owes Winchell this sum whether he receives his commission or not. Plaintiff received a letter from McDowell sometime in September, saying that he had written to Wheeler saying that he did not care *to go further with the Krao property.* That letter counsel for plaintiff declined to produce. Plaintiff had ceased to trust Wheeler after Winchell had told him that the defendant had tried to deal directly *with himself. Still plaintiff had not got* his 30 day agreement with defendant in writing fearing, if he had attempted to do so, that McDowell and defendant would get together an shut him out.

The cross examination was still proceeding when court adjourned at 5:30 until 10 o'clock this morning.

BECOME GOOD CANADIANS

Laurier Does Not Fear Effects of Influx of Americans into Canada

London, May 1.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier, addressing the Canadian club last night, said he had no fear that Canada would be Americanized. The American immigrants in Canada were a practical people, who had quitted the United States for Canada because they believed it a better country with better laws administered *tenfold better than the laws of the* United States. He was a great admirer of the American republic he said, but the American who crossed the border knew that his property and life were better secured than in their own country.

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SANDON MINERS' UNION
A. SHILLAND, Secretary.

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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 out-

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ADDRESS ALL ORDERS TO

From the Wabigoon Star, Wabigoon, Ont., Thursday, March 29th, 1907:

MORE DISCOVERIES AT LAURENTIAN

Another Strike of Extraordinary Richness, equalling, if not Surpassing, Those previously Recorded in Manitou's Bonanza Gold Mines.

A telephone dispatch to this office from Gold Rock, announces that another extraordinary strike was made at the Laurentian mine on Monday last. The ore body uncovered is said to equal, if not eclipse, the phenomenal strikes recorded in this paper in December, 1906 and later in October, 1906, when samples of ore were brought in exhibiting masses of gold hanging together, with scarcely any rock to adhere to, representing thousands of dollars to the ton. It will be interesting to note that the strike of Monday was made in the foot wall of the raise, about 30 feet above the 200 foot level. The drifts, which have been recently driven under the direction of superintendent Nickerson, are in the hanging wall of the formation which may account for the nondiscovery of the wealth of ore before Monday. Whether or not the ore body is a continuation of the Bonanza vein of the 800 foot level, the enormous richness of which created such a sensation all over the continent, has not yet been ascertained. Possibly it may be another. But in any event a wealth of ore at depth is assured.

BLUM'S LAURENTIAN, NEAR WABIGOON, LINED WITH GOLD.

"The gold strike in Blum's Laurentian Mine surpasses in riches all previous discoveries. The raise from the first level is now 50 feet up, and ore continues all the way as rich as the ore on the first level, which astounded the world when the strike was made last December. The drift connecting the top of the raise with the main shaft is now being driven, in which massive gold was encountered, and which machine drills could not penetrate. A single blast broke down over $15,000 worth of gold. Three-fourths of the weight of ore is native gold, valued at over $300,000 per ton."—Sept. 27, 1906, Winnipeg Free Press.

"BLUM'S MINE PAYS $300,000 TO THE TON.

"Richer by far than any mine ever before discovered, the Laurentian, in the Rainy River District of upper Canada, owned by Anthony Blum, the Brookline prospector, has been made more valuable and richer still by the striking of a new drift, which has already assayed $300,000 to a ton, and is expected to grow wealthier in virgin gold as it sinks deeper into the earth."—Boston Journal, Sept. 29, 1906.

"Since the mass of gold was encountered in the sub-level, which the machine drills could not penetrate, the winze has been sunk deeper and penetrated the rich ore shoot. The rich gold ore is now known to exist from 30 feet to 270 feet—the bottom of the shaft."—Montreal Star, Nov.3, 1906.

$100 invested in Crow's Nest Pass Coal in 1896 is now worth $285,000 Laurentian Gold Mine Shares should be as good, for it is claimed to be the Richest Gold Mine in the World

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Mr. Anthony Blum, who discovered the Laurentian Gold Mine, is well known to some of the largest business firms in Winnipeg. Mr. Blum decided that never would he let the Laurentian Gold Mine get into the hands of a few rich capitalists, as he believes the mines of a country belong to the people at large. Therefore, a limited number of shares are for sale in this territory at $7.50 per share.

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MANY MINERS LAID OFF

MEN LEAVING BOUNDARY CAMPS IN LARGE NUMBERS

OTHERS ARE ENJOYING A VACATION, FISHING OR CAMPING OUT.

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, May 1.—While the news from the coal fields of the Crow's Nest Pass country, is more reassuring as regards the coal miners going back to work shortly, the condition in the Boundary does not improve any, and more miners at different mines are being laid off, as it will require from two to three weeks, it is expected, for the smelters to begin to receive coke supplies after the coal miners take up their tools once more.

This morning almost the entire force at the Snowshoe mine was laid off by manager Biesel, this mine employing about 100 men latterly, and shipping heavily to the B. C. Copper company's smelter at Greenwood. Employes of the mines who have been laid off here in the last two or three days, are taking advantage of the lay-off to take a vacation, some going fishing or camping, and still others pulling out to look for work elsewhere. About 200 left this camp yesterday and today over the C. P. R. and Great Northern. The Dominion Copper company has laid off most of the men employed at the company's Brooklyn and Idaho mines, but almost the full force is still working on development at the company's Rawhide mine.

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CAPE ROUGE ICE BRIDGE

BROKE AWAY, BUT IS STUCK LOWER DOWN CHANNEL

NAVIGATION BETWEEN QUEBEC AND MONTREAL DELAYED

Montreal, May 1—Cape Rouge ice bridge is still obdurate; some of it broke away, undermined by water and weather, but the latest despatches from Quebec state that it stuck a little lower down the channel. Despatches were received at the office of the shipping confederation that it would take three days to move the mass. There was a tide last night and there are two today and it is expected that the last one would complete the work of disintegration and permit of free navigation of the river between Quebec and Montreal. At best it is not expected that the boats now tying at Quebec can reach Montreal before Thursday noon at the earliest. The Iona of the Allen line, is due to sail on Friday from here, and the Ottawa on Saturday. The problem now is whether to bring the boats to Montreal and delay sailing or embark passengers at Quebec. The narrow bottle neck of Cape Rouge is choked and immediate relief is hardly hoped for before tomorrow night. The first boat left Montreal for Quebec this afternoon amid the entusiastic toots of tugs and triumphant blasts of the siren of the steamer. The Ralph Holcombe is the first vessel to leave a lower port this season. She has been lying in the basin all winter.

RELIEF FOR RHEUMATIC PAINS

"I suffered with rheumatism for over two years," says Mr. Rolland Curry, a patrolman of Key West. "Somtimes it settled in my knees and lamed me so I could hardly walk, at other times it would be in my feet and hands so I was incapacitated for duty. One night when I was in severe pain and lame from it my wife went to the drug store here and came back with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I was rubbed with it and found the pain had nearly gone during the night., I kept on using it for a little more than two weeks and found that it drove the pain away. I have not had any trouble from that disease for over three months. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

HONOR FOR PREMIER BOND

London, May 1.—The freedom of the city of London was conferred privately on sir Robert Bond, the Newfoundland premier at the Guild Hall this morning. Sir Robert Bond was not here when the other premiers were made free men of the city.

Mrs. J. E. Harris will be leaving Nelson shortly to reside in Vancouver. In the course of the next two weeks she will dispose of her household furniture, etc. by public sale, of which due notice will be given.

COMPLETELYEXHAUSTED

ARE THE SEVEN MINERS AFTER LONG IMPRISONMENT

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL INSTEAD OF HOME UNDER PROTEST

Johnstown, Pa., May 1—Taken from the dark recesses of a coal mine where they had been imprisoned over 100 hours and snatched from the jaws of death, seven men taken from the Behwynd White mine, No. 38, at Fousthwel are living in the Windeberg hospital, physically exhausted and oblivious to all about them and recovering their strength in sleep.

The men were reached about 10 o'clock last night but were not brought up until this morning, the physicians fearing a reaction from the excitement and sudden exposure to the outer air that might have serious effects. Immediately upon being brought out all the men wanted to go to their homes and were taken to the hospital under protest. No food was given them at first but a stimulant in the form of brandy and water was administered. Soon after arriving at the hospital the men were sound asleep an no communication was allowed with them.

Correspondents and newspaper photographers swarm about the vicinity of the hosital in an attempt to get the men's stories and their pictures, but they are turned away and the men are not disturbed except at regular intervals when the nurses administer hot drinks and other nourishment. Immediately afterward the men again drop asleep, apparently exhausted. Hospital physisians said this morning that the men would be able to be about in a few days, but they would be too weak to resume their duties for a week or more.

INSURANCE ELECTION FRAUDS

New York, May 1—George Schrughan, manager of the international policy holders' committee, who was arrested in Albany last night on conspiracy charges growing out of the recent life insurance elections, arrived here today in the custody of a detective of the district attorney's office. Later with Charles F. Carrington and Charles Stirrup, of the committee, who acted as watchers during the election and who were arrested on similar charges, Mr. Schrughan was arraigned in ech tombs police court. The case was continued until next Monday. Schrughan and Stirrup were released on $2500 bail and Carrington on $3000.

TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

London, May 1—Jay Gould of New York, defeated Vane H. Pennel, the ex-champion, in the final of the international amateur court tennis championship games, at the Queen's club this afternoon, in three straight sets, 6-1, 6-1, 6-1, and thus won the right to challenge Eustac H. Miles for the title of champion. Gould and Miles will compete for the championship in May.

U. S. SAILORS AND POLICE

ENGAGE IN MURDEROUS CONFLICT AT SANTIAGO

SEAMEN WERE RETURNING FROM A BANQUET

Santiago, Cuba, May 1—A conflict between the police and sailors of the cruiser Tacoma took place here yesterday, and followed an orderly banquet which was given at the cafe Leon d'Or, by a number of first class seamen of the cruiser. At 1 o'clock in the morning the men separated and 12 of them went to the Cafe Union, in a reasonably sober condition. A police captain named May who was in citizen's clothes, had been watching this cafe all the evening, with seven or eight policemen to support him.

About 2 o'clock in the morning the seamen started for the wharf, with the intention of boarding the Tacoma. Catain May asserts that the seamen started the disturbance with the police, and the sailors say that Captain May, without any provocation, caused the trouble. As the enlisted men of the Tacoma had been hindered by the police on their way to the wharf, ensign Brisbin decided to walk slightly ahead of the party. Suddenly he heard a revolver shot and immediately afterwards the police charged with revolvers and machettes. Brisbn received an ugly cut on the arm and was felled to the earth three times.

As the crowd of seamen came up the police emptied their revolvers at them, at the same time attacking the Americans with machettes. A fierce fight ensued, with the result that Henry L. Lee, a fireman of the Tacoma will, probably die, of a compound fracture of the skull caused by a machette and a gun shot wound in the right breast. Ten other seamen were taken to the ship's hospital suffering from machette wounds and clubbing. Not one of the policemen was badly hurt, though a number of them suffered from contustons. The catain and all the policemen who participated in the affair have been suspended by order of the civil governor of Santiago, upon the representations of commander Tapper of the Tacoma, and the American consul, Mr. Halliday.

PANIC AT WOMEN'S CLUB

Some of the Ladies Jumped from the Windows, Others Crowded off Fire Escapes

Chicago, May 1—About 20 women were injured today at a fire which broke out in the building at 255 Wabash avenue, the three upper floors of which were occupied by the Lotus lunch club, patronized by women. When the flames were discovered fully 200 women were in the place and a panic ensued. A number of women leaped from the windows of the second and third stories, but the greater number rushed to the fire escapes; these were soon crowded and several women lost their holds and fell to the street, while others were pushed off.

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EAST SIDERS LOSE THEIR SAVINGS

Had Confided in a "Healer," Madame Marie Vitous.

New York, May 1.—Hundreds of residents of the Bohemian colony, in the upper east side of this city, learned today that they had lost the savings of years which they had deposited with madame Marie Vitous, the healer, who committed suicide a few weeks ago in past Seventy-Second street. Madame Vitous' safe, which was supposed by the depositors to contain $150,000 worth of securities, representing their entire savings, was opened today and found to contain nothing of value. Among these depositors were many women employed in the east side cigar factories.

TROUBLES OF THE CENSOR

Consideration Shown to Japan May Lead To Trouble With Denmark.

London, May 1.—The consor's prohibition of the production of "The Mikado" as a mark of sympathy with Japan is causing considerable protest here. Vincent Kennedy, Irish nationalist, member for the west district of Cavan, has give nnotice that he will question the government in the house as to whether premier Campbell-Bannerman will cause the presentation of "Hamlet" to be prohibited, since Denmark is a friendly power, and a Danish king is therein portrayed as a murderer.

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London, May 1—Silver, 30 3-8; lead, £20.

COPPER STOCKS
(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)
New York, May 1—The following are today's quotations for the stocks mentioned:

	Asked	Bid
Granby	135	127
Dominion Copper	6⅞	6⅝
B. C. Copper	8	7½

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The weekly choir practice of the choir of St. Saviour's church will be held this evening instead of on Friday evening. All members are requested to attend.

C. A. Waterman and company, the auctioneers, will hold an auction sale of household effects this afternoon at the residence of A. J. Kerr, corner Silica and Cedar streets.

A contribution of $5 was received yesterday from the Ymir ladies guild toward the relief fund being raised to support the destitute family in the upper part of the city. The total contributed to date is $105. The fund still remains open.

The baseball season opens in Nelson at 2:30 this afternoon when Nelson and Trail juniors face the umpire on the recreation ground. Nelson will be represented by the following team: Catcher, R. Bard; pitcher, W. Brown; 1st base, T. Stevens; 2nd bast, S. Newitt, shortstop, M. McCandlish; 3rd base, L. Jackson; right field, J. Miller, center, A. Lacey; left field, F. Miller; spare, D. Keefe.

A meeting of the executive of the 20,000 club was held last evening to consider the applications for the position of permanent club secretary. There were several applications from local and outside men. After long consideration of the merits of the various applicants, it was decided to offer the appointment to a Mr. Ebbutt, a gentleman of long business training, whose experience well fits him to engage in a campaign of publictly. Mr. Ebbutt will take hold at once and will endeavor to arouse and keep alive a practical enthusiasm in the club's work, which will ensure its practical prosperity. The new building to be occupied by the club secretary will shortly be under way, meantime office accommodation has been placed at the disposal of the club by its energetic secretary, T. G. Procter.

DROPPED DEAD AFTER DINNER
Huntsville, Ala., May 1.—Colonel Charles U. Lane, editor of the Evening Tribune, the only Republican daily in Alabama, dropped dead this afternoon while returning from dinner. He was fifty years old.

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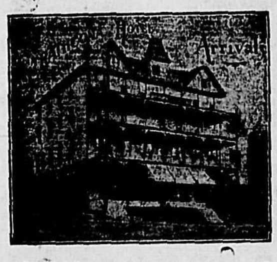

STRATHCONA — K. L. Webster, St. Paul; G. S. Barclay, Lewiston; E. C. Carruth, Ravre; C. Shorman, P. Shields, Chicago; C. Nelson, E. H. Seeling, W. R. Hibbard, Spokane; W. B. Rhodes, Kalispell; W. Anderson, Cascade; Miss E. Withrow, Miss B. Alberts, Grand Forks; F. H. Smith, Toronto.

QUEENS—H. M. Sheppard and wife, Miss Sheppard, Queenstown; Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Blair, Winnipeg; T. Craig, Vancouver, H. Link and wife, Elko; J. H. Feeny, Greenwood; D. S. Homer, Grand Forks; H. Bush, Grand Forks; P. Cunningham, A. Chipman, Trail.

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CLUB—J. H. Reid, A. E. Reid, W. E. Reid, W. Thomosn, J. Thomson, E. Davidson, B. Foley and wife, A. Rocray, F. Smith, Phoenix.

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ROYAL—J. H. Reed, W. Thomson, H. S. Reed, W. Reed, Trail; J. Francis, Arlington; W. Fraser, Toronto; H. A. Ladd, Westley.

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SQUARE DEAL FOR TEACHERS
Spokane, May 1.—An increase of approximately 20 per cent in salaries for principles and teachers in the Spokane schools was decided upon last night by the board of education, effective for 1907-1908. This was partly due to the fact that there will be two weeks added to the school year, making it 38 weeks long instead of 36 weeks as in the case of the current year, and is a tribute to the ability of the public school instructors of the city.

The salaries are to be paid next season in ten equal payments instead of nine as was the custom last season. The scale adopted last night was general and included every teacher from the principals to the grade teachers.

"JUNGLE" KING DYING
Chicago, May 1.—John Cudahy, the well known packer, of this city, is critically ill as the result of an accident which occurred in his home on April 20th. Mr. Cudahy slipped and fell while descending a flight of stairs, fracturing his right arm above the elbow. Complications have arisen and Mr. Cudahy's condition is now so serious that his brothers, E. A. Cudahy, of Omaha, and Patrick Cudahy, of Milwaukee, have been summoned to his bedside.

HONORS FOR NOVA SCOTIA.
Halifax, N. S., May 1.—Toronto has taken one son of Nova Scotia to be president of her great university but honors have not ceased. Word comes that Cornell university, presided over by J. B. Schurman, of Prince Edward Island, has selected another son of Nova Scotia, this time a native of Great Village, Colchester county, Dr. A. Ross Hill, to be dean of the faculty of arts.

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