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TO ASSIST CITY BAND

Council Will Provide Part of Monthly Salary of Leader.

Carrying of Packages on Street Cars Without Necessary Stamps Leads to Dismissal of Conductor Mackenzie.

The mayor and all the aldermen were present at the regular fortnightly meeting of the council last night. The council agreed to pay $25 a month for a leader of the city band and to give the band a grant of $100 for incidental expenses.

When the question of confirming the recent settlement arrived at between the city and the West Kootenay Power and Light company came up the council, on the motion of of aldermen Selous and Annable, went into secret session. Later the council agreed to confirm the settlement in open session, but the terms were not given out. The rest of the proceedings were of a routine character.

After reading the minutes of the last meeting, the same were approved and there being several deputations present, his worship asked Rev. J. T. Ferguson to address the council. Mr. Ferguson said he appeared in company with F. A. Starkey to ask for a grant for the library. Mr. Crease, who was to have been present, was unfortunately prevented. Last year $900 was given. This year a smaller grant would meet the situation. If the council could not see its way to grant $500, the library board would try to get along with $400 if possible. Mr. Starkey said the board wanted some help and would be glad to know if they could count on a grant to bank on if necessary.

Ald. Selous said he had hoped after the brilliant success of the Kirmess last year the library board could have made a grant to the city this year.

Ald. Hume wanted particulars of the state of the library.

Ald. Rose said he would have details ready at the next meeting. The library was a good institution and should be maintained.

The request will be considered later when the details wanted are available.

F. J. Deane, one of those affected by the recent decision of the council to compel motor users to use electrical power in place of water power as at present, asked that definite instructions be given the electrical engineer as to what motors must be used. He explained the difficulty which had arisen in The Daily News office, when an effort was made to instal a motor last week.

Electrical engineer Smith said only 220 voltage could be used. He had notified Mr. Deane that he could use any motor temporarily.

Mr. Deane said he merely wanted definite instructions from the council in the matter.

Mr. Smith said that the putting of power motors on the light system was a bad plan. There were three voltages allowed, 220, 440 and 2200. These, in his opinion, were enough for the city.

The report of the finance committee was read recommending the payment of payrolls for streets, electric lighting and sidewalks, amounting to $331.55. The city clerk added that he had a letter from the Nelson Land and Improvement company asking for $1000, the second payment on the lake front park. On motion the report was adopted and a direction was given that the second payment for the park be made.

The fire chief's report for the past month was received and filed. There were no fires and no alarms in May.

Ald. Selous asked if retiring fireman Greig had received his uniform. The city clerk replied in the affirmative. The rule is that the fireman pays one half of the cost of the uniform if he leaves the city's employ within 60 days. In the present case the fireman has gone without the matter being attended to. Better care will be observed in future.

Medical health officer Arthur reported on his efforts to kill off the dandelions with the patent solution recommended to him by the council. Many correct details in making up the preparation were wanting and the experiments with the solution used were not satisfactory. The report was filed.

The report of the board of works was read. Among the recommendations were: Extension of sidewalk on the west side of Ward street from Latimer to Hoover, adopted, alderman Selous voting in the negative; extension of sidewalk on west side of Ward street from C. H. Ink's residence to Observatory street, adopted; grading of alley from Ward to Stanley streets, between Hoover and Observatory, adopted; sidewalk from Houston to Richard street, on Ward street, adopted. The report of the board of works was then adopted as a whole.

The high sidewalk on Latimer street, opposite the high school will be inspected by the city engineer and put in shape.

Chief Jarvis asked to be relieved of his duties as sanitary inspector. He said he had not time to attend to his duties as chief of police and at the same time act as sanitary inspector.

The mayor said that the time of the chief was all taken up. He had asked E. McGregor to look after the sanitary affairs at a cost of $100 a month. It would be for the council to confirm the arrangement. He was well posted and in the city's employ.

Ald. Selous thought the arrangement a most satisfactory one and the appointment was confirmed, and the chief relieved of his duty in respect of the sanitary department.

An alderman asked if there was a report on the subject of a man keeping 17 cattle within the city limits.

The chief said the man drove his cattle in and out; he, the chief had not found the cattle in the city limits.

Ald. Rose asked if anything was being done with the pavilion at the park. At the present time the water covered it up to the roof.

The mayor said that when the water started going down the pavilion would be moved into its proper place; it was moving up every day nearer to its ultimate destination.

Ald. Selous asked as to the camp on the city park.

The mayor said the camper, who had been there for the past three years, would now have to vacate.

The Nelson city band presented a numerously signed petition asking for a grant of $500, $300 for a leader and $200 for incidental expenses; the band to give two free concerts a week during the summer months, June, July, August and September.

The council agreed that the band should be helped, but thought that $500 was too much, under the present state of the city's finances.

Ald. McMorris moved, seconded by Ald. Irving that $25 a month be paid for a band master and a further sum of $100 be granted for incidental expenses and the motion carried.

P. E. Wilson, former city solicitor, and now county court judge, wrote asking that his bill of costs re W. K. P. and L. company and the city, be taxed and paid. The letter was referred to the city solicitor.

J. Walxel wrote offering rates for the insurance of members of the fire brigade; referred to the fire, water and light committee.

The secretary of the municipal union of B.C. wrote asking for the city's subscription and referring to the special legislation regarding the Municipal Clauses act, the School act and other acts. The subscription asked for will be sent on.

Ald. Rose moved that the agreement entered into between the city and the W. K. P. and L. company, regarding pending litigation, on May 2nd, be confirmed.

Speaking on the matter the mayor said, without casting reflections on the press, there were matters discussed in committee fo the whole, which it was not well to print. He had no desire to discuss matters behind closed doors as a general rule.

Ald. Selous said that when tentative agreements were being discussed he did not approve of such discussions being reported in the press.

The mayor did not quite agree with Ald. Selous. He thought the ratepayers had a right to know what settlement had been made in the present instance.

Ald. Selous thought that the understanding arrived at and signed by the solicitors was still a private document.

Ald. Irving said a deal had been arrived at the agreement was public property.

Ald. Annable agreed with Ald. Selous; if there had not been so much talk in the newspapers there probably would not have been any litigation in the first place.

Ald. Selous said that when a definite agreement was signed it might be made public.

Ald. Selous moved, seconded by Ald. Annable, that the council consider the written understanding arrived at in committee of the whole; the motion carried, Ald. Irving dissenting. The Daily News representative then withdrew, it being intimated to him, by Ald. Selous, that he was in honor bound not to report the proceedings of council in committee of the whole.

Ald. Rose's motion, seconded by Ald. Selous, confirming the agreement, was then carried when the council resumed its open deliberations.

Ald. Rose complained of the way the cemetery was plotted out. Difficulty was experienced in finding particular graves. He thought the whole cemetery should be replotted and the register properly indexed for reference. He gave a particular instance where a visitor from Montana was unable to locate the grave of a relative.

Ald. Rose asked for particulars regarding the dismissal of conductor Mackenzie from the city street car service.

The mayor explained that despite specific instructions repeatedly given, goods were carried without stamps. He, the mayor, had asked Mackenzie last night, as to goods being carried without stamps, and Mackenzie had rudely replied he did not know and would not find out until he came to collect the fares. His worship added that he told Mackenzie to go to the barn and get his time, and he would do the same with any other civic official who acted as Mackenzie had done. The mayor said further that he had reported the matter to the superintendent who approved of the action and undertook to look after the car. Mackenzie apparently left the car at Baker street.

The question of David Woods leaving the city's employ was then explained by the mayor. His worship said he had explained the matter to a deputation of union men, just before council meeting and they were apparently satisfied. The council will be glad to have David back under the old arrangement.

The mayor said that certain changes had been made in the tramway staff on account of the promotion of Mr. Smith to the position of electrical engineer. Respecting the increased expenditure, his worship said the repairs to stock and to the roadbed had cost money. Johnston was now foreman at the barn at a salary fo $65 a month.

At 10:45 the council adjourned until Monday evening, June 17.

BANQUET TO WALTER SCOTT

Regina, June 3.—The banquet to be tendered premier Walter Scott on his recovery and return has been definitely fixed for June 21. It is expected that there will be not less than 600 guests present. The liberals are determined to give Mr. Scott a royal welcome home.

IRISH BILL IS DROPPED

Campbell Bannerman Regrets Irish People Gave it so Scant Attention.

Legislative Program for Session Lightened, But Next Session Is to See New and Comprehensive Education Bill.

London, June 3.—The Irish bill was formally dropped by the government this afternoon with scant ceremony. The house of commons was well filled when premier Campbell-Bannerman rose to make his promised statement on the cabinet's views regarding what measures it was necessary to eliminate from the government's overweighed legislative program, so that the present session might be brought to a close in the usual time.

The premier said the Irish people would have done well to give the details of the measure more attention than appeared to have been the case at the recent convention at Dublin, but in view of its decision to reject the bill, the government could not go any further. He added that the decision of the representatives of the Irish people was a source of sincere regret and disappointment to the ministers. Now that the Irish bill was dropped, the government intended to introduce an "Evicted Tenants' Restoration Bill," with powers of compulsory purchase. The licensing bill will be dropped, as also will be the case of the measure designed to relieve the "passive resistors" from paying educational rates for religious institutions.

But the government is determined to introduce next session a comprehensive education bill putting the whole educational system of the country in order. In regard to the proposed restriction of the powers of the house or lords, the premier said it was proposed later in the session to introduce a resolution on the subject, when the government would fully set forth its views.

PROVINCIAL INTERESTS

INVOLVED IN CASE OF C. P. R. VS. OTTAWA INSURANCE CO.

CROCKETT, EDITOR OF GLEANER, SENT UP FOR TRIAL

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, June 3.—At the supreme court hearing today in the case of the C.P.R. vs. the Ottawa Insurance company, important questions developed as follows:

1. Is every charter issued by virtue of provincial legislation to be read subject to constitutional limitation; that is, prohibition of the company to carry on business beyond the limits of the province in which it is incorporated?

2. Can an insurance company, incorporated by letters patent issued under a provincial act, carry on extra provincial or universal business

3. Has the province power to prohibit or impose restrictions on extra provincial insurance companies transacting business within its limits?

4. Has parliament authority to authorize the governor-general in council to permit a locally incorporated company to transact business throughout the dominion or in foreign countries?

The dominion maintains that provincially formed companies have no power to do business beyond the bounds of province in which they are incorporated.

Prince Fushimi will be met on his arrival at Quebec by Hon. Wm. Templeman on the Canadian cruiser Lady Grey.

The department of agriculture is receiving favorable reports of the crop outlook of the Canadian west.

Canada's trade agent in Japan quotes a press opinion that the United States will soon have more difficulty in getting Japanese labor into the states than it now has in keeping it out.

Crockett, editor of the Gleaner, goes up for trial in the Emmerson libel suit.

ANOTHER AUTO VICTIM

Buffalo, N. Y., June 3,—Harry Hamilin, one of the best-known clubmen in Buffalo, was killed in an automobile accident near the Country club on the Williamsville road this afternoon. A boy and the chauffeur were badly hurt.

The city band has been incorporated under the Benevolent Societies act, with the following officers: President, J. M Ludwig; vice-president, A. Oliver; secretary, Ross Fleming; treasurer, A. A. Perrier; librarian, J. Aikman; advisory member, B. Crowther. The band has expended $94.45 in uniforms, instruments and music. In 1902 when the band was first organized the council made a grant of $250 and the band paid out $415, raising the additional sum themselves. Last night the council agreed to pay a band master $25 a month, or $300 a year and in addition gave $100 for incidental expenses. The band will give two open air concerts a week, one in the park on Sunday afternoons and the other on Baker street during one week day evening.

JAPAN AND UNITED STATES

Tokio, June 3.—Leading persons in and out of politics seem to have a feeling of apprehension regarding Japan's future relations with the United States. Actual hostility, however, is not thought of, but the peculiar position in which the federal government is placed in regard to state laws and the defiant attitude of labor interests against Japan's treaty rights as manifested in the second San Francisco incident makes politicians here uneasy.

NANTON COMES TO TIME

Nominates Company's Member of Board—Still Objects to Sherman

Ottawa, June 3—Mr. Nanton, manager of the Alberta Railway and Irrigation company, who at first refused to agree to the miners' request for a board of conciliation at Lethbridge, has named W. D. L. Hardie, mine superintendent at Lethbridge, as the representative of the company to the board. Mr. Nanton stated that if the men would withdraw president Sherman, head of the miners' organization, their member of the board, he would withdraw Mr. Hardie, and would nominate Frank Smith, inspector of coal mines for Alberta, as the company's representative.

DIFFERENCES SETTLED

GRANBY SMELTERMEN'S DEMANDS ACCEDED TO

FIVE FURANCES RUNNING, SIXTH TO BE BLOWN IN TOMORROW

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, June 3.—A. B. W. Hodges, manager of the Granby company, arrived from Spokane last night, and at a conference held later between himself and the representatives of the smeltermen, a satisfactory arrangement was arrived at in regard to the labor difficulties. The differences, which only amounted to a few dollars per day, were adjusted, and matters both at the mines and smelter should now swing along uninterruptedly.

Mr. Hodges stated that 360 men were on the Phoenix payroll this morning and that there would be places for 500. At the smelter five furnaces are running, which put through 2,000 tons yesterday. The sixth furnace will be blown in on Wednesday and the other two as soon as enough labor is on hand at mines and smelter. A large proportion of the former employes are returning. When all eight furnaces are being operated the force will be between 320 and 350 men. Construction work, in connection with the steel tank and mammoth steel flue chamber, will necessitate more men, but work of this kind will not be started until the smelter is running at full capacity.

Colgate Hoyt, of New York, the new president of the B. C. Copper company, arrived from Spokane this evening in his special car and will visit the Granby smelter and proceed to Greenwood tomorrow. Mr. Hoyt is a well-known banker and railroad man, and this will be his first visit to the Boundary.

APPEAL TO ENGLISH COMRADES

French Strikers Ask for Sympathy of the Southampton Dock Workers

Havre, June 3—The striking seamen here have sent an urgent appeal to their English comrades at Southampton, not to allow the emigrants from Havre to go on board British vessels at that port for transportation to the United States and assurances have been obtained that the strikers at Cherbourg will try to prevent their embarkation there.

There was a lively riot here today between striking fishermen and fisher women and non-striking fisherwomen and fishermen. The latter were assailed by the former who, after a struggle emptied their fish baskets. A number of arrests were made.

OFF TO AUSTRALIA

Lineup of Canada's Lacrosse Team for the Antipodes

Orillia, June 3—The lacrosse team that will represent Canada in Australia were given a great send off here today. The team played a farewell game with Beaverton and won out 13-3.

The team that will make the trip lined up as follows: Goal, Campbell; point, Laxness; cover, Will Hanley; defense, Tom Hanley and Complin, Coombs; center, Curran; Ross, Raymor, Macdonald, home; outside home, Gilbert; inside home, Arens, captain; spare man, Graham.

They play at Port Arthur on Thursday, and at Winnipeg, Monday, June 10, and at Moose Jaw and Regina, sailing from Vancouver on June 25.

MORALES' CONFEDERATES

Madrid, June 3—The trial of senor Ferrer, director of the modern school at Barcelona Don Jose Nakens, editor of El Motin, and others, charged with complicity in the attempt to assassinate Alfonso and queen Victoria on May 31, 1906, began today. The state demands Ferrer be sentenced to 16 years, and the others to ten years' imprisonment. Ferrer declared he did not know that Morales was an anarchist.

AMALGAMATED'S EARNINGS

New York, June 3.—The net income of the Amalgamated Copper company for the year ending April 30 is shown by the annual report today to be $14,154,400, an increase over the previous year of $4,992,863. The surplus for the year, after payment of the dividends, was $2,228,088, an increase of $1,915,105.

JURY SWORN IN AT LAST

Panel Completed Yesterday—Trial Can Now Proceed in Earnest.

Names and Descriptions of Twelve Men in in Whose Hands Rests Fate of Western Federation Official Wm. Haywood.

(Special to The Daily News.)

Boise, Idaho, June 3.—Short work was today made of completing the Haywood jury. The thing was done before the adjournment at noon and the jury was sworn in. Only two men were examined. First came Alfred Eoff, retired banker, who was called into the box at the hour of adjournment last Friday. He qualified, and the defense then exercised their last peremptory challenge on him. O. V. Sebern, a farmer, was next called into the box and qualified, after an extended examination. The defense sought to go into the fact that Sebern sat on the jury in a famous case in Wyoming some years ago, which condemned a notorious character named Tom Horn, but the court cut them off after a time.

Before the jury was sworn in, the names of nine more witnesses were added to the indictment. These are all from San Francisco, and it is supposed they are to testify on the effort to blow up Fred G. Bradley, president of the Bunker Hill and Sullivan Mining company, which Orchard alleges he made.

Mr. Hawley, of counsel for the prosecution, has until tomorrow morning to prepare his opening statement, and only a short session was held in the afternoon, the business being confined to the reading of the indictments.

It is understood Hawley will take about one and one-half hours to make his statement in the morning, and then the taking of testimony will begin with the appearance of C. F. Wayne on the stand. He was doing chores about the Steunenberg house at the time of the murder.

Haywood seemed to be in his usual health today.

Following are the jurors, with their business and appearance of each:

Thomas B. Gess, real estate and insurance; lives in Boise; age 65; democrat; member of Christian church. Has lived in Boise 39 years and first knew Steunenberg in 1890. Short, stocky build and gray.

Finley McBean, born in Scotland; once lived in Canada; always worked hard as laborer. Owns 10-acre farm two miles from Boise. Is republican; Presbyterian; age 62. Hair and moustache light.

S. D. Gilman, farmer; lives at Star, in Boise valley. Age 56; republican; moustache and hair quite gray.

Daniel Clark, farmer and stock raiser; born in Missouri; 52 years of age; brought to Idaho when six years of age; temperate. Heavy hair and moustache; tall, well-knit athlete.

George Powell, farmer, aged 60; democrat. Black hair, turning gray, and white cropped beard.

O. V. Sebern, farmer and stockman; born in Iowa and lived in Wyoming; sat on Tom Horn jury; came recently to Ada county and bought a farm; age 52; republican. Tall and moustache white.

H. P. Massecar, farmer, age 56; lived 16 years in Ada county; French Canadian. Thin-faced, pointed chin, black hair and moustache. A republican.

Leo Schrivener, farmer, age 57; republican; always farmer, but once held office of sheriff in Kansas. Stocky build, square jaw, high forehead; partly bald and gray; drooping moustache.

J. A. Robertson, retired farmer; living in Boise; born in Scotland; aged 72; worked as blacksmith and painter. Steunenberg in his first term boarded at Robertson's house two years and two months. Republican. Silver hair, partially bald; white moustache and short, full beard.

Levi Smith, fence builder on Boise interurban railway; been a farmer most of his life; aged 47; owns a farm in the valley, but lives in Boise. Republican. High forehead and overhanging eyebrows; dark hair and sandy, drooping moustache.

A. P. Burns, Boise valley farmer, age 49; was member of the first carpenters' union formed in Boise, years ago; lives in town. Republican. Brown hair and moustache.

Samuel F. Russell, who has occupied chair No. 12, is the only man left of the original 12 of the first panel. He lives on a farm, a mile and a half down Boise valley. He was formerly a republican, but has been a prohibitionist for 12 years. He was born in Illinois, and is 65 years old. Long hair and flowing beard and moustache.

James H. Hawley, leading counsel for the state, has made the following statement respecting the jury: "We are thoroughly satisfied with the jury. We have 12 fair-minded men, who will do even justice between the state and the defendant. They are all good citizens of Ada county and the state of Idaho. They are men, I believe, without the slightest prejudice, and we will await their verdict in confidence after the evidence is all in."

Clarence Darrow and E. F. Richardson, of counsel for the defense, expressed themselves in this manner on the same subject: "The Haywood jury is made up of eight republicans, three democrats and one prohibitionist. It consists of nine farmers, one real estate agent, one builder and contractor and one foreman of fence construction on the railroad. There is no man on the jury who works for wages or has ever belonged to a labor organization, excepting Burns, who was a member of a carpenters' union 14 years ago, or who has even been a student of trades unionism or the labor question. In the 200 odd jurors drawn not more than three trades unionists were placed in the panel and they were excused for conscientious objections to capital punishment and fixed opinions. The jurors drawn have been mainly farmers, interspersed with a large number of bankers and some business men. The jurors appear to be men of honest purpose, determined to give the defendant a fair trial, but it is uniformly made up of a class to which none of the defendants have ever belonged and who have no natural kinship to labor organizations. In addition to this they are drawn from a small county almost wholly agricultural, and each member for a year and a half has read but little about the case except what has been printed in the Boise papers, and this has been uniformly hostile to the defendants. Nearly all of them admitted that they had formed opinions and impressions from what they read and necessarily these must have been against the defendant."

The men's taking the oath was an impressive scene and there came another two hours later, when, after the midday recess, Haywood listened to the reading of the indictment of himself, Moyer, Pettibone and Simpkins.

Haywood had come to the court room somewhat pale from his illness of Sunday, but as the clerk began reading the indictment his face flushed. He looked away for a few minutes and then, more self-possessed, returned his gaze to the jury box. His wife and daughters sat at his side during the brief after-session. He talked with them and his counsel after the statement was read, and as he rose to return to his cell, smiled a friendly greeting at a friend sitting in the court room.

Tomorrow morning James H. Hawley will address the court with the state's opening statement. He said today that he would be brief. The state will charge that Haywood, conspiring with Moyer, Pettibone, Simpkins and others of the alleged "inner circle" of the Western Federation of Miners, plotted a campaign of terrorism which had the double purpose of the removal by assassination and increase of power within the organization.

The prosecution will allege that the explosion at the Vindicator mine, the blowing up of the Independence depot, the murder of Blight Gregory, a detective of Denver, the murder of Arthur Collins of Telluride, the alleged blowing up of Fred Bradley of San Francisco and the alleged attempt on the lives of ex-governor Peabody and Judges Gabbert and Goddart of Colorado, were all acts in a great conspiracy to which the murder of former governor Steunenberg was incidental.

It will be charged that Haywood was the genius of the act and the strength behind the great plot, and Steunenberg was added to the list because of his part during the labor trouble in northern Idaho.

It will be alleged that Haywood and his associates, standing and working in the background, planned the long list of crimes and sent Harry Orchard and Steve Adams forth as hired executioners. The state testimony will begin with a rehearsal of the grim murder of Frank Steunenberg. The presence at Caldwell of Orchard and John L. Simpkins, a member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners, will be shown.

After that Harry Orchard will be connected with the scene and crime, and then Orchard will be called to the stand to repeat the confession which it is alleged he made to detective McPartland. After that will come the state's effort to corroborate Orchard's story and to clinch by other testimony the alleged general part of the Western Federation of Miners and the alleged particular part of Haywood in the murder of Steunenberg.

In the work of procuring the jury the court has been in session 15 days; 156 talesmen have been examined. Of this number 3 have qualified legally including the 12 men now in the box.

CELEBRATION PROGRAM

Sports Committee Decide on Several Events—Final Meeting Friday

A meeting of the sports committee in connection with the coming Dominion day celebration was held last evening at G. P. Wells' office. There were present Messrs. McLean, Wells, Webb, Thomas, Deasy, Ward, Walley, Wright and Starkey.

The following program was conditionally agreed to:

Monday, July 1, morning, grand parade; children's and Caledonian sports; pony races and lawn tennis; afternoon, lacrosse and water sports; evening, hose races on Baker street.

Tuesday, morning, junior baseball, Kaslo vs. Nelson and cricket match; afternoon, football and lacrosse matches, lawn tennis; evening water carnival, grand illumination and fireworks.

The Nelson gun club will hold a shoot each day in the morning.

Log rolling, log chopping, and rock drilling contests will be held if satisfactory entries can be secured.

The committee will meet again next Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Mr. Wells' office, when a full program will be definitely decided upon.

The executive celebration committee meets tomorrow night in the court house at 8 o'clock sharp.

WILD RUSH FOR LANDS

Scene at Prince Albert Land Office When Doors Opened Yesterday.

Men Who Had Been Waiting Since Saturday Lost Opportunity to File for Vacated Doukhobor Lands—Touch of Romance.

Prince Albert, Sask., June 3.—The scene at the land office this morning was disgraceful. A mounted constable rode up and down through the crowd in front of the steps, endangering the lives and limbs of those who were only following out the government's instructions and seeking to be first at the counter when the doors were opened. When the doors were opened at 9:20 some of those who had sat on the steps since Saturday got in about 10 o'clock. A raid was made on the tired top-step sitters and they were ousted. Some were forced through the door into the building, from which they were promptly fired. At 9 o'clock two mounted police and two police constables raided the crowd at the doors and made a road in for Mr. Cook and commissioner McDougall. The latter has charge of the distribution of the Doukhobor lands.

One mounted policeman then rode his horse through the crowd, but they dispersed before the horse, and then fell in behind again.

Mr. Cook and Mr. McDougall appealed to the crowd to let the five who were ousted from the top steps in, but the crowd would not listen to it.

Just at this juncture a wagon was driven up close to the curb, and the spectators on the outside rushed in and tipped the wagon over on the crowd in front of the steps. Fortunately nobody was hurt. The doors were finally thrown open at 9:20 and 10 men got through. John F. Webster, Saskatoon; Chester Fleming and William Hicks were the first three and filed in the order named. The two ladies were not in evidence this morning. Two of the men promised to marry them if they should get the homesteads the women were after. This satisfied the two widows and they then went away.

AN INTERNATIONAL ISSUE

DESERTER FROM U. S. ARMY GETS AWAY ON CANADIAN CRAFT

COMMANDING OFFICER DEMANDS PUNISHMENT OF SHIP CAPTAIN

Washington, June 3—Colonel Henry A. Greene of the 10th U.S. infantry, commanding at Fort William and Seward Alaska, has appealed to the war department to cause the arrest and return of a deserter and incidentally punish the captain of a British ship who perhaps has created an international issue.

According to colonel Greene, sergeant Buell, a member of the post band, deserted from Fort Seward and made his way on board the British steamer Princess May when the ship touched at Ketchikan, Alaska, May 14. The city marshal, under instructions from the military authorities, sought to arrest Buell; the latter locked himself in his cabin and the captain of the ship refused to allow him to be forcibly arrested, and sailed away to a Canadian port, where the deserter landed and disappeared.

Colonel Greene asks the war department to have the state department make a demand upon the British government for the return of the deserter to Fort Seward and for the punishment of the captain. The acting judge advocate general, however, has taken the grounds that the military has no such authority, and if an effort be made to punish the British captain it must be through the civil authorities, who were derelict in the arrest in the first place, in not arresting both the deserter and the captain, if he resisted process in territorial waters.

OLIVER TO VISIT NELSON

Ottawa, June 3—Hon. Frank Oliver has returned to the city from a visit to Edmonton, Calgary and other points in the Canadian west. Later on he expects to make a trip to the Pacific coast on matters connected with his department, visiting Nelson, Rossland and the coast cities.

Officers in command of guards of honor for prince Fushimi are instructed that the Japanese hymn "Kimigayo" is to be played where God Save the King would be played at a reception of a member of the British royal family.

WHOLESALE GROCERY DEAL

(Special to The Daily News)

Calgary, June 3—William Georgeson of the Codville company, Winnipeg, has bought out the Codville-Smith company, Calgary, wholesale grocers, a branch of the Codville company, Winnipeg, for the sum of $120,000, and a share of the Codville company, Winnipeg. He takes immediate possession.

MINERS DECIDE TO STRIKE

Indianapolis, June 3—The executive of the United Mine Workers of America, 11th district, today ordered about 5000 miners to strike on Friday. The miners have eight or ten grievances.

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CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

There is a curious notion that the direct distribution of patronage by government is essential to the maintenance of the party system, and that only the expectation of reward will induce men to interest themselves in public affairs, remarks the Toronto News. If this notion were well founded democracy indeed would be, as it was defined by Talleyrand, "an aristocracy of blackguards," and we must despair of the future of free institutions. But it is not so in Great Britain, or in Germany, or in France, or in Italy, or in Belgium, or in Switzerland, or in Norway, and even in New Zealand the state railway service is absolutely protected against political interference and appointment from outside is practically impossible.

In Great Britain, outside such strictly personal posts as private secretaryships, no shred of patronage remains in the hands of politicians. In all the departments admissions and promotions are through rigid tests and examinations. Generally even permanent heads reach their positions through regular and orderly promotions in the service. In the postoffice department no outsider has been introduced since the time of Rowland Hill. In the more important appointments in the postoffice and revenue services men are selected from the entire service, and thus customs collectors at such ports as Liverpool have had varied experience at other ports in the kingdom. In the case of the great revenue services the treasury board, the inland revenue board and the customs revenue board control the appointments. While the treasury board consists of politicians, they issue only general instructions to the revenue boards, and have no power of appointment or of discipline. The clerks of the treasury board are appointed by open competition. No candidate for promotion makes application except through his superior officer in the department. In the revenue boards and the postoffice there are even stringent regulations against recourse to political influence. In the postoffice it is directly intimated that applications through members of parliament are calculated to injure rather than promote the candidate's interests. In one of the revenue boards it is stipulated that if application for the advancement of any official is made through a member of parliament, the candidate for promotion will earn the severe displeasure of the board unless he can show that the application was made without his knowledge. The president of the board of trade cannot grant an appointment in the excise, and the chancellor of the exchequer, as Mr. Gladstone once declared, has no more power over the clerkships in the office of the treasury than has any one of his constituents.

In New Zealand, where the doctrines of social democracy have been carried further than anywhere else in the world, and where the political arena is so restricted as to invite fierce faction quarrels and bitter personal rivalries, appointments to the state railway service are made at 14 years of age, promotions are made solely by service and by merit, and it is almost impossible to obtain relaxation of the rules, even when it is essential to introduce an outsider for some particular post or some special service for which no one with the necessary training and knowledge can be found in the department. But no one will contend that in Great Britain or in New Zealand, or in the continental countries, there has been any decline of popular interest in public affairs, that the party system has perished, that the zeal of party adherents has been lessened, or that the efficiency of the public administration has been impaired. It is far otherwise, and probably nothing could induce the public men of Great Britain to resume the control of patronage, and to submit to the intolerable vexations and tyrannies which are inseparable from its distribution and management under the direct authority of parliament.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Do the merchants of Nelson want the trade of the lake ranchers and of the towns along the line of the S. F. & N. railway? This question is pertinent in view of the apathy of the merchants of this city in the matter of the change in the S. F. & N. railway time table. It has been pinted out time and again, and the letters of Messrs. Hill and Busk emphasize the situation, that the new schedule means serious loss to the merchants of this city. What are they going to do about it? Upon the occasion of the recent visit of Great Nrthern railway officials steps were taken to ascertain the views of Nelson merchants with regard to the proposed changes. The railroad officials informed The Daily News that, generally speaking, the merchants of this city approved of the new time card. We imagine these merchants never gave the matter adequate consideration. They now realize that the change in trains and boats will mean very considerable divergence of trade. It is clear that the lake ranchers will be debarred from trading in Nelson under the new boat schedule, and it is pretty certain that the residents of Erie, Salmo and Ymir will find it more convenient to trade outside Nelson under the new train schedule. The merchants of this city have the board of trade and the 20,000 club through which to make known their wishes in the matter. Up to the present it is fair to assume that the merchants do not care two straws whether or not they lose this outside trade. They do not appear to take any active interest in the matter. Despite their apathy we are inclined to the view that the loss of this outside trade will prove a serious setback to the city. What, we might ask, is the object of the 20,000 club in endeavoring to attract settlers to the surrounding fruit lands, other than a desire to enhance the trading potentialities of this city? Here is a direct curtailment of the possibilities of outside trading and yet our merchants do not appear to be sufficiently interested in the matter to attend board of trade meetings and place their views on record.

A meeting of the colonial postage reform committee representing persons interested in nearly all the magazines, periodicals and newspapers in London, England, and throughout the country, was held recently in the hall of the Institute of Journalists, Tudor street. Sir Gilzean Reid presided and the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That the colonial postage reform committee tenders its grateful thanks to the postmaster-general of Canada, the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, for his active and practical co-operation in securing the large reduction of the postal rates on British publications transmitted to Canada and expresses its conviction that the concession made, as he fittingly puts it, in the direction of an intellectual preference, will prove to be of immense benefit to both countries."

The city council's action in deciding to grant liberal assistance to the city band will be generally approved. With the guarantee now offered by the city the band should be in a position to select a competent leader and in the near future to organize regular open air concerts.

LOGGERS IDLE

Three Thousand Men Thrown Out of Employment

Seattle, June 3—About 3000 men will be thrown out of employment in western Washington for the next 90 days as a result of the decision of the Washington Logging and Brokerage company to close down all its logging camps at once. The loggers met in Seattle to discuss the situation and the market. Prominent loggers from Tacoma were present. Loggers in Hoquiam and the Gray's Harbor country recently decided to close down their camps for the summer. The action of the Washington loggers yesterday was along the same line and for the same cause. The shut down is to be immediately effective. None of the camps affiliated with the company will be running tomorrow.

The supply of logs in the water on Puget Sound is sufficient to last the sawmills for the nevt three months, the loggers state. Estimates are that there are from 180 to 200 million feet of logs in the water belonging to the company, and that there are besides about 20 million feet belonging to independent loggers. The association price of $9, $11 and $15 for fir logs prevails on the Sound, although the supply is plentiful.

TWO TRAINMEN KILLED

Rochester, N. Y., June 3.—Two men were killed in a wreck on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad early today at Severance, seven miles from Rochester. The dead are: Lewis Allen, Olean, engineer; William Brown, Rochester, brakeman.

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THE SITUATION IN INDIA

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE NATIVE RISING

THE INFLUENCE OF THE "FAKIR" PRIESTHOOD

London, June 3.—In accurately and impartially viewing the present Indian outlook three of its main features have to be taken into serious consideration. The three points that at once present themselves are as follows: 1. Is the state of affairs in that country at present resembling a cloud no larger than a man's hand rising above the political horizon likely to produce a thunderstorm that will sweep the British off the face of India? 2. Is India's defensive military basis of sufficient strength and organization to grapple successfully with the present native problem, should the insurgents ever break into a national revolt? 3. Are the revenues of India valuable enough to England to guarantee the future maintenance of her present strict and jealous guardianship?

In dealing with the first point it would be well to enumerate briefly the native physique, character, religion, national unity and government.

The physique of the Hindu proper is of a very low quality. Most Hindus live vicious and immoral lives, are careless about sanitary conditions, listless and apathetic. They take little or no pains to cultivate manly virtues, and the degrading effect of their habits is shown by the sickly, stunted, ennervated specimens of manhood they beget. Their character, under which their ability may be classed, is many-sided. Its keynote is a listless indifference to adverse circumstances. Adverse conditions are regarded as Kismet, or Fate, and what "must be must."

So far British dominion in India has been unquestioned, as the stern sahibs are to the superstitious natives ordained of heaven to be their lords. When the fierce Mahratta chiefs led their martial hordes into the rich plains of India, the terror of the sword of the conqueror's strong arm was deeply implanted in the native hearts, and that fear has become the hereditary possession of their descendants. The stern deeds of Havelock, of Colin Campbell, the reckless indifference to death of their brave troops, the die-hard, bulldog grit of Britons impressed the native mind, keenly susceptible to such influences, deeply and British rule in India is to a great extent based on the ruthless military maxim that "might is right."

So the Hindu bows to Kismet.

But with oriental apathy must be reckoned oriental skepticism. The native brain, much like the African negroes, receives external impressions with remarkable aptitude. There are no quicker learners, no subtler logicians, no more fiery fanatics when fully aroused. And beneath the present nation's seeming apathy is a ferment restless, seething, forcing slowly but surely its daring original ideas through the crust of Kismet traditions. In every age and in every land are to be found these revolt thinkers, implacable in purpose as the Jesuits, gifted with keen brains, daring, defiant men to be reckoned with. In every conceivable calling with which India teems these men voic etheir opinions. They run native presses and publish violent and plausible libels against the British government. They know under the listlessness of their countrymen's minds there smoulders a dull unrest, and they fan its embers to flame. As a master player knows his instrument, these men can with their intuitive oratory, awake any responsive chord in their countrymen's hearts.

Real eloquence in moving men to some great deed has ever been a terrible force, and these native stump orators have no equal in their knowledge their rhetoric and their breadth of argument, quick to receive new impressions, the native mind is as easily ignited as tow with fire. But, and here England's safety seems greatly assured in spite of these menacing symptoms, the native believes he has powers of which he is not really capable. He lays claim to the physical and intellectual attributes of the Japanese, but he has neither the phisique nor the will to become a standing menace. If the fighting tribes of India, the Afghans, Sikhs and Ghoorkas are loyal all will be well. On the Hindu, however, the iron heel of Mogul despotism ground the hallmark of serfdom forever.

India's religion, to a great extent, embraces her natural unity. There are numerous castes, each with its special religion. On the rigid observancy of the caste system British strength is based. These castes follow special hereditary calling, and any intercourse or intermarriage is strictly forbidden.

When there is national disunity a concentrated national revolt is not much to be feared. But India is to a great extent priest-ridden, and her priests are much revered. The most important class of those priests is the Fakir class. These men, under the cloak of sanctity, hide the most unspeakable villainy. Their holiness is all pose. They are often suspected by the government of inciting the natives to revolt, but it is extremely difficult to punish these "holy men," as the Hindus almost worship them, and to take summary measures with them might precipitate a revolution. These men's influence is illimitable. Their power is based on hereditary worship, their scientific knowledge is little short of marvelous, and the quack miracles they succeed in performing place them in prestige beyond the most powerful monarchy.

If these men once succeed in impressing the various castes with the idea that a general national religious crusade against the accursed "Feringhees" would please the gods, it might mean a second Indian mutiny. That was what lent such significant colors to the Indian mutiny, the march of the mutineers to Delhi (the Hindu sacred city), and the proclamation of a national religious crusade against the accursed British (Feringhees).

THROWN DOWN BY GIRL

EDWARD LITTLE, OF CALGARY, DECIDES TO DIE

WEALTHY YOUNG ENGLISHMAN, OF OKOTOKS, SUICIDES

(Special to The Daily News)

Calgary, June 3.—Edward Little, a South African veteran, employed in the city treasurer's office here, attempted suicide by taking five bottles of chlorodyne last night. The reason for this act was that he had been thrown down by the girl to whom he has been engaged for the past two years and whom he had brought out from England a month or two ago to marry. When found he had the picture of the girl thrust in the palm of the glove he was wearing. He left a note bidding her good-bye and wishing her a rosy path through life. He is still unconscious.

Harry D. Hutton, a young gentleman of means, residing near Okotoks, while temporarily insane on Saturday afternoon threw himself into Sheep creek. The rapid waters carried him away and the body has not yet been recovered. He spent the last two days at Robert Creighton's ranch. The latter saw his insanity and was taking him to the police at Okotoks. Dutton slipped away, was stopped in the act of jumping in, got away again, and when last seen was floating down the creek.

FRENCH SEAMEN'S STRIKE

Situation Said to be Brighter—Hopes of an Early Settlement

Paris, June 3—Although it cannot be said that any great change has occurred in the seamen's strike the situation today is brighter and there are hopes of an early settlement. The deputies representing the maritime districts are warning the men that they have been too precipitate, and are alienating public sympathy by abruptly paralyzing trade, besides subjecting themselves to heavy penalties. The marine authorities have refused to accept the ships' papers from the captains and consequently the latter are still nominally responsible for their vessels and the men, who, after three days' absence from their vessels, legally become deserters. The government has thus far confined its actions to insuring the transportation of mails to the colonies a regular schedule of transport sailings having been inaugurated.

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The fire started just before two o'clock this morning and worked rapidly downward to the lower part of the hold, 30 feet below the lower deck, where 120 barrels of glucose had been stored. The burning glucose sent up a dense column of thick pungent smoke. Into the hold the firemen were sent with the hose. They worked in short relays, but even then many of them were overcome and were carried out of the hold by their companions. After five hours of the most difficult work the flames were checked and an hour later the work of repairing the damage was well under way.

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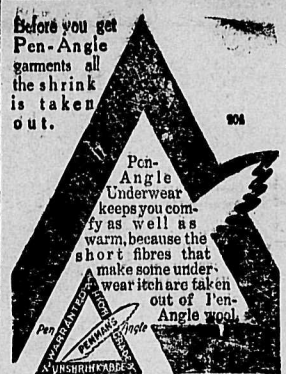

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W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., May 21st, 1907.

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CLIFFORD SIFTON TALKS OF PROPOSED IMPERIAL FAST SERVICE

ANTICIPATES EARLY MATERIALIZATION OF GREAT PROJECT

Hon. Clifford Sifton has returned to Ottawa from England. Upon his arrival he was, of course, interviewed by the press regarding the recent imperial conference and the proposed imperial scheme for a new fast fast service between England, Australia and Canada.

"What about the proposed Atlantic and Pacific fast seamship service?" was asked of Mr. Sifton.

"The question of an improved Atlantic service," he replied, "has been engaging the special attention of Lord Strathcona for several years, and shortly after I arrived in London, where I was on private business, he invited me to co-operate with him in connection with it. I at once agreed to do so, regarding the subject as one of the greatest importance to Canada. A considerable amount of work had been done in connection with the matter before sir Wilfrid arrived in London, and he at once took it up with the members of the colonial conference. A resolution was passed by the colonial conference, which no doubt has been cabled to the Canadian press ,but the resolution itself does not go into the details.

"The scheme presented by sir Wilfrid to the British government and the colonial conference embraced the idea of a 24 or 25-knot service from a British port to a Canadian port, a service to be given by vessels equal in equipment to any at present in existence. The project further involves an improvement of the railway service in Canada to such an extent as is necessary to make the shortest possible time across the continent from port to port. It further contemplates the improvement of the existing service on the Pacific by the establishment of an 18-knot service from Vancouver to Australia and New Zealand, and a similarly fast service from Vancouver to Japan and China. The service from Vancouver to Japan and China is about 13 knots, and it is contemplated to make a very substantial difference in time."

"How was the project received by Britain and the other colonies ?"

"The representatives of Australia and New Zealand strongly supported the proposition and intimated that their *governments would be prepared to support*. So far as the Atlantic service is concerned it would involve the establishment of a new and independent steamship company, which must be independent of all railway companies and would therefore give equal facilities of service to passengers from all railway lines. It is believed that the British *government views the subject favorably*. It could not be expected that so important a scheme, involving so large an amount of money could be decided at once, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, however, anticipates a favorable decision from the British government in regard to its co-operation, and hopes that such a decision may be communicated to him *before he returns to Canada*.,

"In so far as the financial results are concerned they will probably be under the immediate supervision of Lord Strathcona. His lordship's great wealth and financial position in London places him in a position to render assistance of a most valuable nature in that respect."

"How do you, yourself, generaly view this important undertaking?"

"There can be no doubt that if this proposition is carried into effect it will be of vast benefit to the co-operating parties, and especially to the Dominion of Canada. There will not be a single province from Halifax to Vancouver that will not largely be benefited. It would place Canada on the main commercial highway of the world, and have the effect of introducing new capital and new industries, the extent of which at the present time it is difficult to foresee. Those who are in a position to observe the trend of events at the present moment are of the opinion that there has been no time within the last ten years so opportune for carrying out a plan of this nature. The results of my observations lead me to the conclusion that if a persistent and determined effort were made a successful conclusion could be reached within a reasonably short time."

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INCREASE FOR COTTON OPERATORS

Boston, June 3—An advance in wages averaging 5 per cent went into effect today in practically every cotton mill in northern New England. Together with the increase of 10 per cent which was given in the mills of southern New England and western Massachusetts last week, and the advance of 5 per cent effective next Monday in Lawrence and Chipopec, Mass., and Augusta, Me., factories, the upward wage movement benefits nearly 200,000 poeratives in the six New England states.

THE FAMOUS SUNBONNET PICTURES

This series of color pictures for passe-partouting will be given free with the New York Sunday World. Everyone who sees these pictures wants them. The World gave them to its city readers two months ago, and they made such a hit it has been decided to extend the pictures *to out of town readers. The first picture* next Sunday. Start in with No. 1 and get the set.

The raffle for the Monro banjo will take place at the Grand Central hotel at 8 p.m. on June 4. R. D. Munro.

Choquette Bros. of the Star bakery have opened their ice cream parlor on Baker street and claim they have the best quality. Sample it.

COURT WAS MERCIFUL

DOPE FIEND ROLLER GETS OFF WITH SIX MONTHS

HIS COMPANION IS RELEASED ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE

Two criminal cases came before his honor judge Forin yesterday for speedy trial, Rex vs. Smith, charged with indecent assault, and Rex vs. Morrison and Glendenning, charged with stealing fro mthe person. Smith got three months, Morrison six months and Glendenning, an Irish-Scotchman, got off on suspended sentence.

In the Smith case Ernestine Cross, wife of Wilson J. Cross of Erie, told of the accused coming to her home on May 2 and making improper proposals, which she rejected. She was alone in the house at the time except for her little eight months' old baby, she held in her arms. The husband told his story and the statement told by the accused at the preliminary hearing was put in. The learned judge sentenced Smith, who was foreman of the Great Northern work gang at Erie, to three months' imprisonment, to date from the time of his arrest. R. M. Macdonald prosecuted and A. M. Johnson defended Smith.

The case of William Morrison charged with stealing, it will be remembered that the man was caught red handed in the act of rolling Josiah Thompson while the latter was drunk a week ago last Sunday, near the public library. Morrison ran away at the time but was captured by Clayton and chief Jarvis. Thompson's watch was found on the accused when he was searched at the police station.

When Morrison appeared yesterday he made a statement saying he was guilty, but adding that he had been drinking on the Sunday night in question and was addicted to morphine, having taken the drug for the past seven years. He said he had no recollection of what took place at the time Thompson was rolled. He was sentenced to six months with hard labor. R. S. Lennie appeared for the crown and S. S. Taylor defended the prisoner.

Joseph Glendenning, who was Morrison's companion at the time Thompson was rolled, pleaded not guilty. He defended himself and R. S. Lennie prosecuted.

Chief Jarvis, A. Clayton and Thompson told their story of what occurred when Morrison and the accused held up Thompson on Victoria street on May 26. Clayton said that both men went through Thompson, that he saw the accused feeling in Thompson's pockets. The accused ran off as did Morrison, but he, Clayton, caught Morrison, Glendenning was subsequently arrested. Judge Forin allowed Glendenning to go on suspended sentence.

DIRECTORS MEET

Nelson Will be Represented at Winnipeg Fair—Other Business Transacted

C. W. Busk presided over a meeting of directors of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association in secretary D. C. McMorris' office yesterday afternoon. There were present the president and secretary and J. J. Campbell, G. Hallett, J. Hyslop, Jas. *Johnstone*, J. E. *Annable*, E. *Appewhalte*, R. W. Hulbert and J. Williams.

A letter was read from secretary Ebbutt of the 20,000 club asking for assistance in getting up an exhibit for the Winnipeg fair on July 13-20. Messrs Annable and Hulbert were appointed a committee to confer with the club and arrange for an exhibit.

Maxwell Smith wrote concerning the international convention of northwest fruit growers' association to be held in Vancouver on Dec. 4-6, and asking that an exhibit be sent in by the Kootenay association. The secretary will reply stating that the "goods will be on hand."

Secretary Cockle of Kaslo, wrote asking the Nelson fruit district to compete in *Kaslo's district competition* at the Kaslo fair on Sept. 24 and 25. Prizes to the amount of $300 have been set aside for this competition. The secretary will reply stating that an exhibit or exhibits will be sent to Kaslo.

T. Morley handed in a report on the recent meeting at Revelstoke of the Fruit Growers' Exchange of B.C. The report was received and a vote of thanks passed to Mr. Morley for his services and to the mayor and board of trade of Revelstoke for their courtesy in entertaining the delegates.

ALDERMANIC VACANCY

Hammond and Duthie the Candidates—Building Operations

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, June 3—Nominations for the vacancy in the city council created by the resignation of alderman Fred Stork who has gone to Vancouver to reside, brought out two candidates for the office. R. B. C. Hammond, and Robert Duthie, late of the local police force. As both gentlemen are old timers and held in high esteem by the community an interesting election is expected.

G. G. S. Lindsey, general manager of the Coal company, arrived from the east on Saturday.

Building operations this season promise to eclipse any previous year judging from the number of residences and offices now under construction, but the rapid increase in population makes the housing of the people a serious proposition and if double the number of houses were erected tenants would be found for them.

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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. No more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of 10 cents per ton of 2000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

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PROSPEROUS CANADIAN CONCERN

Slater Shoe Company Is Compelled to Double Factory Capacity.

Montreal, June 3.—The capitalization of the Slater Shoe company is to be increased to one million dollars. The announcement was made a few days ago, and naturally caused some inquiry. President Charles E. Slater, when seen at his office, said that the increase of the capital was rendered necessary by th ephenomenal increase in the demand for the trade-marked and price-marked shoe, a demand which received a new impetus when the enormous increase in the cost of leather and all shoe materials induced many shoe manufacturers to cheapen and weaken their product. The people sought security in a shoe which bore the maker's seal and the maker's mark of worth.

From a trade of $500,000 in 1904, and $600,000 in 1905, the Slater Shoe company has since leaped by compound increases of 25 per cent each year, and will go well over the million mark in 1907. Such a rapid expansion of trade calls for a larger capital investment, more particularly as every sign points to an increase to over $1,500,000 before the end of 1908.

Applications for new Slater shoe agencies are received almost every business day. It is the company's intention to at once double its present factory capacity. The Montreal factory is equipped with the most modern plant and machinery, and is devoted exclusively to the making of fine Goodyear welt shoes for me nand women.

GAYNOR AND GREENE CASE.

U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals Sustains Savannah Court's Decision.

New Orleans, La., June 3.—The sentence of the Savannah court in the Gaynor and Greene case, involving over a million dollars of fraud in government work in the Savannah harbor, was affirmed in an opinion handed down by the United States circuit court of appeals today. The sentence is four years' imprisonment each and a fine aggregating $575,000. Judges Shelby and McCormick handed down the opinion, which was an an appeal, and Judge Pardee dissented.

CROPS LOOKING WELL

Saskatoon, Sask., June 3.—Crops are looking fine in this district. Grain is up nearly everywhere and is in many places several inches above ground.

CLOSE LOGGING CAMPS

DRASTIC DECISION REACHED BY B.C. LOGGERS' ASSOCIATION

DOUBLE DROWNING ON BURRARD INLET ON SUNDAY

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, June 3—The B. C. Loggers' association this afternoon decided to close down all camps on the coast from June 29 for an indefinite period. The order affects 69 camps, employing 2000 men and pay ng out $200,000 monthly. The reason given for the action is the fear that the market will be swamped unless drastic action is taken. Fir ogs have already dropped two or three dollars and only the best booms are taken at any price.

A double tragedy occurred at Deep Cove on the inlet yesterday, when Charles Norris and his younger brother, Cresap, were drowned. The pair were yachting when the younger fell from the boom. The elder instantly jumped to his rescue when Cresap grasped him in a death clutch and drowned within hail of many yachts.

Advices received here by the Japanese consul are to the effect that the British warship H.M.S. Monmouth has been detailed to take prince Fushimi from the coast to the Orient instead of his proceeding by the regular liner from Seattle. The local Japanese predict that this extreme mark of courtesy will do much to cement good feelings between the nations.

NEARING AN END

Longshoremen Returning to Work Under a Compromise

New York, June 3—A long step toward the end of the strike of longshoremen was taken today when about 5000 of the strikers returned to work on the docks of the coastwise and the smaller steamship lines and at the terminal companies, where tramp steamers discharge their cargoes. These companies accepted an offer made by the strikers by which the men will be paid 35 cents an hour for day work and 40 cents for night, and 60 cents for holidays and Sundays. The officials of the Trans-Atlantic lines, however, did not accept the compromise.

MEMORIAL TO JEFF DAVIS

Richmond, Va., June 3.—An everlasting memorial of Jefferson Davis, the chosen leader of "the lost cause," and the first and only president of the Confederate States of America, was unveiled here today as the crowning feature of the annual re-union of the conferedate veterans.

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BRYAN STILL WILLIN'

ORATOR OF NEBRASKA DISCUSSES PRESIDENTIAL SUCCESSION

DOES NOT ENDORSE ROOSEVELT FOR THIRD TERM

Lincoln, Neb., June 3.—In his Commoner W. J. Bryan goes boldly into the question of the presidential succession and the possible candidates on either ticket.

In the beginning he denounces as "fakes" stories sent, as he says, from Lincoln, quoting his friends as speaking for him. He especially objects to the statement that he will not be a candidate in case President Roosevelt is renominated. On this subject he says:

"Every reader of the Commoner knows that Mr. Bryan has endorsed the good things done by President Roosevelt, and has done so with satisfaction, but he has also pointed out the undemocratic things the president has said and done. Mr. Bryan has never said anything or done anything that indicated a desire to have Mr. Roosevelt elected for a third term. In fact, the third term idea has been discussed with the same frankness that characterizes the discussion of other questions.

"Mr. Bryan is opposed to a second term. During both of the campaigns in which he was a candidate he anounced that he would not under any circumstances be a candidate for a second term. It is hardly to be expected that he would advocate the election of the president to a third term. When the president retires in March, 1909, he will have served about seven years and a half, and that is so near two full terms that no possible juggling with words can convert it into one term.

"The third-term issue would of itself rule the president out, and while he has endorsed several democratic measures, he has not carried these as far as the democrats would have carried them, and has endorsed only a part of the democratic platform. The popularity which the president has won by carrying a few democratic measures a little way shows how popular a real democrat would be who carried out all democratic principles."

Concerning the question of the democratic nominee, Mr. Bryan quotes Henry Watterson as saying he can suggest a candidate who is ideal and can unite the party.

"Who is this man whose name is concealed, but whose personal fitness and political pre-eminence are thus vouched for?" Mr. Bryan asks. "Mr. Bryan does not pose as a Warwick. He has no desire to assume the role of candidate maker. He mildly protests against the misrepresentations of his position by those who prefer someone else, but he is not eager to have a hand in the making of a candidate. The would-be Warwicks should not forget that, after all, the question of candidacy cannot be settled by a few leaders. Leaders propose, but the voters dispose. Mr. Watterson owes it to his party and to his country to bring out his candidate—one, if he has one, several, if he has several."

Mr. Bryan then enumerates the qualifications a democratic candidate must possess, following his well-known reasoning.

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By the Boats Forsaken, by the Trains Forgot.

Ewitor The Daily News:—Leslie Hill has pointed out in your issue of yesterday how the new schedule of trains will affect the best interests of residents between here and Waneta, and on behalf of the 300 or more residents between Nelson and Procter, I should like to point out what the effect would be of the new service of boats on the West Arm after Monday next.

The Kuskanook, the "crow boat," leaves Nelson at 6 a. m. and will not call anywhere this side of Procter. If passengers want to go to any point east on the C.P.R. they will have to stay at Nelson or Procter one night, an unnecessary inconvenience and expense. Also, the greater portion of our small fruit is shipped to points in Manitoba, but we cannot ship any fruit picked after 2 p. m. on Saturday till the boat leaves Nelson on Tuesday morning, which practically destroys one-third of our fruit crop. The same inconvenience arises if we want to go to the coast. The crow boat, which connects with the train, will not call and pick us up; also, the Kokanee is too unreliable to be of any use, as she generally arrives too late. The C.P.R., therefore, does not encourage us to travel by their routes.

The international, with her connection at Five Mile in the morning, was our only practical outlet all last season, and till now; but on Monday, the 10th, she is to leave here at 7 a. m. and return at 8 p. m. This is an absolutely useless service to us, for, to all intents and purposes it is a parallel service with the Kokanee, the only advantage being that if you miss one boat you may be able to catch the other.

The result, therefore, will be serious to us and the Nelson retail merchants and other business men, for we cannot come to Nelson for any purpose without staying in town for two nights. We shall be driven to one of two courses—either we will have to transfer our business to Kaslo, for I have no doubt the Kaslo merchants will meet the slightly increased freight rates, if any, or we shall have to co-operate and import our stuff in wholesale from the other side.

C. W. BUSK.

VISIT OF ITALIAN DUKE

Ottawa, June 3.—Duke d'Abruzzi will arrive at Quebec with the fleet of Italian warships he commands about June 20 and will begin a tour of the principal cities of Canada.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN

STANDARD OIL SEEK CONTROL OF MORE MARKETS

BUYING VAST TRACTS OF PINE FORESTS IN THE SOUTH

New York, June 3—John D. Rockefeller is going into the turpentine and rosin business, it is most credibly reported. That is to say, the Standard Oil company's newest purpose is to grasp control of the turpentine and rosin markets of the world, which do an annual business of $100,000,000.

To accomplish this purpose Standard Oil will have to smash or absorb the American Naval Stores company, better known as the "turpentine trust." The little fish is less rapacious than the bigger one for the turpentine trust gets its turpentine and rosin from thousands of small farmers in the south. But Mr. Rockefeller will have his own pine forests.

Huge tracts of southern pine forests have been bought recently, it was reported yesterday. Besides, with equal secrecy Standard Oil agents have secured options on several thousands of acres of pine forests in Georgia, Florida, Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi. It will take $25,000,000 to pay for the forests bought and to exercise the options.

The turpentine trust was incorporated in Virginia last December with a capital of only $1,500,000. Nevertheless the trust now handles about 80 per cent of the turpentine produced in this country, which practically supplies all the world. It does not, however, farm the product. It buys in the open market, either from the farmers who tap the trees and distill the turpentine, or from the factors who finance the farmers that they may take care of the crop.

The turpentine trust, which may be "amalgamated" is itself an amalgamation of the S. P. Shotter company, the Patterson-Downing company, both of Savannah, Ga., and the Antwerp Naval Store company of Antwerp, Belgium.

In November last, one month before the trust was formed, both Savannah firms and the Belgium company were indicted for breaches of the Sherman act and in February of this year they were fined in the aggregate $30,000 in the United States court at Savannah. S. P. Shotter is the chairman of the board of directors.

Turpentine is the sap of the pine tree; rosin is its residue. Both are used tremendously in the trades and manufactures and the effect would be far reaching should one trust control their price absolutely.

This will be easier for Mr. Rockefeller to do, with his unlimited capital, because of the extravagance with which turpentine trees in the south have been depleted. Each year turpentine is growing scarcer and farther from the centers of distribution. It is stated in well informed trade circles here that this year's crop will show a failing off of 10 per cent in the older portions of the pine belts and in the larger part of the Florida belt the reduction will amount to from 20 to 25 per cent.

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LAKEVIEW—E. Chisholm, Regina; R. Bolliho, Lardo; F. Elson, Macleod; J. Thompson, Kaslo.

INFLUX OF SETTLERS

Winnipeg, June 3.—Immigrants continue to pour into the country. On Sunday 690 Galicians, 20 Scandinavians and 25 Germans came in by special train and No. 97 brought in 100 Britishers, 25 Scandinavians and 20 Germans. A special train yesterday brought in 217 British and 25 Scandinavians.

TIMBER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing 200 chains east of a post marked "northeast corner of lot 812 K.S." thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of beginning to location post No. 4, marked "H. and S. S.E. corner post."

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NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that William Robertson Thomson of Nelson, B.C., occupation hotelkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted one and a half miles south of the West Loop of the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific railway, thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

WILLIAM ROBERTSONTHOMSON
Dated June 3rd, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Peter Edward Wilson of Cranbrook, B.C., occupation, Judge County Court, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of Meadow creek, one half mile south of the West Loop of the Crow's Nest Pass division of the Canadian Pacific railway, thence west 60 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 48 acres, more or less.

PETER EDWARD WILSON.
Dated 3rd June, 1907.

LAND NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district, British Columbia: Commencing at the center of the west boundary of Clark Marshall's (L. 8628 G.) pre-emption, thence north along east boundary of Marshall's, McCormick's and McDevitt's pre-emption claim 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to place of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1907.

WILLIAM McDEVITT.

NOTICE

The following persons won the six suits raffled for on Saturday last, the 1st inst. at Cranbrook, viz.:

1st prize, Martin G. McGee, ticket No. 111, Erickson; 2nd, Angus Campbell, ticket No. 188, Kitchener; 3rd, F. T. Masters, ticket No. 148, Fernie; 4th, A. S. Tierney, ticket No. 196, Elko; 5th, W. E. Gregson, ticket No. 93, Baynes' lake; 6th, Fred Mulgrew, ticket No. 86, Krag.

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PRICE OF METALS

New York, June 3—Silver, 67 1-4; lead, $6; electrolytic copper, 23 @ 23 1-2; casting copper, 22 1-8.

London, June 3—Lead, £20; silver, 31.

COPPER STOCKS
(Reported by McDermid & McHardy)

New York, June 3—The following are today's opening quotations for the stock mentioned:

	Asked	Bid
Granby	130	120
Dominion Copper	7⅞	6⅞
B. C. Copper	8⅝	8

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Judge Forin left last night for Revelstoke where he holds court today.

Mrs. Wm. Rutherford and Miss Rutherford left last evening for a six weeks' visit to the coast.

Born in this city on Sunday, June 2, to the wife of J. E. Spencer, Victoria street east, a daughter.

The drawing for the smoker's cabinet will take place this evening at 7:30 at E. Sutcliffe's tobacco store, Baker street.

The Nelson rowing club expect to get two four oar crews here from Spokane, as well as a couple of single scullers, for the Dominion day celebration.

The executive committee of the Dominion day celebration will met in the court house tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock and a full attendance of all members is specially requested.

A party of C.P.R. officials from Vancouver, consisting of general superintendent F. F. Busteed, W. A. Miller, C. E. Cartwright and S. Phipps, are at the Strathcona.

C. W. Busk left for the coast last evening and next week will attend the Anglican synod meeting at Vernon, after which he will return home.

Nelson lodge No. 25 K. of P. meet tonight at 8 o'clock when the semi-annual election of officers will take place and other important business will be transacted. A full atendance is requested.

A meeting of the executive of the 20,000 club will be held this afternoon in the secretary's office at the city hall at 5 o'clock. The advertising committee met yesterday afternoon and got affairs in shape to lay before the executive today.

The police have in their possession a flattened out 22-rifle bullet that came crashing through the window of an uptown residence recently, passing just over the head of a little girl belonging to the house. Other like instances have been reported and the authorities think that such shooting should be stopped or some serious accident will happen.

A petition is being prepared for circulation in the Boundary, it is said, asking for executive clemency for Dale, the condemned murder, sentenced to be hanged at Kamloops on July 18.

Next Sunday the local Knights of Pythias will hold their annual memorial services and will visit the cemetery and decorate the graves of the departed members of the order buried there.

At the mining recorder's office on June 3 a certificate of work was issued to R. Blundell on the Athlone. Henry Riser recorded the location of the Mertice near Duck creek, and C. Olson, the Gideon on Hall creek.

The regular monthly meeting of Queen City Rebekah lodge No. 16, I.O.O.F. will be held this evening in Fraternity hall at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for the ensuing term will be held and a full attendance is requested.

At a meeting of the citizens of Silverton held at the Victoria hotel on Saturday last it was decided to celebrate there on Dominion day. A good program is being arranged, football, launch races, rock drilling and Caledonian sports being the chief features of the day. A good time is promised.

Two boys were before the police magistrate yesterday on the charge of wilfully destroying shade trees. In one instance, the one chiefly responsible for the boy's appearance asked to be excused from prosecuting, a not unusual attitude in such cases. As the culprit thus excused was the chief offender, the magistrate allowed the other boy to go with a sound lecture.

The annual shareholders' meeting of the Yale-Kootenay Ice, Fruit, Fuel and Poultry company, was held at the company's office here yesterday afternoon. Owing to the large expenditure made during the past year an capital account, the yearly dividend was passed. The old board of directors was re-elected.

A combined social was held in the Odd Fellows' hall last evening to say farewel to D. M. Macdonald, who leaves this morning for Vancouver, by way of Spokane. The Odd Fellows presented Mr. Macdonald with a handsome gold locket and the Canadian order of Foresters gave him a gold ring, both gifts were suitably engraved. Mr. Macdonald made a feeling reply expressing his regret at leaving Nelson and so many warm personal friends.

The time expired yesterday at noon for competitors to put in pencil sketches for the new public school buildings. Dr. E. C. Arthur was asked last night if a meeting had been called of the trustees or if there was any information to be made public, but he replied in the negative to both queries.

The conversazione in the K. of P. hall last evening under the auspices of the Baptist Ladies' Aid, proved a great success. The hall was packed to overflowing long before the program was started. An excellent musical program was given, including "Living Melodies," by the choir, under the leadership of Rev. E. H. Shanks. The recitations by Miss Boyes were greatly appreciated and heartily encored. Home made candies and light refreshments were served at the close of the program. There were no dull moments during the evening and the ladies, who netted a handsome sum by the entertainment, wish to thank very sincerely all those who contributed to the success of the conversazione.

Local sportsmen endeavored to get up a foot race last week, but the "other fellow" who did a lot of talking, was not there with the goods when called to time. The Nelson men will apparently find some accommodation from Trail. The Rossland Miner says: Yesterday there was considerable talk in Trail as to whether there was a man in that city who could cover 100 yards in 11 1-2 seconds. Considerable money was wagered for and against the proposition. Finally Ralph Moore telephoned to the smelter for Mr. Beasley. When he arrived 100 yards was carefully measured off on the raised roadway, Mr. Beasley, according to stop watches held on him, only consumed 10 1-5 seconds in going the 100 yards. This is remarkable time when it is considered that the record for professional sprinters is 9 4-5 seconds, and that H. Bethune and H. M. Johnson are the holders of the record. Mr. Beasley is an amateur, pure and simple and is employed at the smelter. should he train he could, it is thought cover 100 yards in 9 4-5 seconds.

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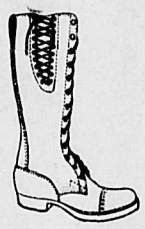

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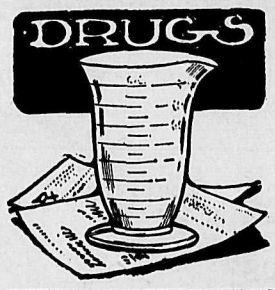

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