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OVER THE FALL

Three Nelson Men Swept to Their Death

PASSING OF PADDY MILES

JACK SHARPLES MAKES A LAST STRUGGLE FOR LIFE—RICHMOND THE THIRD OF THE ILL-FATED TRIO—DESCRIPTION OF AN EYE-WITNESS.

Every year the Kootenay river claims its toll of human life.

On Sunday at noon three more victims were added to the list of those who found death in the river. John Miles, known the province over as "Paddy," Jack Sharples and John Richmond.

An eye-witness of the accident, one of the employees at the city power plant, gives the following account:

"We were just sitting down to dinner when some one called out 'there comes the boat across' and looking out I saw the row boat used as a ferry at Miles' crossing, coming over. Paddy Miles was rowing, Jack Sharples was sitting in the stern and a young Englishman named John Richmond was sitting in the bow. I noticed that the boat was further down stream than she should be for the position where I saw her, but I did not think much about that at the moment. From where we were sitting I could see well up stream, but did not watch the boat after first glancing at it. We went on with our meal and in a few moments the cook came rushing in from the kitchen screaming out' They're going over the falls' and we all rushed outside.

"By this time the rowboat with the thred men and two dogs on board had got into swift water. Paddy was struggling with all his might at the oars in a vain attempt to get to shore, and the frail craft was being swept steadily down stream, going more swiftly every second towards the edge of the first fall.

"As the rowboat came down in the rushing waters just above the intake for the city plant, Sharples seemed unable to control himself longer and he made a leap over the boat's side in a last frantic effort to swim to the shore so temptingly close at hand. Sharples' leap upset the boat and all three men were seen struggling in the water. Paddy Miles managed to drag himself up on the bottom of the overturned boat and there he lay at full length. Richmond caught hold of the painter and was hanging on to it for dear life, while Sharples abandoning the boat altogether was making a last mighty effort to reach the rocks. As the group swept past the intake Sharples had reached within a couple of feet, as far as we could see, of the sharp point where the end of the forebay juts out. He made one desperate effort to clutch the rocks and then seemed to give up in despair as he was hurried with the rest down the stream nearer the inevitable plunge over the first falls.

All this took only a few moments to happen and there was nothing we could do to help the unfortunate men. In another second the boat seemed to pause as it reached the crest of the falls and then it pitched over and disappeared with Paddy still clinging to the upturned bottom, Richmond being drawn along clutching the painter and Sharples now almost alongside.

"We all rushed down below the falls but never saw a trace of the men again. The boat or what was left of it, we found in the eddy below the falls later in the afternoon."

Searching parties were up and down the river all Sunday afternoon and all of yesterday but when darkness fell last night no trace of the men or of the two dogs that were with the party had been found.

While not at its extreme height yet the river is running strongly at the present time and it is supposed that Paddy Miles, grown careless from long familiarity with the crossing, allowed the boat to get drawn into the rapids, almost without noticing it and only found out the danger when it was too late.

The news of the disaster created a profound impression in this city when it became known. Many stories were floating about and the number drowned, according to rumor, varied from two to five persons.

The late John Miles was known all over the province. In his way he was a character and his life had been one full of adventure and excitement. Captain Paterson of Fairview first met "Paddy" when the latter sailed with him on the steamer Alexander at the coast in the fall of 1878. In 1879 Miles was a city policeman in Victoria. Later he turned up as the locator of what is now known as Halcyon and later still he had a brickyard at Revelstoke.

In the Kootenays Paddy was among the first to arrirve at Ainsworth, when Nelson had as yet no existence. He located the Paradise group to the west of the city and has worked them off and on ever since. He was the first provincial constable regularly stationed in this city and when in charge of the gaol, a man by the name of Woods, awaiting trial on a charge of murdering another man also named Wood or Woods, managed to induce him, Miles, to stoop down and look down the kitchen stove, which he, Woods' was attending, and then striking Miles, grappled with him and thrust him into one of the cells, locked him in and made off. Woods was subsequently captured and hanged.

Very many stories are told of Paddy, but all old timers unite in saying that he was a brave, resolute man, absolutely devoid of fear and when on the police force a most excellent officer. The deceased leaves a son and married daughter and it is said it was his intention to go east this summer to visit them. For some years Paddy has been looking after a ranch of his near the city piwer plant and "Miles' Ferry" and "Miles' Crossing" are as well known here as the city itself. The deceased was said to be 65 years of age.

Jack Sharples was a powerfully built man, standing six feet and a good all-round athlete, having played football for the local team in several matches. He was at one time an instructor in the Coldstream Guards and served in the recent South African war. He was about 35 years of age and unmarried.

John Richmond was a young Englishman, 22 years of age and unmarried. He had only came to Kootenay recently but has relatives in the old country.

A further search will be made today for the three bodies.

MORE FERNIE TROUBLE

MANAGEMENT WILL NOT REINSTATE SOME MEN.

UNION DECLARE THEY WILL FIGHT TO LAST DITCH.

(Special to The Daily News.)

MICHEL, May 25.—After a temporary settlement of the difficulties between the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company and its employees at the Michel collieries, the men have again refused to go to work upon the strength of a letter addressed to president James Douglas, of the Michel union and associates, while at Fernie last Thursday, by general manager Hurd, of the coal company, s ating in part: "When the mines resume work I am ready to take the question of any disputes up as before stated at any hour or place which may be agreeable to you and your district officials."

No mention being made that only part of the men would be re-employed, the local union decided to go to work, trusting that the trouble would be settled amicably.

When the men reported for work on Saturday morning, 12 men, including Douglas, Whitehouse, Carter and Davis, the men who were tried last week for a breach of the Lemieux Act, all leading men of the union, were refused work and asked to report at the superintendent's office, where they were handed their time. No definite explanations were given the men but it is generally believed that these men were refused work as a punishment to the union.

At a meeting of the union last night it was decided that inasmuch as the company had broken their own agreements, that they would settle if the men resume work, no mention being made that these men would be laid off, that they would not return to work until the 12 men had been reinstated. The entire union, about 800 strong, presented themselves at the close of the meeting before superintendent Derbyshire and informed him that they would not work until these men had all been reinstated, to which the superintedent replied that he could not act until he had received instructions from Fernie.

The men are determined and have decided to fight to the last ditch. Everything is quiet and peaceable. No rowdyism is apparent, as has been stated in despatches from the outside.

DISCUSSING SITUATION

MINISTERS AT OTTAWA WORKED ALL YESTERDAY.

CIVIL SERVICE BILL FURTHER POSTPONED.

OTTAWA, May 25—Premier Murray of Nova Scotia, arrived in Ottawa this morning and was in consultation with the federal members from that province who were in the city. It is said that his visit to Ottawa is in connection with the negotiations to bring about a settlement of the Coal-Steel dispute.

Members of the cabinet who remained Ottawa did not have a holiday today. The council sat both in the morning and afternoon dealing with routine matters and discussing the situation arising out of the deadlock over the Aylesworth election bill.

Owing to the absence of Hon. Sydney Fisher, the civil service bill will not be introduced tomorrow as expected.

IN NICK OF TIME.

Little One Narrowly Escapes Drowning in Cellar.

TISDALE, Sask., May 25—While the three year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McDonald, was playing about town this morning his attention was attracted by some blocks which were floating in the water in an open cellar and upon lying down on a board to reach them, fell in and was lost to sight. A lad who was passing at the time informed the child's mother of what had happened and Mrs. McDonald made all possible haste to the scene and plunged in and rescued the child just in the nick of time as the child was only resuscitated after considerable trouble.

The Latest Theory.

LAPORTE, May 25—That the body of Mrs. May O'Reilly, who disappeared from Rochester, N.Y., last fall was substituted by Mrs. Guiness for her own in the fire is the latest theory advanced by attorney Darrow and Worden, attorneys for Lamp here. The attorneys claim to have secured evidence to substantiate such a belief.

KASLO CELEBRATION

Large Number of Visitors From Nearby Points Attend Empire Day at the City of the Lake—Varied Program Affords Amusement—Drilling Contests, Football, and Baseball Games—Premier McBride and Party Join Pleasure Seekers.

It was a most enthusiastic crowd of pleasure seekers that left Nelson by the steamer Kaslo at 7.40 yesterday morning en route to the celebration at the Lake City. The party numbered upwards of 250, among whom were to be noticed George Wells, Harold Selous, C. H. Ink, A. M. Johnson, Charles Walmsley, A. Bishop, E. Bishop, H. Bishop, L. Patrick, R. Bell, R. A. McNeill, Joseph Irwin, Clifford Irwin, F. L. Irwin, Stanley Irwin, Ernest Steel, C. H. Joy, J. Burns, J. McDonald, V. W. Odlum, David Steel, Reuben McCandlish, Leon McCandlish, J. L. Meighan, W. R. McLean, G. H. McPhee and others in addition to the members of the city band, the baseball team, the footfall team and a whole host of ladies.

Several splendid selections of music were rendered by the band between 7 and 8 o'clock and despite the drizzling rain a keen interest in the programme was taken by all aboard the boat.

Purser Jackson's energies were taxed to the limit, it being difficult for him to meet the demand for tickets.

Captain Moore did not prove himself to be the worst weather forecaster in existence when he advised prospective passengers that the sun would be shining before Kaslo was reached.

Calls were made by the steamer at Willow Point, Kokanee, Harrop, Procter and Ainsworth, at which points several passengers were taken aboard and several went ashore. Although possibly cruelly so, much amusement was shown by those aboard the vessel at passengers, some of whom had parcels, alighting by the narrow gang planks at the small landings. The boat crew here again showed their keen desire to accomodate the public to the best of their ability.

All kinds of games and amusements were indulged in on the main deck and in spite of the wet weather the trip was made to be a most enjoyable one. Kaslo was reached at 10.45 when a most cordial reception was tendered to the visitors by the good people of Kaslo.

After an enjoyable day's outing, although marred a little by the unfavorable weather at intervals, the steamer with its party left Kaslo on its return trip at 7.30 reaching the city wharf here at 10.45 when three cheers and a tiger were given for the Queen City of Kootenay was proposed and met with a most hearty response.

To see Kaslo at its best a sunshiny day is really requisite but so beautifully is the little city situated that even without that last set of surroundings Kaslo is a place that will linger long in the memory of the visitors. As a small boy on the Kaslo baseball ground put it yesterday, "If you Nelson folk ain't pleased with Kaslo, you'll have to wait for paradise."

Despite a dull day the Kaslo gardens were a dream of beauty and some of the lawns and places were such that it would be hard to find a passable rival in the Kootenays. The cherries had gone out of bloom but the apple trees were a mass of beautiful coloring. It is no wonder that when Kaslo has a celebration it never lacks for visitors. The trip on the lake is a sufficient recompense for the journey.

It was a rainy morning in Nelson yesterday but in spite of that fact the Kokanee and Kaslo between them brought on close upon 400 passengers from Nelson and points along the lake. Add to this between 50 and 100 from Lardo and twice as many more from along the skyline to Sandon, including a contingent from Silverton to see its miners win the rock drilling contest, and the total influx was well over 600 people. Among the visitors were to be noted the premier of the province and party, R. McBride, Dr. Young, L. McRae, N. F. Mackay, J. H. Schofield. There was no attempt to tender the premier any formal reception but he was to be noted during the day quietly renewing old acquaintances, mixing with the holiday makers, taking an interest in the rock drilling or watching the other sports that were going on Other visitors wereH. Selous, B. Rudd, C. F. Sherwin, W. F. Mawdsley, W. Ward, C Walmsley, G. P. Wells, C. Jarvis, C. Ink, A. Tregillus, Capt. Paddon, W. G. Gillett and many another well known Nelsonite. Conspicuous by his absence was the president of the board of trade, provoking sundry comments. The Nelson band in consequence were handicapped when the well known chorus "We're Here" was vigorously demanded by hilarious pleasure seekers.

/ery naturally, the first person to catch the eye on arriving at Kaslo, was John Keen, a reception committee in himself. But gaily decked Kaslo did not stop at bunting and flowers to welcome her visitors. There was an active reception committee at work numbering the following: J. F. McIntosh, O. T. Stone, H. Giegerich, Kuester, W. V Papworth, G Stott, F. E. Archer, J. Spiers, A. J. Curle, C. Olsen, P. McGregor, Captain Holmes, J. M. McDonald, W. N. Galiup, W. E. Hodder, J. Anderson and A. Campbell.

Generally the arrangements were excellent and what certainly must not be forgotten were the efforts of the ladies to provide refreshments for the visitors, in addition to the excellent accommodation afforded by the hotels.

The executive committee was made up of A. T. Garland, E. E. Chipman, W. E. Zwicky, W. J. Robb and C. H. Bonner, but in addition to these there was a committee of arrangement which took the details of the work to be done in getting up an elaborate celebration, off their hands There were: O. E. Desmond, T. H. Latham, A. W. Palmer, J. W. Cockle, S. A. Hunter, R. R. Robinson, W P. Kane, A. W. Bagnall, C. J. Quinan, W G. Ross, J. Potter, P. H. Walsh, J. W. Power, with mayor Green as president.

The celebration started with the launch races. Only two boats entered from Nelson, the one being the Meteor, owned by A N. Wolverton and the Lady Laurier, owned by B. C. Travis. The second named took the second prize, the first putting itself out of the running by beating its own handicap time. For the launch race, which was run around a triangular course of about three miles, was a race against time. There were entries by P. Smith, N. F. Mackay, W. E. Zwicky, W. Smith, P H. Walsh, J. Reuter, A. D. Wheeler, B. C. Travis and A. N. Wolverton. The winner was P. H Walsh with the Marguerite E., B. C. Travis taking second and N. F. Mackay third.

Then came the trap shooting, 100 shots in five sets of 20. There were 11 entries, G. P. Wells obtaining the first prize with a score of 84 and W. F. Mawdsley the second with 82, and Ink third with 75. The remaining scores were: Bishop, 74; Desmond, 67; Watson, 65; Burden, 63; Johnson, 53; Boyd, 51 and Ward 50.

Both the 100 yard and the 220 yard dashes were won by H. Bishop, H. McDonald running him second.

Then followed the single hand rock drilling, which took place at the band stand under the supervision of W. E. Zwicky. The time allowed was ten minutes. There were four entries and a keen competition was the result. The order of merit was Erickson, 14 3-8 inches; Johnson, 14 3-16; Dumphy, 11 13-16; McGillivray, 11 1-4 inches. The prizes offered were not large, but sufficient to elicit the display of some very pretty skill.

The football game resulted in an easy victory for Nelson, who shut out their opponents completely. The teams were as follows:

Nelson—Richie, Richards, Boyes, Fletcher, Skuce, Jerons, Cameron, Ramsden, Brown, Eddie, McKenna.

Kaslo—Anderson, Halliwell, Mustard, Twiner, Bateman, Patterson, Chandler, Corney, Towgood, Hoole, McKinney.

Nelson began with having the lower end of the field, that is to say with the advantage against it. Dr. Young kicked off the ball and the fun began. But after the lapse of a few minutes it was seen it was a walk over for the green and white. Their own goal was hardly menaced at all and except from an occasional rush by Chandler whom the other Kaslo players seeemed contented to watch, the leather was kept in Kaslo ground the whole of the play. Indeed the first six goals were all got from corner kicks. If it were not for the excellence of their goal keeper Kaslo could not have got off as easily as it did. But Anderson could not well be expected to keep out the ball when sent in by his own side.

Far keener interest was taken in the rock drilling for which there were three entries for the handsome prizes of $200 and $100 were offered. Two teams came in from Silverton and one from Rossland. The committee of management was the same as on the single handed contest. The grand stand at the recreation ground, in front of which the drilling took place, was crowded with people none evincing a keener interest than the premier and his party.

The first team was Mackenzie and Johnson of Silverton who in the 15 minutes allotted did well enough, getting down 41 3-8 inches, very good work. But the favorites were the second Silverton team, McGillivray and Erickson, who beat this by exactly eight inches. When the result was announced there was loud cheering as something like a record had been established. It was not thought the Rossland team could beat this, and as matter of fact they did not, Johns and Dunn only getting down 45 inches. Easy second money but away behind the winners.

But after all that which proved the very best event of the day's sport was the baseball match between Trail and Nelson, the issue of which hung in doubt until the very last —until a hit by Frieze and a couple of costly errors lost Nelson the game at the end of the ninth inning.

Nelson went to bat in the following order: H. Bishop, Patrick, Wilson, Loring, A. Bishop, Sturgeon, Carrington, Steel and Starr, Frieze pitching for Trail. H. Bishop and Patrick got home; Wilson was struck out; A. Bishop got a run, and Carrington and Loring being struck out, Sturgeon died on base.

Trail went to the bat with Agnew, Randall, Morgan, Shutt, Brock, Van Valen, Chapman, Cunningham and Frieze. Sturgeon pitching Randall and Morgan got a hit apiece but died on base, Agnew and Brock being put out and Shutt struck out. Score three to nothing. The second inning was a repetition of the first, Patrick, Wilson and Steel scoring for Nelson, Steel getting a hit to his credit and Starrbbeing struck out. Trail did not do as well as in the second inning Chapman getting a hit, Frieze being struck out, only four going to bat. Score six to nothing and apparently an easy walk over for Nelson.

The third inning made little change, Sturgeon making a run and Steel scoring a hit, only five going to bat. Frieze had seemed to have steadied down and was now playing very good ball. In their half Trail scored its first run it being obtained by Agnew with a good hit to his credit in the bargain. This Randall was also credited with. The score was then seven to one. In the fifth inning neither side could score Frieze getting out three men in succession, striking out Patrick. But for Nelson Sturgeon did almost as well, striking out Randall, only four men going to bat. So far everything looked lovely for Nelson. But the Trail men were playing well together while Nelson was not at all good in the field. The catching by Starr was excellent and so was the pitching by Sturgeon. But Sturgeon is young, last year playing with the juniors, and he was beginning to tire whereas Frieze was in better form than at the start. The batting was good on both sides especially Nelson's. The fielding left much to be desired for both teams but Nelson's was certainly the worst.

The fifth inning began by some splendid batting by Loring. A. Bishop, who ran himself out, a costly error, and Steel, each getting a two bagger but only Loring and Sturgeon scoring a run. This made Nelson, however, nine to one, and were not the boys in green and white triumphant! But the second half of the inning was different, Trail putting four to its credit, runs made by Morgan Shutt, Brock and Van Valen, Agnew getting a hit and Frieze a two bagger, every man going to bat. This was Nelson's errors mostly.

Nelson in its sixth got one run by H. Bishop on a hit and a two bagger by Patrick, but Wilson was struck out. Trail repeated its performance of the previous inning, Agnew, Shutt, Brock, Van Vallen and Cunningham scoring runs. Sturgeon, who had tired, was replaced by Patrick in the middle of this inning but the result was the same. The score now stood at 10 to 9 in favor of Nelson.

In the seventh inning Bishop, Sturgeon and Carrington alone went to bat, Frieze striking out Bishop and Carrington. Nothing was scored. Trail followed up its success of the sixth inning by a well played two runs, all the more meritorious because Sturgeon, who had returned, struck out Morgan and afterwards Van Vallen and Cunningham but Shutt got a two bagger and Brock a hit and both scored a run on a hit by Chapman, amid wild excitement as now the score stood 11 to 10 against Nelson. The Trail rooters rubbed it in good and plenty. The eighth inning looked different. H. Bishop made a timely two bagger, allowing Starr, who had got a base on a hit, to make a run in. Then Wilson was struck out and Loring made a hit bringing in both Bishop and Patrick. The score level, on the first run of the inning, was, by Loring's lucky hit, brought up to 13 to 11 in favor of Nelson. When the second half of the inning closed with a shut-out of Trail completely by Loring, only three men going to bat, the game still looked to be Nelson's. This was made more markedly the case at the end of the first half of the ninth inning Carrington getting a run. Nelson could do no more Frieze pitching beautifully and striking out both Steel and H. Bishop.

Now Trail had three to make to tie, four to win. This did not look likely. Loring played well enough but Morgan got a hit upon him and Shutt a base. Then he struck out Brock but an error brought Morgan and Shutt in, score 13 to 14 Van Valen and Chapman got away on the bases and an error while Frieze was batting brought in both these men and the game ended amid tremendous excitement with the score 15 to 14 in favor of Trail.

The line up was, Nelson, Sturgeon, Starr, Loring, Patrick, Steel, Carrington, Wilson, A. Bishop, H. Bishop; Trail, Frieze, Shutt, Agnew, Brock, Morgan, Randall, Cunningham, Chapman, Van Valen.

Still Nelson has the making of an excellent team. They have never played before together and badly lack practice in the field. In Sturgeon and Loring, both youngsters, they will find good pitchers as time goes on. On the other hand Trail was playing three of its men short and a second game is by no means a certainty for Nelson.

This practically ended a pleasan celebration. There was a ball in the evening and there were some good catches of fish during the day but to the happy crowd which came home last night the day ended when a costly error sent Trail home victorious.

To Meet Ministers

A public reception and meeting will be tendered Hon. Richard McBride, Hon. H. E. Young, minister of education, and Hon. W. J. Bowser, K.C., attorney general, in the Alice Roller rink on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

After the meeting is over a citizens' banquet will be tendered the premier and the other visiting ministers at the Hotel Strathcona, commencing about 10:30.

His worship mayor Taylor will take the chair at the meeting which will follow the reception.

Thursday night's gathering is in no sense a party meeting and the general public is cordially invited to attend at the roller rink when a favorable opportunity will be given of meeting the provincial ministers and later of hearing brief addresses from them.

Tickets for the banquet can be obtained from members of the committee.

KILLED BY NEW POWDER

WELL KNOWN ROSSLAND MINER MEETS HIS DEATH.

LOADING HOLES AT THE CENTRE STAR MINE.

ROSSLAND, May 25—Maurice Powers was instantly killed yesterday afternoon at 2:30 while loading some holes in a stope on the 11th level of the Centre Star mine with a new powder called Mitchellite.

John J. Jones, timberman, was handing Powers the powder while he loaded the holes, three of which had been loaded and the fourth was being loaded when the explosion occurred. Powers' head was partially blown off and his body was filled with small pieces of rock and a large gash on the neck cut the jugular vein. Jones was thrown several feet, and landed on the floor below the stope on which the explosion occurred, but was not severely hurt.

The powder had been experimented with for about two weeks by the mine management and stood many tests. It had been ground so fine that it would pass through a 40-mesh screen and had been thrown against the iron radiator without exploding.

A coroner's jury today found that the cause of the explosion was the friction of jagged rocks in the hole which had been fired by the shift which worked on Saturday night.

Powers was on old miner and had been shift boss and foreman in Rossland for about ten years. He was one of the most expert and careful miners in the camp, very popular annd had many friends. He was a native of Ireland, aged 48. He leaves a widow and daughter of ten years to mourn his loss.

NEW WESTMINSTER WON

DEFEATED MAPLE LEAFS BY A SCORE OF 15 to 3.

EXPLOSION ON LAUNCH NEARLY CAUSES DEATH.

VANCOUVER May 25 — The New Westminster famous lacrosse team won their opening game of the season from the Maple Leafs of Vancouver by a score of 15-3.

The Vancouver baseball team won a double header from the Tacoma league leaders today, winning the morning game by a score of 2-0 and the afternoon game by a score of 8-1. Record crowds attended the game.

In the 200-mile yacht race around Texada island, the yacht Elsa May, C. A. Davidson, skipper, won. Three other yachts started but were compelled to return owing to a fierce gale.

A gasoline launch exploded at an early hour this morning off point Atkinson, outside the narrows. How the accident happened is not known. The launch had two occupants, A. Ross, a dry goods merchant and J. Wilson, insurance agent The boat caught fire and both men had to jump into the water to save their lives. As it was Ross was severely burned on the face, hands and feet. They were picked up by another boat that was fortunately close at hand or the results might have been even more serious, as they were some distance from shore.

EDITOR ARRESTED.

St. Boniface Newspaper Man Is Charged With Perjury.

WINNIPEG, May 25—Clodius Juffet, editor of a St. Boniface paper, was arrested on Saturday charged with perjury. This is the climax of rather a curious case. Last month as a defence against a suit for the collection of a debt, Juffet swore he would not be of full legal age until July next. His contention was sustained. Last week Juffet made application to the registration clerk of St. Boniface to register him as a legal voter. The officer knew of the circumstances but as the applicant took the proper oath he did not feel disposed to refuse him registration. The circumstances, however, resulted in an investigation and the contradictory oaths were revealed. Juffet's arrest followed. He was released on bonds pending trial.

Granted an Audience.

TOKIO, May 25—British rear-admiral sir Hedworth Lambton, and staff will be granted an tudience tomorrow, Tuesday, by the emperor and will afterwards partake of luncheon at the Shiba palace.

BIG RECEPTION

President Fallieres Visits London

"NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE"

SERIES OF ROYAL JOURNEYINGS THIS SUMMER MAY EXERCISE IMPORTANT INFLUENCE UPON THE FUTURE OF EUROPEAN POLICY.

PARIS, May 25—The series of important visits of the chiefs of state this summer, which include the visit of president Fallieres to Scandinavia and St. Petersburg and king Edward's visit to emperor Nicholas, were inaugurated today with the departure of the president to London. The president, accompanied by foreign minister Pichon, travelled on a special train to Boulogne, where the party embarked on the French cruiser Leon Gambetta for Dover.

Great preparations have been made on the other side of the channel to give president Fallieres a reception worthy of the cordial relations existing between the two countries.

The Anglo-French press comments with enthusiasm on the important political results of these visits in cementing the Anglo-French-Russian understandings which now are regarded almost as a new triple alliance.

DOVER, May 25—The cruiser Leon Gambetta, with president Fallieres and the members of his party on board arrived here from Boulogne shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon. The party was given an enthusiastic naval welcome by British ships of war under the command of admiral lord Charles Beresford.

The naval display was remarkable. A fleet of fifty warships was formed in a long double line to greet the president of France and the crews of the British vessels cheered lustily as the Leon Gambetta steamed up the line. Immediately the Leon Gambetta had come to anchor, lord Charles Beresford and the other British officers boarded the French cruiser and were presented to president Fallieres who expressed to sir Charles his admiration for the splendid naval spectacle. After this exchange of greetings president Fallieres was escorted to the shore and on landing he was welcomed by prince Arthur of Connaught on behalf of king Edward. The mayor and the corporation of Dover presented him with an address of welcome after which the presidential party drove to the railroad station and took the train for London.

LONDON, May 25—King Edward, the prince of Wales and other members of the royal family, foreign secretary sir Edward Grey, premier Asquith and home secretary Gladstone, welcomed M. Fallieres, the president of France, when he arrived at Victoria station this afternoon to return the visits which king Edward and other members of the British royal family have paid to the head of the French republic in Paris. A procession of state carriages with postillions was formed and proceeded to York house, that portion of St. James palace where M. Falliers will reside during his stay in London. The large crowds that assembled gave the president of France as hearty a welcome as he could have wished.

BUTCHER VS. QUEEN.

Portugese Royal Household Can Not Pay its Trade Bills.

LISBON, May 25—The royal household of Portugal is being beseiged by its creditors and the newspapers of Lisbon are filled with the news of suits brought by trades people against its members. The courts already have awarded a butcher $210 and costs, the amount of an unpaid meat bill against dowager queen Maria Pia and the duke of Oporto. This situation arises from the fact that the members of the royal household have not received a single penny from the state since the assassination of king Carlos and the crown prince, because the new civil list cannot be approved until after the finncial accounting of the reign of the late king Carlos is completed. This is held up by threatened revelations of Garvaho, who was minister of finance under ex-premier Franco, regarding sums of money which went to members of the present government.

STRIKE IS OVER.

British Shipbuilders Will Go to Work Again on May 28.

LONDON, May 25—A general ballot of the men involved in the shipbuilding strike, was held today and resulted in favor of accepting the terms offered by the employers. Consequently work will be resumed May 28. Fully a quarter of a million workmen are involved in this movement. The trouble began in January.

ONE WAY OUT.

The Sultan of Morocco Would Kill Off a Few Germans.

PARIS, May 25.—Mulai Hafid, the usurping sultan of Morocco, is quoted by the correspondent of the Matin as saying he would, if necessary, have several German subjects killed in order to secure the intervention of France's rival in Morocco.

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ONTARIO AND QUEBEC

Notwithstanding the fuss being made daily in Ontario and Quebec newspapers, only a comparatively mild interest is being taken in the general elections which will take place in both provinces on Monday, June 8. The main result in both instances is not in doubt, and it is only a question how large a majority Mr. Whitney will have in Ontario and Mr. Gouin in Quebec. In the latter province the conservatives who ran away at the last election have announced their intention of placing candidates in every constituency this time, no doubt in many instances with some hope of success. The chief interest taken in both contests, outside of the two provinces, lies in the effect the results are likely to have on the next dominion election. The Canadian Courier thinks the dominion contest will be a very equal one and that the battle will prove one of the most exciting political fights that Canada has witnessed since the stirring times of 1878.

Canada, says the Courier, is on the eve of one of the greatest political battles which we have ever seen. The events of *the past few weeks have brought the* battle closer—how close no one seems able to say. For 12 years the liberals under the leadership of sir Wilfrid Laurier, *have ruled at Ottawa, and for* 12 years the opposition has been weak and at times dispirited. During the past 12 months there has been a change. Rightly or wrongly, the opposition has made up its mind that the next general election will be their opportunity. About a year ago they began to organize. In the house they formed themselves into a number of committees, one for each department of government, and one for each great point of discussion. They instituted a systematic and persistent campaign against the government in the house and outside. Events, commercial and political, have favored them in a remarkable way and today they are almost haughty in their views as to the outcome of the great battle.

At *the recent provincial* elections in New Brunswick, a liberal government was defeated and a conservative government installed. On June 8th there will be *two other provincial elections. In Que*bec, a liberal government is going back for re-election. At the previous campaign in that province the government of the day sprang a surprise on the conservative opposition and as a consequence there were only one or two conservative candidates. Only seven of those elected were not direct suporters of the government. On this occasion the conservatives have been given a better opportunity and while Premier Gouin will be sustained, the opposition will be considerably strengthened. No other result is to be anticipated. In Ontario premier Whitney's forces are in spirited fighting trim and his majority will not be dangerously impaired. The point in this recital is that anything which has occurred or is likely to occur in the provincial campaign is in favor of the conservative opposition at Ottawa.

On the other hand, sir Wilfrid Laurier *is the most exerienced and most success*ful political leader that Canada has had since the death of sir John A. Macdonald. His intellectual vigor has been well maintained in spite of advancing years. He has a splendid fighting force behind him, though some of his former lieutenants have been gazetted out of the service and others have grown grey and rheumatic. It is not to be supposed that he will be much less brilliant than he has always been or that he will allow his opponents full choice of weapons and position. The battle will not be an unequal one. The advantages and disadvantages are fairly well balanced. The result will mainly rest upon whether or not the people think it is time for a change. This is almost the only point which the sluggish body politic ever seriously considers.

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EMPIRE DAY AT NAKUSP

RAIN SOMEWHAT STOPPED THE HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS.

OTHER HAPPENINGS AT CITY ON COLUMBIA RIVER.

(Special to The Daily News.)

NAKUSP, May 25.—Today being Empire Day was observed as a holiday here though the rain interfered a good deal *with the arrangements. Quite a party* went to New Denver for the celebration there and a good many local picnics were held.

The C. P. R. steamer Kootenay, which has been on the ways for the past few weeks, has been launched and after being thoroughly overhauled, receiving a new coat of paint, now presents a fine appearance.

The whole C. P. R. fleet on the Arrow Lakes have had their funnels painted cream and black which is the standard color of the company's ocean going vessels, thus making the whole craft uniform and the innovations is a decided improvement.

The tug "Blonde" of the Bowman Lumber company is on the C. P. R. ways undergoing repairs.

The Presbyterian mission gasoline launch, the outcome of the energetic efforts of the Rev. M. Danby, is all but completed, and will be launched at an *early date. The cost has been fully* subscribed by sympathizers of its intended work, from all over Canada. It will be used to visit the many settlers along the lake and river points, which *are fast increasing.*

Settlers are still coming into Nakusp increasing the population some 40 or 50 during the past two months, all of whom are highly satisfied with their prospects. About 25 of these came direct from Holland and are settled near the new flag station, Brouse, three miles from Nakusp. It is the intention to enumerate the work of the various settlers during the season.

Nakusp lodge No. 42, K. of P., (the baby lodge) held its first meeting Friday evening in the new K. of P. hall. Several new members were proposed and it is confidently felt that the membership will be large and the order on a sound basis at an early date. The hall itself is 25 x 50, of the regulation type, containing three ante-rooms, lofty, and splendidly furnished by the Standard Furniture company of Nelson. It is the intention to use the hall for social and other purposes and will be a great *acquisition to the town.*

Mr. F. W. Gordan, our genial postmaster and merchant, paid a visit to his ranch at Fire Valley this week, on which he located what is supposed to *be a fine soda water spring*, which he is having officially analyzed. It will not be necessary for Mr. Jordan to make any further purchases of this useful amalgamating liquid.

The marriage took place last week at Revelstoke of the popular river pilot, W. H. Wright of the steamer Kootenay, and Miss Rosie Williams of Edgewood. The happy couple left for the coast for their honeymoon.

Arrow Park, the newest townsite on the lakes, 12 miles south of Nakusp, *presents a busy appearance*—a large, neat sign on the river bank marking its existence, behind which the land is being cleared and several buildings are already constructed. A large number *of tents also gives quite a smart as*pect.

A carload of settlers' effects with live stock, was landed at Makinson's landing, 20 miles south, last week.

Mr. A. C. Yoder, manager for Lindsley Bros., of Spokane, has arrived to look after the telegraph pole business. They are clearing and extending the Nakusp yard. They report the immediate market quiet with every hope of improvement as the financial conditions across the line is relieved.

The Grand hotel is an addition to the telephone line.

Mr. C. Moore, P. L. S., of Creston, is some survey work for T. Abriel and others.

Considerable activity is displayed in the tie business both at Nakusp and Summit, about five cars being shipped daily to local and prairie points.

Surveyors, while at work Saturday, came in close contact with and gave *chase to a black bear among the ten* acre lots near town. Bruin got away.

Mrs. L. F. McDougald visited New Denver on Thursday.

Mrs. J. L. Edwards returned from the coast on Saturday, Mrs. W. Scott remaining at Victoria.

Mrs. Muirhead is visiting friends at Enderby.

Services were held on Sunday at the three churches, Anglican, Presbyterian and Catholic.

A party of ship carpenters arrived from Okanagan on Saturday to be added to the force of the local yard.

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Nelson, May 23, 1908.

GRAND FORKS NEWS.

Railway Man Married—Watchman's *Narrow Escape.*

(Special to The Daily News.)

Grand Forks, May 25.—Aat the home of the bride's parents, in West Grand Forks, Mr. H. H. Sheedy, local agent of the Great Northern railway, and Miss Phila Wells were united in the holy bods of matrimony last Saturday morning. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Mr. Ross, was witnessed by a few intimate friends of the contracting party. Shortly after the ceremony was performed the happy couple took the Great Northern for Spokane. They will also visit Seattle on their honeymooon trip and will take in the American fleet and expect to return to Grand Forks in about two weeks time.

While *working with some saw logs* in the Granby smelter dam a few days ago William Towe, a trusted watchman on the Granby smelter flume, narrowly escaped death by drowning. It seems that *Mr. Towe, who had just stuck a pike* pole into a log which was rotten, somehow missed his footing and fell backwards into about twenty feet of water with floating logs everywhere. It was then that Mr. Towe displayed most wonderful presence of mind, not being able to swim, in falling he managed to *catch hold of the boom stick just in* time to save himself and thus he was saved from a watery grave. If he had become excited, as no help was near, his death would have been a certainty.

At a recent target practice held here last week by the ladies' gun club of Grand Forks, Mrs Woodland headed the score with 60, Miss Bruce 49, Miss Hay 39, Miss Musgrove 27, and Mrs. McIntyre 27. A final shot was then taken by the two last contestants when Miss Musgrove was declared the winner.

F. B. McKeehan, United States immigration, with headquarters at Grand Forks, left here last Saturday for Chihau, Mexico, where here has been sent *by the United States government* in charge of a Spanish woman who is being deported by the immigration authorities of Colville, Wash. He was accompanied by Miss Kelly, who will act as matron.

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The arrival of earl Grey in state with outriders was the signal for a general demonstration, the Grenadiers band playing the national anthem. The bookies were kept pretty far down on the lawn and they had more business than they had time to look after. The heavy rains and the over-flowing lake contributed to a heavy going on the back stretch and part of the steeplechase course was a pond, the remainder of the track being in excellent condition.

They were off for the King's Plate at 5:10. Supper Dance went away in the lead, with the others on her flank. On the back stretch she was in full open stride and apparently going well *within herself. At the half* there was the usual closing up and as far as could be distinguished, Newguile, which in exercise is said to have gone nine furlongs in 1:58 on a slo wtrack, made his run. For an instant the leaders appeared almost in file and then from the inside Seismic proved that the early spring reports were justified and he forged ahead, full of gameness, responding to every call. Supper Dance and Newguile had disappeared and Shimonese made her effort. It was determined but Seismic was game and the Valley Farm mare dwelt for an instant and swerved. Seismic kept on, but Shimonese challenged again with resolution and Seismic rather came back to her. The Seagram colt won by little more than half a length.

Summary—the King's Plate, valued at $5000, one and a quarter mile—Seismic, 106, (Fairbrother) 4 to 5, won; Shimonese, 101 (Mulachey), 2 to 1, sec*ond; Half a Crown, 122 (Shilling), 4to5,* third; time 2:11. Supper Dance, Sauce of Gold, Wicklight, Table Bay, Archie Whyte, Dog of War, Newguile, Two Lips, Captain and Good Likeness also ran.

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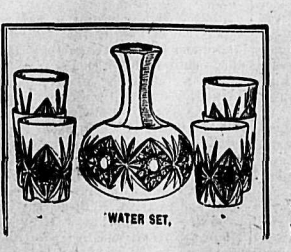

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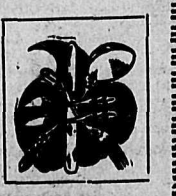

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SONS OF ENGLAND TAKE THE LEAD IN A PATRIOTIC PARADE IN WHICH THEY ARE JOINED BY R. M. R.—ORDER OF EAGLES PARADE IN AFTERNOON.

Empire day in Nelson was honored on Sunday as it was never here honored before. It is only of late years that the significance of Empire and the relations which it bears to the late queen Victoria, has borne itself in upon men's minds. The presence in the west of the returned Canadians who went to the struggle in South Africa, the influx of English capital and the coming in of English immigrants has all helped in this regard. Better understood today than ever are the words of the Canadian statesman who declared that Canada was already a nation and had nothing to seek outside the empire, or the words of the Confederation act of the dominion in which is set upon record the desire of Canadians ever to remain under the one flag.

Taking this into consideration the local lodge of the Sons of England some weeks ago decided upon a patriotic celebration and to this end invited to be present not only the members of their own lodge but all other Englishmen and also those who had fought or who were willing to fight for the Unity of the Empire, an idea which is now possessing the Anglo-Saxon race and which will ever be connected with the name of queen Victoria. Hence it follows that the companies of the local forces were invited to be present and it is not surprising to hear that the officers in charge of the First Nelson Boy's Brigade, the coming hope of the coming generation, begged permission to be present and that that permission was more than readily granted.

To any Briton who has read even a little of the history of his race the components of that parade of Sunday morning were a revelation of the loyalty that everywhere pervades an empire which is the largest the world has hitherto known. There were first and foremost the boys of the upspringing generation, boys who will be willing, beyond a peradventure, should the occasion arise, to fight the battles of their own kindred, even as the militia of a few years ago of the west and of the dominion of Canada volunteered to help in that struggle in South Africa where a false step might have meant much for the realization of that unity which every day is assuming greater importance in all British eyes.

Then there were the ranks of the local companies of the newly formed 102nd regiment, mostly youngsters, offitcered not by a separate caste, but by citizens well enough known in this city, drilled to take their turn whenever that turn was asked. Then came the rank and file of the Sons of England, men of English descent or of English parentage who, while not claiming for themselves a peculiar patriotism, for patriotism is, according to British annals, not peculiar to any one of its component nations, yet who stand today on a record of a thousand years and by the oaths of their order are ready at any time to make essay of their worthiness to fill the shoes of their illustrious predecessors. With them were men, in and out of uniform, whose records, whether emblazoned by medal, typified by uniform or known only to themselves or their immediate friends, would show that they had fought for the flag in countries all over the earth; sailors, soldiers, regulars, untried men, boys, each and all by their presence declaring themselves to be Britons of the same type as those who fought and lost and fought and won again, down through the centuries until today when they have inherited an empire before whose richness, numbers and liberty all others in the history of mankind pale.

Preceded by the city band the procession marched from the armory to the Anglican church where the leaders of the parade, Col.-Sgt. Kinahan of the 67th and Sergt. Luscombe of the 20th, stopped, each in charge of a color, guarded by an armed force in honor of that which those flags typified and between them marched every man, honoring by salute as he passed through not alone those flags but the old veterans who held them, men who brought back the days of the mutiny, of the famous march of Bobs Bahadur on Kandahar, and who were the representatives in themselves and in their regiments of fields that have been fought for their own and succeeding generations and also for the generations which preceded. There was not a man in the parade nor on the crowded sidewalks along the city on the way to the church who did not begin to comprehend what Empire day meant.

For those who entered the church, St. Saviour's, of the Anglican communion, much more was explained, much more was brought home. For that church, from whose colors the colors of the empire are derived, is about the oldest thing in old England. There were words said and ceremonies used which had been heard and said for centuries past by the ancestors of those who took part in that parade, ancestors who hardly knew how well they were building the empire of the Briton. The culminating point was the sermon by the Rev. F. H. Graham, who wore under his stole the collar of the order of the Sons of England, the district officer of whose grand lodge is. Preaching from the text "Her children shall rise up and call her blessed," Proverbs XXXI., 28, the rector said in part:

It with a profound sense of privilege and an almost deeper sense of unworthiness that I approach the task of speaking to you this morning of our late beloved queen, Victoria the Good, and of the development and destiny of that great empire which, by God's grace, achieved such influence and distinction during her long and glorious reign.

Each subject must cause a thrill of grateful pride in every loyal British heart, and linked as they are, and that most fittingly and with an almost sacred bond, on this great day, the birthday of the one and the feast day of the other, they furnish a field, so vast that one can only cover a tiny portion of its area and so important that to treat upon upon it seems almost impertinence.

Sydney Smith, preaching in St. Paul's cathedral on the first Sunday of her majesty's reign, described the new sovereign as "a patriot queen," who might be expected to live to ripe old age and to contribute largely to the happiness and prosperity of her people.

A few weeks later lord John Russell, whose name is so intimately associated with the history of her reign, said: "We have had glorious female reigns. Those of Elizabeth and Anne led us to great victories. Let us now hope that we are going to have a female reign illustrious in its deeds of peace—an Elizabeth without her tyranny. An Anne without her weakness." And the stateman added an earnest hope that in three ways at least—by the total abolition of slavery, by a more enlightened method of punishment of crime, by the improved education of the people—"the reign of Victoria might prove celebrated among the nations of the earth and held in honor by posterity."

You know how abundantly these hopes found their fulfilment.

Do you know why they found such abundant fulfilment? Because her resolve was "I will be good" and her trust was in the name of the Lord her God.

Longer than any British ruler she lived, longer than any British ruler she reigned.

Deeply she suffered and thereby widely grew her sympathies.

Earnestly and patiently she wrought and thereby wisely and well she achieved.

Small she was of stature but great was she of courage, and greater still of kindness. For over three and sixty years she ruled the British peoples from the girl of 19 to the aged woman of 81.

Her court was pure; her life serene;
God gave her peace; her land reposed;
A thousand claims to reverence closed
In her as mother, wife and queen.

And statesmen at her council met
Who knew the seasons when to take
Occasion by the hand and make
The bounds of freedom wider yet.

By shaping some august decree,
Which kept her throne unshaken still
Broad-based upon her people's will
And compassed by the inviolate sea.

Whence came her power growing till it became great?

What and where was the source of that authority at once so benign, so wise and so dignified?

Surely it had its root in this that she realized continually that she herself was under authority—that over her and guiding her was the High and Holy One who inhabiteth Eternity, the King of Kings, the Lord of Lords, and by that recognition out of weakness she was made strong, and in that recognition she was blessed and prospered abundantly.

Think for a moment of a few of the noteworthy acts of her reign, especially in connection with the development of the Empire.

When Victoria came to the throne the total area of the British Empire (outside of the United Kingdom) was roughly 8,100,000 square miles with a population of 116,000,000. At her death the area (not counting Egypt and the Soudan) was estimated at 12,100,000 square miles with an estimated population of 240,000,000. The additions approximate in area 4,000,000 square miles; in population, 124,000,000 souls.

The first great political question to which the queen's ministers were compelled to direct her attention concerned her Empire Beyond the Seas. When the queen's reign opened the two races in Canada were alike impatient of British domination, and were at one in their desire for self government.

So keen was the feeling that rebellion broke out in both the French and English provinces. Lord Durham was sent out and given despotic authority. He crushed the rebellion and at the same time killed his political possibilities. And yet we owe lord Durham more than our fathers then knew. Before his humiliation he had solved the problem of the future of the Empire.

His report proved that the grant of self-government to British colonies was the sole safeguard of a permanent colonial empire, and that allegiance to the throne voluntarily resting in the natural patriotic sentiment of the colonists, and in no prescribed or compulsory obligation, was the strongest, if not the only practical means wherewith to bind the scattered and far-distant dependencies to the mother country.

In the 17th and 18 centuries there was not only a Greater Britain; there was also a Greater France, a Greater Spain, a Greater Portugal, a Greater Holland. Now the Greater Britain alone remains. Why? One reason surely is the adoption of the policy suggested in lord Durham's report.

It was in 1837 that lord Durham came to Canada from England and found rebellion.

In 1867, 30 years later, when the confederation of Canada was accomplished by the passing of the B.N.A. act, sir John Macdonald, granted an audience by the late queen, assured her that: "We have desired in this measure to declare in the most solemn and emphatic manner our resolve to be under the sovereignty of your majesty and your majesty's family forever."

And it was in 1897, 30 years later still, that sir Wilfrid Laurier went from Canada to England and was able to say as follows, at a banquet at which the then prince of Wales, our present king, presided:

"In my own country, and perhaps in England, it has been observed that Canada has a population which, in some instances exceeds, in many rivals, the population of independent nations, and it has been said that perhaps the time might come when Canada might become a nation of itself. My answer is this simply: Canada is a nation, Canada is free. Independence could give us no more rights than we have at present. England has proved at all times that she can fight her own battles, but if a day were ever to come when England was in danger, let the bugle sound, let the fires be lit on the hills and in all parts of the colonies, whatever the colonies can do the colonies will do to help her."

In 1897 that pledge was given and you know how splendidly it was redeemed only two short years later. Who can say in how large a measure this change of sentiment was due to queen Victoria's sense of imperial responsibility.

The earlier years of the late queen's reign saw the growth of the empire; the later years witnessed the growth of the imperial idea, and the growth of this imperial sentiment was as diffused as it was rapid. Its causes were manifold. The increased facilities and speed of travel and communication. The unqualified acceptance by the English government of the autonomous principle of colonial rule. The closer and more general intercourse, the improved political understanding, the dissipation of ancient jealousies—all these had their share.

But whatever the causes of the growth of the imperial idea, the queen was the center of it. The crown became the living symbol of imperial unity; every year events deepened the impression that the queen in her own person typified the common interest and the common sympathy which held the empire together by hoops of steel and the universal and impassioned sorrow which was evoked by her death was not only an expression of the deep and reverent affection in which her subjects held her, but a tightening and strengthening of the bonds of empire by the participation of each part in a common loss.

Since her death the imperial idea has gone marching on. It is not only a leaven that is leavening the British colonies, it is a legacy bequeathed by the great queen to her successors.

She herself never visited our dominion of Canada. Our present king has visited it once. But he who, if God spares him, as we pray He may, will be our future sovereign, has already been in our country five times and expects to visit it for the sixth time this coming June; and his face is as familiar to us as it is to those in the homeland. And if you would know how thoroughly the imperial idea has seized his royal highness the prince of Wales, then listen while I read to you part of a speech made by him on the 4th day of this very month of May, 1908, when he presided at the annual dinner of the Royal Colonial Institute. (Mr. Graham then quoted at length from the Times' report of this dinner.)

But if imperialism is to play its part, it must be vitalized by the supreme idea, the sense of sacrifice, the idea of duty, without which even the most zealous imperialism is but sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal.

We do well to recognize that to that gracious sovereign lady, queen Victoria, we owe a debt of loving, loyal thankfulness that so earnestly and so faithfully during the many years of her long reign, amid the difficulties of her task, and the trials of her life, she kept that

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For over twenty years I suffered from Chronic Constipation of the bowels, and I could get no medicine to cure me. I tried doctors and every known purgative, or laxative, medicine known but I was no better. Sometimes, if I did not take medicine, I would go four or five days, without any action of the bowels. During all this time I was weak and suffered from Indigestion constantly.

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(Sgd) MARY A. McDONELL.

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For Three Popular Young Ladies

TO THE

Dominion Fair at Calgary

June 29 to July 9

The Daily News will supply return railway tickets, berths on train and boat, $3.00 per day expense money, and free admission to the Dominion Fair Grounds at Calgary, June 29 to July 9, to the most popular young lady in the following three sections:

District No. 1

Nelson District, including Kaslo, Rossland, Trail, Ymir and Nelson, with surrounding towns in Slocan and Lardeau districts.

District No. 2

Boundary Country, including Grand Forks, Greenwood, Phoenix, and all surounding towns.

District No. 3

East Kootenay, comprising towns of Cranbrook, Creston, Moyie, Fernie, and all other towns on the Crow's Nest branch.

Description of the Trip

Leave Nelson July 1st at 6 a. m. on Steamer Kuskanook; after beautiful sail on Kootenay Lake take train at Kootenay Landing, passing through the wonderful scenery of the Crow's Nest Pass, arriving at Calgary July 2nd.

The return trip will be over the main line of the C. P. R., leaving Calgary any time desired within the time limit of the tickets, with a stopover at Banff, the Canadian National Park, for one day, giving a chance to see the magnificent scenery of the mighty Rockies.

Get to Work Girls and Secure a Nice 10 Days' Outing Without One Cent of Cost to You

Conditions of the Contest

For THE DAILY NEWS Trip to the

Dominion Fair at Calgary

∴ June 29th to July 9th, 1908 ∴

Every candidate must be nominated by blank printed in any issue of The Daily News. There are no restrictions as to the number of candidates in each district. The more the merrier, married or single. Only ladies over eighteen years of age are eligible. Nominations may be signed by parents or friends. This is insisted upon so that The Daily News can trace up each nomination.

The districts are simply given to divide the country into sections. Votes can be sent in from any district for a candidate in another district but no candidate will be permitted to transfer votes to another contestant after the entries are made at The Daily News office. The right is reserved to withdraw the offer from any district where only one candidate is nominated or voted for. For this reason: The Daily News has decided to have no time limit on the nominations. Of course, it is advisable to nominate a candidate early, so that her friends can start collecting ballots for her and help her in the campaign.

A coupon will be printed each day in The Daily News good for one vote.

There will be special ballots issued to subscribers who pay in advance. The subscriber can retain the ballot until the time limit marked thereon and turn it over to his or her favorite in the race. Either the candidate or the subscriber must turn the ballot into the circulation department of The Daily News before the expiration of the time limit, otherwise the ballot will not count. This is done to avoid extra clerical work in the last week of the campaign. These special ballots cannot be replaced if lost. The best plan is to immediately turn them over to The Daily News when the subscription is paid, writing on the ballot the name of the candidate to be favored. Candidates themselves will probably solicit subscriptions and make colections in advance. This may be done for either old or new subscribers, who will receive official receipts when the money is turned over to The Daily News. Rural subscribers and candidates are requested to make remittances by postal note or money order.

Subscribers to The Daily News will receive the paper by carrier where this system is established and by mail where there is no carrier service.

Special Ballots for Paid Up Subscriptions Will Be Credited as Follows:

NELSON—BY CARRIER.			ALL CANADA—BY MAIL.		
1 month,	$ .50	50 votes	1 month,	$ .50	50 votes
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6 months,	3.00	500 votes	6 months,	2.50	400 votes
1 year,	6.00	1200 votes	1 year,	5.00	1000 votes
2 years,	12.00	3000 votes	2 years,	10.00	2500 votes

It should be understood that any reader may renew his or her subscription and turn the ballot, corresponding to the amount paid over to any candidate in the contest. It matters not whether the paid up subscriptions are for old or new subscribers.

To make the contest fair and above board, no nomination will be accepted of any member of The Daily News staff. The Daily News reserves the right to reject any nominations.

Subject to the approval of The Daily News, any successful candidate has the right to name a substitute, if she is, through illness or any other valid reason, unable to go on the trip herself. Such substitute must be named on the day following the close of the vote.

The Daily News desires to be perfectly fair in this contest, and all candidates accepting nomination must agree to abide by the terms herewith set forth.

The contest will close at 9 o'clock Friday, June 26, and ballots will be received up to Saturday noon, June 27, and from outside points till 12 p. m., June 29.

Just fill in the attached nomination blank with your favorite's name, have her sign it, and send or deliver to The Daily News, where temporary receipts and special ballots will be supplied.

NOMINATION BLANK

Please place .... in nomination for The Daily News Free Vacation Trip to the Dominion Fair at Calgary, June 29 to July 9.

Signed.

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Signature of Nominee.

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HONOR EMPIRE

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lamp of loyalty to the highest, of truth to the best, burning in her own heart and fixed its light firmly in the hearts of her people. So that on this great day of her remembrance, we, her children, arise up and call her blessed. We endeavor by heaven's grace to be worthy of her memory; we count it no shame to asknowledge our imperial mission. And we cling humbly but steadfastly to the faith that so long as we are worthy we shall continue to be one of the instruments through whom God chooses to speak to mankind.

Such were in part the words of as eloquent a sermon upon as great a mundane subject as ever perhaps had been heard in Nelson's branch of the Anglican church. The service was long but none too long to the worshippers and listeners, to those who realized why they were there, who had in their hearts unspoken Kipling's prayer "Lest we forget."

How much the day was regarded is perhaps better exemplified by the service in the same church in the afternoon when the Eagles, perhaps the strongest order in the city, but an order which was founded of recent years in Seattle, paraded in great strength, filling the church to overflowing, acknowledging that they also were Britons and participators in the same glorious heritage, having the same common ancestry and rejoicing in the same old meteor flag. Preceded by the city band they marched in force through the streets of the city to the church in the afternoon and worshipped at a service whose central idea was the same as that of the morning and which was illustrated by Goss' beautiful anthem "O, Taste and See How Gracious the Lord Is."

Similarly through every church in the city there was a commemoration in one way or another of Victoria, that is of Empire day.

If its good to eat it's at Bly's Restaurant.

THE MOST COMMON CAUSE OF SUFFERING

Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that Chamberlain's Pain Balm will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. In many cases the relief from pain, which is at first temporary, has become permanent, while in old people subject to chronic rheumatism, often brought on by dampness or changes in the weather, a permanent cure cannot be expected; the relief from pain which this liniment affords is alone worth many times its cost; 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all druggists and dealers.

Chicken and turkey dinners three times a week at Bly's Restaurant.

MATTER OF BUSINESS

Reading Advertisements is Now Regarded as a Necessity

The average person reads a good deal merely for diversion—to "kill time," to fill the moment.

Some read ads by glancing at a headline here and there. Unless something "compelling" strikes the eye, they do not give half serious attention to the matter.

Other people, and this class is growing all the time, read the ads. with the same serious attention which they give to any other business matter of the day. They find as much interest in the ads as they would in any other reading matter. They realize that the ads. "come home" to them more than the news *usually does. They know that the ads.* have a good deal to do, directly with purse welfare.

The ability to spend money to the best advantage should be as important as the ability to earn it. Lack of the "thrifty instinct" in spending nullifies much of the earning capacity.

The ad., therefore, deserves to have your intelligent consideration—not to be skipped over.

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National Almanac

OTTAWA, May 25—One of the many important subjects to be discussed at the annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada, which meets at Ottawa next week, will be the need of a national almanac, upon which an address will be given by Moses B. Coatsworth, of York, England.

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

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POPULARITY CONTEST

STANDING OF THE CANDIDATES TO DATE

EVERYONE SHOULD READ THE PUBLISHED CONDITIONS

Come one! Come all! The contest is only beginning. The Daily News extends to you a hearty welcome.

A trip to the Dominion Fair at Calgary through the most magnificent scenery on the continent of America and ten days of sight seeing, which will prove to be not only one of the loveliest times of your experience, but withal highly educating.

Calgary is situated just east of the foothills and about 80 miles from the Rocky mountains. It is the largest city between Winnipeg and the Pacific coast and the citizens are extending to everyone the heartiest of welcomes. Over $13,000 is being hung up in prizes for horse races, including some real Indian races and rough riding on unbroken bronchos.

There will be seen there a remnant of the might herd of wild buffalo that formerly roamed the prairies of the west, an animal that is now practically extinct in its wild state, which is being brought from the Banff national park.

Strobell's airship is scheduled to make *three flights daily and all the usual at*tractions that go with annual fairs will be there in profusion.

The Daily News contest is free to all and if you have been thinking of entering, take our advice and DO IT NOW.

The young ladies who are hesitant and doubtful at the start are often the very strongest candidates once they get a start. So, if you have been thinking of entering just seize the opportunity.

There is still a full month ahead of you and there are more ballots to be polled than have been polled.

The standing of the candidates in district No. 1 has not been changed by yesterday's vote, Miss Gilchrist still leading Miss McGregor. The vote yesterday was small on account of the holiday, amounting to 211, of which Miss Gilchrist received 206, and Miss McGregor 5. *the standing of the candidates is:*

Miss Gilchrist 14,355
Miss McGregor 11,166

Districts No. 2 and No. 3 are as yet unrepresented in the contest and this is not as it should be. The Daily News has a wide circulation in the Boundary and the Crow's Nest Pass sections and *it should be an easy task for those sec*tions to nominate two or more young ladies to contest for a fine trip to the Dominion Fair.

A Word to Readers

If your district is not represented in the contest, it should be. You know a young lady who would appreciate a trip *to the Dominion Fair; if her name has* not been forwarded to us you should see that it is. The Daily News wants every young lady who deserves this prize to *enter the race. It is up to you as well as* her to see that she doesn't throw away the opportunity. You will be doing her a good turn and it won't cost you a cent more than the trip will cost her, and you will earn her everlasting gratitude.

The Daily News extends a hearty welcome to candidates in Districts No. 2 and 3 to enter this contest, which on reference to the details published in another column of this issue, will convince you is an undertaking requiring no very great amount of effort on your part.

HINTS TO ADVERTISERS

*Make such an offer as will appeal to peo*ple used to answering ads., and you will find "takers" quickly enough.

One of today's store ads. is more interesting to you than anything else in the paper. Find out which one it is.

In a growing city you have to "get acquainted with the town all over again" every few weeks. Want ad.-answering tours are thus interesting, as well as remunerative.

Only a sound proposition, a good store, a meritorious article or a deserving venture will be benefitted by advertising—and these will always be "made", promoted and established by publicity. A thing that does not "need" publicity, or that would not thrive under it, is open to suspicion.

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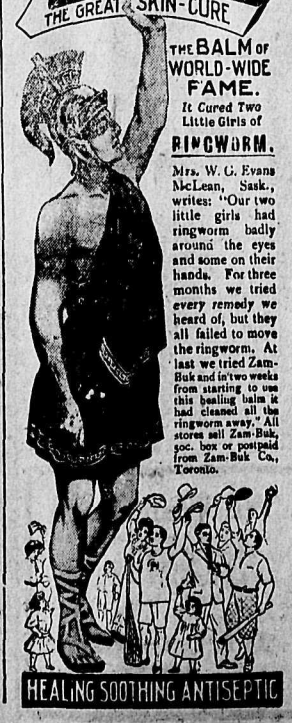

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KOOTENAY

Electoral District

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

Thursday, June 4, '08

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.

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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.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1908.

J. C. ENGLISH.
21-d. P. O. Address, Creston, B. C.

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.

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.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Nelson to transfer the saloon license for the Manhattan Saloon, Josephine street Nelson, B.C., this day assigned to me by H. H. Moore to William E. Jarratt of Nelson, B.C.

Dated this 28th day of April, A.D., 1908.

MARY S. JARRATT.

I, H. H. Moore of Nelson, B.C., hereby give notice that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Nelson, B.C., at its next regular sittings for a transfer of my saloon license for the Manhattan Saloon on Jose*phine street, Nelson, B.C., to Mary S. Jar*ratt, wife of William E. Jarratt of Nelson, B.C.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 28th day of April, A.D., 1908.

H. H. MOORE, Licensee.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Marshall of Kitchener intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from date hereof, for renewal of my hotel license for the premises known as the Marshall hotel at Kitchener.

Dated at Kitchener, April 29, 1908.

7-30d *JOHN MARSHALL.*

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Louisa E. McPeak of Sirdar, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Hotel Sirdar, situate at Sirdar, B.C.

Dated May 1st, 1908.

11-30 *MRS. LOUISA E. McPEAK.*

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE *is hereby given that I,* William Gray, of Salmo, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Salmo Hotel, situate at Salmo, B.C.

Dated May 7th, 1908.

11-30 WILLIAM GRAY

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE *is hereby given that I,* Samuel Miller of Ymir, B.C. intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Miller Hotel, situate at Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 2nd, 1908.

8-30 SAMUEL MILLER.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE *is hereby given that I,* E. E. McArthur of Salmo, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Northern Hotel, situate at Salmo, B.C.

Dated May 6, 1908.

12-30 E. E. McARTHUR.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, G. S. Coleman of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Waldorf hotel, situate at Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 6th, 1908.

10-30 G. S. COLEMAN.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that I, Alexander McKessen of Erie, B. C., *intend to apply* to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Erie Hotel, situate at Erie, B. C.

Dated May 9th, 1908.

ALEXANDER McKESSEN.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENCE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Peter *Johnson, of Slocan Junction, B. C.,* intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof for a renewal of my retail liquor license *for the premises known* as the "Kootenay Falls" Hotel, situate at Slocan Junction, B. C.

Dated 11th May, 1908.

PETER JOHNSON.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

TAKE NOTICE that we, Boyd and Hillman of Gerrard, intend applying to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from date hereof, *for a renewal of our hotel license for* the premises known as the Gerrard hotel at Gerrard, B.C.

Dated May 8, 1908.

12-30 BOYD & HILLMAN.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

TAKE NOTICE that John Breau of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from date hereof, for a renewal of my hotel license for the premises known as the Cosmopolitan hotel at Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 2nd, 1908.

10-30 *JOHN BREAU.*

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edith E. Gille of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Vancouver Hotel, situate at Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 2nd, 1908.

8-30 EDITH E. GILLE.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

I, G. T. Snow, of Procter, B.C. hereby give notice that I intend, one month after publication of this notice to apply to the *Superintendent of Provincial Police for a* renewal of my retail liquor license on the premises known as the Outlet Hotel, situate at Procter, B.C.

My postoffice address is Procter, B.C..

The name and address of the owner of the premises for which the renewal of license is proposed are, G. T. Snow, Procter, B.C.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1908.

6-30 G. T. SNOW.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

TAKE NOTICE that Daly and Bremner of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from date hereof, for a transfer and renewal of our hotel licenses for the premises known as the Ymir hotel at Ymir, B.C., to J. B. Bremner of Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 4 ,1908.

DALY & BREMNER.
10-30 Per James R. Bremner.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Fred Adie, of Waneta, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date *hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor* license for the premises known as the Fort Sheppard hotel, situate at Waneta, B.C.

Dated 7th May, 1908.

13-30 FRED ADIE.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Mitchell Tait of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Palace Hotel, situate at Ymir, B.C.; and also that I intend to apply for a transfer of the *retail liquor license now held by* Archibald and Davis for the Palace Hotel, to myself.

Dated May 2nd, 1908.

9-30 MITCHELL TAIT.

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the *City of Nelson* at their next meeting held thirty days after date hereof, for a transfer of the retail license now held by me for the Strathcona hotel, situate on Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in Block 13, Nelson, B.C., to the Strathcona Hotel Company.

J. C. BONNEAU,
Per Atty. Jerry Boanean.

Dated this 11th day of March A.D., 1908.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Jos. R. Hunnex of Erie, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the Mersey Hotel, situate at Erie, B.C.

Dated May 7th, 1908.

11-30 JOS. R. HUNNEX.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, E. M. Peters of Ymir, B.C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of my retail liquor license for the premises known as the St. Charles hotel, situate at Ymir, B.C.

Dated May 7th, 1908.

11-30 E. M. PETERS.

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Arabic.... ....May 28|Celtic .....June 4

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La Savoie....May 28|La Province...June 4

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

On May 22nd, at Rossland, to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McKibbon, a son.

J. Dancy has received a contract to erect a $2000 cottage for Mr. Curran of Fairview.

Dr. Bridgeman, at one time with Dr. Gibson, in this city, but now practicing in Vancouver, is a guest at the Hotel Hume.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cummings, Victoria street, died Sunday morning. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the church of Mary Immaculate.

Chief Devitt, of the provincial police, and constable Jenson, of Eholt, left on yesterday morning's train for Greenwood with the prisoner Cedlo, where the latter has to stand trial for the murder of Miss Louise King and the blowing up of the Niagaro hotel.

One of the most effective window decorations for Empire Day was the picture of the late Queen Victoria in the window of the Standard Furniture company. The portrait was placed well from the front with streamers from the window enclosing the picture and leading up to it so that from the street one looked down an enclosed space at the far end of which was the queen's portrait with the electric light shining down on it. The effect was admittedly an artistic success.

BRITISH PREFERENCE

Canadian Manufacturers Make Request to Government

TORONTO, May 25—The Canadian Manufacturers' association council will ask the government to enforce the finance minister's declaration of the budget speech of 1906 that foreign articles cannot get British preference unless there is 25 per cent of bona fide British labor thereon. It is alleged that German articles with 5 and 10 per cent of labor are coming in.

The transportation committee submitted a resolution with regard to the coasting regulations in effect on the Pacific coast, which at the present time permit of Canadian goods from eastern Canada destined to Vancouver when forwarded in transit by rail, in British, United States or other registered vessels.

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R. C. TRAVER, Manager

METALS

New York, May 25.—Silver 53 1-4; electtolytic Copper, 12 1-2 at 12 3-4.
London, May 25. Silver 24 9-16, Lead £12. 17s 6d.

May 25.—Closing quotations on the New York curb and Spokane exchange, reported by Mighton & Cavanaugh:

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Coal	$	....
B. C. Copper	4.75	5.00
Charles Dickens	.6	.12
Can. Con. Smelters	70.00	76.00
Copper King	2½	3
Dominion Copper	1.25	1.55
Galbraith Coal	....	....
Gertie	2½	3¼
Granby	85.00	90.00
Hecla	3.00	3.60
International Coal	.45	.59
Kendal	1.00	1.25
Missoula Copper	7¼	9
Nabob	3	3¼
Oom Paul	4	5½
Panhandle Smelter	3⅞	4
Rambler Cariboo	.23	.27
Rex	....	.10½
Snowshoe	5	9
Snowstorm	1.77	1.86
Sullivan	....	....
Sullivan Bonds	....	....
Stewart	.87	.94
Tamarack-Chesapeake	.75	.90

OPENING COPPER QUOTATIONS
(Reported by McDermid and McHardy)

	Asked	Bid
Granby	95	92
B. C. Copper	5	4¾
Dominion Copper	1½	1⅜

CLOSE DOWN THE LID

FERNIE TO STOP GAMBLING IN THE FUTURE

RECREATION GROUNDS DIVIDED INTO BUILDING LOTS

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, May 25.—At the last meeting of the police commissioners it was decided to close down the lid tight on gambling in the city, and orders have been issued to that effect. It is the intention of the authorities to enforce this edict to the letter, and to see that it is carried out.

Flags were in evidence on many of the public buildings yesterday in honor of Empire Day. There was no celebration here today as Coal Creek was having a very ambitious one, and many of the citizens here journeyed to the coal town to witness the sports. A baseball match however was played on the recreation grounds between Cranbrook and Fernie.

After next week the town will be without a recreation ground or any suitable place where any out-door sports can be held. The owners of the present grounds have decided to subdivide it into building lots and place it on the market. A movement is already on foot to acquire new premises in a convenient locality, and it is proposed to secure a sufficiently large tract of land to permit the building of a race track in connection with it. There are several ideal locations within a reasonable distance from the centre of the town, and it is hoped that those having the matter in hand will have the hearty support of the citizens in order that the enterprise can soon become an accomplished fact.

The fernie bowling club have elected the following officers: Hon-pres., Rev. Hugh Grant; sec.-treas., James Marshall; executive committee, J. S. T. Alexander, W. R. Ross, M. P. P., Sherwood Herchmer, J. R. Pollock and F. J. Watson. The membership of the club already exceeds seventy members, and through the courtesy of the coal company, they have been granted the use of the beautiful lawn surrounding the company's office for the season. The first games will be played on the new grounds tomorrow.

The first inter-provincial socialist convention opened here on Saturday, and representatives from every section of the country were present. The meetings were crowded and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed throughout.

A most interesting series of lectures were delivered here last week by Miss A. L. A. Murcutt, Fellow of the Royal Scottish Geographical Society, who is visiting all the large centers in the interests of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The capacity of the opera house was taxed to the utmost limit every night by the large audiences which were present to listen to the gifted lecturer, who covered a wide range of subjects in a masterly and interesting manner.

Clergyman Resigned

BROCKVILLE, May 25—Letters from Rev. George McArthur, who recently resigned charge of the Brockville Presbyterian church, state that he has given up his position as emigrant agent for the dominion government in Scotland to go back into the ministry. He expects to accept one of two offers of charges in that country.

Banker Dead

ROCHESTER, May 25 — J. Moreau Smith for many years one of Rochester's most prominent bankers, died last evening aged 78.

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If its good to eat it's at Bly's Restaurant.

The News Stand at the Hume Hotel is supplying a want and is appreciated by the travelling public. 17-26

For carpet, house and chimney cleaning and general job work, 'phone A114, Jackson Radcliffe. 6-26

If its good to eat it's at Bly Restaurant.

RICH DEPOSITS

Lucky Find on the Gatineau—Will Develop the Mine

OTTAWA, May 25—Rich deposits of silver are reported to have been found on the Gatineau, near Maniwaki. Assays made showed a good percentage of silver. The owners will develop the mines immediately.

Chicken and turkey dinners three times a week at Bly's Restaurant.

"For goodness sake," for the sake of the satisfaction you get from using it, buy "Salada" Tea. It pays to buy for quality. 37.

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

Buy your kindling in bundles, 3 cents each at the Shingle Mill. 17-26

The Cigar-News Stand in the lobby of the Hume Hotel, although installed only a short time is doing a rushing business. 17-26

If you want any building or repair work, Phone A172 and estimates or contracts or jobbing will be cheerfully furnished by McDonald and Williams. Shop, Front and Ward Sts. opposite court house. P. O. Box 367. 271-tf.

COAST SPORTS

Vancouver Seniors Won at Lacrosse—Victoria Juniors on Top

VICTORIA, May 25.—The Vancouver seniors defeated the Victoria lacroose team this morning by 10-4. The local team, from lack of practice together, were outclassed and were utterly unable to make any headway against the visitor's combination.

The Victoria baseball team defeated the Willamette university nine today by a score of 11-1.

The Victoria junior lacrosse team defeated the Vancouver juniors 4-3 this morning in a closely contested game at the Athletic park.

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

WHOOPING COUGH

"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Gross of Durand, Mich. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

BAD ATTACK OF DYSENTERY CURED

"An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the west. He was told that I kept it in stock and lost no time in obtaining it and was promptly cured," says M. J. Leach, druggist of Wellcott, Vt. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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, ¾ 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,
273-18. 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.
13-30. A. LAPOINTE,
By A. M. JOHNSON, his solicitor.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN HOMESTEAD REGULATION

Any available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt of British Columbia may be homesteaded by any persons who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is 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 2560 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 25th, 1908. 15-30

Kootenay Lake Improved Fruit Farm

Contains 56 acres and is situated on the east shore of Kootenay Lake, 13 miles from Nelson. The location is excellent and its conveniences are many and good. It has one-half mile of sloping lake frontage. The Canadian Pacific Railway runs through the property, with a Station, General Store, Steamboat Landing, School and Post Office only one-quarter of a mile distant; the government wagon road runs along side of the farm; daily transportation, both boat and rail; a good supply of water taken from a nearby mountain stream and ditched through the property. 30 acres cleared and fenced. 220 fruit trees, 5 years old in bearing; 5 acres planted in strawberries; a limited quantity of currants and raspberries.

Of the 56 acres in this farm there is fully 25 acres of choice soil, suitable for the production of all kinds of fruits. The remaining portion of the farm contains fine vegetable and hay land. There is a 1 1-2 storey 6-roomed frame dwelling in the course of construction and about two-thirds finished—stable and hay barn, 2 roothouses, 2 chicken houses and runs; also a quantity of farming implements.

This farm is situated in the heart of a fine, large, prosperous settlement, and in the midst of some of the finest and best developed fruit farms to be found in the Kootenay district. As a going concern and at the price, it is one of the best bargains to be had here.

On account of ill-health the owner is forced to sell and for quick sale the price is

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I have sub-divided my 564 acre fruit ranch into tracts of from 8 to 20 acres, some improved with buildings, fruit trees, strawberries, etc. Some cleared ready for planting, some unimproved.. These orchards are beautifully situated, overlooking Bonnington Falls and Kootenay River, 9½ miles from Nelson, 25 to 30 minutes by train. R. R. station middle front of property. Three passenger trains each way daily. Hotel, store, post office, telephone, etc, short walking distance. Grand supply pure water flumed through property. Apply in person or by letter to owner,

J. J. CAMPBELL, BONNINGTON FALLS, B. C.

HAS NO JURISDICTION

MAGISTRATE'S FINDING IN THE MICHEL CASE

"SUMMARY CONVICTION" NOT IN THE STATUTE

Stipendary magistrate J. H. McMullen, of Fernie, has handed out a written finding in the matter of the information laid by James Darbyshire, for the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, against William Douglas, president, and Charles Garner, secretary of the Michel union, and William Whitehouse, also of the union in question, charging that the accused were guilty of a breach of Section 60 of the Lemieux Act, known as the Industrial Disputes Act.

W. A. Macdonald, K. C., appeared for the accused men and raised the point that the court had no jurisdiction to consider the charge. Magistrate McMullen finds that this contention is correct and upholds this view in his judgment dismissing the application.

The formal judgment was given at Fernie on Saturday last and reads as follows:

Before coming to any conclusion upon the evidence adduced in support of the information it is necessary to decide the validity of the point raised by the defence against my jurisdiction to hear and determine the case.

The principal objection raised by Mr. Macdonald is that this is not the tribunal contemplated by the act, for the purpose of hearing and determining an information laid under Section 60 of the said act, which reads as follows:

Section 60—Any person who incites, encourages, or aids in any manner any employer to declare or continue a lockout, or any employee to go on or continue on strike contrary to the provisions of this act, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $1000."

As it is necessary to refer to Section 61, I give the text of it, which is as follows:

"Section 61—The procedure for enforcing penalties imposed or authorized to be imposed by this act shall be that prescribed by Part XV of the Criminal Code, relating to summary convictions."

It is stated in Paley, on convictions: "The examination and punishment of offences in a summary manner by justices of the peace . . . are founded entirely upon a special authority conferred and regulated by statute;" and I can find no legislation in Canada which varies this general principle of law; on the contrary, the following comments on the same question are found in Seagers' Magistrates' Manual:

"Jurisdiction is the authority which an official has by law to hear and determine and do justice between the parties in a cause or matter brought before him. It is never presumed, but must appear affirmatively in some authorizing statute, otherwise his proceedings are absolutely void. No power or right to hear and determine a cause can be given otherwise than by some jurisdiction conferred by and emanating from sovereign authority."

It is further argued that such an information is not triable under Part XV of the Criminal Code relating to summary convictions and that the said Part XV does not apply to the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act except insofar as the same is specifically made to do so by the provisions of Section 61, which particularly states that all the proceedings subsequent to conviction shall be governed by the provisions of Part XV of the code. I am of the opinion that parliament purposely excluded the operation of all the sections of Part XV save those mentioned in Section 61 so that the penal clauses should be administered either by the minister of labor, to whom is given by virtue of Section 3, the general administration of the act, or by a board of investigation and conciliation created by the act. In any event if parliament intended that all the provisions of Part XV of the Criminal Code should apply to the cat in question it is natural to suppose that they should have so stated, instead of directing that only a portion of said provisions should apply.

My opinion is strengthened by the fact that I have read a number of the acts of a quasi criminal nature passed during the same session as that in which the act in question was passed as well as acts of a similar nature contained in the revised statutes of Canada such as the Electricity Inspection Act, the Meat and Canned Foods Act, Canada Temperance Act and the Lord's Day Act, and in all cases I find that the penal clauses contained the words "on summary conviction," which words are lacking in Section 60 of this act.

For these reasons I am of the opinion that it was not intended that offences against the said act should be tried under Part XV of the Criminal Code and I decide accordingly. Unless I have jurisdiction under said Part XV of the Criminal Code I am of the opinion that the act contains no other provisions whereby the informations can be heard and determined by me and I decide accordingly.

Counsel for the defence has raised a number of other objections to the proceedings before me and if an appeal should be taken from my findings on the main question of law involved and these findings be reversed by the appellate court I think that I should also dispose of the other matters so that all the important question of law may be decided at one time by such appellate court.

I therefore find that all the remaining objections raised by the counsel for the defence are not well taken, with the exception of that which demurs to the information on the ground that it includes more than one offence. I find that this objection is well founded, as the informations charge that the accused "did incite or encourage, etc.," each of which in my opinion constitutes a separate offence.

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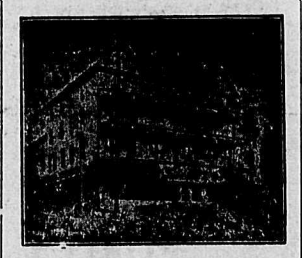

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Henderson, Comte de Segonzac, and many others. Mrs. Rennie, widow of the Hongkong millman who recently suicided, was also a passenger. There were 81 Chinese of whom 120 will pay $60,000 in head tax.

Victoria day was celebrated here today with the usual sports, parades annd a regatta. Many thousands of visitors are in the city.

Officers of the Empress of Japan state that it is expected trouble will arise between Japan and China, and possibly war, on account of the action of the Chinese regarding the boycott against Japan arising out of the Tatsu Maru incident. The Chinese at Canton are attacking Japanese subjects and shortly before the Empress sailed, two were mobbed and their clothing torn from their backs.

REMEMBERED VICTORIA.

Dinner in New York in Honor of Empire Day—Twain's speech.

NEW YORK, May 25.—King Edward, through his private secretary, lord Knollys, contributed a message of good will and Mark Twain made a characteristic speech at a dinner given by the British schools and universities club at Delmonico's in honor of the late queen Victoria's birthday, which since her death has been celebrated throughout England's vast domains as Empire Day.

Dr. Lambert, after proposing the health of king Edward and of president Roosevelt, which were both received with the singing of the British national anthem and the Star Spangled Banner, read a cablegram from lord Knollys conveying the good will to the club on the part of the king.

All present were then called upon to drink a silent toast to the memory of queen Victoria, and Dr. Clemens was asked by Dr. Lambert to give expression to American appreciation of the monarch who reigned for more than three score years over the British Empire.

Dr. Clemens made a most eloquent speech in the course of which he said: "We need not talk any idle talk here tonight about either possible or impossible war between the two countries; there will be no war while we remain sane and the son of Victoria and Alert sits upon the throne. In conclusion, I believe I may justly claim to utter the voice of my country in saying that we hold him in deep honor and also in wishing him a long life and a happy reign."

In the earlier part of his address Mr. Clemens said: "As a woman, the queen was all that the most exacting of standards could require. As a far-reaching and effective and beneficient moral force she had no peer in her time, among either monarchs or commoners. As a monarch she was without reproach in a great office.

"One may not venture perhaps to say so sweeping a thing as this in cold blood about all the monarchs who preceded her, upon either her own throne or any other. It is a colossal eulogy but it is justified. In the qualities of the heart which begat affection in all sorts and conditions of men, she was rich, surpassingly rich and, for this she will still be remembered and revered in the far off time when the political glories of her reign shall have faded from history and fallen to a place in the scrap heap of unverified odds and ends which we call traditions, which is to say, in briefer phrase, that her name will live always and with it her character; a fame rare in the history of the throne, dominions, principalities and powers since it will not rest upon harvested selfish and sordid ambitions, but upon love earned and freely vouchsafed. She mended broken hearts where she could, but she broke none.

If its good to eat it's at Bly Restaurant.

LAKEVIEW—A. J. McPherson, Rossland John Sterdinin, Waterloo; J. Wimpress, A. H. Tupper, Fife; F. A. Wallace, Wallace.

SHERBROOKE—J. Pegnette, H. Stewart, W. Stewart, H. Williams, Fernie; J. Skinner, Trail, B. Kokak, M. Killter, Waneta.

SILVER KING—W. L. Payne, Harrop; D. McKay and wife, Trail; R. E. Gleason, H. G. Slater, Westley.

TROUBLE IS EXPECTED

CHINESE ATTACKING JAPANESE AT CANTON.

SOME VICTORIA MISCONDUCT OF EMPIRE DAY.

VICTORIA, May 25—M. Jamieson, a local tailor had his skull fractured while leaning out of street car window, by a blow from a passing car. Jamieson with his children was returning from the Gorge park, where he had been watching the regatta. As the car was standing on a switch near Rock bay, Jamieson put his head out of the window and a car in the opposite direction in passing, struck him. He was immediately conveyed to the Jubilee hospital, and may recover.

The steamer Empress of Japan arrived tonight from Hongkong and Japanese ports with 963 passengers and a valuable cargo, including silks valued at over a million dollars. The passengers include prince Narayan, son of the rajah of Cooch Behar, bound to England by way of the United States, lady Lugard, wife of the governor of Hongkong, who has been ordered from Hongkong by her physicians; sir Haviland de Sausmarez, chief justice of Hongkong, and lady Sausmarez; Captain and lady Violet

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND ZINC ORE

WHITEWATER MINE IS SHIPPING UNDER PROTEST

Speaking of the shipments of zinc ore from the Whitewater mine to United States points, S. S. Foyler yesterday said to a representative of The Daily News in connection with the recent decision as to the admission to the United States of the sulphides of zinc, that is to say, the zinc ores now being mined in this country, that he regretted that the recent decision about the tariff had been appealed and he did not know when there would be an ultimate decision arrived at. He said: "The United States government has recided to appeal from the decision recently handed down by judge Burns in the matter of duty on zinc ore entering the United States, to the U.S. circuit court of appeals. This will not sit until October next. After that, no matter what the result, there will be a further appeal, if desired to the supreme court of the United States.

"In the meantime, however," said Mr. Fowler, "and in the absence of other facilities for the disposal of local zinc products, and particularly concentrates, the Whitewater mine will continue to export to the United States, the duty being paid under protest.

VICTORIA DAY SESSION

HAULTAIN APPROVES TURGEON'S ELECTION LAW.

REGINA DEFEATED CALGARY AT LACROSSE GAME.

REGINA, May 25.—The Victoria Day session of the legislature was not a very important one and but few matters were considered.

The new election law providing for the preparation of lists by enumeration and by registration in the rural and urban districts respectively was read a second time and the leader of the opposition complimented the attorney general upon the success of his efforts to secure a good law. He thought the house was exceeding its rights in disfranchising the Chinamen but that was not a constitutional question over which they would have to bother at the present time.

In committee on the railway taxation bill Mr. Haultain moved an amendment fixing the rate of the tax, but the amendment was not accepted and the provisions leaving the power to fix the tax in the hands of the government by order in council was sustained.

Regina defeated the Calgary lacrosse team here today by a score of enight to one.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Premier McBride and party will leave this morning for Rossland and will return tomorrow evening or Thursday morning.

W. A. Jowett writes from England to say that he is entering a chorus of 21 voices from Dunham-on-Trent at the North Nottingham musical competition.

A good many fire crackers were exploded yesterday in honor of the occasion by the stay at homes, and in the evening a fire balloon was sent up opposite the Daily News office on Baker street.

Commencing Monday evening continuous vaudeville will be the attraction at Sherman's opera house for four nights. The company has just finished an engagement at Edmonton and comes well recommended.

It is suggested that a drilling competition form a part of the Dominion Day celebration. If a sufficiently big purse is set up some of the Montana drillers may come in and give the local men a hard nut to crack in order to beat them.

The young peoples' society in connection with St. Paul's church will meet this evening as usual at 8 p. m. The topic "Safety in God's Hands" will be discussed with Mr. Morris as leader. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

George Long, who is steel sharpener for the famous drilling team of Ericksen and McGillivray, declares that a good deal of the success of the team is due to the steel they use which comes from the Canton steel works, Pittsburg. Not a steel has yet broken.

Miss Alys Bateman, who sang here in Nelson last year, was one of the five singers at the Empire concert at the Royal Albert Hall on Saturday last, the others being Madame Albani, Ada Crossley, Ben Davis and Sir Charles Stanley. The whole concert was under the direction of Dr. Charles Harris of Ottawa.

In the last B. C. Gazette the announcement is made of several amendments to the general orders governing court procedure. Among the chief being making the legal long vacation for July and August in future in place of August and September as in the past, thus following the custum in all the other Canadian provinces.

The local competition in the overseas Daily Mail rifle shooting series was not a success yesterday owing to the unpleasant weather. Some 15 competitors were on hand and W. H. Bullock Webster was present to certify to the scores, but when the match wasover the totals were considered too low to send on or be published. Better luck next time.

Geo. P. Wells and a companion had a narrow escape from drowning on Sunday afternoon. They were fishing up the lake and were engaged in bringing in to the canoe a good sized char when the canoe capsized. The cries of the men brought some nearby ranchers to their assistance and they were finally brought to shore after being in the icy water some 35 minutes

Plenty of fishing stories were in evidence last evening and though some had a holiday flavor about them, they were all "sworn" to. A. S. Horsewill, of the store of quality, is credited with landing a 13 lb. 3 oz. char at the dock in the afternoon and W. A. Harding and G. C. Egg landed a 10 lb. 8oz. char off 7-Mile point. The fish measured 2 ft. 6 1-2 ins. and it took 45 minutes to get it in the canoe.

Nine men on Baker street last evening attracted quite a crowd by their songs and addresses, given after the Salvation Army people had concluded their evening street service. The three new comers were Rev. A. M. Bean, L. Van Valin and D. H. McPhee, Free Methodists. The party have come in from Calgary and are going on to the State of Washington, conducting services en route.

G. E. Smith, a rancher of Harrop, aged 73, *died at the Home hospital last evening.* The deceased had been living alone on his ranch and had been ailing for some time. He had only been in the hospital a week when the end came last evening. Mr. Harrop is a friend of the deceased but no relatives are known of. The remains were taken to the Standard Furniture Company's undertaking parlors last evening where they lie awaiting instructions.

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

The Vancouver mine people are working the Buffalo claim in the vicinity of the Wakefield.

A new property being worked is the Lou Dillon situated about nine miles from Slocan lake on Four Mile creek.

It is understood that the well known Fisher Maiden, a Slocan property which is owned by Spokane people, will be reopened immediately.

The shipments from the Standard are being kept back owing to the bad state of the roads. About 400 tons of ore are ready to be sent to the Trail smelter just as soon as transportation will permit.

H. Wright and G. Matthews were the umpire and referee respectively of the baseball and football matches yesterday at Kaslo and found their task to their liking.

PERSONAL.

A. S. Goodeve is in the city from Rossland.

George Stilwell came in from the Hewitt mine last night.

T. Taylor, M. P. P., returned to Revelstoke on Sunday night.

Lenox McClure John returned last night from the old country with his bride.

A. A. McMillan of the Le Roi smelter, at *Northport is spending a few days in the city.*

CONCERT AT HARROP.

Good Sum Realized for Church Fund—The Programme.

(Special to The Daily News.)

HARROP, May 25.—The concert held here on Saturday evening to raise a little money to help swell the church fund was a decided success, it being attended by some sixty persons many of whom came from Procter. The following programme was rendered solely by local talent: Song, Down the Vale, Miss Reynolds comic song, He Wore a Worried, Look, Captain Gelston; Song, Dixie Land, Mrs. Southworth; Recitation, J. Allan; song, Meet Me Annie, J. Jerram; comic song, Tired, G. W. Blakelock; musical selection, Fox Bros. and Captain Gelston; encore, Star of Bethlehem, Fox Bros and Captain Gelston; recitation, Sister Nell, Rev. C. W. Reynolds; medley song, Captain Gelston; song, Miss Reynolds song, J. W. Jessup; song, Boy Blue, Captain Gelston. Refreshments were served during the evening and all present expressed themselves as being delighted with their evening's entertainment. The concert proved the means of adding in the neighborhood of $50 to the church fund.

PHOENIX BREWERY.

Capacity to Be Trebled—Municipal Election on June 1

(Special to The Daily News.)

PHOENIX, May 25.—Preparations are being made to treble the present capacity of the Phoenix brewery, by the proprietors T. Biner & Sons. The new brew house will be a three-story building 30 x40 feet, and will be equipped with the most modern machinery at the cost of several thousand dollars. The new plant will have a capacity of 200 barrels daily. The business of the Phoenix brewery has been steadily increasing since being established 2 years ago, and is now practically supplying the entire Boundary. Last week they took over the business of the Elk brewery, which was recently burned at Greenwood, and a warehouse will be erected in that city.

Murdock McIntyre has left with a string of twenty horses for Vancouver, where he will dispose of them. Travelling by way of Hedley, Princeton and the Hope trail, at the rate of 25 miles per day and camping at night, Mr. McIntyre expects to reach Vancouver in about 13 days. He is accompanied by J. Barker, J. Lyons and N. Dockstesader, who are taking the trip to see the country.

Nominations for the vacancy in the city council, caused by the resignation of W. J. *Porter, will be held on Monday, June 1st.*

Mr. Porter has moved to North Vancouver.

King Edward Lodge, No. 36 A. F. & A. M, entertained about 40 visiting brethren from Greenwood, Grand Gorks Nelson and Vancouver, at a banquet at Deane's hotel on Thursday evening.

HAND BLOWN OFF

Accident at the Mother Lode Mine—Funeral of Mrs. Hewer

(Special to The Daily News.)

GREENWOOD, May 25.—Roland Sothergill, chuteman at the Mother Lode mine of the B. C. Copper company has had his right hand blown off. A charge of powder which he had put in bulldoze a boulder obstructing the chute having become ignited, it is understood, while he was using the butt end of his candle to make a hole for the insertion of his fuse. The burning candle ignited the powder and his hand and arm were badly torn, so that it was necessary to amputate his arm below the elbow joint this afternoon. The operation was preformed by Dr. J. E. Spankie at the Sisters Hospital.

Sothergill is a single man, about 35 years of age and a native of Australia. He was on his third shift at the Mother Lode and previous to his coming there had two years experience as chuteman at Phoenix.

The funeral of Mrs. R. H. Hewer, which was delayed awaiting the arrival of her mother, Mrs. McKenzie from Nanaimo, was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. The service was in the Presbyterian church.

FIRE AT FERNIE.

Suddaby's Drug Store and Contents Destroyed Yesterday.

(Special to The Daily News.)

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