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CIVIL SERVICE

Renewal of Debate Upon Coming Enquiry

MORE OF TIMBER LIMITS

WAR CARRIED SMARTLY INTO THE CONSERVATIVE CAMP—ALBERTA COAL LANDS—THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. JUSTICE CASSELS.

FIRST CANADIAN COIN

(Special to The Daily News.)

Ottawa, April 2.—The first shipment of silver coin was made from the Canadian mint today, a total of $24,000 being sent to various parts of the country. The money was shipped by the Dominion Express company to the receiver generals in Toronto, Montreal, Vancouver and other cities, who will deal the coins out as they are applied for. Shipments of silver will be made regularly now accordingly as the supply sent out is exhausted. There will be no gold sent out for some time as the refiners have not yet arrived.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, April 2.—When the house met today R. L. Borden wanted to know whether Mr. justice Cassels of the exchequer court had accepted the appointment as a royal commissioner to investigate the affairs of the marine department. He also wanted to know why three officers of the department had been suspended, when no one had been directly namd in the civil service report.

The premier replied to the first question, that he had received a letter from Mr. justice Cassels just as he was entering the house and had not had time to read it. He would inform the house of its contents later.

Hon. L. P. Brodeur answered Borden's second question. Owens, accountant of the department, he said, had been suspended before the report was received. Gregory and Fraser were not suspended because of the report of the commission but as the result of an investigation made by himself. They had neglected to obey certain orders he had issued.

Mr. Borden wanted to know on what grounds Owens had been suspended.

Brodeur replied that it was because of his private conduct. He had written a letter to the minister acknowledging that he had made a mistake. Brodeur did not think it would be fair to make the details public, but he would let Borden see the letter if he desired.

The budget debate was resumed by J. E. Armstrong (East Lambton).

The budget debate came to a sudden and unexpected termination shortly before 10 o'clock, after severe criticism from some of the back benchers, Martin (Prince Edward Island), being the last. No one was ready to go on, several members who had prepared speeches being out of the house. They could not be waited for, however, and a motion to go into committee on ways and means was adopted, thereby terminating the debate.

The budget discussion commenced on March 17 and has been continued at intervals since; and has been the most prolonged debate in recent years.

Before the house adjourned the resolution in respect to the proposed changes in the excise duties on tobacco were adopted and the bill passed thereon was given its first reading.

The order in council appointing Mr. justice Cassels of the exchequer court, which was tabled by the premier today, commissions him to investigate the affairs of the marine department, to investigate and report upon certain statements contained in the report of the civil service commission reflecting upon the integrity of the officers of the department of marine and fisheries, or any of them. These statements refer to the apparent lack of conscience, if not deliberate dishonesty on the part of the employees of the marine department. The report charges this in a general way and the order in council says that: "It is in the interest of the department of marine and fisheries and of the country that immediate steps should be taken to determine what officials (if any) deserve condemnation and to give to all an opportunity to meet the charges implied.

Ralph Smith has given notice that he will propose a resolution declaring it expedient to provide for the registration of the labor union label, and also to provide pecuniary penalties for the unlawful use of such labels.

Ames will ask for returns showing what coal lands were granted through the agency of P. E. Lessard of Edmonton, and McGivern & Hayden of Ottawa, and what coal lands are now, or have been, leased or owned by the Alberta Development company.

Some returns tabled in the house of commons relative to the disposal of timber berths in the west during the conservative regime, suggests what might be disclosed if the liberal members of parliament should carry the war into the enemy's camp and take up the time of the house on the question of alleged partisanship charged against the present arministration in granting timber limits in the west.

On the moton of Mr. McCraney correspondence relating to the granting of timber berths during the years 1894-1896 were brought down. On May 7, 1894 Daniel Saunders of Shoal Lake, Man., wrote to the department of the interior, stating that an advertisement asking for tenders to cut timber on a certain berth had reached him too late to summit his tender, and asking that tenders be called for again. The department replied that no tenders had been served and he was asked to submit one. A little later N. Boyd, M.P., wrote Hon. T. M. Daly, minister of the interior, enclosing a letter from W. H. Whimster, Winnipeg, stating that Saunders had tendered for the berth in question, and adding: "I know Mr. Saunders well, he has always been a strong supporter of the conservative party and can be relied upon to stick to us still. I understand Fully of Strathclair, is also applying for the same piece of timber. As he is an opponent, I would rather see Saunders get it. Kindly help Saunders in any way you can."

Mr. Boyd's marginal note to Hon. Mr. Daly was: "Kindly see that this matter is looked after." Mr. Saunders got the berth for $20. On Nov. 11, 1894, Robert Rogers, now minister of public works in the Roblin government, wrote to the minister of the interior: "Neil Keith has applied to you for a permit to cut ties in township 11, ranges 16 and 17, east. I would be glad if you could grant him this permit at once. Keith is a good fellow and a good friend of ours. He has been connected with Dan Mann for years."

The department forwarded to Mr. Keith and Mr. Rogers on November 23rd, copies of an advertisement shortly to appear in the newspapers inviting competition for a permit to cut timber on berth 675. The advertisement called for tenders receivable at the department up to Dec. 3, just 10 days after the first notice had been sent to Mr. Keith. He got the berth for $25 being the only tenderer.

A third case of similar departmental favoritism was in connection with the application of Norbert Brobant, on Feb. 6, 1896 for permission to tender on a berth in eastern Manitoba. The department applied to crown timber agent E. F. Stephenson for information about the berth and he replied that in the interests of the settlement he did not favor any more sawmills in the locality in question, there being already no less than three in that district. Then Mr. A. A. Larivier, M.P., wrote to the deputy minister respecting the application stating that "if it is possible I wish he be favorably considered." Mr. Brobant was promptly furnished with a copy of an advertisement "which will shortly appear in the newspapers." He submitted a tender for $80 which was accepted.

Ottawa, April 2—The budget debate died a sudden death at 1:30 tonight. Mr. Armstrong was the first speaker today. He took sir Wilfrid Laurier to task for not having urged the policy of mutual preference at the intercolonial conference. The present policy, he claimed, was a purely juggled affair of little benefit to Canada. The preference has done one thing for Canada, however, it has closed 100 woollen mills so that the price to the consumer had not been reduced. Mr. Armstrong urged the government to take action so as to permit the German market being made available to Canadian exporters.

Mr. McColl, Northumberland, complained that the opposition were merely destructive instead of constructive critics. To say that an increase of revenue meant increased taxation was to state a transparent fallacy. What had become of the old policy of "adequate protection?" It was very seldom heard of now.

Mr. Wilson, Lennox-Addington, took McColl to task for charging the opposition with obstruction and the making of senseless charges. The liberals claimed the service was free from all graft, and yet a commission of their own choosing, composed of good party men, was outspoken in their charge of dishonesty. The increased expenditure was due to the rascality and thieving going on.

Mr. Hughes, Prince Edward Island, went back to the McGreevy days to prove that the liberals of today were no more correct than their predecessors. He called the opposition "fallen angels in Paradise lost." The increasing expenditures, he thought, were due to the falling off in the purchasing power of money.

Alex Martin then spoke briefly and criticized in particular the financial policy of the government.

Deputy speaker Marcil then said "the motion carried?" and no one rising to speak the budget collapsed and Mr. Marcil took the chair, the house going into committee of ways and means. Not only the opposition but sir Wilfrid Laurier was taken by surprise at the sudden development. Mr. Fielding was hurriedly sent for and the house waited ten minutes.

Then Mr. Fielding appeared and Mr. Taylor rose and said there had been an arrangement with the liberal whip that Mr. Sinclair of Guysboro should follow Mr. Martin and that the debate should be then adjourned by an opposition member and go over until tomorrow. Mr. Fielding smiled and said it could not be held now.

"It is very strange," said Mr. Taylor.

The house then waited for ten minutes for the minister of inland revenue who was scouring the building for his deputy and certain papers regarding the tobacco changes. During the discussion of the tobacco resolution in committee of ways and means, Mr. Bristol asked Mr. Templeman if there had been any protests against the proposed changes. Mr. Templeman said there had been some protests and the changes in statements would amount to a loss to the revenue of about $40,000. Major Beattie opposed the changes and presented the resolutions passed by 79 manufacturers in London and vicinity supporting his opposition. The tobacco resolutions wert then passed and a bill founded on them was read for a first time.

It is the general opinion around the lobbies tonight that Mr. justice Cassels of the exchequer court will accept the position

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SHOT TO KILL

Scene in an American Court of Justice

PRISONER HAS REVOLVER

OPENS FIRE UPON THE POLICE AND PROSECUTING ATTORNEY—DETECTIVE IS KILLED BEFORE CONVICTED MAN IS OVERPOWERED.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 2.—Found guilty of a charge of arson, Henry D. McDonald, in the circuit court room today, shot and killed chief of detectives Wm. Dwyer, seriously wounded three other officers and a bystander and was himself seriously wounded.

McDonald had been tried for dynamiting stores and a church in Sandford last year. As soon as the jury reported its verdict, McDonald jumped up, drew a revolver and fired at prosecuting attorney James A. Cooper Jr. but missed him, because Cooper tipped his chair over backwards. McDonald continued firing at the officers seated around the counsel table. Detective Dwyer fell at the third shot. Policemen and the deputy sheriff in the room drew their revolvers and opened fire on McDonald, who returned their fire.

Before the convicted man fell with a half dozen bullets in his body, he had shot Harvey Jones, the superintedent of police in the side; deputy sheriff William in the chin, Sylvester Doyle, court bailiff, in the leg, and a bystander in the side. McDonald was finally overpowered by officers, his ammunition spent and his strength about gone from wounds, and he was taken to a hospital.

It is said that McDonald and the other wounded men will recover. The events which culminated so tragically had their origin in dynamiting outrages that destroyed the Methodist church and the general stores of Shickle & Johnson, and J. W., of Sandford on the night of February 1, 1907. Henry McDonald and James Scanlon were arrested and then charged with the crime. While McDonald was held to be a desperate man, he had been permitted his liberty during the trial. The police in the department have been active in the case and several officers were in court to hear the verdict.

WORKMEN IN EDMONTON

CROWDS GATHERING FOR GRADING OF G. T. P.

ALBERTA GETS GOOD SETTLEMENT WITH DOMINION

Edmonton, April 2—The partnership existing between Richard Secord and Arch. York, under the name of the Edmonton Hotel company has been dissolved and a final settlement arranged. York will assume the ownership of the Alberta, Yale and Windsor hotels, Secord taking the Edward. The streets today are crowded with workmen and laborers of several different nationalities who have come to the city to secure work on the construction of the G.T.P. east and west of Edmonton. The mild weather has brought these people out in crowds on the street and it is the general opinion that grading work will be commenced in a few days if the mild weather continues. The various contractors are getting their grading outfits in position to start work at he earliest possible moment.

Hon. C. W. Cross returned this morning from the east. While away he visited Ottawa, to confer with the dominion government about several matters in his department, all of which have been settled. The most important was concerning the fees received by the degistry offices and the fund known as the assurance fund of the land titles offices. The securing of this money, which amounts to a considerable sum each year, to the province, involves the passing of legislation by the dominion government but this has been arranged for and will be passed. In arranging the matter Mr. Cross not only secured these fees for the future but all the fees received by the dominion government since the inauguration of the province of Alberta will be handed over to the provincial treasurer of Alberta.

The assurance was given today by Mr. Caye, assistant general manager of the G.T.P., that the road will reach Edmonton this year.

CONVENTION DELEGATES

LIBERAL MEETING IN VERNON ON APRIL 14

PLOWING IN PROGRESS IN THE BOUNDARY

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, April 2.—At a meeting of the Grand Forks Liberal association held here delegates were appointed to attend the liberal convention to be held at Vernon on the 14th inst. The following are the delegate: president of the association, P. T. McCallum, H. W. Gregory, George Rutherford, Neil McCallum, H. C. Henniger, B. Le Quimme, George Murphy and D. D. Munroe.

The following are the official returns from the various district customs offices for the month of March as reveiced by R. R. Gilpen, the chief collector, at Grand Forks: Grand Forks, $2337.26; Phoenix, $1119.60; Cascade, $181.23; Carson, $58.91; total $3697.

With the advent of spring the Kettle valley surrounding Grand Forks has taken on a new life and much activity on all sides is now in evidence among the ranches. During the past three weeks probably 100 idle men found employment on these farms. Plowing has been in progress for the past two weeks and the planting of the potato crops has already begun. From present appearances the growing of potatoes will be prosecuted very extensively here this year. It is reported here this morning that Lorne A. Campbell, the general manager of the West Kootenay Power and Light company, has just awarded a contract to W. H. Fisher, the well known contractor of Grand Forks to clear his farm, just south of the city limits, of all brush preparatory to the planting of some 80 acres of this land with potatoes. The ranchers of this valley feel that the potatoes makes a sure crop of an average of four tons to the acre. These vegetables find a ready market in the fall of the year at $18 per ton at the markets of the middle provinces, which are practically unlimited.

G. T. R. REPORT

Shareholders Not Pleased With Increased Expenditures Shown

Montreal, April 2—A London cable says there is much comment in financial circles today on the G.T.R. report. The point most dwelt upon is the heavy increase in expenditure as shown by the fact that, although the gross receipts for the half year increased by £178,400, all except £39,000 was wiped out by working expenses, the ratio of expenses advancing from 71.45 to 72.03 per cent. The directors will have the shareholders strongly behind them in the stringent measures they promise to adopt to restrict expenditures in different departments in future. The half year's accounts give no sign of this restriction, except a small reduction in taxes and under the head of maintenance of equipment. It is also noted that the Canada Atlantic is the chief brake on the progress of the whole system.

Ottawa despatches to the evening papers say that there is reason to believe that Mr. Justice Cassels may refuse tht appointment of commissioner to investigate the affairs of the marine department. The announcement of his appointment is said to have been made without consulting him and he was anything but pleased when he heard it.

SITUATION AT MARYSVILLE

Sheriff Still in Possession of Smelter—Good Strike at North Star

Spokane, April 2.—A despatch from Cranbrook says: Men were engaged today in drilling out the charge frozen in one of the furnaces of the Marysville smelter, preparatory, so it is hoped and stated, to a resumption of work both at the plant and the mine.

Liens under the Mechanics' Lien Act to the extent of some $20,000 have been filed on behalf of the employees of both mine and smelter to secure the wages left unpaid during the months of January and February. The sheriff is still in possession, under the executions at the suit of Newton &Mackey, and A. I. Goodell, the metallurgist who succeeded Ed Dedolph, has instituted proceedings in the supreme court to recover $10,000 for breach of contract in connection with the terms of his engagement.

The famous old North Star mine, on the mill opposite the Sullivan group, appears to have taken on a renewed lease of life and prosperity. It turns out that in drifting in one of the old, abandoned workings near the surface ore of a quality equal to the best ever shipped from the mine has been encountered. This ore is a fair yield iron oxide, shot through with wires and leaves of native silver.

CLUB DISGRACED

French Consul Posts up Objectionable Notice About Stevens

Tokio, April 2—Advices from Seoul are to the effect that intense indignation among the natives and foreigners in Seoul prevails on account of the French consul general having posted a notice on the board of a club opposing the message of condolence sent to the family of the late D. W. Stevens. The club passed a resolution to cable a message. The French consul was the sole objector. Later he pasted a notice on the board of the club saying: "I cannot express my sympathy for Stevens even in his tomb." The members of the club are very indignant. The British consul general addressed the committee during the removal of the notice, because, he said, it was a disgrace for the club to use its board for such a method of expressing private malevolence. The committee unanimously decided to remove the notice.

COLUMBIA GARDENS

(Special to The Daily News)

Columbia Gardens, April 2.—The new post office opened here yesterday, making a forward step for the rapidly growing settlement.

The sawmill will start up about June 1, which will mean busy times here.

Some 10,000 strawberry plants will be set out this spring and several thousand fruit trees will be planted in the valley.

Truck gardening will be carried out on a large scale. There is plenty of room yet for real live hustling settlers in this section.

BANQUETTED WHITNEY

Toronto, April 2—Premier Whitney was last night banquetted by his supporters in the legislature at the Albany club. The banquet was strictly a private one but was made the occasion for the presentation to the premier of a beautiful silver service suitably inscribed.

MILITARY VIEW

United States Should Possess Real Army

SECRETARY TAFT'S PLANK

CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT IS EMPHATIC IN HIS OPINIONS AS TO THE METHOD WHICH WILL GIVE HIS COUNTRY A GOOD DEFENCE.

Columbus, April 2—United States secretary of war Taft, tonight spoke at the Columbus board of trade banquet on "the army," a topic which he had too little considered in times of peace. He said in part:

"The most insidious argument against the maintenance of an army of present efficiency, is, that we once had a magnificent army of volunteers of a million men, and it is asked, can we not raise such an army again? The awful sacrifice of life and money which we had to undergo for four years in order to train this great army is forgotten and the country is lulled to the utterly unfounded assurance that a volunteer enlisted today, or a militiaman enrolled tomorrow, can in a week or in a month be made an efficient soldier. We have no right to ask our citizens to expose themselves, unless enlisted men, in a battle, running the chances of disaster and death, without the proper military education of the officers and the proper military organization of the men. Congress mainfests such an interest in the development of the army that it shows a willingness from time to time to improve the various branches and during the next few years, I hope we will have a regular and reserve citizen soldiery, sufficient to put into the field 250,000 men capable of carrying on war with courage and efficacy. We do not raise armies by conscription except as a last resort. As a consequence, our army is much more expensive than the European armies even in time of peace. The regular army of 100,000 costs about $72,000,000 a year. France maintains an army of 545,000 at a cost of $133,000,000 a year, and Germany maintains 646,000 men for $144,000,000."

WAS CRUSHED TO DEATH

YOUNG ENGLISHMAN KILLED AT GREENWOOD

ONE OF FOUR BROTHERS COMES TO UNTIMELY END

(Special to The Daily News)

Greenwood, April 2.—Richard E. Bradbury, a young Englishman, 23 years of age, was crushed to death by a falling tree within half a mile of Greenwood yesterday afternoon. Bradbury, with his brother, had fallen one tree on the side hill just above the first switchback on the road to Phoenix. Falling the second tree, he stood between it and the stump of the first tree he had fallen. The tree, which was about 20 inches in diameter, coming to the ground, hit on a boulder about 20 feet up the hill, crushing the young man to death against the lower stump.

The deceased was highly respected here, being a member of the choir of the Methodist church. Formerly he was a member of the miners' union but on going to his home in Staffordshire, Eng., last fall, resigned from the union and had not rejoined. Three of his brothers are livating in Greenwood. Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 12 o'clock noon. The deepest sympathy is felt for the young men in their bereavement.

PLUCKY PAIR

Parson Amputates Railway Passenger's Leg in a Wreck

St. Louis, April 2—While pinioned under the wreckage following a collision between a freight and a Burlington passenger train at Spanish Lake, near here today, J. A. McKittrick suffered the amputation of his leg with a pocket knife in ordes to avoid death from escaping steam. Rev. R. C. Allen of Grove City performed the operation at the urgent request of the prisoner, who was later brought to the hospital here where, it is said, he will recover. Four others were injured. Miss Emma Reiner, a trained nurse who was a passenger, made a tourniquet of her veil and staunched the flow of blood and gave McKittrick morphine to ease the pain.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE

OPERATORS AND MINERS WILL MEET THIS MONTH

DEADLOCK AT PITTSBURG IS UNBROKEN

Indianapolis, April 2.—Another joint conference between the coal operators and miners of Indiala, Ohio, western Pennsylvania and Illinois, may be held in Indianapolis between April 5 and 25. President Lewis of the miners has communicated with the operators and miners in these four states, with a view to ascertaining whether they are willing to join together again to consider the matter of rehabilitating the joint interstate legislation. An informal conference is proposed for next Monday, to make a canvass of the situation. President Lewis will convene the miners' new national executive board in Indianapolis probably on April 10.

Pittsburg, April 2.—Shortly after 3 o'clock the conference between the miners and operators adjourned without reaching a settlement. Both sides were deadlocked all day but it is said another effort will be made in a few days.

FIRE AT FERNIE

Residence Is Destroyed—Wrestling Match Comes off Successfully

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, B. C., April 2.—The sporting fraternity turned out in goodly numbers at the opera house last night to see the wrestling match betwen McDonald of Spokane and Fleming of Fernie. Fleming was in poor shape for the event as he had been ill for a couple of days previously, and was in no condition to meet the heavier man. However it was 24 minutes before McDonald scored by throwing his opponent, and after another fall Fleming declined to continue the match.

At 5 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the residence of Joseph Owen, in the Fernie annex, and the building was burned to the ground. Though the annex is not in the fire limits the city brigade was soon on the scene but as the fire had gained such headway nothing could be done to save the structure. Loss $1000.

COAST COAL COMPANY

WILL EXPLOIT MEASURES ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

THREE MILLION DOLLARS WILL BE INVESTED

Victoria, April 2.—John Arbuthnot, ex-mayor of Winnipeg, and associates, including some New York capitalists, have formed a $3,000,000 company to exploit the coal measures on Malcolm island, near Port McNeil, at the northern end of Vancouver island. About 20,000 acres have been secured, as well as some 30 0or 400 acres near Nanaimo. The coal bed in this latter location, which is now being worked, is 15 feet in thickness. Several bores have proved the existence of a six-foot seam of coal near Port McNeil.

STEEPLEJACK'S PLIGHT

Narrow Escape of Plucky Man Who Returns to his Task

New York, April 2—Hundreds of persons from the street and shop windows today watched Jos. Bailey, a steeplejack, extricate himself from a dangerous predicament at the top of a 200 foot chimney in Jersey City. Bailey was sitting in a boatswain's chair slung from the top of the chimney when a gust of wind whirled the chair and he fell out of it. As he did so he grasped a rope which was dangling from the chimney top, and the wind blew the chair out of his reach. Several persons witnessed the mishap and their cries of alarm attracted the attention of the crowd to Bailey as he struggled hand over hand up the swaying rope to the top, where he had barely strength enough to crawl over the edge. He then descended inside the chimney, but declared he would return to finish the task of placing a collar around the chimney near the top.

FUNERAL OF MRS. REES

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, April 2.—The funeral occurred yesterday in Greenwood of the wife of King N. Rees, head accountant for P. Burns & Co., Ltd., in the Boundary, deceased having passed away some days since of tuberculosis at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Rees are well known throughout the Boundary, having lived in Cascade, Grand Forks, Greenwood and Phoenix. Mrs. Rees went to California last summer in an endeavor to improve her health. Her sudden death recently left three small children, the eldest seven years of age, for the father to care for, and the warmest sympathy of a host of friends goes out to the bereaved ones. Rev. M. D. McKee, pastor of the Greenwood Presbyterian church, officiated at the funeral, which was one of the largest attended in Greenwood for a long time past.

OUT ON BAIL

Toronto, April 2—Dr. E. M. Cook, pleaded guilty today to a charge of having performed an illegal operation. His lawyer not being ready to go on, the case was left over to the next assizes on aMy 4. The physician was allowed to go on bail of $5000.

NO DATE FIXED

Toronto, April 2—Premier Whitney denied in the legislature this afternoon that the provincial elections will take place on May 23. He said that no date had been considered as yet, but probably the announcement would be made before the house prorogued on Tuesday next.

HAD DISTINGUISHED FATHER

Watertown, N. Y., April 2.—Mrs. Nathalie Fort, aged 70, of Cape Vincent, a daughter of Hyacinthe Penguet, an officer under Napoleon Bonaparte, died today. Her father fled to America after Waterloo.

ARTIST DEAD

Hamilton, April 2—Robert Steele Ambrose one of the best known writers of music in Canada, died yesterday aged 81. He had been a resident of this city for nearly half a century.

NEW RHODES SCHOLAR

New Haven, April 2.—George Ellsworth Putman of Ottawa, Kan., a student in the graduate department of Yale, was appointed to a Rhodes scholarship at Oxford today.

TOO BRILLIANT

Success of Government's Irish Land Policy

TESTIMONY OF W. O'BRIEN

CRUISER BERWICK RUNS DOWN THE TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER TIGER IN THE ENGLISH CHANNEL—SEVERAL MEN ARE REPORTED AS DROWNED.

London, April 3.—The prolonged depression in the money market which has made it impossible for the government to raise the further large loans required to fulfil the intentions of the Irish Land Purchases Act of 1903 has resulted in the appointment of a committee of the officials of the treasury, which has just reported in favor of several financial expedients to tide over the difficulty.

According to Wm. O'Brien, nationalist member of parliament, in a double column letter in the Daily Telegraph this morning, these expedients will only complicate and prolong the deadlock and practically suspend the land purchases for a decade.

He argues that the whole difficulty has arisen through the extraordinary and unexpected success of the land act. Instead of the purchases amounting to $25,000,000 yearly, which was the outside limit and anticipated by the former secretary, Mr. Wyndham, when he introduced the bill, there have been transfers amounting to $300,000,000 within four years and it is certain, he says, that another $300,000,000 in sales could be effected next year if advances were forthcoming. This would virtually abolish the agrarian problem in Ireland. This, he adds, is England's first successful legislative achievement in Ireland, and is having most beneficient effects upon her prosperity. Mr. O'Brien suggests the calling of a conference, representative of all who are intersted in the problem of landlords and tenants, and under a compromise, some plan might be found to solve the difficulty, instead of permitting treasury officials to stifle the good work.

Portsmouth, April 3.—A wireless report received here says that the during the night manoeuvres in the English channel, the cruiser Berwick ran down the torpedo boat destroyer Tiger and it is feared that several men were drowned. The Tiger was cut in half and speedily sank. Boats from the Berwick and the cruiser Gladiator picked up 22 men, one of whom died later of injuries. It is believed that the Tiger had a crew of 45 and that all the others were drowned.

It appears that the Portsmouth reserve flotilla was having manoeuvres, and that during a night attack the Tiger crossed the bow of the Berwick, which crashed into her. Most of the crew of the destroyer were below at the time, dressed in heavy oil skins and boots. Details of the accident cannot be obtained until the arrival here of the cruiser Gladiator with the survivors.

The torpedo boat destroyer Tiger was launched in 1900. Her length was 210 feet, breadth o fbeam 21 feet and indicated horsepower 6400. Her maximum speed was 30 knots and her ordinary complement of men 60.

CONTRACT EXPIRES

Montreal, April 2—The contract of the C.P.R. with the British government for the conveyance of the mails between London and Hongkong, the service in which the Overseas Limited has been employed, comes to an end this month, in fact this week's sailing from Liverpool is the last westward ship, though there is one more from the far east. Negotiations are in progress looking for a renewal but whether one can be arranged or not it is yet impossible to say.

WINNIPEG STOCK EXCHANGE

Winnipeg, April 2—The Winnipeg stock exchange is soon to be an active reality in the financial world. The preliminary reorganization work has been done and officers elected as follows: President, A. M. Nanton; vice-president, H. Champion;; secretary, W. M. Sanford Evans; other directors, R. T. Riley, Hugh Sutherland and W. R. Allan Offices have been secured in the new grain exchange building which will be ready when the exchange opens for business in August next

TREATIES RATIFIED

Washington, April 2—The general arbitration treaty, voted upon at the Hague conference, was today ratified by the senate, as were the arbitration treaties between the United States and Mexico and between the United States and Italy.

METHODIST APPOINTMENTS

St. John, April 2—Rev. Dr. Flander, principal of Stanstead college, will succeed Rev. Dr. H. D Sprague as pastor of the Methodist church here Rev. Dr. Sprague becomes dean of the theological faculty of Mount Allison university.

LEADING MINISTER RETIRES

Toronto, April 2.—Rev. principal McLaren of Knox college has tendered his resignation and it is likely to be accepted.

GIVEN FIVE YEARS

Woodstock, April 2—Charles Selles and Fred Yokom, of Tilsonburg, have been sentenced to five years each in Kingston penitentiary for highway robbery.

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GROWTH OF IMMIGRATION

In reply to a question by Mr. Blain (Peel), how many immigrants of every kind arrived in Canada each year since 1896, Hon. Frank Oliver gave the following returns:

1896	16,835
1897	21,716
1898	31,900
1899	44,543
1900 to June 30	23,895
1900-1	49,149
1901-2	67,379
1902-3	123,364
1903-4	130,331
1904-5	146,266
1905-6	189,064
1906-7 (9 months)	124,667
1907-8 (9 months)	235,328

TO WITNESS TEST

Santiago, April 2.—The Chilean government has issued an invitation to all the prominent gunmakers to send representatives here to witness the test which will be made next October. It is the purpose of the government to introduce a new artillery armament and it is hoped in this way to create interest in the bidding for the equipment.

STATE OF CHAOS

Paris, April 2.—A despatch from Port Au Prince states that executions by the government still continues there. Among those shot yesterday morning, says the despatch was Areno Chevry, a writer and poet. The French legation has made preparation to resist an attack.

Advices received by the French government from Hayti indicate that the state of chaos which prevails at Port Au Prince is accentuated by the strife existing among the negro factions. The landing of troops from the foreign warships now in Haytian waters is expected, as the lives of the white inhabitants are endangered. Several additional refugees in fear of summary execution have fled to the French legation.

NOTED VETERAN

St. Catherines, April 2—Charles Currit, River Road, Niagara township, is dead, aged 89 years. He was a veteran of the war of 1837 and of the Fenian raid of 1866. He was one of the volunteers who on Dec. 29, 1837, cut the line and sent the steamer Caroline over Niagara falls.

RETAILERS OBJECT

Toronto, April 2—At a largely attended meeting of the retail merchants' association last night a resolution was passed to the effect that the meeting was opposed to the co-operative societies bill before the dominion parliament, protesting against unfair treatment received in connection therewith, condemning earl Grey for his action in supporting the bill and expressing disapproval of the lack of effort on the part of the opposition party in the house.

MUST HAVE BEEN IRISH

Chicago, April 2.—A fight between jurymen, in which a heavy oak chair was demolished, tables and other furniture dented and several men slightly injured, marked the jury's deliberations in the Barney Coffey Sunday saloon closing case in the municipal court.

AUSTRIA'S EMPEROR

Vienna, April 2.—As a measure of precaution on account of ill-health, emperor Francis Joseph will abstain from taking part in the customary Holy Week ceremonies, which include the washing of the feet of the poor.

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A MALICIOUS SLANDERER

Recently Rev. H. S. Magee, associate secretary of Temperance and Moral Reform for the Methodist church, visited British Columbia. During his visit he was in Nelson and was honored by being allowed to occupy one of the city pulpits on a Sunday.

Mr. Magee has returned to Toronto and to a Globe reporter he gave this wholly false and inexcusably slanderous account of the Kootenays:

"The dark spot in British Columbia is the Kootenays. There, in the Kootenay country, the labor conditions tend to make the people Godless and irreligious, the extremes of atheistic, anarchistic socialism are rampant, and the the brothel and whiskey shop go together to degrade men.

Rev. H. S. Magee should be expelled from his present position and promoted to the combined office of president and secretary of the Ananias club. A more dastardly libel has never been uttered regarding the Kootenays and that such vile statements should emanate from a man, travelling in the guise of a minister of religion and received as such with respect and hospitality in decent communities, is simly outrageous.

If there be any branch of this reform organization in Nelson, or in any other part of the Kootenays, immediate steps should be taken to have this slanderer called down and expelled from the organization. A man who could be guilty of such unqualified misrepresentation of any section of the country in which he works is entirely unfit to be entrusted with work affecting a temperance and moral reform movement and can only bring discredit upon the church with which he is associated.

We do not know where and how or with whom Rev. H. S. Magee spent his time when in the Kootenays, but we do know that during his stay in Nelson he was hospitably entertained by decent people and had every opportunity of seeing something of what is best and cleanest in the life of this community. Rev. H. S. Magee lied and lied deliberately when he told the Globe reporter that the extrmes of atheism and anarchism were rampant in the Kootenays. What he learned about the brothels and whiskey shops in the Kootenays we can only infer from his familiar reference thereto, but we do know that Mr. Magee, if he spoke the truth, would admit that there is more drunkenness and vice prevalent in any Ontario town of the size of Nelson, Cranbrook, Rossland, or Kaslo, than in any of these towns at any time of the year. Mr. Magee spent a Sunday in Nelson and if he were not a moral pervert he would have acknowledged to the world that in no town in the dominion is the Sabbath better observed.

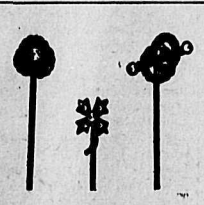
What the labor conditions are that tend to make our people Godless and irreligious this unveracious moral reformer does not indicate, because they do not exist. Conditions of labor may not be all that we could desire, but they are infinitely preferable to the conditions that prevail in eastern Canada. A man has some chance to be a man in the west, he can call his soul his own and is not bred up in an atmosphere of pharisaism and hypocrisy such as that in which such apologies for manhood, as Rev. H. S. Magee clearly proves to be, are raised.

It has been British Columbia's misfortune to be maligned and libelled by several Ontario divines, but for unmitigated mendacity and unblushing disregard for obvious facts, this Rev. H. S. Magee may certainly be awarded the palm.

EDITORIAL NOTES

There is practically an unanimous sentiment in favor of a day being set apart for the cleaning up of the city streets and alleys. Everyone approached on the subject expresses a willingness to do his part and all that is necessary is for the mayor to take official cognisance of this public sentiment and to fix a date for the cleaning up. The matter will likely come up at the next meeting of the city council. The prevailing idea is that once the streets and alleys are thoroughly cleaned up, the chief of police should enforce the city bylaws stringently and see that refuse is no longer allowed to be dumped at the back of lots and in the alleyways, or that storekeepers are permitted to sweep out the dirt and refuse of their stores on to the main streets as is too generally the practice just now.

There is a great deal of bulding going on in town and in the outskirts just now, indicating clearly that Nelson is growing and that the newcomers are making homes for themselves with the intention of becoming permanent residents. The influx of newcomers has already exceeded any previous record at this season of the year. Many of them have come to Nelson with the intention of engaging in fruit growing and some have already purchased land in this vicinity. Most of them are men of some means, who will at once have houses built upon their lands, thus giving employment to mechanics and others engaged in the building trades. The season opens very favorably and the indications are that during the coming months Nelson's population will be considerably enlarged and that the fruit lands along the lakes and in the close vicinity of the city will be pretty well all taken up.



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WHEN THE VARIOUS PESTS MAY BE EXPECTED

If you are in doubt as to whether or not it pays to use insecticides and fungicides for the purpose of controlling insect pests and diseases in your gardens, why not experiment *a little this season in order to* settle the matter once for all? Such an experiment would cost but a small amount and really would involve comparatively little time and effort.

Most of the important remedies may be secured at the seed store and the amateur need not make up his own compounds unless he prefers to do so. The main thing is to know when and where to use the various remedies.

There are two classes of insecticides—those designed to be eaten and those which kill by contact. The first is used for leaf eating pests and the latter for sucking insects which cannot be reached by the poison applied to the outside of the leaves. Some form of arsenic is used in fighting the eating pests and kerosene emulsion, whale oil soap and insect powder are most commonly used for the purpose of exterminating the sucking varieties.

Bordeaux mixture is a standard remedy for fungous diseases of plants. It also has some effect in keeping away sucking pests which apparently find it obnoxious when mixed with some arsenic; and forms an all round remedy which is used probably more than any other.

The insects which eat foliage, fruit and flowers, include bugs, worms, caterpillars and slugs. For fighting them in the home garden use paris green, hellebore and slugshot. Arsenate of lead may be used in place of paris green if desired, and has *the advantage of less danger of burning* the foliage.

For insects that suck the juice of plants, such as lice, red spider, scale and mealy bugs, use kerosene emulsion.

For San Jose scale on fruit trees use *Scalecide or Horicum as soon as the trees* are dormant in the fall and before they start into life in the spring.

Use Bordeaux mixture for plant diseases. All these remedies ready for use can be bought at seed stores and it is best for the man with the small garden to secure his insecticide in this way. Some of them may be dusted upon the plants, but in most cases it is best to mix them with water *and use a spray pump. Spraying may be* most easily done with a compressed air sprayer of knapsack sprayer. With these facts in mind and the few needful remedies at hand, it only remains for the gardener to apply them at the proper time.

Bordeaux mixture as purchased at the stores should be used at the rate of one gallon to fifty gallons of water. When used as a combined fungicide and insecticide add one-fourth pound of Paris green to fifty gallons of water.

Hellebore may be applied dry or mixed with flour at the rate of one part of hellebor to four parts of flour. It should be applied when the leaves are wet with dew. It may also be used in solution at the rate of one ounce to four gallons of water.

Kerosene emulsion as purchased at the stores is used at the rate of one part of emulsion to 25 or 50 gallons of water.

Paris green may be mixed with flour and used dry, one part to one hundred of flour, or in solution at the rate of one pound to 50 gallons of water.

Slugshot is applied dry.

Whale oil soap may be applied in solution or smeared on the trunks of trees to prevent worms from crawling up, by dissolving to the consistency of thick paint.

The various pests may be expected to appear about as follows:

April—The aphis or green plant lice and canker worms may be looked for in April. You will find them on the apple trees. If you notice the new leaves curling up, suspect the aphis at once and spray with kerosene emulsion or whale oil soap. The canker worms may be seen suspended from a thread attached to the limbs—spray with Paris green.

May—Look for the first appearance of the currant worm on currant and gooseberry bushes. It eats the leaves very quickly and comes in great numbers. Paris green or hellebore should be used. The hellebore may be mixed with flour and *applied dry in the morning while the dew* is on the leaves. Hellebore should always be used after the fruit has set, as it loses its poisonous qualities more quickly than Paris green.

Look on the strawberry plants for the sawfly. It eats holes in the leaves. Spray with Paris green or use hellebore dry for this pest.

Plant lice may be found on the pea vines *this month. Spray with kerosene emulsion* or whale oil soap. Also watch for plant lice on fruit trees; and spray with kerosene emulsions or whale oil soap.

The flea beetle appears on potatoes usually *in May and should be treated with* Bordeaux mixture.

The cutworms come in May and cut down young vegetable plants and flowers. Dig around the plants until the worms are found, or protect the plants by strips of paper reaching an inch below the surface. Plant radishes; sometimes the cut worms will attack them first.

The bud worm may be looked for in May eating into the buds of the apple trees. Use Paris green and Bordeaux mixture as the buds expand.

Use Bordeaux mixture to prevent leaf-blight on pear trees.

Spray plum trees with Paris green to prevent the work of curculios. Do not wait until the fruit drops. If these pests have already began their work, it is a good plan to jar them from the trees every morning for a week or so. Do this by means of a long heavy pole, the butt of which has been wrapped with burlap or some other means of protection, and then thrusting it with such force as possible against the trunk of the tree.

Hollyhocks suffer much from rust which is apt to appear in May. Use Bordeaux mixture frequently.

The insects mentioned in April also continue their ravages during May unless checked.

June—Look for a second visitation from the currant worms.

Spray with Paris green to kill the sawfly on the berry bushes until after the fruit sets, when only hellebore should be used.

Spray the grape vines in June with Paris green and Bordeau mixture for various insects and diseases.

The striped beetle will appear on the Melons; fight him with Paris green mixed with Bordeau mixture and use very freely and frequently. The pest must be stopped at the beginning.

July—Spray again in July for leaf blight on berry bushes.

Anthracnose is a common grape disease which appears in July and is identified by spotted leaves and cracking shoots. Spray with Bordeaux mixture several times. Downy mildew also appears on grapes in July and causes the fruit to shrivel. Bordeaux is also the remedy for this disease.

Celery rust appears in July and the celery should be treated with Bordeaux mixture once a week.

Plant lice will continue in evidence in the garden. Spray with kerosene emulsion. Use kerosene emulsion also on onions *when dark colored insects known as thrips* are found on the leaves.

Continue Paris green and Bordeaux mixture on the potatoes.

If the horned worm, a large disgusting *green pest, with a horn like projection*, is found on the tomato plants, knock them into a pail.

Spray the apple trees with Bordeaux mixture, and continue this for ten days until the fruit is nearly ripe. This will prevent bitter root so often found in apples in the home garden, and known by the bitter taste and it will also prevent scab.

August—Most of the insect pests which *appear in July continue their activities during* August. The celery caterpillar also appears during this month and should be treated to Paris green. Continue to spray potatoes to prevent blight.

The squash borer appears in August. Cut open the infested stem and destroy the borer. Afterwards cover the injured part with earth. Trap squash bugs by placing shingles about the vines. The bugs will crawl up under these shingles at night and may be destroyed in the morning.

Spray tomatoes with Paris green to destroy the fruit worm, a large, greenish striped pest, which botes into the fruit. *If the fruit is nearly ripe it is better to* pick them off by hand. For rot on tomatoes, spray with Bordeaux mixture.

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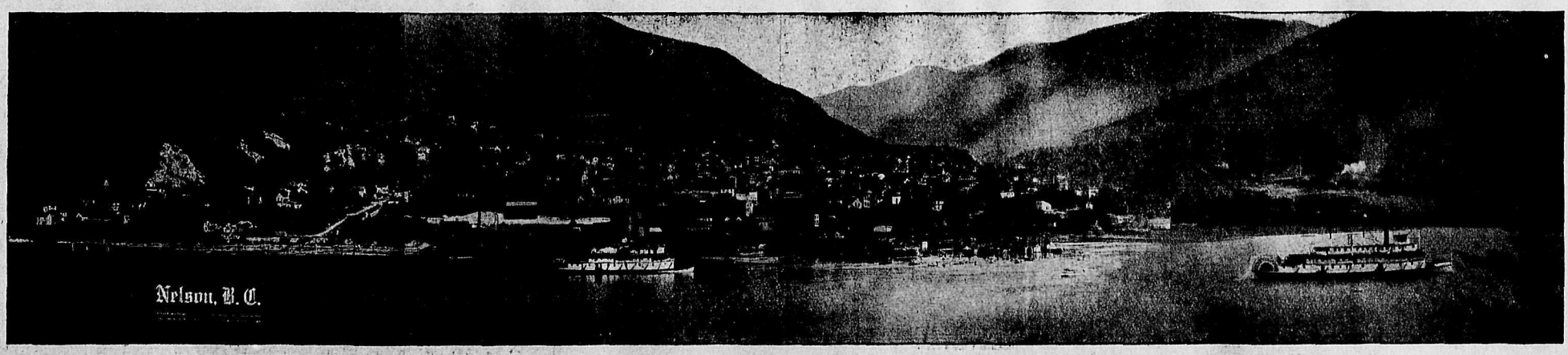

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NELSON, the capital city of the Kootenays, situated on the West Arm of Kootenay Lake, is the commercial and judicial center of Southeastern British Columbia, and is a clean, prosperous, healthy city with a population of between six and seven thousand people.

Nelson is the trading center of one of the finest fruit growing districts in British Columbia.

The mining and smelting industries of the Kootenays are equal to the best, and Nelson gets a large share of the business connected therewith.

Nelson is the most important manufacturing and industrial center in the Kootenays.

Nelson has lacrosse and hockey, tennis, cricket, football, baseball, rowing, launching and shooting clubs, and the citizens go in for all outdoor sports, while the fishing is superb, and second to none in British Columbia.

Nelson has six churches, a Salvation Army citadel; public and high schools, private schools and kindergartens.

Nelson is the wholesale center of Southeastern British Columbia.

Nelson has four chartered banks; and the best general stores between Calgary and Vancouver.

The postal revenue of the Nelson post office is over $21,000 annually, making Nelson rank as the third city in British Columbia.

Nelson has the best hotels in the interior of British Columbia.

Nelson owns and operates its own electric light and power plant, having, during the past year, completed at a cost of about $250,000 a hydro-electric plant on Kootenay river, nine miles below Nelson, and at present have installed one unit with a capacity of 1250 horse power, but have made provision for the developing 6000 h. p. when needed. Incidentally, Nelson is the best lighted city in British Columbia.

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NEW LIGHT ON THE WOMANS SUFFRAGE QUESTION

PROBLEM DISCUSSED FROM NATURALIST'S POINT OF VIEW

The suffragette, from the naturalist's point of view, is something new and refreshing. Sir Ray Lankester has been dealing with that hot and dangerous question from that aspect. In the higher animals, he says, the male is far more powerful than the female, and fights with other males both for the possession of a mate or a harem, and for the undisturbed occupation of feeding grounds for himself and family.

Among lower animals there are curious cases of the greater strength and size of the female. Thus, among spiders, the female is nearly twice as bulky as the male. She makes, in many cases, a nest ready for her young, and is visited there by the wandering, irresponsible male, who, in spite of great danger to himself, is irresistibly attracted to seek a brief caress from the terrible spideress. She is terrible, not only on account of her bulk, but because she makes a rule of killing and sucking the blood of her infatuated admirer, unless he is sufficiently alert and agile to escape from her side more quickly than he came to it.

A strange-looking, dark-green worm, as big as a walnut, with a ribbon-like trunk six or eight inches long attached to its mouth, lives in holes in the rocks in the Mediterranean. A similar worm has been found off the Norwegian coast. Fanciful names are given by zoologists to these two worms—the first is called Bonellia, the second Hamingia. These goodly sized worms are females, only females. For years the corresponding male was unknown. At last a minute creature one-eighth of an inch in length, like a tiny fragment of green thread, was found crawing about on and into the big green Bonellias. Its structure, when it was examined with the microscope proved it to be the adult male of the worm on which it was crawling. It was so insignificant and minute as to escape all observation except that of a trained naturalist searching for it with a magnifying glass. Some seven or eight of these diminutive males are found on one female, infesting her as fleas infest a mouse, and of about the same relative size.

So there is nothing in the eternal fitness of things proclaiming the male as the necessary superior of the female throughout nature. The fact is that the question of equality and of general superiority and inferiority has no place in regard to male and female from a naturalist's point of view.

It is true that women are so very much less endowed with muscular strength than men that practically every woman is inferior to man in this respect. It is also true that woman's brain is smaller than man's, and that, apart from mere size, the intellectual activity and capacity of women, by whatever test you examine it, is less than that of man. When exceptional cases on both sides are excluded, the definite intellectual inferiority of the average woman, as compared with the average man, is established as a fact.

At the house of the late sir James Knowles, some 25 years ago, when discussing the respective value of the physical and intellectual capacities of the men as compared with the women of the English working class, Mr. Gladstone (at that time the head of the government) said to me. "I am of opinion that the relative value of a man and a woman is in all classes of society about the same as it was in my grandfather's time in Jamaica when they purchased slaves. They gave £120 for a man and £80 for a woman, and that is a fair measure of their relative value all the world over."

It is necessary to remember that Mr. Gladstone was not estimating the ultimate value of woman in human life when he said this. He would, I think, have considered, as I do, that it is absurd to attempt to estimate that or to raise a discussion as to general superiority and inferority in reference to the male and female of the human species. They are creatures as necessary one as the other, differing from one another profoundly and excelling one another in diverse qualities and capacities. Without this complimentary division of fitness and quality, our life would be an angelic monotone robbed of the infinite variety which characterizes humanity. What Mr. Gladstone estimated as being less by one-third in women than in men is power—work value—whether physical or intellectual. I think Mr. Gladstone's estimate must be admitted as true.

THE PAPER TRUST

Washington, April 2.—Speaker Cannon today introduced a resolution directing the attorney general and the secretary of commerce and labor to inform the house what steps have been taken by those departments to investigate the action of the International Paper Co., of New York, and other corporations supposed to be engaged in an effort to create a monoply in print paper. In a statement, Mr. Cannon said if the claims of the publishers are correct, the manufacturers of paper are subject to penalty and the trust can be dissolved in the United States courts.

INFORMATION

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NEW RHODES SCHOLAR

New Haven, April 2.—George Ellsworth Putman of Ottawa, Kan., a student in the graduate department of Yale, was appointed to a Rhodes scholarship at Oxford today.

LOTS OF FUN

Paris, April 2.—Count Boni de Castellane, cousin of Hell de Sagan, is represented as being furious over the reported engagement of his former wife, Madame Anna Gould, to the prince, and Paris newspapers are having considerable fun over the idea of Madame Gould's re-entry into the French aristocracy as the princess de Sagan "with a reduced fortune of only $60,000 a year," that sum being regarded as prodigious in France. The Gil Blas is especially hilarious over the prince's alleged reply to an insinuation that he was a fortune hunter in which he said: "At my age a man only gets married for love."

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Suits, two-piece Norfolk, and three piece sack suits. All-wool imported tweeds, in neat mixed patterns. Knee pants. Good linings. Sizes 29 to 33. $3.50 to..$5.00

Suits, two-piece Norfolk, in light and dark grey mixed patterns of domestic and imported tweeds. Coats box pleated, and belted. Knee pants. Sizes 24 to 28. $2.00 to $4.50

Men's Hats

Derby and Fedora shapes, Russian and calf leather sweatbands. Silk bands and bindings. All sizes. Regularly $2.50 and $3.00 goods, for $1.50

Men's Furnishings

Sweaters, heavy wool, White, navy blue, and cardinal. Just the thing for this season. $1.00 to $2.50

Neckwear, silk four-in-hands, medium width, satin lined. Neat, fancy patterns, .. 25c, 35c and 50c

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Underwear, spring weight, natural wool and elastic ribbed balbriggan. Sateen faced. Sizes 34 to 42, for, per suit, $1.00 to ..$3.00

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AT ALBANY

Local Option Killed But Anti-Race Track Gambling Goes

Albany, April 2—The city local option bill was practically killed for this session this afternoon by the assembly committee on excise, which by a vote of 5 to 7 defeated a motion to report the bill. The bill would have extended to cities the privilege now enjoyed by country towns throughout the state, of local elections as to permitting traffic in liquor.

The senate tonight by a vote of 26 to 23 in committee of the whole voted to strike from the files of the anti-racetrack bill, the amendment deferring its taking effect until Sepembr 1. This restores tho bill to the form desired by governor Hughes and its introducers and it now reads so as to take effect immediately.

The ways and means committee today voted to report favorably the bill making an annual appropriation of $250,000 to be distributed among the agricultural societies. This appropriation is intended to take the place of the percentage which the agricultural societies now receive on the gross receipts of race tracks.

PROSPECTOR SHOT

Boulder, Col., April 2.—George Dubois, who discovered the Lost Bullion mine near Silver City, N. M., and was one of the persons indicated by the federal grand jury in connection with the promotion of the mine, was shot and killed during a quarrel yesterday at Ballard by Henry Bird. The shooting occurred in a cabin and Bird was then shot down by Lee Dubois, a son, who was waiting outside for his father. Bird was not fatally wounded.

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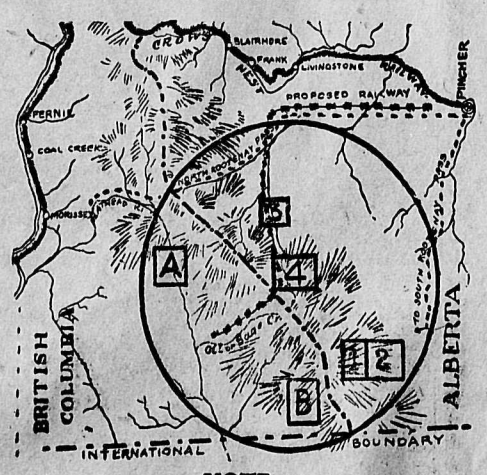

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Oil is a better investment for Canadians today than Standard Oil stock was for Americans 25 years ago; since then some are worth $1,000,000,000.00, others $1,000,000.00, and many more their hundreds of thousands.

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Canada is using 25,000 barrels of oil daily.

The C. P. R. to oil its cars just once requires 1,088,000 pounds of grease.

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A well producing four barrels here is equal to one producing 40 barrels in California, because of quality of oil, bounty, freight, etc.

Few People Realize the Magnitude of the Oil Industry

Facts are facts and figures don't lie.

The Home Oil Company shares started at $1 have advanced to $5,000.00 a share.

The Union Oil Company shares started at $1 have advanced to $1,500.00 a share.

The New York Oil Company shares started at 50 cents have advanced to $200.00 a share.

The Pacific Oil Company shares started at 50 cents have advanced to $150.00 a share.

Compare an Investment In Oil With Any Other Line of Investment In the World. It Has No Equal. Why?

Oil is Nature's richest gift, more valuable than fine gold. Why? It's actual and necessary. It costs one-fourth of a cent a gallon to produce it and it sells here for about 40 cents a gallon. From the crude oil is made 137 oils and greases and more than 2000 drugs.

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One of our drillers, A. O. Hepler, states that before the casing had been placed so far below the seepage as to cut it off, from one-half to two barrels came up every time they used the sand pump, and when changing the tools there is still some coming up.

We are down over 900 feet, drilling in oil-bearing sandstone and our contractor and drillers, all of whom have bought stock, think we are foolish to place any stock on the market at $1.00 as the success of the company is assured and stock should be worth $10 to $15 a share in the next few months.

Dr. Dawson's Predictions Will Be Fulfilled Too Soon For Some. Will You Get Your Share?

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Tunisian.....April 18 Victorian.....April 24
DOMINION LINE—FROM PORTLAND.
Dominion....March 28 Kensington....April 11
AMERICAN LINE—FROM NEW YORK
Friesland.....April 4 Noordland....April 11
ANCHOR LINE
(From New York)
Algeria .....April 4 Calabria .....April 18
RED STAR LINE—From New York
Kroonland ....April 4 Finland .....April 11
ATLANTIC TRANSPORT
Mesaba .....April 11 Minnetonka...April 14
CUNARD LINE—FROM NEW YORK.
Mauretania....April 1 Lucania .....April 8
WHITE STAR LINE—From NEW YORK
Celtic .....April 2 Baltic .....April 8
FRENCH LINE—From New York
La Savoie ....April 2 La Provence....Apl. 9
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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Mrs. Van der Griff is leaving this morning for Halifax.

Work is progressing rapidly upon the erection of the new power line of the Canada Zinc company.

The temperature yesterday varied between 53 and 33 degrees, the warmest day as yet experienced this season.

The melodrama "No Mother to Guide Her" will play a return date at the opera house Wednesday, April 8.

A good deposit of blue clay has been struck at Erie and if circumstances prove favorable a brickyard will be established.

A special meeting of the Fruit Growers' association will be held in the court house on the evening of Friday, April 10 at 8 o'clock. It is important that all members should attend. Some interesting business will come up including a discussion on how to grow different kinds of fruit.

Chas. A. Waterman has returned from Trail where he has been selling off by auction the merchandise of the Gill estate.

Some of the Sikhs are taking up some land with a view of taking up dairy work.

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Friday, April 17 .....Empress of Britain
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METALS

New York, April 2—Silver, 55 1-8; electrolytic copper, 12 7-8 and 13.

London, April 2—Silver, 25 1-2; lead, £14 2s. 6d.

April 2—Closing quotations on the new York curb and Spokane exchange, reported by Mighton and Cavanaugh:

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Coal	$ .15	$ .30
B. C. Copper	4.50	4.87½
Chas. Dickens	.17	.19
Can. Con. Smelters	71.00	76.00
Copper King	.3¾	.3⅞
Dominion Copper	2.00	2.12½
Galbraith Coal	.20	.28
Gertie	.4	.4⅛
Granby	92.00	100.00
Hecla	3.00	4.50
International Coal	.65	.72
Kendal	1.00	1.20
Missoula Copper	.10¾	.12
Nabob	.3⅛	.4¼
Oom Paul	.6	.7½
Panhandle Smelter	.6¼	.6⅝
Rambler-Cariboo	.25	.27½
Rex	.13	.18
Snowshoe	.13	.18
Snowstorm	2.12	2.19
Sullivan	.1⅛	.1½
Sullivan Bonds	50.00	67.50
Stewart	.75	.87½
Tamarack-Chesapeake	.30	1.00

OPENING COPPER QUOTATIONS
(Reported by McDermid and McHardy)

	Asked	Bid
Granby	100	90
Dominion Copper	2¼	2
Granby	95	90

As the Sikhs understand how to keep milk in a tropical climate without the use of formaldehyde, objected to by babies, it is possible they may make a welcome success.

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

The standing of the different captains in the bowling tournament at the Alice rink up to last night is as follows. The total number of games to be playtd by each is 3, therefore the team in the best standing is that captained by Boyer, the second being that of Thomas:

	Won	Lost
Wells	6	12
Moe	12	15
Sharp	8	10
Falconer	17	13
Oulmette	8	19
Boyer	19	11
Williamson	17	10
Brown	13	11
Thomas	16	8
Campbell	16	17
Patrick	12	12
Dangerfield	15	15

CRESTON NOTES

(Special to The Dal'y News)

Creston, April 2—Rev. Mr McCray preached his farewell sermon in the Presbyterian church here last Sunday evening and has left for his new post at Moyie. He is succeeded here by Rev. M. Munro.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Baker left Erickson today for their ranch in Alberta where he will spend the summer.

Mr. Miller, C.P.R. night operator at Frank, has been transferred to S rdar.

The westbound train yesterday was held at Kitchener for five hours owing to a freight car having jumped the rails, a wrecker sent out from Cranbrook, finally cleared the track.

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Martin Ivens, John Philbert.

G. A. Hunt, near Kitchener, has closed his mill for a short time and his partner, Mr. Burgess, has gone east on a trip. They have shipped a large quantity of piling and ties during the last few months but have now finished up all their contracts.

CHAMBERLAIN'S HAS THE PREFERENCE

Mr. Fred C. Hanrahan, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va., says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the greatest patent medicines on the market. I handle some others for the same purposes that pay me a larger profit, but this remedy is so sure to effect a cure, and my customers so certain to appreciate my recommending it, that I give it the preferences." For sale by all druggists and dealers.

Look out for Auction sale at the rooms 304 Baker street, Thursday afternoon, April 2, at 2:30; continued every evening at 7:30 to 9 o'clock until goods are sold. J. Green & Co., Auctioneers. 293-2

E. O. Windsor, the well known expert piano tuner is in town. Leave orders at the Canada Drug and Book store. 282-tf

If you want any building or repair work, Phone A173 and estimates on contracts or jobbing will be cheerfully furnished by McDonald and Williams. Shop, 711 Vernon St., near Exhibition building. P. O. Box, 367. 271—t.f.

"ONE TOUCH OF NATURE MAKES THE WHOLE WORLD KIN."

When a rooster finds a big fat worm he calls all the hens in the farm yard to come and share it. A similar trait of human nature is to be observed when a man discovers something exceptionally good—he wants all his friends and neighbors to share the benefits of his discovery. This is the touch of nature that makes the whole world kin. This explains why people who have been cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy write letters to the manufacturers for publication, that others similarly ailing may also use it and obtain relief. Behind every one of these letters is a warm hearted wish of the writer to be of use to someone else. This remedy is for sale by all druggists and dealers.

Fruit Lands
$1500—60 acres, frontage on Arrow Lake, good bottom land. For a few days only, $1500. One-half cash.
$2000—155 acres two one-half miles from Waneta, 100 acres good fruit land. A snap at the price, $2000. Easy terms.
$1500—30 acres, Crawford Bay. Choice plot, $1500. One-third cash. Balance easy.
$5000—147 acres 5 miles from Nelson; improved; close to railroad, post office and store, $5000. Terms arranged.
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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulation

ANY available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt of British Columbia may be homesteaded by any persons 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 ituate. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of an intending homesteader.

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

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Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Nelson at their next meeting held thirty days after date hereof, for a transfer of the retail license now held by me for the Strathcona hotel, situate on Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in Block 12, Nelson, B.C., to the Strathcona Hotel Company.

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JOINS ISSUE WITH SECRETARY ON SOME POINTS

Martin Burrell of Grand Forks sends The Daily News a welcome contribution on fruit growing in Kootenay and in reproducing Mr. Burrell's letter, attention is again called to the fact that correspondence *on fruit culture and all that appertains to* the industry is cordially invited by The Daily News and special attention is directed to the announcement published yesterday that answers to correspondents, kindly supplied by Roy C. Brock, secretary of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association will be a feature of the *Sunday* issue of this paper, wherein replies will be given to all queries sent in on fruit growing. Mr. Burrell's letter is dated at Grand Forks, April 1 and reads as follows:

My attention has been directed to an interview with R. C. Brock, published in your yesterday's issue, the main subject of which was the question of varieties of apples which are desirable to plant from *a commercial point of view.*

The directors of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association are to be congratulated on having secured the services of so practical and energetic a man as Mr. Brock and I do not doubt that his engagement will result in much good to the members of the *association. I trust you will, however,* permit me space to comment on one or two points raised by him. In an experience of horticulture now extending over 25 years I do not know of a more debatable subject than this very question of varieties. The most practical growers are continually changing their minds, partly because the taste of the various markets change and partly because the behavior of certain varieties is so different in one locality as compared with another. In this connection Mr. Brock showed both discretion and wisdom in his address of last Saturday week, in saying he would prefer not to pronounce on suitable varieties for the Kootenays until he had seen how certain kinds of fruit behaved under Kootenay climatic and soil conditions.

I have not time to go into all the questions raised by Mr. Brock in this interview though I might say in passing that, while his warning as to overplanting fall varieties is well timed, yet one has to remember that there is a season of some two months when the great markets of the northwest will always demand an apple fit to use, and when our long keeping varieties are certainly not at their best. This want can be well filled by Wealthy, Gravenstein and *Mackintosh Red, all excellent sorts,* and though it may be true that we cannot ship such kinds as far as England it is undoubtedly true that we can ship them in excellent condition to the prairies. I would also add that I would prefer not to pollenize with Ben Davis inasmuch as, though I know that old variety has been overabused, yet it has such an unmistakably bad name that I do not think it would be wise for a man to go heavily into it when he might pollenize with something better.

It is, however, with Mr. Brock's remarks anent the Wagener and Jonathan that I wish to deal for a moment. Of the eight varieties which he mentions he places these two as the least desirable. He says they *are not up to the standard for keeping and* "make poor stocks for grafting, being slow growers."

First, as to their keeping qualities, I am sending you by this mail a specimen of Wagener grown here which is sufficient answer as to its keeping qualities, this specimen with hundreds more having been stored in the cellar in the ordinary way. (Kindly keep your teeth out of it, Mr. Edi*tor, until Mr. Brock has seen it.)* The Wagener originated in New York state over 70 years ago and has not only proved itself in the matter of flavor, but is in high regard both for its productiveness, early bearing habits and excellent keeping quality, and will outlast the Spy which is *not as a rule a good keeper in British Col*umbia. I think it would also outkeep the Rome Beauty, which, while excellent as to tree, and a fine shaped and good keeping apple, is occasionally deficient in color and cannot be compared for a moment to the Wagener in quality

As to the Jonathan it is one of our most highly flavored apples, beautiful in appearance and an early and heavy bearer, keep*ing fairly well through the winter and* being eatable over a longer season than, for instance, Spy. On all grounds the *Wagener and Jonathan* should I think be, marked commercially before, not after, Rome Beauty, Spy and Red Creeked Pippin.

Wagener and Jonathan, Mr. Brock says, "are least desirable to plant because they are poor stocks for grafting." It will not do to labor this point. There used to be a type of farmer in the east who preferred a milch cow of the beef type so that when her milking days were *done she would* realize something decent at the butchers'. Wise men stuck to the first class milking breeds believing that they made infinitely more through the long years of milk production than they lost by not having a big "beef critter" at the close of the animal's *life. Jonathan and Wagener* are too well tested to discard them because they are not ideal stocks for grafting other sorts on. None of us, I am aware, can afford to dogmatise on this old, old question. Mr. Brock's advice and knowledge will, I am sure, be of great value to Kootenay growers even now, and will be still more valuable, I doubt not, when he gains a fuller experience of the conditions which *govern the splendid country which he has,* happily for us, come to reside in.

(Unfortunately for Mr. Burrell's Wagener sample, referred to in the above letter, the editor investigated it at breakfast yesterday, before Mr. Brock had a chance to see it, Mr. Burrell's letter not having been *carefully read at the time. With apologies* to Mr. Brock and Mr. Burrell, won't the latter kindly send another specimen, or better still, a box?)

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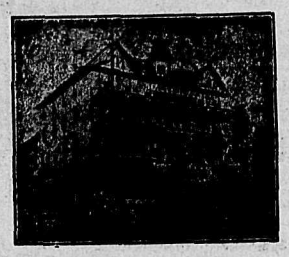

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Thos. Madden, Prop. Baker St.

Well Furnished Rooms With Bath
Best Board in the City

A COMFORTABLE HOME

MADDEN—J. Ferguson, Moyie; A. W. Gilston, H. R. Townsend, 13-Mile; J. Nicholson, F. Pelton, Kaslo; J. Fowler and family; A. Penkits, Pilot Mound; J. Cameron, Westley; R. H. Smith, Nakusp; L. Rinker, Burton.

SHERBROOKE—G. R. Kingston, B. Farrer, Cranbrook; H. L. Medlicott, T. Jones, F. Merly, G McDonald, Fernie; R G. Jackson; S. Dart, C. Reid, Frank; C. B. Bestwick, Blairmore; H. C. Chesterton; B. McNeal, Grand Forks; L R. Renond, Montreal

SILVER KING—F. Jackson, F. aBleman, D. Moir, Milford; S. Roswell, G. Smith, Priest River; D. Ritchie, Fall River; J. Reid, Concord.

Grand Central Hotel

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

American and European Plans
J. A. ERICKSON

GRAND CENTRAL—S. A McPhee, Trail; A. A. Vernon, E. A. Baurman, Cranbrook; J. McInnis, Phoenix; J. A. Miller, Kaslo; A. Peterson, Sandon; J. D. Petty, W. R. Green, H. A. LeRoy, Seattle; L M Mansell, Howser

HUME—D. P. Kane, Kaslo; Miss Ward, 9-Mile; S. Ross, Salmo; J. W. Collis, A. Marshall, C. M. Jones, A. C. Aefed, F. Caxton, S. W. Rawson, Vancouver; D. S. Eaton, Victoria; L Lashbrook, London; E. Mallendaine, S. A. Speers, J. F. Rose, Creston; H. Donnan and wife, Mayfield; A. B. Scann, J. P. Mason, Winnipeg; D. Stevens, New York; N. M. McIntosh and wife, Grand Forks.

KOOTENAY—M. Wilson, H. Smith, Kokanee; D. Johnstone, D. W. Sutton, Winnipeg; A. Cummings, Slocan; C. M. Garvin, Kalispell; G. H. Watson, Winnipeg.

LAKEVIEW—G. ..Northrum, J. H. Harrison, R. Bothe, Erie; J. Reis, Salmo.

BARTLETT—HN Goodson, B. Mavrick, Rossland; T. Melby; R. Start, Cranbrook; NELSON—J. Gordon, F. B. Baxter, Spokane; H. Tuckett, Winnipeg; E. E. Smith, C. S Smith, E Jesse, Northport.

The Secret of Secrets

In Store Advertising

One of the wisest men wrote:

"Suffer any person to tell us his story, morning and evening, for but a twelve-month, and he will become our master!"

In the above sentence we have, in a nutshell, the innermost secret of successful advertising—frequency, and persistency, and unvarying continuity in the telling of the store or enterprise. There are other things to be said of successful advertising, but in the above quotation is found the real philosophy, the real secret,—

The Heart of the Whole Matter

When you wish success in your advertising campaign use

The Daily News

the paper with the largest circulation, and the best telegraphic and news service in the Kootenays.

LEGISLATURE OPENED

Regina, April 2—In the absence of lieutenant governor Forget, chief justice Wetmore formally opened the third session of the first Saskatchewan legislature at 3 o'clock this afternoon with the customary ceremony, the R.N.W.M.P. furnishing a guard of honor. Practically every member was in his place and premier Scott was warmly greeted by both sides of the house on his first official reappearance after his prolonged absence in Europe He is looking much better for the change.

The speech from the throne referred to the fact that notwithstanding the unfavorable conditions of last season the province had come through the year with credit and with its financial strength unimpaired. Reference was made to the steps toward securing and distributing an adequate supply of seed grain and emphasis was laid on the beneficent results to the province accruing from increased provincial subsidies following on the inter-provincial conference in Ottawa in 1906.

BURNS AND JOHNSON

London, April 2—Nealy, Tommy Burns' manager, sailed for New York on the Lusitania Saturday. He will try to arrange a match with Johnson and will place Burns' deposit of $2500, with $2500 additional. Burns says he will not allow the money to remain in the hands of the stakeholders for three months in order to give promoters a chance. He demands $30,000 as his share of the prize money, no matter what the result, and would prefer a fight of 45 rounds or to a finish. Arrangements are about completed for another contest in England in which Gunner Moir probably will be put up against Burns for a percentage of the gate receipts. The fight, if it is arranged will take place in one of the big football grounds and the price of admission range from one shilling upwards. That means probably 50,000 people will attend.

NEW G. T. P. TENDER

Montreal, April 2—F. W. Morse, vice-president annd general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway returned to the city today from Winnipeg. He said invitations have no wheen sent out for tenders for a further stretch of the G.T.P., 179 miles west fom Wolf creek, which will take the line well into the Rocky mountains, 50 miles in fact west of Yellowhead Pass. This contract is divided into three sections of 40, 60 and 79 miles. It is expected that the contract will be awarded in June so that the work may be pushed well ahead during the present season.

ARBITRATOR APPOINTED

Kingston, April 2—James Stewart of this city, has been appointed by the department of labor to consider and settle the dispute between the Seamen's union and ship owners in regard to wages. Mr. Stewart is thoroughly posted on marine matters.

BUILDING PERMITS

Toronto, April 2—Building permits issued by the city architect for the first quarter of this year show a falling off of $2,500,000 as compared with the same period last year

PROHIBIT CIGARETTES

DISCUSSION ON SUBJECT IN THE COMMONS

W. A. GALLIHER'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE TOPIC

An interesting debate took place in the commons the other day on the subject of cigarette smoking by boys. It arose over the following resolution, moved by R. Blain (Peel):

"That the object of good government is to promote the general welfare of the people by a careful encouragement and protection of whatever makes for the public good; and by an equally careful discouragement and suppression of whatever tends to the public disadvantage.

"That the smoking of cigarettes has been proved by overwhelming testimony to be productive of serious physical and moral injury to young people; impairing health, arresting development, weakening intellectual power and thus constituting a social and national evil.

"That the legislation, licensing and restricting the sale of cigarettes has not proven sufficient to prevent these evils, which will continue while the public sale of the cause of the mischief is permitted to go on.

"That this house is of the opinion, for the reasons heretofore set forth, that the right and most effectual remedy for these evils is to be found in en enactment and enforcement of a law prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes; and that it is expedient to bring in a bill at this session to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes."

Mr. W. A. Galliher (Kootenay)—Mr. Speaker, I do not want to give a silent vote on this resolution. I am one of those who believe that the practice of smoking cigarettes by young people is certainly injurious. On the other hand, I think there are other things that have to be considered in connection with the resolution proposed by the hon. member for Peel (Mr. Blain) which, of course, is very far reaching in its character. We have for many years had cigarettes imported, manufactured and consumed in Canada. People have entered into the business and there has been nothing unlawful in carrying it on. They have invested probably large sums of money in the business. Now, there is another feature. I am not very much in favor of what may be termed paternal legislation. I am quite willing to support any measure whether brought in by a private member or not—although I have some doubts as to whether he is at liberty to bring in such a measure—to make it an offense to sell or give cigarettes to any one under the age of 18 years. Further than that, I do not think I am prepared to go. The amendment of my hon. friend from Essex (Mr. Clarke) does not go far enough.

Mr. Blain—May I ask the hon. gentleman (Mr. Galliher) how far legislation in his own province goes?

Mr. Galliher—That is a point that I was just going to mention. Our province is one in which a man who would sell to a boy would not be punished as a result of the adoption of the amendment of the hon. member for Essex.

Mr. Clarke—Well, I will amend it in order to meet that point.

Mr. Galliher—If we introduce legislation here that will prohibit the sale or gift to a boy under 18 years of age and impose a good heavy penalty for the infraction of that law; I am prepared to support such a bill. But, to go to the extent of saying that a grown man, who, after all, should be capable of judging for himself, shall be subjected to a penalty or should not be permitted if he so desires to smoke cigarettes, is to adopt a form of legislation that I for one do not agree with. I believe it is to a certain extent interfering with the liberty of the subject. If we cannot prevent the wholesale smoking of cigarettes by young boys in any other way then I am preparerd to go to that extent. At all events, I think we should make a trial and see if we cannot stamp out the evil by the method which I suggest. I look upon it as an evil. I would be sorry indeed to see my own boy, who is 15 years of age, smoking cigarettes. In fact, I do not like to see the child of any parent smoking cigarettes because I believe they are injurious to him both bodily and mentally. When a man comes to mature years I do not think that we should legislate to restrict him in regard to what he should smoke, whether he should smoke tobacco in a pipe or a cigar or a cigarette. If we cannot by intermediate legislation, if I may so term it, stamp out this evil, as it affects our young people, then, as a last resort, I will be prepared to go as far as the resolution of my hon. friend from Peel. I think we might safely in the first place confine it to boys up to 18 years of age in stead of 16, because a boy will have become a little more mature in his mind and developed in his body as well, and if we find that such an act strictly enforced and providing good heavy penalties for either the sale or gift of cigarettes to boys does not reach the end that I believe everybody in the house desires to see reached in so far as young people are concerned we can take the matter up again and go to a greater extent.

Potatoes for Sale

I have ten carloads of potatoes for immediate shipment. For prices and particulars, address

C. P. RIEL, Creston, B. C.

Ever Ready Dry Batteries

Type "J"

We have just received a shipment of these FAMOUS BATTERIES.

Specially built for

Launch Work

J. H. Ringrose

Electrical Supplies

Phone A 227. Box 155.

NELSON, B. C.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Hay, Wheat and Oats

I have choice upland prairie hay to offer in carload lots, also choice Alberta feed and Wheat and Oats. I will gladly give delivered prices whenever requested, either by telegram or mail

D. C. HOFFMAN

CALGARY, ALTA.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Binns May, late of the City of Nelson, in the County of Kootenay, deceased, who died on the 19th day of February, 1907, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned executor and trustee under the will of the said Thomas Binns May, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 7th day of April, 1908, the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the undersigned will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., the 16th day of March, 1908.

EDWARD A. CREASE,
of Griffin Block, Nelson, B.C., Executor of the said Thomas Binns May.

We Sell the Same Goods for Less Money — One Price for Everybody and That the Lowest

Store opens daily at 8 a.m. **MEAGHER'S** Store closes at 6 p.m.

Good For Today Only

50 Ladies' Rain Coats At Cost

This extraordinary bargain is good for today only. They're here in all wearable colors, such as Fawn, Light Grey and Oxford, some 7-8 length and some full length. Today's prices:

$7.50 coats for $4.90
$10.00 coats for $6.90
$12.50 coats for $9.75
$14.00 coats for $11.00
$18.00 coats for $12.90

100 New Skirts

The season's best goods. Perfect fitting, well made and excellent quality of cloth besides having a style that you'll find in no others. These are the qualities that have boosted the sale of our skirts. All the leading shades, such as Brown, Navy, Fawn, Green, Black and Garnet.

At $3.50, $4.50, $5.00, $6.50 to $20.00 Each

MEAGHER & CO.

For Sale

50 ft. corner Houston St. ..$375.00
200 ft. corner, three blocks from car line $1000.00
25 ft. Victoria St. $200.00
25 ft. Carbonate St. $175.00

Fairview

120 ft. corner, near lake, half block from car line. Part land under cultivation. Excellent soil $800.00
60 feet on cara line; good location $400.00
5 acres on wagon road near Nelson; cabin; part cultivated with trees (cherry)
Also several houses and cottages at reasonable prices.

F. B. LYS,

REAL ESTATE AGENT
315 Baker St.

FOR SALE

Two choice blocks land, situate on the West Arm of Kootenay Lake about nine miles from Nelson, each containing 20 acres. From three to four acres cleared on each piece. Ample water supply for all purposes; also good lake front.

One lot has 100 bearing Peach trees

Terms, 1-3 cash, balance in one and two years, with interest at 7 per cent.

Price, $130.00 per acre, survey $20.00.

FULL INFORMATION OF

R. J. STEEL

Real Estate and Insurance.
Room 7, Hudson's Bay Block, Nelson.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of an application for the issue of a Duplicate Certificate of Title to an undivided one-half of lots seven and Eight, block eight, Town of Silverton (Map 754.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of the Certificate of Title of the above mentioned lands in the name of Charles McNichol, which Certificate is dated the 3rd of October, 1906 and numbered 6125 A.

H. F. MACLEOD,
District Registrar

283-30

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., March 18th, 1908.

MUNICIPAL CLAUSES ACT

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the buildings, structures, erections or excavations particularly specified in the schedule hereunder written, and situated on the lots herein particularly mentioned have by resolution of the Council of the Municipality of the City of Rossland, been declared to be nuisances and dangerous to the public health and safety.

And it was ordered in and by the said resolution that the same should be removed, pulled down, filled up or otherwise dealt with by the owner, agent, lessee or occupant, so as to abate such nuisance and danger.

And it was further ordered in and by the same resolution that the publication of this notice for a period of five days in The Nelson Daily News be good and sufficient service of the said resolution and order upon such owner, agent, lessee or occupant; and in case of the default of such owner, agent, lessee or occupant to comply with said order within such period of five days; it was further ordered in and by the same resolution that such buildings, structures, erections or excavations be removed, pulled down, filled up or otherwise dealt with by the City Foreman at the cost of such owner, and that payment of such costs and all expenses incidental thereto shall be enforced against the said owner, by such officer in an action in any court of competent jurisdiction.

SCHEDULE

Two unoccupied wooden buildings on Lot 17, Block 2, Old Townsite.

Two unoccupied wooden buildings on Lot 13, Block 2, Old Townsite.

One unoccupied wooden building on the rear of Lot 3, Block 22, Old Townsite. On this lot there is also an excavation about six feet in depth, which is ordered to be filled in.

One unoccupied wooden building on Lot 14, Block 41, Old Townsite.

One unoccupied wooden building on Lot 13, Block 26, Old Townsite.

On Lot 16, Block 16, Railway Addition there is a quantity of loose material, rubbish and the foundation of an old building once destroyed by fire, which is also ordered to be removed, the same being a nuisance and dangerous to public health and safety.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1908, being the day of the date of the first publication of this notice.

J. F. COLLINS, City Clerk.
Rossland, B.C.

Do You Live in the City of IF?

The city of IF is the Babylon of the modern world. Its population consists of the majority of people who live on earth. It is a world-wide city—a city of limitless boundaries, limitless limitations.

If you live in any part of the city of If you are apt to have for neighbors some members of the PERHAPS family, and their poor relations, the Forlorn Hopes: These people are a poor sort of neighbors. Then there are the Maybe folks, and the Notyets, the B. Carefuls, the Goslows, and the Cautious and Timid families. They are a gloomy company—a company of "ALMOSTS," of people who just miss doing things and getting things.

If you have been sharing the lots and lives of such people as these—if you have been missing opportunities and chances of success all your life—isn't it time that you MOVED?

To get out of this city of IF is not so hard a task as it may seem. It requires a small amount of "nerve," of "back-bone," of "git-up-and-git," and some "gumption." And it requires something more—the rational use of a little advertising space. Publicity will sell all of your property in the city of IF; it will enable you to move to the town of HUSTLE, or to the town of ENTERPRISE, where you will have better neighbors—such people as the CLIMBERS, the EXCELSIORS, the MONEYTONS, the NEVER QUITS, the WINOUTS—all folks who live well and in an atmosphere of good cheer and healthy content.

Advertising Will Get You Out of the City of IF—There Is no "If" About It.

"Have to change my advt. again today," said a Nelson merchant yesterday, "the goods I advertised the day before were all disposed of one hour after the store opened in the morning."

The above is simply an example of what Advertising in

The Daily News

is doing for others. It can benefit you.

For Sale

Twenty acres in Crawford Bay. Price $60.00 per acre; $600.00 cash, balance in two years at 6 per cent.

For sale: 22-ft. launch with 3 1-2 H. P. engine; awning; all in first class condition; speed, 8 1-2 miles per hour.

Price for launch and boathouse, $360.00.

H. E. Croasdaile & Co.
P. O. Box 626 Nelson, B. C.

"Unequalled for domestic use."

GALT COAL

W. P. Tierney, Gen. Sales Agent
NELSON, B. C.
Cars shipped to all railway points.

O T S

in all parts of the City and Suburb. Prices from $75.00 and upwards according to location.

F. B. LYS
Real Estate Agent 315 Baker St.

Good Dry Cedar And Tamarack WOOD

Also

GOOD COAL

How about moving? We are equipped with the best of facilities for moving Safes, Furniture and Pianos.

CITY TRANSFER

Phone 179. West Baker St.

SHERMAN'S OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY
Wednesday, April 8th
RETURN ENGAGEMENT

No Mother to Guide Her

An Interesting Melodrama—Clean, Pure and Moral

Miss Jeanette Carew as Bunco

Special Scenery and Specialties
Price 50c, 75c, and $1.00
Sale at Rutherford's Tuesday.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

K. L. Burnett left for the coast last night.

L. E. Esten, the conservative organizer, arrived in the city last night.

The next session of the Churchmen's club is proposed to be a spelling bee.

B. Company association, R.M.R. will hold a meeting in the armory at 7:30 tonight.

On April 2, 1908, at Nelson, born to the wife of Dr. W. Harpur Willson, a son.

Born, in this city on April 2, to the wife of A. L. Hamilton, Hendryx street, a son.

Born, at the Home hospital, on March 30, to the wife of AbrhamFlann, a son.

Inspector Ayer of the C.P.R., is in this part of his district looking over the dining car service.

The billiard table was removed from the Strathcona hotel in preparation for the new changes.

Catches of trout are becoming larger as the season advances and the weather gets warmer, one fisherman reporting a basket of 19 for yesterday afternoon's sport.

At the regular meetng of the local Nest of Owls this evening owlet Charlie Swanson will initiate a new member of the horned variety lately trapped in the mountains near Nelson.

Postmaster D. P. Kane of Kaslo, who is in the city, said last night that the postal revenue of Kaslo for the financial year ending March 31, shows an increase of 20 per cent over the preceding year.

R. C. Brock, speaking of the common trees infected by scale and aphis, wishes not to be misunderstood. There is a loose way of talking which confounds the cottonwood with the poplar. Now neither the Lombardy poplar nor the silver leaf maple is liable to insect pest. On the other hand cottonwoods, alder and willows are. Mr. Brock recommends the destruction or the spraying of all the latter class of trees in the vicinity of gardens or orchards.

Last evening in the Klondyke hotel Miss Ivy Ltonia Hayden of Cranbrook was married to Alfred Andrew Kvamme of Moyie. Rev. J. T. Ferguson was the officiating clergyman.

The regular meeting of Court Kootenay Bell, C.O.F., will be held in the K.P. hall tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend as important business will be transacted.

H. L. Lindsay, the boatman yesterday sold half a dozen Peterboro canoes to A. D. McKay of Kaslo, who is opening a boat livery in the northern lake city, making the second boat house now in that city.

N. M. McIntosh arrived from Grand Forks with his bride last evening. Mr. McIntosh was formerly with the Ashdown Hardware company here and was a prominent oarsman during his residence in this city.

W. A. Anstie, secretary of the Mountain Lumbermen's association, has engaged to get together a representative exhibit of the products of the large industry he represents at the forthcoming fair at Calgary. W. G. Gillett will contribute to this exhibit some Nelson turned carpentry work.

The Standard mine at Silverton is working a force of about 30 men and is progressing favorably. While no new ore bodies of any extent, as yet proven, have been encountered, yet the general aspect of the mine warrants an average shipment to the smelters during the season.

Four young Englishmen have purchased from H. L. Lindsay 160 acres of ranching land situated two miles south of Gray creey in the Crawford bay district. The land is easily cleared and the new purchasers have taken up lumber to build a residence. The new owners will go in for fruit ranching.

H. Skoning and F. P. Drummond are in from the Salmo district where, in company with several others they have been working the Mother Lode on lease for the last two months. They both are very well satisfied with the results of their work and entertain a high opinion of the possibilities of the distrct.

A perfectly truthful prospector by the name of James, reports a peculiar accident on Tuesday on Sheep creek. Two horses were rawhiding down the hill. The first stopped at an obstacle, getting free of his hide. The second avoided the obstacle but his hide tripped the horse which had been preceding, threw him upon the hide and was carried down the hill upon it before ing stopped by Truthful James.

There was a successful meeting of the Sons of England lodge last night when final arrangements were decided upon for a St. George's banquet which is to be held at the Hotel Strathcona on April 23. A question came up about the recent publication in London of an alleged Montreal advertisement in which it was stated that "no Englishmen need apply." The general sense was that it would be undignified to take any notice of the matter, which the world has shown carried with it the refutation of the implied imputation.

Questions are being asked as to what if any is the difference between Sikhs and Hindus. India is a continent in an ethnological sense, if not geographical. It is slightly smaller than Europe and has a slightly less numerous population. But the races dwelling in India are as distinct as those in Europe. There are more different languages, disregarding dialects, spoken in India than in Europe. There are more different alphabets in India than in Europe, the languages often not belonging to the same family as for instance those in Europe derived from the Latin. There are four religions at least. The chief are in point of numbers the Hindu, Muhammedan, the Buddhist and the Sikh. The last named is really a military religious sect of comparative recent origin, no older than Protestantism. The professors are Punjabis though not all Punjabis are Sikhs, most being Muhammedan. The bulk of the Indians are Hindus in religion though there are many convert Muhammedans. Speaking very generally the races of northern India are Aryan, or of the same origin as the European type. Their religion is mostly Muhammedan. From these people the Indian army is mostly recruited. The Hindus are usually not of Aryan descent, the typical Hindu being the Bengali and the Tamil whose language is not understood by the Punjabi, the Sikh Punjabi, the Urdu or the Gurkha. The last are mountaineers of the Himalayas and are more nearly allied to the Chinese than to any race in India. The Buddhists are confined mostly to Ceylon, Burma and Tibet.

Boys' Stylish Suits

Lion Brand, double seats, knees and elbows. Also Progress Brand. Good assortment just arrived. Norfolk two-piece, Norfolk 4 in 1, or three-piece suits. Nice patterns, stylish at right prices.

J. H. WALLACE
MEN'S OUTFITTER

$1200—Eighteen acres at Slocan Junction; good soil; good settlement. Three trains each way. Easy clearing. Easy terms.

$75 per acre—40-acre blocks at Procter Narrows; lake frontage of 650 feet each; easy clearing.

$25 per acre—195 acres facing on Crawford bay; half a mile of water front; adjoining an old established orchard; good cordwood and tie timber on the upper branch; plenty of water. Easy terms.

$25 per acre—158 acres on Kootenay Lake close to the Blue Bell mine. The clearing on the west side is light and on the east is a valuable supply of cordwood and tie timber. The soil is good.

H.&M.BIRD

NELSON, B.C.

GARDEN TOOLS

We are prepared to fill your order for all requisites in this line. We carry in stock the following, and at prices that cannot be equalled:

PLANET, JR. CULTIVATORS
BUCO CULTIVATORS
PLOWS. Single and Double Horse.
SPADES, SHOVELS, HOES, RAKES, SPRAYERS, ETC.

Low Prices Prompt Services

The J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co., Ltd.
NELSON BRANCH

FRENCH STOCK PATTERN
LIMOGES CHINA
SETS FROM
$35.00 TO $50.00
OLD CURIOSITY SHOP
Josephine Street

Bargains at China Hall

We are overcrowded with China and are going to get rid of it at any price.

Fancy China of every description, 10 cents up.

Glassware, Lamp Goods, Toilet Ware, Jardineres, etc., etc.

Best Quality, Biggest Snaps, ever offered in Nelson.

Get in while there is plenty to choose from.

Munro & Nelson
Phone A261. P. O. Box 588.

Fruit Land for Sale

800 acres, Cottonwood Creek, $10.00 per acre.
400 acres, Pass Creek, $20.00 per acre.
206 acres, Columbia River, $10.00 per acre.
118 acres, 49-Creek, $35.00 per acre.
11 acres, Blue Bell, $350.00 per acre.

THE CABINET CIGAR STORE
G. B. Matthew, Prop. Baker St.

NEW BOOKS

THE BARRIER, by Rex Beach, author of "The Spoilers" $1.50
MARCIA SCHUYLER, by G. L. H. Lutz 1.50
DISINHERITED, by Stella M. During 1.50
COME AND FIND ME, by Elizabeth Robins, paper ..... .75
THE METROPOLIS, by Upton Sinclair 1.25
Another shipment of "Social Unrest" and "Socialism."

CANADA BOOK & DRUG Company

Old Gold and Silver Bought

Old fashioned jewelry repaired, remodeled or reconstructed into new and up-to-date designs.

A Few Suggestions

Make your old gold into a fine Signet Ring, ladies' or gentlemen's size, beautifully carved, or into a brooch set with inexpensive semi-precious gems. They cost little and are very nice.

Emblems and Jewels

of all kinds made to order. We are making new designs in Owls' and Eagles' Rings. A new lot of beautiful pieces of Jewelry of our own manufacture are on exhibtion in our window.

J.O.PATENAUDE

Manufacturing Jeweler, Watchmaker and Optican.

A CHOICE HOME

Fine 7-room house. All modern, well laid out, large rooms, halls, big sun verandah; beautiful outlook; two lots; good garden and shrubs; excellent location, close in.

$2,500, Good Terms

WOLVERTON & CO., Baker Street

They're Here

13 CASES

Children's Shoes just received.
In patent leather.
Chocolate leather.
Red leather.
Slippers, Oxfords, Shoes.

We can fit any foot from the smallest up.

The Royal R. Andrew & Company

Easter Eggs

A large assortment of Easter Novelties: Chicks, Ducks, Geese, Bunnies, Birds and Fancy Baskets filled with eggs, Dove Eggs, Robin Eggs, Thrush Eggs, Ostrich Eggs, Chocolate Eggs; the most up to date line of Mechanical Easter Emblems. See our window display.

S. H. Seaney
Phone 206 Baker St.

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BAKER AND CONFECTIONER
Best Quality Cakes, Biscuits and Pastry.
Orders Carefully Executed.
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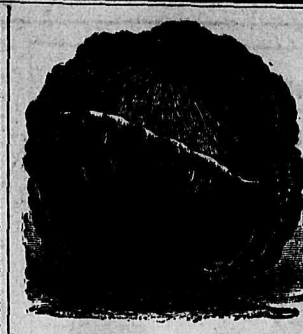

Seeds

Sutton's Early Drumhead Cabbage and Late Giant Drumhead in bulk. Invincible, Favorite, Savoy and Red Pickling in pkgs.

Walcheren Cauliflower in bulk and Walcheren and Autumn Mammoth in pkgs. Broccoli and Brussels Sprouts.

The Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd.

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of royal commissioner to investigate the charges made by the government's commission to look into conditions existing in the civil service. Should judge Cassels not accept, it is regarded as possible that G. F. Shepley, K.C., will be asked to take the royal commissionership.

SHOULD BE SPANKED

New York, April 2—The entire student body of New York university went on strike today and refused to attend their recitations, to voice a protest against the suspension of Alfred Young, president of the junior class. Young's suspension was the result of the hazing of Henry Block, a freshman, who was ducked in the campus fountain yesterday. Bloch has been unpopular and it is said that some of the students have asked his father to take him out of the university. After dean Snow announced at chapel today that Young should be suspended until the faculty meets on April 5, the students voted not to attend recitations until he was reinstated. Following that action every class room was deserted for the remainder of the day. The discipline committee of the faculty was in session this afternoon considering the case. Chancellor McCracken, head of the university, is in Europe, and his son, John McCracken, secretary of the university is acting chancellor during his absence.

SMALLPOX IN MAIL

Weston, April 2—Mrs. John Barker, wife of the postmaster here, was taken to the isolation hospital in Toronto yesterday, suffering from smallpox. She is supposed to have contracted the disease through the mail.

SCHOOL GIRL DROPS DEAD

Wingham, April 2—Minnie Schreck, 17 years old, dropped dead this morning while removing her rubbers in the cloak room of the school. Heart failure was the cause.

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LABOR TROUBLES

Hamilton, April 2—Local bricklayers have refused to accept a cut in wages.

St. Catherines, April 2—Workmen who have been engaged on the city streets for some weeks and who have been receiving a dollar a day from the citizens' relief committee have gone on strike, refusing to do any more corporation work unless paid the regular laborers' wages.

TO FIGHT IN CALGARY

Calgary, April 2—Lynn Truscott of Australia and Jimmy Potts of Minneapolis, two fast lightweights, have been matched to fight 15 rounds here on April 13.