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THE DOMINION

Provinces From Atlantic to Pacific

WHAT'S DOING IN CANADA

ITEMS OF INTEREST OCCURRING EAST AND WEST FROM COAST AND MOUNTAIN AND PRAIRIE SECTIONS—THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

MONTREAL, May 30—Mrs. Mainville Pierre, wife of a well known local contractor, accompanied by her four children left this evening on the Delaware & Hudson express for New York, in which city her father resides, for the purpose of paying him a short visit. When the train reached Rouse's Point, N.Y., it was boarded by the United States immigration inspector to whose questions Mrs. Pierre refused to reply and her answers were deemed unsatisfactory by the inspector. As a result Mrs. Pierre was refused admission to the United States and as she refused to leave the sleeper in which she had engaged berths, the railway was obliged to transfer the other passengers to another car. Mrs. Pierre remained in undisturbed possession of the sleeper all night and this morning was brought back to Montreal. Assistant commissioner Wallace of the United States immigration department, says the case is the queerest that has ever come to his notice, but he stands by the inspector who merely did his duty. The lady considered his questions impertinent but they were only put in the course of his duty which was to see that she was not likely to become a public charge.

TORONTO, May 30—According to the Ontario agricultural department's crop bulletin for the middle of May, the general tenor of all reports is favorable regarding fall wheat. Rye wintered even better than fall wheat. Reports of clover range from excellent to poor. Alsike is doing better than clover. As to vegetation the spring promised to open early, but cold weather prevailed later and delayed growth. Grass relatively is more advanced than tree growth. All sorts of live stock faced the winter with poor prospects of fodder supply, but have come through well, their general health being good. Fruit orchards came through well, having suffered less than usual from severe cold, storms, mice, etc. The spring seeding in the lake Erie district was almost completed by the middle of may and in some other western counties work also was well advanced although hindered somewhat by rain. In the eastern half of the province more particularly St. Lawrence and Ottawa counties, heavy rains have retarded seeding and much is yet to be done.

Forty-five moulders in the Moffatt stove works went on strike today against a reduction in piece work of about 20 per cent.

LONDON, May 30—Excessive heat in Perrin's confectionery factory caused a cat to go mad yesterday and in its violence it attacked two young women, Miss Poller and Miss Kissel, inflicting a number of scratches before it was killed The wounds were immediately cauterized. Hydrophobia has not yet developed although there is thought to be some danger of it.

OWEN SOUND, May 30—The cement handlers of the Northern Navigation Co. are on strike for increased wages.

VICTORIA, May 30—The provincial government is arranging to send parties to survey Porcher island at the mouth of the Skeena, the east bank of the Fraser, near Alkali lake, the land bordering on Iotsa and Francois lakes, the northern shore of Babine lake and the country immediately surrounding Blackwater and Clusclus lakes.

Advices have been received here that the Japanese liner Tango Maru of the Japanese Nippon Yusen line, bound from Yokohama for this port, is equipped with wireless apparatus and will be the first steamer to cross the Pacific able to communicate from sea. The local wireless telegraph companies have been notified to be on the watch for steamer signals.

Capt. Shadforth of the Canadian-Mexican steamer Lonsdale has resigned his command, following trouble with Capt. Worsnip, manager of the company. The Mexican authorities have informed Capt. Worsnip of the Canadian-Mexican line, that charges of opium smuggling from Victoria to Mexican ports are being made against the company's steamers and unless it ceases the steamers may be confiscated.

OTTAWA, May 30.—The Ottawa cheese board at its meeting this afternoon after having heard an address by J. R. Ruddick, the dairy commissioner, who spoke strongly against the practice of shipping green cheese, endorsed his remarks in the following resolution: "That the Ottawa cheese board disapproves of the practice of shipping green cheese and endorses the principle of cold storage and curing rooms at factories wherever possible."

REGINA, May 30.—The liquor men of the province presented a monster petition to the members of the government yesterday and addressed personal letters to each of the members of the legislature. The petition asks for a continuance of the present system of licensing and it is strongly against local option. It is signed by 16,878 names. Of these 9898 are farmers and ranchers, 4159 are business men and bankers, 337 are professional men, 2177 are artisans and 302 are travellers. The remaining 15 are clergymen. The licensed victualers point out that the vested interests of the members of the association amount to nearly eight million dollars and that they employ over 2000 hands.

TORONTO, May 30.—Serious damage was done to the Daly house during the severe storm this afternoon. Following a flash of lightning the flagpole was carried away and the top story so severely shaken that the ceiling fell. The guests were at dinner at the time and made a hasty exit from the building.

FREDERICTON, May 30.—While attending a theatrical performance this evening, Walter McFarlane, of the McFarlane-Thompson Mfg. Co., founders, dropped dead from heart disease. He was 70 years old.

HAMILTON, May 30.—Earl and countess Grey paid informal visits to Hamilton yesterday and returned to Toronto in the evening.

MONTREAL, May 30.—The vibration of an engine which was situated near a badly screwed pipe connected with a sprinkler in the building on Notre Dame street occupied by Lamontagne, Ltd., wholesale harness manufacturers, was responsible for much damage being done on the premises this morning. The continued vibration worked the screw loose and the water rushed out of the pipe, flooding six floors of the establishment. The damage done will run into the thousands.

Jenne Gauther, a 9-year-old girl, visiting friends on Orleans street today, was playing with the other children and was shot in the head by a revolver. The revolver was kept to shoot rats with and was found by one of the little ones.

REGINA, May 30.—The most remarkable growth of spring wheat in this district is that on the farm of D. J. McInnes, seven miles east of Regina. The grain there is 12 inches in length by measurement and the whole of a large field is uniformly high.

KENORA, May 30.—The annual regatta of the Kenora rowing club was held last evening. Eight boat crews entered and the heats were well contested. The course was half a mile and turn. In the final heat between J. Nevison and R. J. Rose the former won by a length and a half in 4:07.

OTTAWA, May 30.—An order in council has been passed declaring that no animal imported for the improvement of stock shall be admitted free into Canada unless the importer is a British subject and produces a certificate of record or pedigree.

Trouble Ahead

MICHEL, May 30—The striking miners all returned to work yesterday, following the decision arrived at at a meeting of the local union yesterday. The management of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company is firm about the dismissal of the leaders and declare they will not be reinstated.

LITTLE BOY DROWNED

J. W. H. HALLET DISAPPEARS AT BUSK'S RANCH

WAS FIRST MISSED THURSDAY EVENING

Two days ago it was announced that one of the English boys living at C. W. Busk's ranch was missing and it was feared he had been drowned. Subsequent events unfortunately prove the first rumor was correct and that another death is added to the roll taken by the waters of Kootenay lake.

Provincial constable Dodd, who is here from Arrowhead during the absence of chief constable Devitt, who took the convicted murdered Cedio to Kamloops, has returned to the city and states that he and special constable Archie Bishop have completed a thorough examination of the foreshore in front of C. W. Busk's ranch by dragging and by the explosion of dynamite shots but have not succeeded in recovering the body of the 13-year-old boy, J. W. Hallett, who is supposed to have been drowned on Thursday evening last.

The boy was known to be at the landing place, strictly against orders, at 6:15 p. m. It was his purpose to go that evening to a friend's place at the Molly Gibson landing, so no surprise was felt when he did not show up that night. But when he was found to be absent on Friday morning at 7 o'clock a search was instituted. His clothes were found on the landing, as if he had gone in bathing. There was a small raft and a loose paddle found in the bay and the presumption is that he used them, although he could not swim. As he was a careful boy and took a list of his clothes it was readily established that none were missing and that if he had gone elsewhere he must have done so in a state of nudity, which is not at all likely.

The boy was only out from England a few months.

New Coast Line

VICTORIA, May 30—It is reported that G. T. Simmons and company, a British steamship firm which operates the Canadian-Mexican line, may place a line of coasting steamers on the B.C. coast in connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific railway company.

IN FULL SWING

Boundary Mines all About to Open Up

BLUE BELL STARTS WORK

FULLY EQUIPPED WITH MODERN MACHINERY WILL BEGIN WITH ONE SHIFT TOMORROW—SHIPMENTS OF ORE DURING PAST WEEK.

PROVINCIAL LIBRARY.

The most noticeable feature in this week's mining report is the large increase at the B. C. Copper smelter, where the tonnage received is more than double that of the week previous. It is, however, not up to the capacity of the plant as yet, which capacity will probably not be attained for several weeks, to come, until everything has been got into good running order. The restarting of the Dominion Copper company's plant has been announced for June 15.

The state of transportation is still preventing the shipment of ore from the Slocan mines but it may be noted that the Blue Bell is starting tomorrow upon its regular run with one shift, the second to be added within the next week or so. The Blue Bell is now fitted up with modern machinery and will probably prove one of the largest shippers of both lead and zinc in the Slocan and Kootenay lake districts.

Following are the shipments for the past week and year to date:

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS

Mine	Week	Year
Granby	21,489	444,470
Mother Lode	3,510	5,510
Oro Denoro	1,450	1,930
Other Mines		522
Total	26,449	452,432

ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS

Centre Star	2,956	71,336
Le Roi	1,500	33,038
Grant	18	18
Other Mines		12,822
Total	4,474	117,212

SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHIPMENTS

St. Eugene	212	8,942
Whitewater, milled	280	6020
Poorman, milled	250	4,690
Queen, milled	185	3,875
Second Relief, milled	145	2,245
Richmond	48	729
Silver Cup	39	239
Fern, milled	200	200
Hewitt	22	199
True Fissure	53	125
Ymir	21	21
Other Mines		15,756
Total	1,455	42,931

The total shipments for the past week were 32,378 and for the year to date 612,575 tons.

GRANBY SMELTER RECEIPTS
Grand Forks, B.C.

Granby	21,489	444,470

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

Mother Lode	3,510	5,510
Oro Denoro	1,450	1,930
Total	4,960	7,440

TRAIL SMELTER RECEIPTS
Trail, B.C.

Centre Star	2,956	71,336
St. Eugene	212	8,942
Snowstorm	776	6,338
First Thought	138	1,992
Richmond	48	729
Silver Cup	39	239
Hewitt	22	199
True Fissure	53	125
Ymir	21	21
Giant	14	18
Other Mines		23,649
Total	4,283	113,488

LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS
Northport, Wash.

Le Roi	1,500	33,038
First Thought	150	2,070
Other Mines		235
Total	1,650	35,382

The total receipts at the various smelters for the past week were 32,382 tons and for the year to date 606,471 tons.

NON-PARTIZAN MEETING

POPULARITY OF PREMIER AND PARTY AT FERNIE

CROWDED MEETING GREETS THEM IN OPERA HOUSE

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, May 30—Hon. Richard McBride, premier of the province, accompanied by two of his colleagues in the cabinet, Hon. W. J. Bowser, K.C., attorney general, and Hon. H. E. Young, minister of education, arrived by the C.P.R. express from the west tonight and were met at the station by W. R. Ross, M.P.P. and a large gathering of the most prominent citizens of the city and district. The party was at once driven to the hotel and afterwards to the opera house where an immense audience had gathered to do honor to one of British Columbia's most gifted sons and the other distinguished visitors irrespective of party affiliations. The proceedings were entirely informal and non-partizan and were characterized throughout by the greatest enthusiasm and cordiality and it is safe to say that no more hearty or sincere welcome has ever been extended to a public man than that tendered to the popular premier by the citizens of the capital of East Kootenay tonight.

W. W. Tuttle, mayor of Fernie, occupied the chair at the smoking concert, in his usual happy and acceptable manner, and on behalf of those present, expressed the pleasure they all felt in having the distinguished visitors with them and trusted that this would not be the only occasion on which they would be privileged to welcome them to Fernie. Such visits from public men were conducive of much good not only to the visitors who were thus enabled to study and get in touch with local conditions and requirements, but also to the electorate who then had the opportunity of hearing at first hand what the aspirations of the government were and what they were doing to promote the best interests of the provinc.

W. R. Ross M.P.P., spoke briefly and was, as usual, well received, having lost none of his popularity with the people of this city.

Hon. H. E. Young who followed, gave a lucid explanation of the educational policy of the government and closed a brilliant speech by promising a high school for Fernie. This is the first time the minister of education has been heard here and he created a most favorable impression.

Hon. Mr. Bowser was in excellent trim and delivered a most interesting and witty speech, which thoroughly captivated the audience and the applause which greeted his remarks evidenced the esteem and popularity in which he is held here.

Premier McBride was greeted with great applause when he arose to speak and throughout was listened to with rapt attention. He reviewed the work of his government, dealing with all the questions of public interest and handled his subject with consummate skill, his remarks being constantly interrupted with applause. His reception was most flattering and altogether the meeting was one which must have impressed the visitors with the fact that the people of this important constituency are well satisfied with the past record of the government and are prepared to assist them in their good work in the interests of the province by again sending them a representative to support them when the occasion shall arise.

CARTER FOUND GUILTY

VICTORIA DOCTOR GIVEN TWO AND A HALF YEARS

CONVICTED MAN PROTESTS HIS INNOCENCE

VICTORIA, May 30.—Richard H. Carter, M. D., was yesterday found guilty of committing an abortion upon the person of Kate McIntosh, a 15-year-old girl of this city, formerly in the employ of A. G. Garesche, dentist. Sentence was deferred until this morning in order that counsel for the defence might have an opportunity of stating a case for an appeal.

Garesche, who was tried jointly with Carter on a charge of procuring the abortion, was acquitted by judge Lampman. The judge held that while there was sufficient corroborative evidence in the first instance to support the girl's testimony there was not in the second. In giving judgment his honor severely censured counsel for the defence for the course he had pursued in that he had endeavored to use unlawful suasion with the principal witness for the crown. This morning Carter was sentenced to two years and six months in the penitentiary.

Before being sentenced he made a statement and reiterated his innocence. In sentencing the prisoner judge Lampman stated that he had evidently been the tool of someone else, who that someone else was, the evidence did not show, so that the prisoner had to bear the brunt.

MANY PEOPLE KILLED

VERY SERIOUS SITUATION IN THE ISLAND OF SAMOS

GREAT POWERS ARE REQUESTED TO INTERFERE

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 30—According to an official telegram from Athens a mail steamer with 150 women and children, refugees from the island Samos has arrived at Syra island and reports the continuation of a serious situation in Samos. The refugees say that a battalion of Turkish troops recently arrived at Vathy, the capital of the island and at once commenced to fire indiscriminately. Many people were killed or wounded. The story of the refugees is not believed here.

The Greek government is urging the three powers under which Samos is being protected, France, Great Britain and Russia, to send warships to the island. The porte is anxious for a settlement of the trouble with the least possible blodshed and has instructed its officials there to act with the greatest moderation. There is little sympathy here for the Samites who are thought to have brought on the trouble by their own folly.

ATHENS, May 30—A body of panic-stricken refugees from Samos, who have arrived here, report that 80 women and children were slaughtered by Turkish troops during the first day's fighting at Vathy. They declare also that the troops fired persistently on the foreign consulates. The refugees are all Greeks and as they have an inborn hatred of the Turks, their statements are accepted here with reserve.

COAST LACROSSE

Maple Leafs Defeat Victorias By 6-2—Three Fights

VANCOUVER, May 30—In an interesting game today the Maple Leafs defeated the Victoria team in a senior league match by a score of 6-2. At half time each side had one goal and at the end of the third quarter the score was Maple Leafs 2, Victorias 2. In the last quarter Victoria blew out most unexpectedly and the Maple Leafs tallied four goals. Big Sam Lorimer of the Victorias had three fights and got away with his man each time.

UNDESIRABLES

Chinese Restricting Fellow Countrymen

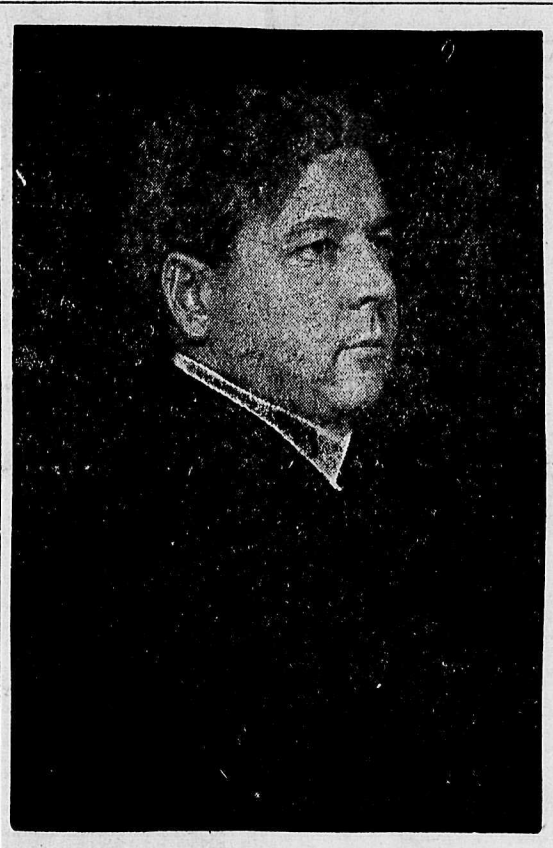
OVERRUN BY BROWN MEN

JOHN HOUSTON MAY BE FIRST MAYOR OF PRINCE RUPERT—FUND BEING RAISED FOR CONSUMPTIVES AT TRANQUILLE HOSPITAL.

VANCOUVER, May 30.—The local Chinese board of trade has sent 3000 circulars to their native country warning their fellow countrymen that conditions in Canada are not so bright as transportation companies would lead people to believe and that intending immigrants should consider well the possibility of making up for the head tax before leaving their homes. The board feels that the invasion of the Japanese has closed many avenues of labor previously open to Chinese and it is undesirable that as large numbers should come over as have been arriving in the last few months.

Tenders for the erection of $75,000 building at Tranquille as a home for consumptives will at once be called for by the board of management of that institution. Dr. Fagan will start on a trip to collect the $50,000 immediately demanded. Dr. Fagan reported that 26 patients were now in the home and that several had recently been discharged as cured.

Chris Foley has just returned from a trip to Prince Rupert. He states that beyond all doubt John Houston will be the first mayor of the new city.



HON. RICHARD M'BRIDE, PREMIER

Who last evening closed a most successful tour of the interior of the province, and who tomorrow will celebrate the fifth anniversary of his call to office as provincial prime minister.

WILL RESUME JUNE 15

THE DOMINION COPPER COMPANY MAKES STATEMENT

BIG TUNNEL PROPOSITION HAS BEEN SETTLED

(Special to The Daily News.)

GREENWOOD, May 30.—The Dominion Copper Co. will resume operations at its smelter, just below Greenwood, on June 15. Official notification of the resumption was received here late last night and was made public this morning. A week ago, manager Thomas stated that all the financial responsibilities of the company had been fully arranged for, that there was plenty of money on hand that he had information that operations would be resumed very soon. The date set by the later instructions from New York is the 15th of June. It was also stated that a party of the officials from New York, probably vice president Melville and M. M. Johnson, consulting engineer, would be in Greenwood on the 10th of June.

When the price of copper slumped to terribly as to close up all the operating companies in this district last fall, the Dominion Copper company closed its smelter without cleaning up its ore bins and it has now nearly a week's supply of ore and coke in the bins. Its mine superintendents, heads of departments, etc., have all been kept together so that the company can blow in and be doing business in a very few days.

It is stated on good authority that the properties of the company never were in better shape than they are today, and with the successful financing of the company due to the splendid efforts of vice president Melville, the Dominion Copper Co. now has a future ahead of it, such as it never had before since its organization.

The company will start with two furnaces, with about 100 men at the smelter and 200 at the mines. In a month's time the Boundary will be doing its old business.

Richard Armstrong, of the Greenwood-Phoenix Tunnel Co., Ltd., said yesterday, on arriving here from Chicago, that the company had been completed and that the details of the consolidation of the various companies, operating the Strathmore, Freemont, Crescent, Prince Henry, Last Chance, and other high-grade mines, as published in The Daily News recently, were substantially correct. Everything has been arranged now except the passing of the bylaw giving assistance to the project and this the city is only waiting authority to do. The great tunnel project does not lose any interest in Greenwood, the people being just as anxious to assist the scheme as they were three months ago. Mr. Armstrong is confident that everything will be arranged and work started on the tunnel this season.

The plant at the Tip Top, one of the finest copper prospects in Skylark camp, was moved this week 300 feet farther up the lead, where the surface showing is over eight feet in width. This showing has assayed, at its lowest test, over $42 in copper with considerable gold and silver. The lead extends continuously across the entire claim and is looked to become one of the finest properties in the Boundary.

Recently considerable new capital from Lincoln, Neb., was interested in the property by H. V. Fuller and Mr. Fuller and a representative of the new shareholders are expected in Greenwood about June 1.

Congratulations

Yesterday R. S. Lennie, president of the Nelson Liberal-Conservative association, sent the following self-explanatory dispatch to Hon. Richard McBride at Fernie, it being remembered that Mr. McBride was called upon by the lieutenant-governor to form a cabinet on June 1, 1903, and has been premier of the province since that date:

Nelson, May 30, 1908.

Hon. R. McBride, Fernie

Permit me on behalf of the conservatives of Nelson to heartily congratulate you on the fifth anniversary of your attaining power. Long may you hold the reins with satisfaction to the people as undoubtedly has been the case during your tenure of office; good luck

R. S. LENNIE.

Englishman Wins

LOS ANGELES, May 30—Fred Welsh of England, today got the decision over Phil Brock at the end of a 25 round bout.

HEAVY VOTING

Candidates in The Daily News Popularity Contest

MISS P. M'GREGOR AHEAD

FRIENDS OF BOTH RALLIED TO SUPPORT OF THEIR CHOICE—CLOSE STRUGGLE EXPECTED WITH THE END NOWHERE AS YET IN SIGHT.

'Twas a busy day in the popularity contest for the candidates and their friends yesterday, the extra effort being put forth to gain the 10 per cent bonus warded to the candidate polling the largest number of votes during the week.

It may well be said that it was a battle royal; The voting started early and as friends came in to cast ballots for their favorites, the feeling seemed to be about equally divided. Late in the afternoon the voting became extremely heavy and at 6 p. m., when the voting for the week closed, the ballot box was loaded to its full capacity.

The vote yesterday was by far the heaviest vote polled and both candidates proved their universal popularity in the way in which their friends rallied to their support in helping to obtain the 10 per cent bonus.

The total vote cast yesterday was 31,974, of which Miss Gilchrist received 11,693 and Miss McGregor 20,281.

The total vote polled by each for the ending at 6 p. m. is as follows: Miss McGregor, 30,736; Miss Gilchrist, 17,078, resulting in Miss McGregor getting a bonus of 3073 votes.

As this contest is only entering its third week, there is no chance yet to pick the winner. Honors at present are about even. The previous week Miss Gilchrist succeeded in securing the 10 per cent bonus and last week Miss McGregor headed the list, and it is hard to even make a guess as to who will be the lucky one next Saturday.

The candidates' totals at present are:

Miss Pearl McGregor 44,970
Miss Louise Gilchrist 31,227

Miss Rosie Coutts, of Phoenix, B. C., has been nominated to contest District No. 2 (Boundary), and Monday should see a lady from Grand Forks in the field.

BOUNDARY LITIGATION

Case at Greenwood Assizes—Copper Properties to Start up

GRAND FORKS, May 30—In the case of the city of Grand Forks against the Yale-Columbia Lumber company, being an action for some $1200 damages, his lordship Mr. justice Clement at the sitting of the supreme court just held at Greenwood yesterday dismissed the action with costs. This action was brought by the city to secure damages, as it was claimed that the saw logs of the lumber company had at various times created log jams at the 1st street bridge and were to a great extent responsible for the destruction of this bridge. It was also claimed that while endeavoring to clear the river this spring of obstructions, the employees of the lumber company blew up with powder the wrong pier, one that was in good condition and had been intended to be used in building a new bridge across the Kettle river at this point. There is great consternation now among the residents of the Ruckles' addition as the decision in this case will mean that the building of a new bridge at the head of 1st street is still further off. A few weeks ago the Yale-Columbia Lumber company acknowledged a certain liability to the city of Grand Forks in this connection and offered the city 35,000 feet of lumber to settle the matter, but the city refused to accept it and brought action. It is possible the city may appeal the case. McDonald and Whiteside appeared for the lumber company while the city was represented by city solicitor A. C. Sutton.

From Pass Creek camp today comes the word that many copper properties which have been idle for years are about to resume operations with a view of having sufficient ore taken out to start shipping by the time the Kettle Valley line is extended to that camp this summer. It is also stated that the famous Strawberry mine in this camp may be among the early shippers. This property which is owned by the Quebec Gold Mining company is an exceptionally high grade copper claim and contains a well defined "wet lead" that is regarded by many as an earmark of a good mine. Much of the stock of this company is held in the Boundary district and should the Strawberry mine resume operations a general rejoicing would follow.

BUSY POLITICIANS

W. H. Brouse Retires at Brockville—Emmerson for Westmoreland

BROCKVILLE, May 30 — Today at noon W. H. Brouse, independent conservative, handed out a statement that he had decided not to allow his name to go on the ballot and would not be a candidate. This leaves a straight contest with W. S. Buell as the liberal candidate and A. E. Donovan, as the conservative.

MONCTON, May 30—Hon. H. R. Emmerson, M.P., will be Westmoreland's choice as liberal candidate to contest this county in the dominion general elections. The convention will be held on Monday next.

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100 to 200 Canadian Marconi	1.75	1000 to 2000 North Star	.10
20 to 50 Cons. Smelters	76.00	100 to 300 Snowstorm	1.90
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Five years ago tomorrow the honorable Richard McBride was called upon to form an administration by the then lieutenant-governor, who had just dismissed from office Col. Prior. At that time Mr. McBride was the recognized leader of the opposition party in the legislature, a party made up of an equal number of liberals and conservatives and the new minister at once announced his intention of forming a ministry on straight conservative lines.

Previous to this there had been a long series of coalition governments and there were many people in the province who questioned the wisdom of Mr. McBride's *first act, but that it was a wise move,* subsequent events have fully demonstrated. In place of unrest and turmoil we have gradually reached the point in which the province is enjoying settled political conditions and only those who can recall the state of affairs existing for some years immediately preceding Mr. McBride's taking office can really appreciate what the new order of things *means.*

Beyond any question the province had suffered severely for years from the political unrest which existed and the public treasury was in a most unsatisfactory condition. More than this the province had gained a most unenviable name for itself throughout the rest of the dominion as a seat of turmoil and strife. It has taken time to change all this and as the man chiefly responsible for the good standing of the province today, Mr. McBride deserves well at the hands of the people of British Columbia. He has been admirably assisted by his colleagues who have worked hard and with singleness of purpose to place provincial affairs upon a thoroughly business footing. That they have reasonably succeeded is apparent to every dweller in this western land today and we are well satisfied that no one now would for a moment care to return to the old order of things. Further than this there *is a very apparent disposition manifest* all over B.C. to give Mr. McBride and his administration every opportunity of carrying out for some years to come an able and progressive administration.

When the first appeal was made to the people by the McBride government the cabinet consisted of Mr. McBride, R. S. Tatlow, R. F. Green, A. E. McPhillips and A. S. Goodeve. In the election which took place on October the 3rd, 1903 Mr. McPhillips and Mr. Goodeve were defeated and their places were subsequently filled by Charles Wilson and F. J. Fulton. Mr. Wilson subsequently resigned and his place as attorney-general was filled by its present occupant, W. J. Bowser, and Mr. Green retired and Dr. Young was called in.

Including Mr. McBride, British Columbia has had 16 premiers since J. F. McCraight took office in December, 1871, and it is worthy of note that the predecessors of the gentleman who tomorrow will celebrate the end of his fifth year as provincial premier, averaged only two years in office, while, unless we are mistaken, Mr. McBride will complete tomorrow the longest term of office as premier of any of his predecessors.

Commencing with J. F. McCraight at the close of 1871, the premiers to date have been as follows: A. DeCosmos, G. A. Walkem, A. C. Elliot, G. A. Walkem (second term), Robert Bevan, William Smithe, A. G. B. Davie, John Robson, Theodore Davie, J. H. Turner, C. A. Semlin, Joseph Martin, James Dunsmuir, Col. Prior and Richard McBride.

The tour of the premier through the interior of the province which was completed yesterday at Fernie, has demonstrated beyond all question that we have reached the end of a long period of political unrest in provincial matters and whatever may be the issues in the next *provincial election they will be fought* out on broad lines and without the bitter personal appeals that have been made in former contests. Under very trying conditions Mr. McBride has eventually made good and unless something unforeseen should happen the strong inclination of the people of B.C. will be to continue him in office when next he appeals to the country.

Just before the provincial elections of October, 1903 the then conservative candidate in this city concluded an article on the political situation as follows:

"But the conservative party stands ready to reward men who prove that they have brains and ability. Premier McBride and his colleagues have the offices, but in order to retain them they must first prove that they are worthy of the high positions they have gained. If they make good during the present election contest, they will get their reward, for the people recognize merit, even if individual politicians do not."

Will not men of all shades of political views today admit on dispassionate consideration that Mr. McBride and his colleagues have "brains and ability" and have used them for the best interests of the province ever since the time the quoted statement was made?

Mr. McBride is a native son of British Columbia, he is a comparatively young man, with the easy possibility of a great future before him in the service, not only of this province, but in the wider sphere of dominion affairs and The Daily News in closing a reference to the prime minister's fifth official birthday tomorrow, *ventures to express the sincere wish that* he may live to celebrate many more such days.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Toronto Star thinks there is going to be a decided liberal gain at the Ontario provincial elections to be held on June 8. It claims that the last provincial election was not a fair test of the relative *strength of the two parties,* which is says are about equal in strength. This forecast, the Colonist says, is interesting and it will enable the people at a distance to appreciate the result when it is announced.

Says the Montreal Star: For every person to whom Canada means opportunity, we have a welcome; but, in judging of this matter, our British friends must remember that Canada has now grown up has her large cities with their incipient slums and knows the problems of the unemployed. *For those who can work* on the land, we have a wide open door. For domestic servants, we have a more than warm welcome. For all people with a paltry $25 between them and want, we have an open door. That must include practically every dweller in the British Isles who has a ghost of a chance to become a more useful citizen of the empire by emigrating to Canada.

It was only to be expected that the government would denounce the course followed by the opposition in the house of commons as *one of obstruction—using* that term as one of opprobrium to the party adopting such methods. But while of course, the policy pursued by the opposition in its efforts to prevent the passage of the elections act in its present form is technically obstruction, the op*ponents of the government* are adopting tactics which are perfectly justifiable.—Vancouver News-Advertiser.

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VANCOUVER, May 30.—Thousands of dollars' worth of orders were placed last week in Vancouver for supplies for supplies for use on Grand Trunk Pacific construction east of Prince Rupert on the Foley, Welch & Stewart contract. This buying was done by Mr. D. McLeod, *purchasing agent for the contract*ing firm, who left last night for Prince Rupert on the steamer Camosun. The large sum of money already expended in Vancouver in connection with this big northern work is but a taste of what the appetite for the expenditure that is to come when construction is well under way.

While a considerable amount of material and some supplies will be brought from the east in carload lots by the contractors as the demand increases, the amount of buying which will be done in Vancouver during the entire time of the building of the line from Prince Rupert to the Rockies will be enormous, representing hundreds of thousands of dollars in the aggregate.

As an example of the large scale on which Foley, Welch & Stewart make their preparations it may be mentioned that one whole carload of hospital supplies has been shipped to Prince Rupert by Dr. Ewing, surgeon on construction. Dr. Ewing is now establishing a base hospital at Prince Rupert and he will scatter emergency stations all along the line of the work, and as further contracts are secured by his firm other *base hospitals will be established at* important points along the line. As the work progresses and the working forces are scattered over a larger territory it is the intention of the contractors to place a small power boat at the disposal of Dr. Ewing and his staff in order that injured men may be quickly attended to and if necessary taken to the base hospital with as little loss of time as possible.

The carloads of construction equipment and tools which are to be moved to Prince Rupert from Kenora will commence to reach Vancouver in the course of a few weeks. Large consignments of hay and oats from the northwest will *follow the horses north and the move*ment of the work teams will start shortly.

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LONDON, May 30.—With the conclusion of the visit to England of president Fallieres of France, increased attention is being taken as to whether the conversations between king Edward and president Fallieres and the British and French foreign ministers will lead to the developing of the existing entente between Great Britain and France into an alliance in which Russia will be a party.

At a conference between sir Edward Grey, the British secretary of state for foreign affairs, and M. Pichon, the French foreign minister, the subject of a more formal agreement between their respective countries will be discussed and the coming visit of king Edward to Russia as well as France.

Sir Charles Hardinge, permanent under secretary of state for foreign affairs and the former British ambassador to Russia, will accompany the king and *his majesty will be able to place before* the Russian emperor the views not only of his own country but those also of France, with respect to a closer understanding between Great Britain, France and Russia. The king and the present British government, it is believed, favors a military alliance and the further isolating of Germany, but there is much opposition in this country to such an agreement, on the ground that it would necessitate an increased military expenditure, and possibly conscription, and also would lead Great Britain into continual quarrels, in which she was not interested. A majority of the press and of the public are saying that it would be better for Great Britain to leave well enough alone and devote her efforts to assuring the continuance of the entente with France.

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I cannot see where fruit is different and I believe I can make the assertion, without fear of contradiction that the growing of fruit is an industry, and selling fruit, a business; each should have a head and be operated separately. I feel positive that every grower who has a large orchard, or a small one with diversified products, will admit that the farm in either case requires practically all his time.

In my line of argument to demonstrate the necessity of an association, it is next necessary to give you some idea of what is required to successfully sell fruit and realize the best prices, the amount of time required, and the expense involved. I have associated with me two men who are competent in bookkeeping and stenography, who act as assistants, and the necessary number of inspectors, receiving and shipping clerks, so that my time is entirely free to devote to general marketing and management. I probably dictate 50 letters a day, and send a dozen telegrams daily, and receive as many more during the business season. And I assure you that, with nothing in particular to do, I can truthfully say each day, "this is my busy day."

For a manager to successfully market fruit, it is necessary to know daily by wire the condition of every market where we is doing business, or may do business, it is important to know just what varieties are wanted in every city, and in addition essential to be posted from what districts each particular market is supplied and also when that district begins shipping, the extent of the supply and the end of its season.

In addition to all this it is equally necessary to be familiar with the standing of each firm you are dealing with, or expect to deal with. This word "standing" in this particular sense, is rather a broad one, and means that you must know a firm's financial standing and their ability to pay. Their popularity with their trade is also significant, as well as their equipment to do business, and above all perhaps the most important requisite is intimate knowledge of the firm's policy on reporting of conditions of fruit and repecting cars.

It has been my personal experience that this volume of necessary information is so large, the time in acquiring it so great, and the expense so heavy, that I say to you frankly the average orchardist under ordinary conditions can neither spare the time to do it properly nor afford the expense. The facts as stated so far seem to me sufficiently plain to convince any unprejudiced mind of the necessity of associations. However, as an additional clincher on the argument, I want to call your attention to the methods necessarily employed by individuals, or in vogue in the districts without associations, and then draw a comparison that you may form your own conclusions. In such a case the grower must adopt one of the two plans in disposing of his fruit—he must either consign, and if he does he must do it at random—or he must sell to local or visiting buyers, without being properly posted consequently there can be but little certainty of securing results that can be obtained through an association that is properly posted and ably managed. Then there is an additional uncertainty as to what he will receive and when, and a possibility of one of those "red ink account sales" which you have probably heard about.

Another unfavorable condition frequently arises in the absence of an association that works to the disadvantage of the abler, business like orchardists, when the smart buyer shrewdly makes his first deal with the uninformed or weak-kneed grower and closes at a figure below the average market price, establishing a low figure which he uses as a precedent and a lever to influence other growers to accept the same. I think every one realizes how difficult it is to secure a certain price when actual sales have been made at a lower figure. You know how difficult it is to sell at a dollar, when some one else has quoted or sold at 90 cents.

In the years 1900, 1901, 1902, in a district I know of the growers sold a certain variety of fruit at less than a dollar a box. In the year 1903 a union was formed and during the four years since that time the same veriety has netted the growers $2 a box and up. In connection with this fact, it is true that during the period when these growers received the lesser price generally the price of apples was higher.

The primary object of business is to make money and usually to make as much money as possible, on the capital invested. Any firm or corporation that is not mutual engages in business for this purpose and we must admit the legitimacy of this purpose. The object of a growers' association organized properly (the basic principles of organization will have consideration a little later on) is just the same as a firm in two particulars, to sell for the best possible price, and conduct the business as economically as possible, not for itself, but for its members. This is the essential and important difference.

Where both are properly conducted and managed, the expense should be the same, and both should be able to realize the same prices. The firm pays what it receives, less the expenses and profit for itself; the association pays all it receives, less the expense only. If you want this profit, if you need it, or can use it in your business, organize an association and get it. If you do not want it, nor cannot use it, be content with your private firm or your present method, and in your idle hours resulting from a lack of prosperity and progress watch Hood River and other districts with good associations, grow.

The association can buy wholesale in carloads, boxes, spray material, paper and many other orchard supplies which can be sold to the growers at wholesale prices, plus the actual cost of handling and the actual saving to the grower by this plan is no small item. I know of one association that has saved growers in a year's supply $1200 on spray material, $1000 on paper, $3000 on crates and $4000 on boxes.

Lastly, in speaking of benefits, I want to call your attention to the advantages arising through an association office. The Hood River association office has evolved itself, so to speak, into a commercial fruit growers' club, which has developed into a bureau of information on fruit topics and methods. In the Hood River Growers' association office the growers are always welcome, the manager is never too busy to talk (perhaps if he was he might earn his princely salary which he does not get. Every experimental station bulletin pertaining to fruit is received, and every horticultural paper of value taken. The office force is composed of able and experienced men. In this office you can obtain the formula for any spray or learn the effectiveness of any brand of spray, or be advised of its efficiency. You can be posted on the market, or learn about the best varieties to grow commercially in your locality. Every new comer finds the latch string out and old growers congregate in dozens almost daily for friendly and advisory discussion. Anyone in the office can tell you the tool or instrument generally considered best for a certain purpose, where to get it and the price. In addition to all this the office is a publicity bureau, a development league so to speak, for every letter is promptly and fully answered, giving full information on subjects of inquiry.

Every association should be organized on the cooperative plan. No association should aim to make a profit for itself, and it should never accumulate a surplus for dividend purposes. All the money received should be paid out to each grower in accordance with the price realized for the grade and variety of fruit marketed in proportion to the number of packages. If this is done, each grower will get the full profits in a just proportion to his variety, grade and quantity, that is, the full price realized less the actual expenses. This is not only just, but should be the basic principle in every fruit growers' association. If a profit is made and retained by the association and paid out as a dividend on the stock, you are robbing one grower for the benefit of another unless each own the same number of shares and market the same amount of fruit in dollars and cents. To illustrate this, which would perhaps make the idea clearer: Suppose two growers each own one share of stock; one ships 100 boxes which sell at $1.00 per box, and the other 1000 boxes which sell at the same price. The association absorbs 10 cents per box, and the actual cost of expense is 5 cents per box. The amount retained from the two growers would be 1100 boxes, $55.00, and if a dividend was declared according to share holdings each would receive $27.50; or in other words your association would be taking $22.59 from one growers' proceeds to pay the other grower a dividend because he held the same amount of stock.

Stock, if possible, should all be subscribed for by growers. Experience has demonstrated the actual necessity of one other principle that must under no circumstances be overlooked in the organization of a fruit growers' association. This is the necessary contract binding each grower's crop annually to the association, or incorporating so that your membership according to your bylaws will bind the crop. While the California court sustained the latter as valid, I prefer the contract. Without this, it is only a question of time when the association will flounder. Without a contract your association will never know what predicament it may be in tomorrow. Without a contract you cannot make a bona fide sale. In fact without it you really have nothing to offer for sale and there are in no position to do business. Of course you may run without contracts for several years, but when the times comes and your association has made a sale of the entire crop of any variety of its members, and an advance of price occurs, you can make a ten to one bet that some growers in their eagerness to get the extra price will forget their duty to the organization, jump the game, and a lawsuit will stare you in the face that may bust your union.

This grower's contract is one of the most important basic principles in the organization of the association. It is the corner stone of foundation, the keystone of association structure. So whatever you do, do not omit it. All growers should be required to sign contracts in advance of each season, and not be permitted to do so after an agreed date.

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We have seen that Cobden's attempt to convert the world to free trade has proved to be a distinct and dismal failure; that the nations daily grow more highly protectionist at Great Britain's expense; that under free trade the problem of the unemployed has raised the spectre of socialism in the land; that for these and other reasons the policy of fiscal reform is no new issue in Great Britain; that 16 years has elapsed since lord Salisbury in his Hastings speech, first dealt the free trade fetish what Wee McGregor would call a "dod on the neb," and hinted that it might be wise for the nation to arm itself with a tariff weapon where with to fight its way by mutual concessions into the markets of other countries; that in the interval and beneath the surface the little leaven has been leavening the whole lump; that amongst a highly deliberative people the protectionist movement has been naturally of slow growth like the free trade movement which began three-quarters of a century ago; and that the recent bye-elections and the utterances of public men at last point to the dawn of victory for fiscal reform.

When the issue of protection was first raised in Canada, sir John Macdonald later its chief champion, and sir Leonard Tilley, afterwards the author of the first tariff, preserved a waiting attitude. So Mr. Balfour lagged for a time behind Mr. Chamberlain, but now he may be said to have cut the painter and to have come out definitely in favor of of tariff reform. Their period in opposition has sufficed to clarify and define the views of the unionist chief and his colleagues. In forming a government he will have at his back such pronounced tariff reformers as lord Lansdowne, lord Milner, Mr. Walter Long, Mr. Bonar Law, Mr. Alfred Chamberlain and Mr. Alfred Lyttleton. Lord Lansdowne developed much strength in the war office, he has the advantage of a first hand knowledge of Canada and India, and he is a thorough convert to the need of fiscal reform for the mother country. The passing of the duke of Devonshire removes the leading free trader in the party and the fiscal reformers likely to be included in the next unionist government are men of strength and parliamentary experience.

Nor will they be short of arguments wherewith to meet the onslaught of the free traders. They can show that although her prosperity was partly due to the fact that for so long she was at peace while the continental nations were at war, it was under protection that Great Britain first built up her world wide trade, secured the economic start of other nations, and established her commercial and industrial supremacy. To give the word a new application the English "standpaters" point to Great Britain's immense ship building industry and to the fact that her ships do one-half the world's carrying trade, as proofs of the benefit of free trade. But it may be replied that they forget that Britain was settled by a Viking breed, that it is a seagirt island, and that the race is by birth, genius and environment a seafaring and adventurous race, fore-ordained to track the mighty oceans and trade into all ports of the world. On such grounds it may fairly be argued that fiscal reform would not necessarily dethrone her from her place as commercial mistress of the seas. We have already seen the futility of trying to obtain fair entrance into the markets of foreign countries without something to give in return for such favors. This argument is calculated to convince the British workman who sees his own home market flooded by products of highly protected foreign industries as his own factories closed down or running on short time in consequence.

A tariff reform victory seems to be a certainty of the future—probably of the near future. The unionist party leaders have not as yet specifically outlined what is to be their line of procedure on this issue when they go into office. But the first step probably will be the appointment of a commission of inquiry to confer with colonies. The point that interests us here in Canada is: What is Ottawa going to do about it? Premier Deakin of Australia has committed the commonwealth to a policy of inter-imperial preference on broad lines. Canadians are maintaining the correct attitude of allowing the people of the old country to decide the issue for themselves. But when a policy of tariff reform is adopted it will be exceedingly important that we have here in the dominion a government alert to the splendid opportunity of obtaining a valuable preference in the British market. That market is the wealthiest in the world. In it the United States sells more than in any other country. A preference probably would enable Canada to supplant the American in the sale of food-stuffs and other products. The benefits likely to accrue to the dominion and especially to the west cannot easily be over-estimated. For these reasons and in order to the closer drawing together of the bonds of empire, it is necessary that when the psychological moment arrives we should have at Ottawa a government thoroughly alert and untrammelled—an administration wholly imperial in its sentiments and sympathies.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly for the Province of British Columbia at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company with power to build, equip, maintain and operate a line or lines of railway of standard or narrow gauge, to be operated by steam or electricity, within a radius of ten miles of Goat River Canyon, in the District of Kootenay, for the development and economic operation and marketing of agricultural and other products of the said area, and the carrying of passengers and freight from place to place therein, and to connect with the line of railway from Creston to Kootenay Landing, operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines for the purpose of its business and for the public; with power to own, use and operate water powers convenient to the road for railway, agricultural and irrigation purposes, and with power to supply electric light, heat and power to the residents in the said area; and with power to construct and operate electric and other works, canneries, sawmills and other industries; and with power to exercise such powers as are granted by the Water Clauses Consolidation Act and Amendments, the Land Clauses Consolidation Act and Amendments and the British Columbia Railway Act, and the Companies Clauses Act; and to acquire and receive from any Government, corporation or persons, grants of lands, rights of way, money bonuses, privileges, or other assistance in aid of the construction of the Company's undertaking; and to connect and enter into traffic or other arrangements with railway, steamboat, electric, water or other companies for all rights, powers and privileges necessary, usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

Dated the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1908.

LENNIE & WRAGGE,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE "MECHANIC'S LIEN ACT" AND AMENDING ACTS.

TAKE NOTICE, that having bestowed money and skill upon the chattels herein after mentioned, I will pursuant to the provisions of the above Act, sell at Munro Hotel, Creston, B. C., on the 8th day of June, 1908, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described chattels, viz. Poles and Piling now being in my possession and lying on land known as Rykert's preemption near Kinney's Siding on the Kootenay Valley Railway in Kootenay District, British Columbia, more particularly described as follows:

501 poles 25 feet long, 631 poles 30 feet long, 74 poles 35 feet long, 497 poles 40 feet long, 375 poles 45 feet long, and 307 poles 50 feet long. Said poles were cut and got out by me for one W. R. Kinney and one A. B. Joslyn and they are indebted to me in connection therewith to the amount of $1434.88, and upon such sale I will apply the proceeds first in payment of the amount due me and costs of advertising and sale and pay over the surplus (if any) to the person entitled thereto.

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A general meeting of the Nelson City Young Liberal Association will be held in the

NEW ASSOCIATION ROOMS

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for the election of officers and transaction of general business.

All members of the association, and all young Liberals who would like to join, are cordially invited to attend.

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A convention of the Liberals of Kootenay will be held at Nelson, B. C., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1908

For the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding in the next Dominion election in the interests of the Liberal party.

The convention will open at 2 p. m., and all Liberals are invited to attend, but only accredited delegates will be allowed to vote.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 50 votes, or fraction thereof, polled at the last dominion election. Properly accredited proxies will be recognized.

Delegates to the convention may obtain reduced railway fares by purchasing first class, full rate one way tickets, and obtaining, when purchasing, the standard certificate form. This when signed by the secretary of the convention, will be good for reduced return fare.

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B. C. Copper	4.87½	5.00
Charles Dickens	.6	.11
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Copper King	.1	.2¼
Dominion Copper	1.56¼	1.87½
Galbraith Coal.....	....	....
Gertie	.2¼	.3
Granby	85.00	95.00
Hecla	....	....
International Coal	.39	....
Kendal	1.15	1.30
Missoula Copper	.7½	.8¼
Nabob	.2½	.3
Oom Paul	.2½	.6
Panhandle Smelter	.4½	.4¾
Rambler Cariboo	.18	.23
Rex	.7	.10
Snowshoe	.5	.8½
Snowstorm	1.73	1.80
Sullivan	....	.1
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Stewart	.76	.84
Tamarack-Chesapeake	.85	1.00

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The Royal Hotel is serving its usual Sunday dinner today, which will consist of spring chicken, all the seasonable delicacies and a special make of ice cream. 31-1

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CHURCH SERVICES TODAY

The services announced for today in the churches of Nelson are as follows:

ANGLICAN—St. Saviour's church, corner Ward and Silica streets. Sunday after Ascension. Morning prayer and Holy Communion, 11 a. m.; Sunday school 2:30 p. m.; evening 7:30 p. m.

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

SALVATION ARMY—Barracks on Victoria St., west of Josephine. Knee drill, 7 a. m.; holiness meeting, 11 a. m.; praise meeting, 3 p. m.; evening meeting 8 o'clock.

BAPTIST — Stanley Street, near Mill. Morning, service 11 a. m.; evening service, at 7:30; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; new movement class for the young men, 3 p. m. Rev. A. N. Frith, pastor. Morning subject, "What the Eyes of the Heart Should See." Evening subject, "Jesus Dealing with the Pressimists."

PRESBYTERIAN—St. Paul's, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets. Morning service, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. T. Ferguson, pastor.

METHODIST—Services held in Congregational church, corner Silica and Stanley streets. Morning service, 11 a. m.; Sunday school and bible classes, 2:30; evening service, 7:30. Rev. R. N. Powell, pastor. Morning subject, "Have Salt in Yourselves." Evening subject, "A Few Speculations."

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

There will be a meeting of the city council tomorrow evening at the city hall at 8 o'clock.

Frank Deacon has been appointed temporarily as foreman in charge of the city work.

The baseball players went out last evening for Trail and expect to render a good account of themselves by the time they return this evening.

J. Holmes leaves for the east this morning as a delegate from the local branch of the C. O. F., to attend the grand lodge meeting which is about to be held.

W. H. Deacon, city ticket agent, C. P. R., leaves this morning for Holland, Man., where he has been summoned on account of the sudden illness of his father.

T. C. Peck leaves this morning for Montreal for the purpose of attending the convention of the railway conductors, being a delegate from Nelson from the O. R. C.

The Scandinavian Aid and Fellowship Society of America, will meet at the K. P. hall at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Special business is to be transacted and a full attendance of members is therefore requested.

C. Jiskcowicz is being succeeded as a grocery store by Bensan, Haigh & Co. who are renting the store from Mr. Jiscowicz, and who are putting in an entirely new line of groceries for the benefit of Fairview.

A staging has been erected around the new court house for the purpose of pointing the stone. Active work is now in progress on this building and the contractors hope to have it finished ready for occupancy this fall.

Turkish baths were opened yesterday under the K. P. hall on Vernon street next the post office. These are the finest baths of the kind in Nelson and they are fitted up very nicely. They are open day or night and Wednesdays are expressly reserved for ladies. The baths have been very neatly fitted up and should enjoy a good patronage.

Free miners are once again reminded that all licences expire this evening at midnight. The mining recorder is willing to issue licences at any time up till 12 o'clock tonight provided that the applicants will come to him personally.

There will be a meeting on tomorrow night of the building committee on the Eagles' new hall, for the purpose of considering and finally passing upon the de-

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register H. W. Kent as the owner in fee simples, under a Tax Sale Deed from R. J. Stenson, collector of the Slocan Assessment District, to H. W. Kent, being dated the 27th day of December, A. D. 1907, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land premises situate, lying and being in the District of Kootenay, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as:

All minerals precious and base (save coal and petroleum) which may be found in veins, lodes and rock in place, under Lot 2103, Group One, District of Kootenay, known as the "United Empire" Mineral Claim

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within fourteen days from the date of the service of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed within such period, you will be forever stopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register H. W. Kent as owner thereof.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Nelson, Province of British Columbia, this 11th day of February, A. D. 1908.

H. F. MACLEOD.

To THOMAS DUNN,
ROBERT W. GORDON.

MORTGAGE SALE OF KOOTENAY FRUIT LANDS

Under the powers contained in a mortgage, which can be inspected at the Land Registry office ,Nelson, British Columbia, (registered April 25th, 1908, No. 3345B.,) and a copy of which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold at Public Auction at the Court House, at Nelson, B. C., on Tuesday the 2nd day of June, 1908, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., the following lands, situate in West Kootenay district, British Columbia:

(a). The following sub-lots of Lot 4596, Group One (1), situate on the East Shore of Kootenay Lake, about three miles south of the City of Kaslo: Sub-lot number Ten (121.6 acres); sub-lot number Twenty-three (81.6 acres); sub-lot number Twenty-four (34.2 acres), and sub-lot number Sixty-one (536.076 acres).

b.) Sub-lot number Twenty-eight, of Lot 4598, Group One (1) situate about 2 miles East of Robson, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, fronting on both the Columbia and Kootenay rivers, containing 554 acres.

(c). Sub-lot number Fifty-nine of Lot 4598, Group One (1), adjoining above mentianed sub-lot 28, on the north, fronting on the Columbia river, and containing 151.40 acres.

(d) Sub-lot number six of Lot 4599, Group 1, situate about 3 miles west of Robson, ¼ mile from the Columbia river, containing 320 acres.

(e). Lot 6591, Group 1, situate about 1 mile west of Robson, fronting on the Columbia river, containing 105.9 acres.

(f). Lot 6592, Group 1, adjoining Lot 6591, on the South, and containing 80 acres.

Full particulars and terms of sale can be had on application to the undersigned.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., March 9th, 1908.

ROBERT WETMORE HANNINGTON,
273-13. Solicitor for Mortgagee.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will at the meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Nelson, to be held on the 10th day of June, A. D., 1908, apply to have the retail liquor license for the premises known as the "Queen's Hotel" situate on Lot 11, Block 2, City of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, renewed in the name of A. Lapointe, owner of the said premises.

And further take notice that I will, at the same time apply for a permit from the said Board of Licensing Commissioners to enable Elizabeth C. Clarke, tenant of the said premises to sell spirituous and fermented liquors therein from the 15th day of July to the 31st day of August, 1908, both inclusive, the said 31st day of August, 1908, being the date of the termination of the tenancy of, the said Elizabeth C. Clarke from me.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1908.

A. LAPOINTE.
13-30. By A. M. JOHNSON, his solicitor.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN HOME-STEAD 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 situate. Entry by proxy may however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son or daughter, brother, or sister of an intending homesteader.

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

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

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

3. If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2500 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

W. W. CORY.
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of the advertisement will not be paid for.

The attention of the Lands and Works Department having been directed to the fact that town lots in a townsite named Prince Rupert, being subdivision of Lot 642, Range 5, Coast District, situate on the mainland between the mouth of the Skeena River and Kain Island, are being offered for sale, it has been deemed necessary to, warn the public that the said townsite is not situated at the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and is not the townsite which is owned jointly by the Government of British Columbia and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company.

F. J. FULTON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1908 15-30

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the notice signed by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and published in the British Columbia Gazette from the 22nd day of June, 1899, to the 23rd day of June ,1900, all agreements for the sale of Crown lands in the town of Nelson under which any payments of purchase money were overdue and unpaid on the said 22nd day of June, 1899, and are still overdue and unpaid, will be cancelled on the first day of June, 1908, unless the balances of purchase money and interest due thereon are paid before that date.

ROBT. A. RENWICK.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C.
April 24th, 1908. 15-30

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to build and operate a logging road for the purpose of taking timber from Lot 812. Said road starting at a point on Kootenay River near the Southwest corner of Section 12, Township No. 7, Kootenay District; thence in a Northeasterly direction following an old road to the North line of Section 12 about 1000 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 12; thence Northeast across Section 13 for about 1300 feet to the West line of Section 18, about 800 feet North of the Southwest corner of Section 18.

This notice is given under Section No. 53 A of Chapter No. 113 of the Land Act.

THE YALE-COLUMBIA LUMBER CO., Limited.
Nelson, B. C., May 25th, 1908. 32-4w.

COURT OF REVISION

KASLO CITY ASSESSMENT ROLL.

Public Notice is hereby given that the first meeting of the Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll of the City of Kaslo for the year 1908, will be held in the Council Chambers, in the City Hall, Kaslo, on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Any person intending to appeal against the assessment, must give notice in writing to the Assessor, W. E. Hodder, at least ten days before the sitting of the Court, stating grounds of complaint. W. E. HODDER.
City Clerk.

City Hall, Kaslo, May 4th, 1908.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Angelo Schulli, intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from date hereof for a retail liquor license for the premises known as Shields Hotel, situated at Shields, B. C.
31-1m. ANGELO SCHULLI.

NOTICE.

The partnership previously existing between Patrick Daly and James B. Bremner of Hotel Ymir, Ymir, B. C., having been dissolved, James B. Bremner assumes all liabilities of the firm and will collect all accounts owing to the firm.

JAMES B. BREMNER.
May 26th, 1908. 28-12

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS

Competitive plans will be received for the Nelson Aerie No. 22, Eagles' hall to be erected on Lot 10, Block 2, on Baker Street in the city of Nelson. Plans to be in the hands of the chairman of the committee on or before noon of the 20th day of June, 1908.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Nelson, for the year 1908, will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday the 4th day of June, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, *for the purpose of hearing complaints* against the assessment, as made for 1908, and of revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 29th day of April, 1908.

23-14. W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

NEW YORK May 30—New York shops are now a mass of light materials for summer wear, and whether the fastes and purse of the feminine shopper are of Newport or Coney Island, new and novel designs of fabrics are not lacking for the wardrobe.

Among women who must count the cost of their expenditure for gowns, one of the cotton fabrics which is attractive and most deservedly popular is cotton voile. A summer gown of this material is inexpensive and, if properly made, an esthetic and artistic delight. Many new patterns of these goods show lace striped efffects and plaids, checks and spotted designs are to be found in charming profusion.

The batistes are not new except in *designs and a more beautiful finish than* has been evident in these goods in former years. They vie with the novelty Swisses for dainty evening dresses. For wear over these soft dresses nothing is a better protector than a pongee coat or cape very full with wing sleeves. The natural colored pongee is most favored.

For an odd waist have one made of white (or other color as preferred) satin pierced with eyelets either all over or in a design finished with buttonhole stitch in fine silks.

A number of new cloth gowns, recently seen had sleeves entirely of lace flaring from under the hanging shoulder line. Again others have a cape sleeve to the elbow but a lace or chiffon or mousseline sleeve matching the yoke or guimpe or chemisette, was the continuation to the wrist.

The lingerie blouse is more sheer and delicate and more decorative than ever, but then the lingerie blouse has been assigned to its proper place and time—the afternoon with the dressy tailored suit or at informal evening affairs. Never must it be seen with the severe morning suit. Short sleeves are the distinctive feature of the lingerie blouse, indeed, some of them seem to have nothing more than three ruffles attached to a foundation—this when a coat is not to be worn. The blouse worn with a coat has the front as the point of decorative exposure. The fashionable women must thus have lingerie waists for all occasions and with *all manner of exposures.*

A new idea for an evening waist was a fine silk net, in light mode shade, with satin flowers in natural shades appliqued on the wrong side. Again other net waists are bound or strapped with satin, silk or panne velvet folds and covered buttons and fancy clasps are used.

The nun's veilings and delaines of a fine patterned variety are liked for summer dresses and the plain sorts in cream and white are favored for skirts and shirtwaist suits.

Laces have lost none of their popularity and in every shopping tour one *sees some new article, for the lace makers* are searching the museums, old convents and pattern sources for a renewal of ideas in their art. Wide bands, some plain, some embroidered and jeweled are used upon the new hats having high crowns.

Fine, thin figured shantungs are used for summer waists. In nearly every case they are made with a yoke or guimpe and the plain kinds are often *seen in the tailored waists for travelling* or business.

There are a few of the new waists that are not made with a guimpe or yoke or that effect. The waist will be made over a lining and the rounded deeply cut V-neck is highly decorated about its edge. The waist is laid in deep tucks under a girdle. Graduated frills wide on the top of the shoulder and narrow near the waist are applied over the sleeves which are of the same material as the yoke.

A feature of the new waists is the point of having the back exactly the same as the front. Especially is this true *of the jumper and princess dresses, the* back is laid in the same fashion, the same amount of trimming must be used, indeed it would, except for the ornamental clasps, be hard to tell which was back and which front.

Many white dresses will be trimmed with cretonne.

Sleeves and shoulder capes are more trimmed than ever.

Lace covered button or buttons in imitations of lace are the newest thing.

B. C. POLITICS

Tour of Premier and His Colleagues Has Good Effect

(Victoria Colonist.)

The provincial tour which Mr. McBride and Dr. Young are now taking has called forth a good deal of comment. Very general satisfaction has been expressed that the premier and the provincial secretary have taken an opportunity to see for themselves the conditions existing in the lower mainland. This has not been confined at all to supporters of the provincial government and there is no reason why it should be, for whether we are political friends or opponents of the ministry of the day, we are all alike interested in those things, which are calculated to promote the well being of the province and it will not be denied that it is to the public advantage that the premier and as many of the ministers as *possible should visit as much of the large* area under their jurisdiction as their multifarious duties at the capital will allow.

But there is an aspect to this tour which is possibly even more satisfactory than this, and it is the demonstration afforded that we have reached an end of a long period of political unrest and partizan bitterness. There were very many people who questioned the desirability of dividing provincial political on federal lines and it cannot be successfully denied that there were some reasons against such a step, which were fully threshed *out at the time. When Mr. McBride an*nounced his intention to form a ministry on straight conservative lines there was undoubtedly a strong protest from many quarters, but that it was a wise step subsequent events have fully demonstrated. It gave us settled political conditions and only those who are able to recall the state of politics in this province less than a decade ago can appreciate what this means. The effect upon the business of the province, we mean now not the public but the private business, has been very pronounced, for there is no doubt that the country was greatly injured by the continual reports that went out concerning the chaotic state of politics and the resultant unfortunate condition of the public treasury.

As the person who, more than any one else, was responsible for this new departure in provincial politics, Mr. McBride deserves well of the people, and the capable manner in which he has conducted affairs during his premiership gives him a further claim upon public *confidence. In this work he has been* admirably assisted by his colleagues who have devoted themselves to the public welfare with praiseworthy industry and singleness of purpose.

FERNIE NOTES

Grant to City Band—Sporting Events—Thieves Still at Work

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, May 30.—At the meeting of the city council last night a resolution was carried authorizing the payment of a contribution of $300 to the Fernie city band (late Italian band). This organization has for the last two years given a series of most enjoyable open air concerts and have never received any financial support from the council, the entire expense of employing a capable bandmaster, purchasing of instruments, and *other heavy expenses, being borne by* the local Italian colony. The action of the council in voting assistance will be heartily approved by the citizens. At the same meeting a request was made by the school board that the council should submit a bylay authorizing the issue of debentures for moving the present school building, altering the heating system, and erecting a new public and high school building. The amount of debentures to be issued to be $36,000. The matter was left over to the next meeting.

Thieves are again at work, this time *paying particular attention to the rob*bing of clothes lines. Householders on the principal residential streets are the greatest sufferers, several cases having been reported this week. Unfortunately, no clue to the marauders has yet been obtained.

The following officers have been elected by Mount Fernie lodge I. O. O. F., for the ensuing year: N. G., Fred Vance; V. G., Dr. W. J. Wrigleworth; recording secretary, H. Brown; financial secretary, D. Devine; treasurer, Robert Dudley; grand lodge representatives, R. Dudley and T. Bell.

A baseball game between Fernie and Cranbrook which was to have taken place on Empire day, but was postponed on account of the inclemency of the weather, has been arranged to take place tomorrow evening and Sunday afternoon.

The management of the opera house has this week put in two new fire exits to the building to assure the safety of the audience in case of fire.

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712 acres opposite Edgwood Landing on the lake shore.

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400 acres at Burton City.

320 acres, four miles above Burton City.

120 acres at Nakusp.

These lands have been selected by myself and while there is some waste land in places the surveys were made so as to cut out as much as possible those parts which were unsuited for fruit culture. In the above blocks there are 11 miles of shore.

Write for plan and prices if you are interested.

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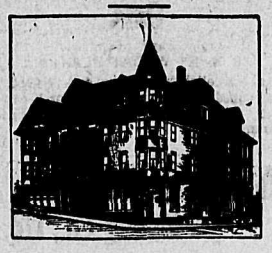
HOTEL ARRIVALS OF A DAY



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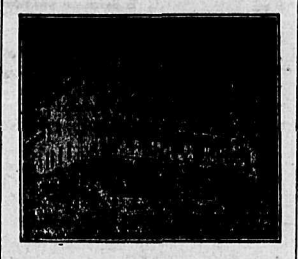

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GRANBY DISCOVERER

Henry White Thinks British Columbia in for a Mining Boom

VICTORIA, May 30—Henry White, the man who discovered the Granby company's mines in the Boundary country, left last night for Prince Rupert and other points along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, where he will prospect for precious metals.

Seen at the Hotel Winters, Mr. White expressed the opinion that the richest section of British Columbia is still to be exploited and that it will be opened up by the new transcontinental railway. He thinks that within the next two years British Columbia will witness the greatest movement in this direction that it has ever seen.

"Capital always follows the prospector when the latter finds anything worth while," said Mr. White. "As the south is about worked out, the eyes of all are turned in your direction and I fancy they will not be mistaken."

Mr. White made a "pile" out of his interest in the Granby finds and has a luxurious home in Pasadena, from which he has just come. Speaking of the southern states on the Pacific coast he says that British Columbia is being talked of there more than any other part of the world and as there are many rich men in his home city, he is sure that any minerals discovered will be promptly developed. Mr. White would not state definitely his destination in the interior but evidently has an objective point where he expects to make a find.

Have you tried the business men's 35 cent lunch at Bly's Restaurant. If not, why not?.

ONE-FIFTH MORE FRUIT

SECRETARY BRANDRAITH'S VIEW OF B. C. PRODUCTION.

MUCH ADDITIONAL LAND TO BE UTILIZED THIS YEAR.

That over one-fifth more fruit than was produced last year will be marketed by the fruit growers of the province this season, is the opinion of W. J. Brandrith, of Ladner, secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, the parent body which fathered the provincial fruit exchange which this year will handle one-third of the total fruit of British Columbia.

That estimate is a very conservative one moreover, for rarely if ever has Mr. Brandrith seen the orchards of the province looking in such splendid shape as they do this year. He is and has been engaged in lecturing under the auspices of the society upon fruit packing and pruning. His work had taken him throughout the fruit growing districts so he ought to know.

This one-fifth increase, moreover, takes no account of the natural increase from the older trees which year by year increase to a certain point in their producing power. Mr. Brandrith is sanguine, very sanguine, of the prospects of the crop, but, he says, not unduly so. And combined with this phenomenal crop which is promised, there is to be considered, he says, the fact that rarely, if ever, have the market conditions been more favorable.

"Why, according to the report of railway officials there is more land surveyed in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta than there is under cultivation. Think of the number of people, every one of which is a prospective consumer of B. C. Fruit and you will see what the future has in store for us. The exchange has a standing order for 30,000 boxes of assorted apples from Australia alone and the prices are very tempting, yet it is doubtful if we will be able to fill it. We haven't the fruit, I fear, to spare in the qualities and species desired.

"The English market is practically an unknown quantity as yet. Several tried shipments in addition to the provincial exhibits sent thither and sold have been marketed with success in the old country. The difficulty in transshipping is still a barrier. However, when the Panama canal is completed, British Columbia fruit may be shipped to Great Britain in proper cold storage by water direct."

Just now, the labor situation suits the fruit grower, Mr. Brandrith says. The Salvation Army has brought out a great number of farm laborers and these have answered a great demand. In addition the fact that many of the lumber mills have suspended operations has resulted in an increase of a class of labor which is required.

Now is the time for the fruit grower in embryo to start in, according to Mr. Brandrith. Many have recognized this and much additional land will be placed under orchard this year. Last year, some 1,000,000 new fruit trees were planted.

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A MILE OF ENGINES

The New York World Explodes Idea of Railroad Economy

In Elkhart, Ind., the New York Central photographed Tuesday a mile of idle engines, 120 in number. The picture is to be used as an argument for raising freight rates—a step which should logically tend to make still more engines idle.

Meanwhile the American Locomotive company in Schenectady is building for the Central 135 new engines to be delivered this summer. As they are bigger and better engines than the old, they will probably fill a mile and a quarter of track when completed. Why not photograph them?

The Central, like other railroads, pressed into service to carry the phenomenal traffic of the past two years, every old engine that would keep the rails. Being uneconomical in operation these footsore veterans were bound to be retired at the first opportunity. They may, as piteously stated, "represent a cost" of $1,000,000, but they are worth now what they can earn as yard engines or will bring as junk.

The way for a strong railroad like the Central to meet slack times is to cut its dividends. A weak railroad's proper course is to become strong by passing through the water squeezing process of a receivership. To woo back prosperity by raising the cost of service is folly—New York World.

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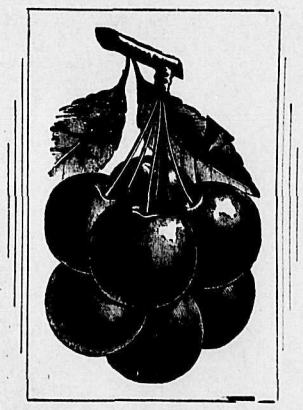

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Born at Dog Creek on May 29, to the wife of F. F. Siemens, a daughter.

A moving picture show will open at the Alice rink tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Born at the Home hospital on Saturday, May 30 to the wife of George Hurry, a daughter.

The thermometer yesterday varied between 62 and 43 degrees with .02 inch rain recorded.

The librarian acknowledges the receipt of "Thirty-One Years on the Plains and in the Mountains", presented by C. A. Crooke.

H. A. Wolverton, who has just graduated from the Ontario agricultural college Guelph, came in from the east last night.

The large score of 734 was made in a four handed game in the alley last night by F. Perry, R. Sharp, J. Holmes and G. Chapman.

Joseph O'Neill, Cranbrook is advised that his kindly worded note in reference to the Sharples drowning case, has been handed to the authorities.

A resident of Water street is deserving of great credit for the beautiful tulips he raises in his garden yearly, and which are this year just dying.

The Arcade theatre was packed to the doors at all three performances last evening. The pictures proved very entertaining and amusing and all present expressed their entire satisfaction.

The stone and earth which could not be replaced in the digging out of the new sewer near the Bartlett house is being used to improve the lower portion of Josephine street between Baker and Vernon.

Rev. R. Newton Powell will preach in the Methodist church today, both morning and evening. The morning subject will be, "Have Salt in Yourselves." The evening subject, "A Few Speculations." Visitors and strangers are specially welcomed.

A lady who came in the Slocan train last night stated that at a point about 5 miles south of Winlan she saw the largest and prettiest deer her eyes had ever met, which stood right on the edge of the track and watch the train pass slowly by giving the passengers a chance to get a good look at it.

Trainer DesBrisay is urgent in his requests that those who wish to qualify for the events at the N. P. A. A. O. regattu at Seattle on July 4th next, should be regular in their practice. He is of the opinion that there is plenty of material in this city if it would only show itself in order to be recognized.

W. Waldie and A. N. Wolverton have gone to Vancouver on a business trip. Before returning they will visit the extensive timber area on Vancouver Island, the property of the Sunset Mills Ltd., of which company they are directors. They will be met there by C. E. Shearer of Ontario, who is also interested.

Owing to the difficulty caused by the strike at Michel and the consequent stoppage of freight business, the C.P.R. authorities have cancelled for today the fishermen's train which usually starts out for West Robson and way stations every Sunday morning at 7:30. It is hoped to resume the service next Sunday morning.

Tomorrow the Blue Bell mine opens with one regular shift. Within the week following another shift will be placed at work. The mine is now in good shape and merely requires systematic development. There are already two or three cars of lead concentrates ready for shipment to Trail, ore taken out in the improvements which have been effected in the recent development of this well known property.

The local court of the Canadian Order of Foresters, Kootenay Belle No. 722, have chosen J. W. Holmes, Jr. as their representative at the meeting of the high court of the order, which is to convene at Niagara Falls in the early part of June. Mr. Holmes is taking advantage of his trip east to visit his old home at Ingersoll, going by way of Detroit and Chicago, and will also take in some of the principal centers of eastern Canada.

A. H. Kelly, who has just returned from a trip to Whitehorse, Yukon, speaks loudly in praise of the possibilities of the new copper camp. Everybody there seemed to be pleased with the prospects ahead of the camp. Some three or four properties have been brought to a shipping stage of development and a nine mile railroad is in course of construction which will connect the camp with the White Pass railroad. The best known properties are the Arctic Chief and Best chance which are owned by W. J. Elmendorf and others of Spokane, including Capt. Irving of Victoria; the Pueblo owned by Byron White and the Spring creek owned by the Dickson Bros. of Whitehorse.

Power and light will be off this morning from six o'clock until the same hour in the evening. Today will take place the long delayed test of the municipal power plant which probably will not be completed until Wednesday next. The tests tomorrow and upon the days succeeding will not necessitate so continued a disturbance of light and power. H. E. M. Kensit and R. A. Brown are conducting the test for the city while A. H. Jackson is looking after the interests of the installing company.

As in past years the local merchants, or the great majority of them will probably commence their usual weekly half holiday this, the first week in June. A number of Baker street business men interviewed yesterday announced their intention of adopting the rule successfully in force here for several past summers, and this year it seems that Wednesday will be the day selected. On that day the steamer for Kaslo and way points leaves at 2 p. m. so that the visiting ranchers will not be inconvenienced by the stores here closing at the noon hour. On Thursday the steamer leaves at 4 o'clock and in consequence the day first mentioned will probably be selected. The rule of closing one day a week at the noon hour during June, July and August August has been found to work well in the past and to satisfy all concerned, it being understood that weeks in which a public holiday falls the weekly half holiday will not be observed. It is to be hoped that the half holiday will be very generally observed this season.

PERSONALS

D. Guthrie of Rossland was a visitor to the city yesterday.

G. L. Merry of Trail was registered at the Hume hotel yesterday.

W. A. Macdonald, K. C., returned from the Greenwood assizes on Friday night.

C. F. Sherwin, superintendent of the Blue Bell mine was in from Riondel yesterday.

Mrs. A. Hallett left last night for Vancouver where she will spend a couple of months after which she goes to Detroit for the remaining part of the summer.

H. H. Claudet of Rossland came through Nelson yesterday on a hurried business visit.

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OBSERVATORY STREET STATION FULLY EQUIPPED

GREATLY NEEDED IMPROVEMENT IS ACCOMPLISHED

Yesterday afternoon the new fire station, on Observatory street, was equipped and two of the permanent men from the Josephine street station installed there. An addition of 10 feet was made in the building, lights and gongs placed, and all arrangements made to respond to fire alarms in the business and residential sections, without increasing the permanent force of firemen or purchasing apparatus and hose. The combined truck and hose wagon, carrying ladders, 700 feet of hose and two chemical extinguishers will remain at headquarters. The combined chemical and hose wagon, with 1000 feet of hose and 200 feet of the chemical hose will occupy No. 2 hall, answering all alarms. It is the intention to move fire alarm box No. 34 from the corner of Josephine and Observatory streets to Latimer and Josephine. With two teams of horses always in service and the permanent force distributed the residential section will now have the protection so long needed.

The change will mean a saving in time when an alarm is sent in from the eastern portion of the city. The placing of a fire alarm box on Latimer street and the moving of the hand hose cart to the central hall gives an additional 500 feet of hose in the business district and the alarm system will cover valuable property in the neighborhood of Box 34. Both fire halls will be on a party telephone wire, receiving the message at the same time, and a gong will be placed in No. 2 hall connecting with the Gamewell fire alarm system.

The only increase in the roll of the fire department made recently was the addition of a call fireman, whose duty it is to remain in the fire hall during the absence of the firemen; in former years one of the call firemen attended to this work, but it was found that a man could be secured at a salary to take the place, allowing the full complement of men to respond to alarms.

Chief Deasy is to be congratulated upon the added means of protection placed at his disposal for the residential section of the city.

IN THE BOUNDARY

Remarkable Feat by Horses—No High Water This Season

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, May 30.—That two large black workhorses should deliberately walk two long trestles over 80 feet high on the north fork extension of the Kettle Valley railway was the statement made here yesterday by Alex Robinson, a timber contractor of this district. Mr. Robinson who is camped on the north fork near Niagara missed his horses a couple of days ago and finally traced them by the marks of their shoes over these high bridges, one of which was three hundred feet in length. The horses were seeking better pasture and had no fear of the high bridges.

James Smith, a pioneer of Grand Forks, is authority for the statement that off his 20 acre plot of land just south of Grand Forks last season he made a little over thirteen hundred dollars in cash, and then only cultivated a portion of this acreage. Of some twelve acres of potatoes he had an average of five tons per acre, while some few acres planted in other vegetables were equally prolific. Out of this twenty acres some five acres was reserved for hay land making only fifteen acres under cultivation. This case is a practical proof that a comfortable income can be derived from only a few acres of land if planted in vegetables in the Kettle valley, while if it had been occupied by fruit trees in bearing a much larger income would be derivable.

That there will be no high water this season here is the firm belief of the old timers of the district. The continued cool and wet weather has gradually melted the snow in the mountains and this has been carried down the Kettle river for weeks. Had it been otherwise, much damage to property might have occurred by the sudden overflow of the Kettle river at Grand Forks.

The recent important strikes of high grade ore at the Bertha claim at Bannock City, together with the phenominally high gold assays is now attracting outside capital and several adjoining claims are now being sought after.

SLOCAN MINES

Work at Ottawa Compressor Is Resumed —Personal Mention

(Special to The Daily News.)

SLOCAN, May 30.—The Ottawa compressor has resumed work and William French, of Nelson is in charge.

Kirt Zimmerman is working on the Hamilton fraction, adjoining the Ottawa. He reports a good showing of ore.

Assessment work is being done on the Zillah, situated on Gold Hill, and owned by Spokane people.

Mrs. J. E. Tattersall has taken her little daughter Marion, who has been ill for the past week, to New Denver, where she is in Dr. Brouse's care.

NEEDS THE CASH

PARIS, May 30.—J. Martin Miller, who at one time was American consul at Rheims and who was mentioned in the suit recently brought in New York by Mae C. Wood against senator T. C. Platt for divorce, has instituted suit for defamation of character against the London Daily Mail and the edition of the London Daily Mail published in Paris. He claims $30,000 damages from each paper for injury to his business reputation in Europe on account of the publication by these journals of certain letters alleged to have come out during the hearing of the Wood-Platt case. The papers printed the substance of Miller's alleged statement produced by Miss Wood in court.

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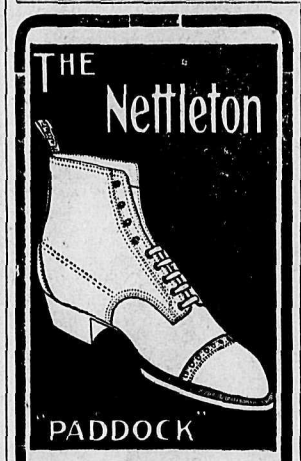

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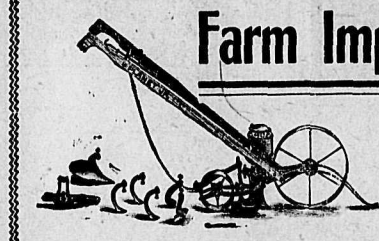

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