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BILL DELAYED

New Clause Restricting Undesirable Immigrants

A SCENE IN PARLIAMENT

COLONEL HUGHES PREFERS HINDUS TO ANARCHISTS AND IS UNCOMPLIMENTARY IN HIS REMARKS AS TO THE AVERAGE NEWCOMER.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, April 8.—The exclusion of undesirables was introduced this afternoon by Hon. Frank Oliver, who, in committee of the whole, further explained the bill to amend the Immigration Act. The object of the act is to make further provision for the exclusion of undesirable immigration. The present act provides for the exclusion and deportation of undesirables at the expense of the steamship company bringing them to Canada. It has been discovered, however, that when immigrants embark from ports outside of their native land it is not possible to return them to that land and they must perforce remain. With the intention of carrying the law into effect, a regulation was passed on January 8, requiring emigrants to have a through ticket from the land of their origin or be subject to exclusion. This applied to Asiatics in two instances: Japanese from the Sandwich islands, not under the jurisdiction of the Japanese government but of the United States, who own the islands and who need not receive them if deported, and a similar situation existed in regard to Hindus. An attempt was made to enforce the legislation, but proceedings were taken by the transportation companies and the regulation was set aside on the ground that the governor-in-council could not delegate his power to any single minister. The regulation was subsequently amended to suit the courts, but it is felt by the government that the regulation should be embodied in the laws of the country.

Hon. J. G. Haggart wanted to know if Canada had power to exclude British subjects for other purposes than quarantine. Mr. Oliver answered that the present act, passed in 1906, had never been questioned.

R. L. Borden said that he, in view of the explanation, could not understand the necessity of an act of parliament; the regulation as amended seemed to provide for everything.

The premier further explained the government's idea of asking the parliament to create a new cause of exclusion of immigrants not coming direct from the land of birth.

R. L. Borden still did not understand the reason of the parliamentary enactment.

Hon. Frank Oliver thought it would be easier to deport undesirables who had been allowed to land, besides the steamship companies would better understand that they brought people from lands other than that of their origin at their own peril.

Colonel Hughes said he personally would prefer a Hindu who had served the king in India to a galvanized Yankee who had been an anarchist in his own country or in Europe. He later referred to immigrants as animals. There were protests.

Colonel Hughes: "Great Heavens! Many of them are not worthy of the name of human being; yet many of them are at work and admitted by the government."

He proposed an amendment to except such emigrants as have served in regular or auxiliary forces of empire. Macpherson in replying to Hughes, declared: "Hindus are not suited to become good citizens of Canada."

Colonel Hughes retorted: "I prefer black gentlemen to white anarchists."

F. D. Monk, reinforced by R. L. Borden, raised the point that this created a new cause of exclusion and would also exclude Englishmen coming from the colonies or from France.

The premier admitted the force of this argument, stating the point to be worthy of serious consideration.

M. S. McCarthy called attention to the report that 10,000 acres were being taken up for a Japanese colony.

Lemieux replied that the C. P. R. had applied for leave to bring in 100 Japanese, stating the Japanese government had no objection, but would not grant passports without the consent of the dominion. "That shows Japan is living up to its agreement and I believe from this day on we shall never again have such an influx of Japanese as last year."

The premier held the treaty, under international law, would be interpreted so as to allow Canada to regulate Japanese immigration in this respect; at least that was the legal position of the government, and one which he thought was right.

It was then just 6 o'clock and the premier wanted the bill read a third time, so as to get it to the senate before adjournment, as the need of the law was great.

Colonel Hughes: "Will you accept my amendment?"

The premier: "Certainly not."

"Then," colonel Hughes replied, "we cannot let the act pass. We want it clearer. I am in favor of the white man and also of a decent Canada."

The bill had to stand over.

During question time, A. Lavergne informed the house of the intention of the post office department to issue a new series of postage stamps on the occasion of the Tercentenary of Quebec, printed in both English and French.

H. B. Ames asked if the fishing privileges on Lesser Slave lake were leased; if so, to whom and to whom assigned and who at present exercised the privileges. The reply was made that they had been granted to J. H. MacKenzie of the Imperial Fish company, who assigned to the Athabasca Fish company. The lease was not exclusive and was for a period of ten years at a rental of $10 annually. The lessees agreed to spend $300 each for the first three years and $1500 for each subsequent year. The government did not intend to cancel, nor had they been asked to. No price had been mentioned for the abrogration of privileges. There was no intention to disallow any Saskatchewan legislation of last session.

The bill for the providing of a subsidy of $200,000 for direct steamship service with France, which was a corallary of the French treaty, received its third reading.

In the senate today sir MacKenzie Bowell protested against the suspension of accountant Owen and J. N. Gregory, the Quebec agent of the marine department. He said they were old civil servants, and he had never heard any complain about them while he was in office. Sir MacKenzie criticised Hon. A. B. Aylesworth for his recent declaration at Newmarket, that the civil service commission had gone beyond its authority. He could not agree with this and did not think it a strong defence. The minister of justice had promised that Mr. justice Cassels would go through the department and separate the Tory goats from Liberal sheep. Sir MacKenzie thought politics should not enter into such a question but if ten men were found to have done wrong they should all be dismissed.

Hon. R. W. Scott read from a reply given in the commons by Hon. L. P. Brodeur to questions in which Brodeur had said his own men had been suspended prior to the report of the commission and that his suspension was not due to the report. Fraser and Gregory had been suspended because they had failed to carry out certain instructions.

R. W. Scott said he could not attempt to follow all sir Mackenzie Bowell's arguments. When Mr. Justice Cassels had reported, there would be an opportunity for the matter to be further discussed.

Ottawa, April 8.—Hon. Sydney Fisher's bill to amend the Inspection and Sale Act now before parliament, declares it an offence to put any foreign matter whatever into cheese or incorporate an inferior curd or cheese therein, penalties to apply against any one who either manufactures or deals in these inferior products. This bill puts and end to the cheese box romances which have attracted some attention in the old country. It has been found that glass bottles were occasionally slipped into the centre of a cheese by romantic dairymaids. This had caused complaint from purchasers in the old country.

Hon. W. S. Fielding has presented to parliament the report of all correspondence bearing on the action taken by the dominion government last fall to relieve the financial stringency in the western provinces, and to provide money for the marketing of the frozen crop, which otherwise would have spoiled on the farmers' hands. Measures taken by the government to provide for this situation were in explained in Fielding's budget speech.

BLIZZARD IN THE EAST

MONTREAL IN THROES OF HEAVY SNOWSTORM

GALE PLAYS HAVOC ALONG LAKE SHORE AT TORONTO

Montreal, April 8 — Montreal is in the throes of a heavy snowstorm.

Ottawa, April 8—The spring like weather of the past four days is changed and Ottawa is in the grip of a blizzard. Traffic is difficult particularly on the street cars and the outlook is decidedly wintry.

Toronto, April 8—Never within the memory of living man have wind adn wave created such havoc along the lake shore west of Toronto as occurred last night and this morning, and for that matter is still occurring, for the waters are still raging. The whole shore line for miles on both sides of Mimico creek, west of the city has been ground to pieces and swallowed up for 20 feet back. The mouth of Mimico creek is becoming a huge bay and all the flats are covered for a depth of several feet.

Electric poles along the lake shore between Windermere avenue and the Humber fell over this morning entirely stopping the cars and passengers had to walk between these two points. The tracks are seriously threatened. Great damage has been done on the south shore of the island and it is feared that if the storm continues much longer that a channel will be worn straight through the island to the bay. Down at the beaches of Kew and Balmy the storm has never been equalled. Waves have forced their way one hundred yards further inland than ever before. Families have had to be taken out of their cottages in boats.

GIANT FERRY STEAMER

Ogdensburg, N. Y., April 8.—The steel double ice crusher and car ferry steamer Charles Lyon, built at Toronto for the Canadian Pacific Transfer Co., to ferry cars between Ogdenbsurg and Presscott, Ont., arrived today. After leaving Lake Ontario the steamer crushed a passage between 16 miles of ice on the river. The Charles Lyon can carry 14 loaded cars on double tracks and cost $250,000.

TWO STRINGS

Tupper for Vancouver and for Pictou

LIKELY COAST CANDIDATE

STRONG SECTION OF CONSERVATIVES CHOOSE TUPPER, WHO IS PLACING HIMSELF IN THE HANDS OF HIS PARTY AND OF HIS LEADER.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, April 8.—A large section of the Vancouver conservatives passed a resolution tonight favoring sir Charles Tupper as Vancouver's candidate at the next federal election. It is believed this is the desire of the great majority of the electors. The meeting did not claim to represent the whole local party and did not wish to arouse disaffection in its ranks, and so added a rider that should those favoring sir Charles fail to secure his nomination at the regular convention, they would join in supporting the convention's nominee.

A requisition will be circulated for the signatures of the electors favoring the nomination of sir Charles, asking him to allow his name to go before the convention.

Sir Charles recently informed some friends by letter that he was pledged to the Pictou, Nova Scotia conservatives, but added that he was in the hands of the party and Mr. Borden, and should they deem it wise that he should also contest Vancouver, he would accept the nomination.

INDICTMENT WITHDRAWN

REMARKABLE CRIMINAL CASE IN THE STATES

HOW ONE MAN FINALLY REDEEMED HIS RECORD

New York, April 8—In some western city, the name of which is scrupulously guarded lives a prominent and respected citizen from whom the supreme court today removed the stigma of an indictment, which was returned 26 years ago, charging John Taylor with the death of Thomas Murray. The present home of Taylor and the name under which he has since lived, married and rose to the head of a big mercantile establishment are known to but three men here, and his secret will be kept.

Taylor's identity was made known by him to the court after a search for him had covered two continents and occupied several years, and had been abandoned.

Throwing himself on the mercy of the court, Taylor invited an inquiry into his life for the past quarter of a century. This was made and proved so satisfactory that supreme court justice A. T. Clearwater, who as district attorney secured the indictment of Taylor, declared that it would be a gross injustice to reveal the man's name. Today justice W. C. Howard of Troy, sitting in the supreme court, dismissed the indictment against Taylor, after it had been shown that all possible witnesses against the defendant were dead.

IS A CANDIDATE

Johnson of Minneapolis Will Accept Nomination if Offered to Him

Chicago, April 8—Governor John H. Johnson of Minneapolis, who is on his way to the battlefield at Shiloh, Tenn., where a monument is to be dedicated to the Minnesota volunteers who were killed in that battle, passed through the city today.

He discussed the presidential question freely, saying: "I am a candidate for the presidency in the sense that if I gain the nomination I shall accept it and make every effort to be elected. I am not making any personal campaign and do not expect to seek instructed delegates. I consider the ambition to be president one of the most laudable aspirations which any man can entertain. Any insinuations or assertions that my candidacy is being advanced by James J. Hill and his interests, is absolutely false. I have fought them several times and have never received a word of encouragement from him or from any similar source."

Governor Johnson said that he did not care to discuss W. J. Bryan, or any differences in policies between himself and Mr. Bryan.

MANY CONGRATULATIONS

ASQUITH'S APPOINTMENT WARMY APPROVED

WILL RETURN TO LONDON THIS MORNING

Biarritz, April 8.—Herbert H. Asquith is receiving many congratulations on appointment as premier. He had several audiences during the course of the day with the king, lunching and dining with his majesty. It is understood that some details as to the personnel of the cabinet remain to be settled in London. Mr. Asquith today declined to divulge anything with regard to the new cabinet. He will start for home at noon tomorrow, after another audience with the king in the morning. He will spend the night in aPris and will reach London on Friday evening.

GALLIHER TO RETIRE

The Daily News has received from Mr. J. A. Macdonald, M. P. P., Rossland, a copy of the following communication from Mr. W. A. Galliher, M. P., which he had requested Mr. Macdonald, as leader of the liberal party in B. C., to have published in these columns:

To My Friends and Supporters in Kootenay:

Owing to business arrangements which will necessitate my leaving Kootenay it will be impossible for me to again contest that riding in the liberal interests at the next federal election.

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking my many friends and supporters throughout all Kootenay for the loyal friendship and cordial support they have always accorded me during the period I have had the honor of being their representative, (something I shall appreciate all my life).

Wishing you success, and bespeaking for my successor the same support and consideration you have given me in the past in the cause of good government and the building up of a greater Canada.

I remain, yours faithfully,
W. A. GALLIHER.
Ottawa, April 3, 1908.

The above announcement, though not entirely unexpected, will be received with profound regret throughout the great constituency of Kootenay. Every liberal, and we think we may say, the great majority of conservatives, will sincerely deplore the fact that "Big Bill" has decided to retire from public life at the close of the present session of parliament.

In the eight years that Mr. Galliher had the honor of representing this important constituency at Ottawa he endeared himself to every resident within its confines, as well as to many people in all walks of life with whom he came in contact.

It was at a late hour last night when the above intelligence was received at this office, too late to permit of more than brief reference to an event that we can safely say will occasion keen, personal regret to every liberal in British Columbia and will come as a blow to his liberal supporters and admirers in the Kootenays.

DRAW BATTLE

Liquor Men Won in Large Cities but Lost in the Smaller Places

Chicago, April 8—The liquor contest in Illinois has resulted in a draw battle with the saloons winning decisively in most of the large cities, but loosing in scores the smaller ones, 134 saloons being voted out of existence. The returns as collected by townships are even more impressive from the population point of view, 828 townships or more than three-fourths of the total number, being closed to the saloon. Only by winning in the large cities did the liquor interests save themselves from a complete rout.

Returns from 120 townships of the state are incomplete and it is not possible to state with exactness how many saloons will close their doors 30 days hence as a result of yesterday's balloting. The figures available place the number at over 1000 being for the most part in towns which had from 5 to 25 saloons each.

Denver, April 8—Thirty-five towns in Colorado in which elections were held yesterday voted on the question of local option. Ninteen of these elections resulted in no license and sixteen voted to license saloons. The anti-saloon element won over four towns that were formerly wet and the liquor element made gains of five towns, giving them the advantage of one in the total changes.

PROBLEM SOLVED

London, April 8.—As a result of the conferences held in this city between Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor of canada, John Morley, secretary of state for India, and the earl of Elgin, secretary of state for the colonies, a satisfactory solution of the difficulty arising from the immigration of Indians to Canada has been found. While no legislation to restrict this movement from India will be passed, administrative measures will be taken to deter the Indians from going to Canada. Circulars will be sent to the Punjab and other districts in India explaining that the condition of the labor market makes it undesirable for Indian workmen to go to Canada and that the Canadian climate is also unsuited to them.

FOREIGN TREATIES

Washington, April 8.—An arbitration treaty with Great Britain and Portugal and a nationalization treaty with Salvador were ordered favorably reported today by the senate committee on foreign affairs.

MRS. SCRIVER DEAD

Montreal, April 8—Mrs. Scriver, widow of the late Julius Scriver, ex-M.P. for Huntingdon, died here today aged 70 years.

HAYTI CRISIS

United States Intervention Is Being Sought

DEMONSTRATION PLANNED

ARMED MOVEMENT MAY BE MADE SO AS TO FORCE THE LANDING OF MARINES BY FOREIGN POWERS AND SO FORCE UNITED STATES INTERFERENCE.

Port Au Prince, April 8.—There is reason to believe that measures are now being taken in this city to force, if possible, the intervention of the United States.

At the moment, apparent tranquility prevails, but there is good authority for the statement that hostility against the present Haytien government is growing more intense. It is widely rumored that those who are opposed to the present government, including the better classes of Haytiens, will take advantage of the presence in the harbor of the United States warships and make an armed demonstration, not in the expectation of overthrowing the government, but in the hope of precplitating a landing of marines and, following this, American intervention.

HE SUBMITTED

Canadian Customs Official Arrested by American Officers

Emerson, Man., April 8—The American customs officers at Noyes, Minn., immediately across the border, arrested Herbert Wright, Canadian customs officer, this morning, by holding a revolver to his head and then threatening to shoot when he refused to submit.

The case, which is the climax of numerous clashings between the officials of the two countries at this point, arose out of the alleged smuggling across the boundary at Orleans station by Wright of a woman of easy virtue from Winnipeg. This is said to have occurred on March 9 and the Washington authorities were communicated with which led to the issue of a warrant for Wright's arrest at Noyes. He has been taken to Crookston, Minn., where his trial will take place tomorrow before the United States authorities.

IMPORTED LABOR

Montreal Courts Make Important Decision in Labor Suit

Montreal, April 8—An important judgment has been rendered at the court of king's bench by justice Cross dismissing leave to appeal in the case of Joseph Disney who was acquitted by the court of sessions on a charge of infringing the Alien Labor act. Disney was accused of securing the services of American workmen on behalf of the Dominion Car and Foundry company. His lordship disallowed the appeal on the ground that although the act, generally speaking, forbade importation of foreign labor, such importation was nevertheless permissible in cases where a sufficient number of skilled workmen could not be found here to operate a new industry.

CAUZES AMAZEMENT

Washington, April 8.—Administration officials today expressed amazement over the statement in president Castro's official organ, "El Constitutional," having as their basis the Tacoma mail pouch opening incident. Mingled with the feeling of amazement over the sentiments of president Castro is one of regret and mystification over the whole course Venezuela has pursued in dealing with the United States. "The United States has been a good friend to Venezuela," said a high official of the state department today. "Twice within the last 25 years we have gone to Venezuela's aid when that country needed assistance." For this reason he could not understand why she has acted as she has. All correspondence on the Venezuela question is before congress. Administration officials admit they will not be surprised should there be some delay. The issues presented are out of the ordinary and time should be given, they say, for thorough study of the situation.

MORE CABINET CHANGES

PREMIER ASQUITH TO COMPLETE LIST TODAY

HALDANE TO LEAVE WAR OFFICE FOR UPPER HOUSE

London, April 8—The vacancy in the office of the prime minister of Great Britain caused by the resignation last Saturday of sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman on account of ill health, was filed at Biarritz, France, during the audience between the king and Herbert Asquith, who had been summoned from London. Mr. Asquith first tendered to his majesty his resignation as chancellor of the exchequer and immediately there after he kissed the hand of the king on his appointment to the post of prime minister and first lord of the treasury.

It is officially announced that king Edward will leave Biarritz on April 15 to hold a privy council in London on the 16th. The new ministers probably will have their first audience on this occasion as it is understood that Mr. Asquith was able to submit a list of his main appointments to his majesty this morning. Mr. Asquith is expected in London tomorrow when he will complete his cabinet.

The latest information from well informed circles points to the strong possibility of the retirement of lord Loreburn, lord high chancellor, who, it is understood, does not stand very high in the estimation of Mr. Asquith and the appointment of R. B. Haldane, secretary of state to this post, with the peerage attachment. It is known Mr. Haldane is ready to leave the war office. He would like to become chancellor of the exchequer but it is apparent that David Lloyd-George, president of the board of trade, has the keys of that office in his pocket. In the event of Mr. Haldane going to the upper house, Winston Churchill, under secretary of the colonial office, will most likely get the war office, which would be more congenial to him than the board of trade.

ANTI-GOAMBLING BILL DEFEATED

Albany, April 8—The senate late this afternoon by a tie vote defeated the first of the Agnew-Hart bills designed to abolish gambling at race tracks. Senator Grady endeavored to give the bill a final death blow by moving to reconsider it, so that the motion could be defeated, and the bill irrevocably defeated but senator Raines moved to lay the Grady motion on the table and lieutenant governor Chanler voted with him. The practical effect is that senator Agnew can have another vote on his bill. The same vote with the second bill was defeated and left on the table pending reconsideration.

WHOLESALE EXPULSION

Columbia, April 8—It was announced at the chapel service at Clemson college today, that 275 members of the sophomore and freshman classes had been dismissed, in addition to 48 juniors expelled on Friday last. This is said to be the most wholesale expulsion in the history of the United States. The cause was alleged insubordination in April-fool pranks. At the time of the last Commencement there was trouble of a similar nature with the senior class over a night shirt parade and captain C. McClay of the United States army, resigned.

DENVER SMITH IS DEAD

PASSING OF ONE OF BEST KNOWN AMERICAN JOURNALISTS

WAS A WRITER OF VERSE AND AN EXPERT TELEGRAPHER

New York, April 8—Langdon Smith, newspaper man, war correspondent and one of the best known special writers in New York, died tonight of erysipelas at his home in Brooklyn, aged 50.

During his journalistic career of more than 20 years in New York, Mr. Smith has been connected with the New York Warld, the Herald and the American. He served as war correspondent in Cuba during the Cuba insurrection and also throughout the Spanish-American war, being preset at all the battles. More than a year ago Mr. Smith was known as one of the most expert telegraphers in the world. Among telegraphers he was known from California to New York as "Denver Smith."

As a poet Mr. Smith's best known verses are "Bessie McHall" and "Evolution," the latter having a wide circulation when it appeared several years ago. He was born in Kentucky.

SASKATCHEWAN LEGISLATURE

Regina, April 8—A resolution "that the government be requested to make the provision for an inquiry into the question of government ownership and control of interior elevators for the information of the house at next session" was defeated by the government here today. The government opposed the motion on the ground that the grain growers would shortly be conferred with on this subject with the authorities and to anticipate their action would be discourteous. The resolution was defeated on a straight party vote.

The local improvement district convention was brought to a conclusion this afternoon and Mr. Smith of Yellow Grass was elected to the position of president.

KILLED AT FUNERAL

Chicago, April 8—Four occupants of a carriage were instantly killed and the driver fatally injured this afternoon when the vehicle was struck by an electric train on the Chicago, Elgin and Aurora railway near Maywood, a western suburb. The carriage was one of a number that were returning from a funeral. The driver died a few hours later at a hospital.

DISMISSED FROM OFFICE

Ottawa, April 8—Frank Nichols, editor of the geological survey publications, has been dismissed from the government service on the alleged ground that he inspired the publication in the mining and scientific press of San Francisco of severe criticisms of Dr. Spencer's work on the Falls of Niagara. Mr. Groves of Montreal has been appointed to the vacancy.

OTTAWA OFFICIAL DEAD

Ottawa, April 8.—Henri Guillame Lamothe, clerk of the court in chancery, died tonight of pneumonia. He was born 58 years ago in Florence, Italy, the son of Guillaume Lamothe, ex-postmaster of Montreal. A widow and two children survive.

HONORED BY MCGILL

Montreal, Apjrl 8.—The governors of McGill university today decided to confer the degree of LL.D., honoris causa, upon sir Casper Purdon Clarke, director of the Metropolitan Art gallery, New York.

ASKED THEIR OPINION

Ottawa, April 8.—In opening the spring assizes here today, Mr. justice McMahon told the grand jury that it was open to them to express their opinion upon the subject of the sending out of undesirable immigrants into Canada, and to form a resolution as to the better selection of proposed arrivals.

LARGER NAVY

United States Launching Into Big Expenditure

HAS AMBITIOUS PROGRAM

MINORITY REPORT WANTS AN EVEN LARGER SCHEDULE FOR DEPARTMENT—SUMS WHICH ARE TO BE SPENT BY LEADING NATIONS.

Washington, April 8—The naval bill authorizes the building of two instead of four battleships and eight, instead of four submarine torpedo boats, and carrying a total appropriation of $103,967,718 for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909, was reported to the house today by chairman Foss of the committee of naval affairs.

Representative Hobson of Alabama, submitted a minority report recommending that provision be made in the bill for four first class battleships, instead of two.

The total appropriation recommended is $22,518,831 less than the aggregate estimates submitted by the department and $3,663,916 more than the amount appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908.

The report shows that there are in course of building, seven battleships, four armored cruisers, three scout cruisers, five torpedo boat destroyers, four submarine torpedo boats, two colliers and two sea going tugs. The amount necessary to be appropriated to pay for the vessels now building and those contracted for during the next fiscal year, is $17,322,962.

Under the heading "naval program," the committee recommends that the president be authorized to have constructed two first class battleships, to cost, exclusive of armour and armament, not to exceed $800,000 each, that the secretary of the navy be authorized to have constructed eight submarine torpedo boats to cost in the aggregate not more than $3,500,000, of which $1,000,000 is appropriated; and one submarine torpedo boat at a cost not to exceed $22,500, a total authorization of $23,945,000, which will be increased by $7,000,000 by the cost of arming and equipping the two battleships.

The report shows that the naval construction program of the several foreign powers contemplate the expenditure of the following amounts for vessels as indicated during the coming fiscal year:

England, three battleships of the Dreadnought type, one fast unarmoured cruiser, five ocean going destroyers, twelve first class torpedo boats, twelve submarines, $39,418,650; France, five destroyers, ten submarines, $18,696,346; Germany, two battleships, one armored cruiser, two scout cruisers, twelve destroyers and several submarines, $30,575,860; Japan, $177,965,793 for construction and repair, including the restoration of Russian warships taken as prizes; Russia, $15,000,000 for construction and repairs; Brazil, three battleships, two scout cruisers, eighteen torpedo boats and destroyers.

The relative position of the several powers in naval strength is shown to be as follows: Ships built: Great Britain, United States, France, Germany, Japan, Russia, Italy, Austria.

Mr. Hobson, in his minority report said that "our existing navy has been built primarily for the needs of one ocean and we now find needs in two oceans."

He added: "It may be remarked that at this critical juncture when the world is drifting toward war, the failure on the part of America to build up a naval power adequate to keep peace in the Pacific ocean will be liable to entail, not only war between America and Japan, but ultimately between the white race and the yellow race, and would prevent the carrying out of the gospel of peace throughout Asia."

THIEF IS RECAPTURED

Lethbridge, April 8—Sergt. Egan of the mounted police, captured Fred Wheatley, a noted Oregon horse thief at O'Connor's ranch near here. He escaped from custody last fall while being taken to trial. He jumped from a car window though handcuffed. The police have been on his trail for some time.

CHICAGO CIVIC ELECTIONS

Chicago, April 8—Thirty-five aldermen were elected in Chicago yesterday and of the number 24 were republicans. One of these ran as an independent. Mayor Busse will enter on his second term with a larger party majority back of him than any mayor has had in the last 30 years.

SUFFERS FROM WEAKNESS

London, April 8.—The bulletin issued this morning regarding the condition of sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, says that the former premier passed a good night, with a fair amount of sleep. He continued to suffer from weakness.

TO TAX MEMBERS

Ottawa, April 8— Ald. Foran intends to propose in the city council that the board of control be asked to secure legal opinions respecting the intention of the city to tax the incomes of members of parliament and cabinet ministers.

TORONTO'S HARBOR

Toronto, April 8—Robert Waddell of Trenton, has been awarded the contract for the construction of the proposed new entrance to Toronto harbor at a cost of $425,000.

AWAY FROM HOME

Kincardine, Ont., April 8—A British Columbia sockeye salmon, weighing four lbs. was caught here today by John McGraw.

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HOPEFUL OUTLOOK

The outlook for radical reform in the civil service is brighter today than ever before, thanks to the public spirited action of the dominion government in appointing the royal commission of enquiry last fall, whose drastic findings and recommendations were recently presented to parliament.

In face of these findings and of the comment that has been occasioned throughout the dominion there can be very little doubt but that the government will take action along lines in accord with that great body of public opinion that has sprung up in favor of lessening the obvious evils of the patronage system.

In appointing a srong, impartial commission to enquire into the civil service the dominion government did praiseworthy work, work entirely in accord with the best liberal practice and in the course since pursued, the government have shown a firm determination to prosecute the matter to a logical conclusion, no matter whose corns may suffer. As sir Wilfrid Laurier, himself, said:

"It does not matter upon whom the blow falls, or who are the guilty parties. We want the whole truth, we will have the whole truth and nothing but the truth."

This is the right spirit to go about an investigation of this kind and be the subsequent findings what they may the outcome is bound to make for purer politics in Canada.

Civil service reform may now fairly be said no longer to be an academic question. The action of the Laurier administration has forced it into the forefront of political problems that must be dealt with promptly.

EDITORIAL NOTES

"We adhere to the principle of the British preference, because, notwithsanding some criticisms which have been made, we believe it has been a good thing for Canada. We are satisfied that it has given Canada prominence in the eyes of the empire and all over the world. And we believe that it has brought us commercial advantages, advantages derived from sentiment, but advantages which are substantial. There was a short time during which it was claimed by our friends across the water that the preference was not much advantage to them. On one occasion a very distinguished statesmen on the other side argued that way. But I am sure that all will acknowledge in view of the figures of recent years, that the British preferential tariff has given a decided advantage to the British manufacturer and to the British merchant in lines of goods which we desire to buy from them, and advantage not so much in comparison with the home producer as in comparison with the producer in a foreign country.

In 1890 the imports into Canada from Great Britain amounted to $43,000,000. At that time, the preferential tariff came in; the tide was turned, and the British imports into Canada last year amounted to $69,000,000. If we look at the dutiable goods only—and, of course, the preference only applies to the duty on the goods—we find that in 1897 our imports from Great Britain amounted to $20,217,422, and in 1906 to $52,615,725. Therefore, there is no doubt that the British preference has increased our trade with Great Britain, so far as increasing the volume of British imports is concerned. We think that it has had also a most desirable effect in increasing the interest in Great Britain in Canadian products; and, though it is difficult to establish it by particular evidence, our conviction is that the preferential tariff has been the means of encouraging the use and consumption of Canadian products in Great Britain. There is another view of the British preferential tariff. It gave a great reduction of taxation to the consumers of this country. It has been estimated, by a close calculation, that if this preference had not been established, if we had maintained, during the past ten years, the old rates of duty as we found them, and if the goods had continued to come into the country under those rates of duty—though, of course, they might not have done so—no less than $28,000,000 of taxation would have been collected from the people over and above what they have been called upon to pay under the British preferential tariff."

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(Special to The Daily News)

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It was learned today that James Sclater, president of the local liberal association, was offered the position of attache to the British legation at Tokio, afterwards accepted by R. L. Drury of Victoria. Sclater declined the post for business reasons.

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company (as Lessee and exercising the franchise of the Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company) has this day deposited in the District Land Registry Office at Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, a plan, profile, and book of reference, showing a proposed branch line from the Slocan Lake Branch of the said Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company for the Patrick Lumber Company Limited, situated two decimal seven miles north of Slocan Junction in the District of West Kootenay in the Province of British Columbia aforesaid and that the said Canadian Pacific Railway Company will, as soon after the expiration of four weeks from the first publication of this notice as the application can be heard, apply to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada for approval of the said branch line in accordance with the provisions of the Railway Act.

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R. MARPOLE,
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London, April 8—At a meeting of the Y.M.C.A. in Queen's hall last night ambassador Reid, on behalf of the donors of the headquarters building in New York, accepted a bust by Frampton of the late sir George Williams, the founder of the association. Mr. Reid said that no gift could be appreciated more warmly and sympathetically.

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GETTING READY FOR COMING SUMMER

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Value of Compost in Gardening—Theodore Lemm, Plattsmouth, Neb., writes that he finds a compost of great help in gardening, and he believes that more growers can use one to advantage. He believes that asparagus, rhubarb, strawberries, raspberries and perennial flowers can very well be mulched with compost every winter, and garden truck which is to mature after the 1st of July will also do well when mulched in this way. He would have three compost heaps, if plenty of manure is available, and form the compost of cow and horse manure, sods, mixed with good garden soil and wet down with waste water from the kitchen.

Mr. Lemm calls attention to the fact that mulching garden vegetables with compost late in the summer will not only enrich the soil, but will keep the roots of the plant in cool, moist soil during the hottest part of the summer, and the crop will be greatly improved thereby. Considerable cultivating of the soil can be avoided in this way.

Another Amateur's Experience With Tomatoes—My plants are all set carefully the middle of May, giving rows full south exposure. They are kept well cultivated, and after they are well started they are treated to an application of about three tablespoonfuls of pulverized sheep manure, worked into the soil around each plant. The vines are carefully trained to a frame trellis from the start, kept trimmed sufficiently to allow plenty of sunshine and air to reach all parts of the plant, and each branch bearing fruit is carefully tied to the trellis, so as to support weight of fruit without causing the vines to drop or split at the fork.

This same method of tying and trimming is continued until the vigorous period of vine growth has passed, and about September 15 all new growth is cut back, so as to allow all the strength to be devoted to ripening the developing fruit. This method gives us an abundance of very choice tomatoes.

Asparagus—Growing the Plants—Asparagus plants can be easily grown from the seed in one or two years' time. If you are in no hurry this is the best plan, but of course if you wish to get a bed started in a short time, it is better to buy the plants of some seedsman or nurseryman, as you can thus save a year or two in time. Plant the seed very early in the spring, the earlier the better, in rows a foot apart. As the seed is slow to sprout it is a good plan to mix in a few radish seed, as they will come up early and make the row and you can tend and keep the weeds down while waiting for the asparagus to come up.

The little asparagus plants are very small at first and you should look carefully in weeding or you will pudd them up. As soon as the asparagus shows, take out the radishes or they will crowd it out.

Keep well tended and free from weeds in fact, just like you would a bed of onions from seed. The plants grow all summer and can be dug in the fall and stored in the ground till spring.

Early in the spring take up the plants and set them were they are wanted, first putting the bed in the best of condition. Spade it up very deep and work it up fine. It is a good plan to work in a lot of well-rotted manure to make the soil loose and rich. A tolerably moist place is good, but that is not important. Better choose the place that will be most convenient and fix the ground to suit. You can't make it too rich.

Mark out the rows from two to four apart and set the plants two or three to the foot in row. Set about four inches deep, just like you would raspberry plants. Cover all over with dirt. The plants are easy to live and if they are covered with dirt they are almost sure to come well.

Keep well tended for the first season, like you would potatoes. Hoe or cultivate just as suits you best. In the fall cover all over with manure deep enough so that weeds cannot come up through it. If any weels show througn in the spring put on more manure. Keep this up every season and you will have no more trouble with the bed. The asparagus will come up through any amount of manure. You can begin cutting the second season and from then on the bed will get better every year for a long time and is a permanent affair.

Starting Onions in Hotbeds—Seeds of White Globe, Ailsa Craig and Prizetaken onions are sown in five inches of good soil in moderate hodbed April 1, and transplanted outdoors about May 15, in rows 18 inches apart, the plants standing six inches apart in the row. The tops and roots are slightly cut back, and there is not more than 5 per cent loss in any well-transplanted plant. Taig is the best way to grow onions. The back-breaking is done while transplanting, and the work of thinning and nandwedding is unknown where this method is followed.

Cultivation between the rows is given every 10 days, the weeds between the plants in the row being cut out with a narrow or triangular-shaped hoe. While the onions are growing a good dash of nitrate of soda is applied broadcast, moist days being better for these applications. This is repeated several times, until the onions approach the desired size, when all cultivation ceases. The tops are then broken down, and the onions are pulled two weeks later. Grown in this way, we have harvested bulbs which ran mostly four and five inches in diameter, by August 31. Ailsa Craig has proven superior to Prizetaker in size, shape and quality.

Drainage—To be sucessful with the garden, as with the farm, if there are depressions that are usually wet for some time after rains, drain tile should be employed to make a waterway two or three feet under ground and hasten the removal of the surplus water. If the soil be gravelly and porus, so that water does not long remain above ground when the rain is over, the land is already sufficiently porous, and tile had better not be used.

Matting for garden use may be made made of rye straw, cat-tail flags cut before the heads form, mammoth bullrushes, sedge grass and various other plants. It has various uses in protecting against freeze in early spring, and is made by tying, or weaving the dried plant, straw or grass as woof, upon heavy cords used as warp, so woven that the least amount of air can pass through them. In the spring, when the wind gets into the north, and a freeze is imminent, it is to be laid over the sash of the hotbeds, and rows of tender young plants outside.

Propagation beds are also needed, and like hotbeds should have very rich soil, with boards set up at the sides and dirt banked at the outside, making them of proper width to be best covered by the matting so that young plants from the hotbeds may be set in the ground, or in trays or flats, so as tender plants may be protected during the latter part of spring from a freeze, and also have the hardiness secured from growing in the open.

Lettuce for summer use can be raised in last spring's hotbeds. With plenty of care in sprinkling, airing, tilting the sash, etc., and later by partial shading, all the effects of the hothouse, which it is, in miniature, can as easily be obtained at any time of year in hotbed as green house. Surely it has been done. If you fail, remember the hot house has its enemies, and seek to remedy the cause.

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PUSHING FOREIGN TRADE

UNIVERSITY GRADUATES AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE

CLIFFORD SIFTON'S SPEECH ON THE RELATION

(Canadian Courier)

What has a university to do with trade? some doubting Thomas may ask. As he asks this question he probably thinks of an imaginary professor bespectacled and absent minded, living in ivy-surrounded solitude, "the world forgetting, by the world forgot" But whatever may have been the older conditions, the university ma living in this modern work-a-day world —be he student or professor—must be in touch with the world in which he lives. And while dollars and cents are not the only test, the country has the right to ask the university graduate, "what can you do better as a result of the training you have received?"

Hon. Clifford Sifton's speech on the budget dealt with a number of important topics perhaps the most important of these topics being that of the possible relation of university graduates to the foreign trade of Canada. The Canadian universities have *furnished men to the professions, to public* life and in recent years in increasing numbers to business. It needs but openings to attract men to the pushing of the foreign trade of Canada.

Canada is just beginning to develop its foreign trade; there is every reason why it should attain to great dimensions. The wider the area it trades with the less the chance it has of suffering the evil effects that come from having all the eggs in one basket. Already with six millions of people Canada's foreign trade exceeds that of the new world power Japan. In proportion to population and developed resources Canada's foreign trade is relatively more important than that of the United States. The developing of this foreign trade is something *which must depend on a knowledge* of Canada's resources, the demands of our chief customers, the resources of competing countries, etc. All these are matters for study with a view to expanding trade.

Of the countries on the continent of Europe, Germany has attracted especial attention because of the systematic methods it has used in developing its foreign trade. It has studied the demands of the people it trades with and how best these demands can be met. In its educational institutions it has devoted especial attention to foreign trade and to the consideration of the ways whereby this trade may be developed. To cite but one example, the careful study Germany has made of trade conditions in South America—the commercial wonderland of possibilities—has given her a great advantage over the United States. Germany manufactures the goods the South *American wants; the United* States thinks that what suits its home market should suit South America. Again, South American trade is so organized, mainly because of defective transportation, that long term credits must be given. These the Germans give and get the trade. The Americans, on the other hand, think that the methods that prevail in the United States must prevail in South America. Some years ago I was talking with an official of the Philadelphia Commercial Museum concerning this matter and he told me that the *South Americans would have to learn* United States methods. Foreign trade, however, is concerned with supplying what is wanted and in the way it is wanted, not with missionary enterprise.

The consular services of foreign countries are able to draw upon men who are competent to advise their own countries of the best way in which trade may be pushed. They have qualified themselves for such service by careful preparation. England, Germany and France have appreciated this. While the United States has until recently felt that the Declaration of Independence had satisfactorily organized every thing, foreign trade included, it is now beginning to see what may be done in the *organized development of foreign trade.* The development has been especially marked in the period since the Spanish-American war. The participation in world politics, which is the aftermath of that war, has sobered the United States in many respects and given it a wider horizon than it possessed in its thoughtless youth. In its consular service provision is being made for greater permanency. Appointments are being made to the lower grades by examination, and an attempt is being made to attract university students. In the examina*tions for these lower grades especial at*tention is devoted to such subjects as commercial geography, commercial resources of the United States and of foreign countries, banking, foreign exchange, political economy, transportation, commercial law, international law, etc. From the lower grades promotions may be obtained by service and merit. For example appointments are made to student interpreterships. These appointments carry with them transportation to the place of service and a salary of $1000 a year. The appointment is for *two years. Suppose the appointment is* to a post in China, then during the two year period the appointee is expected to study the language; if at the end of his probation period he is competent he is made a consular clerk and is in line for promotion. In recent years the United States has also pursued the policy of enlisting the services of special agents to advise how trade should be promoted. For example a little over two years ago Dr. L. Hutchinson of the department of political economy and commerce of the university of California, made a number of extremely valuable reports on trade openings in South America.

The methods the United States has seen fit to adopt are of special interest to Canada. Not only do the similarity of resources point this lesson; we should also be pre*pared by studying the experience of the* United States to save the price of her mistakes. The policy the United States is, in common with other countries, adopting indicates that instead of a country choosing a trade representative on the happy go lucky style of letting him obtain all his special trade information after he has been appointed it is much more economical to see that he has preliminary qualifications.

In the development of Canadian trade we should see to it that the profit comes to us direct. Mr. Sifton attracts attention to the fact that in our trade with Japan a considerable part of the profit goes to American middlemen. What is being done in the United States, which is just waking up to the importance of foreign trade, advises what we can do. It is not because the university graduates are a privileged class but because they have had special opportunities that the importance of utilising them in pushing Canadian foreign trade is urged. We already have at least one Canadian university graduate, in the person of W. A. McKinnon, a graduate of the university of Toronto, who is located at Bristol, England, engaged in our foreign trade service. There should be opportunities for others.

What training does the Canadian univer*sity offer for such positions?* The nature of the preparation required for the lower grades of the American consular service has been referred to. To cite Toronto university as an example, courses of study are offered in commercial geography, industrial history of Canada and other important countries, political economy, finance, banking, foreign exchange, corporation finance, transportation with reference to rail and water transportation of Canada—attention being also devoted to the transportation routes whereby foreign markets may be reached, commercial law, international law, modern languages, etc. Mr. Sifton asks where would the government turn *if it wanted a trade representative to send* to South America? It will be noted that the course just outlined is wider than that required for the entrance to the lower positions of the United States consular service. Already the courses offered attract a large number of students who are interested in them because of their bearing on the problems of life. If the government should decide to so reorganize the foreign trade service as to specifically recognize this preliminary training when appointments were being made, there would be *no difficulty in obtaining properly trained* young men. The universities would be prepared to meet the demand. The opportunity of assisting in developing Canadian trade abroad would appeal to the brightest and most adventurous. While the university does not assume that its training is a substitute for the essential training obtained from the world of experience, it is justified in asserting that it can give such a training as will make its graduates, entering the foreign trade service of Canada, valuable officials from the outset.

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Orangeville, April 8.—The body of John Hambly, who mysteriously disappeared last December, was found today in an unused vat under the old tannery building. He was a man 60 years of age and earned a living as a well digger. When last seen alive he had been drinking heavily.

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NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF LICENSE

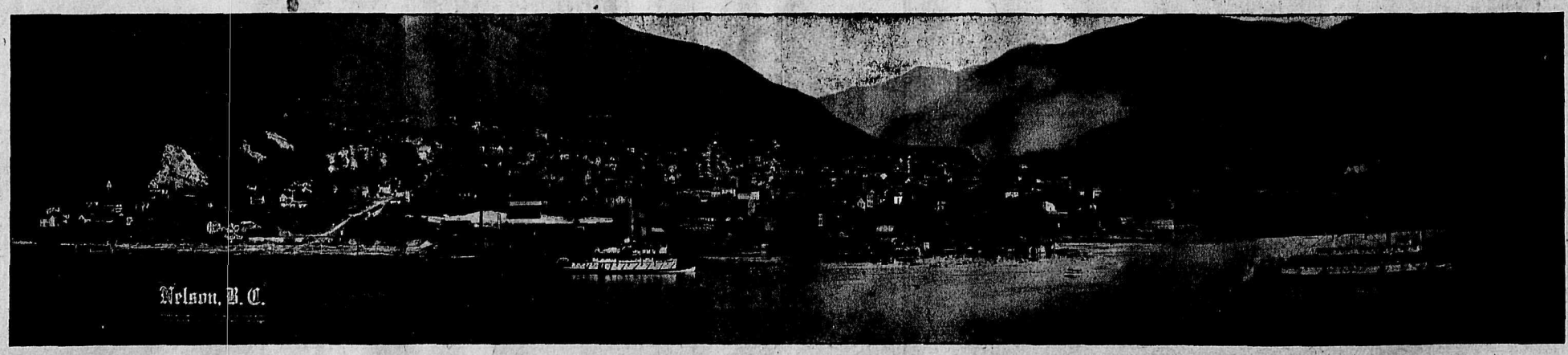
Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Nelson at their next meeting held thirty days after date hereof, for a transfer of the retail license now held by me for the Strathcona hotel, situate on Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in Block 13, Nelson, B.C.,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

J. C. BONNEAU,

Per Atty. Jerry Bonneau.

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

THE HOME CITY OF THE DAILY NEWS



NICE PLACE, ISN'T IT? ALWAYS ROOM FOR MORE ENTERPRISING CITIZENS

SOME FACTS ABOUT NELSON, B. C.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Nelson is the wholesale center of Southeastern British Columbia.

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

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

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

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

Nelson has leased and operates two decimal five miles of street railway.

Nelson owns and operates its waterworks system, and has fifteen miles of water mains.

Nelson has eighteen miles of sidewalks.

Nelson has ten miles of sewers and on account of the gradual slope the drainage is perfect.

Nelson has a paid fire department, with a central hall and three sub-stations, with the Gamewell fire alarm system installed.

And with these Nelson has scenic attractions which make it the best residential city in British Columbia today

The Daily News has a telegraph service equal, if not better, than any paper published in British Columbia. Maintains special correspondents at all important points in Canada and contains the announcements of representative city manufacturing firms, merchants and real estate firms of the city.

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

Mrs. John Moe will not receive tomorrow.

The mill at the city wharf is once again in full operation.

The Westmont yesterday shipped another car of high grade ore to the Trail smelter.

The City of Cobalt and the Nancy Helen of Cobalt, Ot., have started shipping to the Trail smelter.

The thermometer yesterday varied between 60 and 29 degrees, the warmest day as yet experienced this season.

F. W. Godfrey has just come in from Victoria and will in future represent R. P. Rithet and company, succeeding H. Briggs.

As there are several matters of importance to be brought forward at the regular meeting of the board of trade this evening a full attendance of members is requested.

The Tennnessee Jubilee Singers are giving an entertainment this evening in the Methodist church. As they are well recommended there should be a good attendance.

The contract for alterations and additions to W. S. Drewry's residence on Stanley street has been awarded to John Burns and operations were commenced yesterday. G. C. Egg, architect, has charge of the work.

A special excursion has been arranged by the Knights of Pythias for next Monday evening, the train leaving the union depot at 6:30 p.m. and leaving Ymir for Nelson at 2 a.m. Amplified work will be carried out at the lodge. The members taking part in the amplified work will also compete at the meeting of the grand lodge of the order at Victoria on May 13.

M. R. McQuarrie is offering a gold medal for the biggest rainbow trout caught this season between Procter and Robson. Fisher men must bring their fish to F. Bosquet to be weighed.

A building permit has been issued to D. Maglio for the erection of a $2000 house on Observatory street and another to Mrs. C. Maglio for the building of an $1800 residence on Robson steet.

I. N. Dalby of the Cooke Lumber company, who has been in town for the past few days for the purpose of arranging a tariff with the C.P.R. for handling logs from the upper Lardeau river, is leaving today to locate a site for a shingle mill in the Lardeau valley.

It is probable that the raising of the wall of the fore-bay at the city power plant will only be carried six feet although the difference of level between it and the wall at the plant of the West Kootenay company opposite is eight feet. The city plant wall cannot be carried higher without enlarging the base. The wall will be secured by piers and will be firmly anchored. There is not the same necessity for height in the city plant as in the other inasmuch as the water in the city plant rushes past the dam, while in the other it meets the wall squarely.

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METALS

New York, April 8—Silver, 55 7-8;; electrolytic copper 12 3-4 and 12 7-8.

Lodon, April 8—Silver, 25 5-16; lead £13 17s. 6d.

April 8—Closing quotations on the New York curb and Spokane exchange, reported by Mighton and Cavanaugh:

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Coal	$ .15	$ .30
B. C. Copper	4.25	4.75
Chas. Dickens	.17½	.20
Can. Con. Smelters	71.00	75.00
Copper King	.3½	.4
Dominion Copper	1.87½	2.12½
Galbraith Coal	.20	.37
Gertie	.3⅞	.4⅛
Granby	85.00	95.00
Hecla	3.50	4.50
International Coal	.72½	.75
Kendal	1.12	1.35
Missoula Copper	.9¾	.11
Nabob	.3⅞	.4¼
Oom Paul	.6	.7½
Panhandle Smelter	.6	.77
Rambler-Cariboo	.27	.27
Rex	.14¾	.17
Snowshoe	.13	.15½
Snowstorm	2.04	2.13
Sullivan	½	.1¼
Sullivan Bonds	50.00	67.50
Stewart	.75	.87½
Tamarack-Chesapeake	.80	1.00

OPENING COPPER QUOTATIONS
(Reported by McDermid and McHardy)

	Asked	Bid
Granby	95	90
Dominion Copper	2⅛	1⅞
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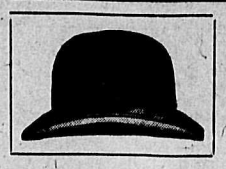

THE new spring styles are now ready in all the various blocks and grades.
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COMMUNICATIONS

Letters to The Daily News on current topics are cordially invited, subject to the following terms:

The letters must be plainly written (typewritten preferred) on one side of the writing paper only, of reasonable length and must be signed by the writer for publication.

The Daily News is not responsible for the views expressed by correspondents.

The following letter was sent to his worship mayor Taylor yesterday:

To His Worship S. S. Taylor, Mayor of the City of Nelson:

Seeing by the report in The Daily News of last night's council meeting that you really have the city's interests at heart as no mayor of this city ever before evinced I therefore beg to submit a challenge to the party who made the statement that the city is already getting an income of $100 per month from the six inch main which the city laid to the shipyard at a cost of nearly $6000.

To my knowledge of this locality there could not possibly have been made more tha 10 or 12 new connections, which revenue from the first year would perhaps cover the cost of material and labor in connecting the houses with the main.

If there is an income of $100 per month it is nine-tenths from the Hume Addition and Fairview people, who have jointly laid over 3000 feet of 2-inch pipe nearly eight years ago If the party having made the statement that I am challenging can prove to your worship's satisfaction that the city is getting from the new main outside of the C.P.R. or zinc smelter $100 per month, I shall send you a check for $25 which your worship can place to the use of any charity fund.

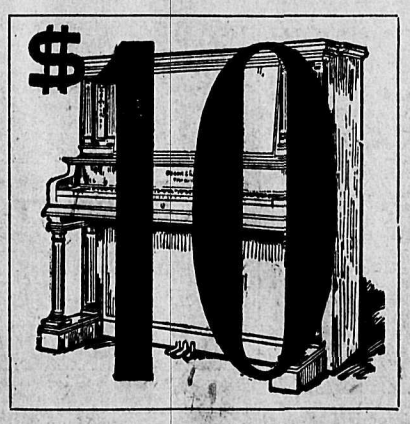
I do this so that your worship may know the whole truth and nothing but the truth.

Hoping you will pardon me for taking up some of your worship's valuable time and will give this matter your kind consideration, I remain, most respectfully,

C. JISZKOWICZ.

Nelson, April 8, 1908.

(Mayor Taylor states that he immediately made the proper enquiries and found that there were 11 connections, producing a monthly revenue of $12.50.)



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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulation

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

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is ituate. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of an intending homesteader.

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

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

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

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

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

COAL—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 this advertisement will not be paid for.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for alterations to the Postoffice Building, Victoria, B.C.," will be received at this office until Wednesday, April 22, 1908, inclusively, for the construction of the alterations to the Postoffice Building at Victoria, B.C.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to William Henderson, Esq., Resident Architect, Victoria, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,

FRED GELINAS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, March 19, 1908.

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FROM UTAH TO ALBERTA

MORMONS TREKING OVER LINE THIS SPRING

REGULAR INVASION PROMISED FROM THE SOUTH

(Special to The Daily News)

Cardston, Alta., April 8.—A very heavy movement of Mormons from Utah is now in progress to this section, the population of the town having been doubled and all accommodation has long since been exhausted. The trek this season from Utah promises to be a regular invasion and it is apparent that in a very short time there will be more Mormons north of the international boundary than there are to the south. In this province they have proved themselves good settlers, and apart from their religious views, are most popular with the rest of the motely population of this province.

Arrangements are now being made for the establishment of several separate schools around this town during the coming summer, where the Mormon children will be brought up according to the views of their elders. Cases of plural marriage have been reported to the R. M. N. P. from time to time but upon investigation the information given has proved to be false. Several years ago a case was brought to notice where a Mormon with two wives had settled in this district but upon agreeing to live with but one of his wives, leaving the other in Utah, no official notice was taken of the matter. Amongst some of the new settlers in this vicinity it is a popular diversion from agricultural pursuits to discuss the plural marriages of these people and oftentimes such discussions have led to the circulation of reports to the effect that plural marriages are being made in Alberta, but the closest investigation show these reports to be false.

The principle industry of these people on this side of the line is the raising of sugar beets, which are manufactured into granulated and loaf sugar with great success. So successful has this industry become that the demand greatly exceeds the supply, despite the fact the sugar beet crop is being doubled yearly, giving employment to hundreds of people and reducing the price of sugar throughout Alberta.

So far the Mormons have not gone in extensively for wheat raising, finding that a crop of beets produce a greater profit per acre than any of the grains. The land upon which these beets grow is mostly irrigated and enormous crops are raised.

ASKED THEIR OPINION

Ottawa, April 8.—In opening the spring assizes here today, Mr. justice McMahon told the grand jury that it was open to them to express their opinion upon the subject of the sending out of undesirable immigrants into Canada, and to form a resolution as to the better selection of proposed arrivals.

MAY BE OTHER SESSION

SENATOR LOUGHEED SO STATES AT CALGARY

C. P .R. MAY BUILD A SECOND LINE ACROSS B. C.

Calgary, April 8.—The Albertan has received the following despatch from private sources in Montreal, said to be authentic: "The Canadian Pacific is unquestionably considering the building of a second line across the province of British Columbia with a terminus at Hardy Bay, near the northern end of Vancouver Island. A large area of Hardy Bay has recently been bonded by unknown parties while in addition about $50,000 worth of water lots have been placed under bond. Hardy Bay is one of the best harbors on the Canadian Pacific coast, with excellent water accommodations and a good country back of it, while it is close to the great timber lands of the north of Vancouver island. A further advantage of such a line and terminus would be that it would afford much better competition with the Grand Trunk Pacific, since the northern harbor would enjoy almost equal facilities with Prince Rupert so far as ocean navigation is concerned. When built the line will connect with the main line of the Canadian Pacific at Wetaskiwin."

Senator Lougheed, who returned to Calgary yesterdty from Ottawa, stated that it looked like an election this year until the report of the civil service commission, but now there is some doubt and it is regarded as probable there will be another session.

In connection with the safe cracking event on Monday morning, when the Alberta Laundry safe was blown open and $200 taken, two more arrests were made early yesterday morning, of young men named Egan and Dober, who registered at the Queen's hotel as from Seattle. This makes four suspects held and the police are confident they have the right men.

BLACKHAND THREATS

Excited Parents of School Children Fear Disaster and Cause Panic

Newark, N. J., April 8.—A rumor that a big public school in the Italian section was blown up by Blackhand blackmailers, in revenge for failure of the pupils' parents to pay tribute, resulted in a panic today, in which two children were injured and it became necessary to close the school for the day, before the trouble was ended. The school was in session, when a great throng of excited women gathered in front of the closed gates, demanding that their children be sent from the building at once.

The principal telephoned for police assistance but before the police arrived the women had broken down the gates and forced their way into the building. They made they way up stairs, screaming calling for their children. Their shouts so excited the pupils that they got entirely beyond the control of the teachers, and ran into the hallways, and scrambled down the stairways, where a number of the little ones were trampled on and two were seriously injured. When the police arrived, order was quickly restored and the building was closed for the day. The police say there is no basis for reports of Blackhand threats.

LIABLE FOR NEGLIGENCE

New York, April 8.—The first judgment under the labor law passed by the legislature in May, 1906, making railway companies responsible for injuries received by an employee, through the negligence of another employee, has been awrded in the supreme court. John Toner was awarded a verdcit of $20,000 for the loss of his left leg in July, 1906. Toner was a motorman employed by the New York City Railway company. The motorman of the car behind collided with his car and Toners' leg was so badly crushed that he had to have it amputated.

KEEP UP BOYCOTT

Hongkong, April 8.—The Chinese Merchants' guild has decided to notify their agents at Japanese ports not to place any more orders for Japanese goods and to ship the goods already orders in vessels other than Japanese. Dealers in Chinese piece goods are joining the boycott against the Japanese, which arose as a result of the Tatsu Maru incident.

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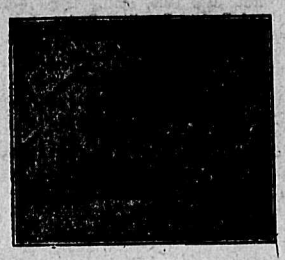

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DESTITUTION IN WEST

TWO BAD CASES REPORTED AT EDMONTON

FORMER RESIDENT OF ONTARIO PASSES AWAY

Edmonton, April 8.—Over four weeks ago a man named Kinnealy, who lived with his wife and four children in a small schack, where he had squatted near Fort Assiniboine on the Klondike trail, 200 miles to the northwest of this city, left his home to come to Edmonton for provisions, which had become very scarce. He took with him a buckboard and an ox, leaving the other one of a pair of oxen and also a cow behind on the farm. Since then he has not been heard from and grave fears are entertained for his safety, as no trace can be found of him or his conveyance. At the shack, where the woman and four children were left, things are reported in a very bad state, owing to lack of provisions. Two timber inspectors, Quigley and McCallister, found the family on the verge of starvation, and the ox and the cow almost reduced to skeletons. After leaving them some provisions, they brought word to the city and this morning immigration agent Sutter sent out land guide Tuttle with provisions and a conveyance to bring the family to the city, if they consent to come. Meanwhile grave fears are entertained as to the whereabouts of the man. He is reported to be of a delicate constitution and it is thought he may have succumbed to the hardships of the trip. The mounted police have taken the matter in hand and will search for the missing man.

Another case of destitution is reported west of the Pembina, where a man named Christian Herring is reported to have left his family, who have practically no provisions. A man is also being sent out to this section with food by the immigration agent.

Yesterday afternoon in Kinnestin avenue some boys noticed a parcel underneath the sidewalk. Upon making an examination, they found the body of a new born infant, which had been hidden away there. The case was reported to the police and the body taken to the undertaker's rooms. The police are very reticent in connection with the case, but it is understood that enquiries are being made with a view to solution of the mystery.

One of the oldest-timers of the district passed away from appendicitis early this morning in the Strathcona public hospital in the person of Robert McKeran. The deceased, who was 62 years of age, came to Strathcona in 1877 from Richmond Hill, Ont. He took up land to the southeast of the present city, and also dealt largely in city real estate during the past few years. For some time he was the proprietor of the Dominion hotel, but recently retired from active work.

It is expected that the announcement of the Rhodes scholar from Alberta and Saskatchewan this year will be announced very shortly. The committee which has the work of making the selection in hand was undecided regarding certain points, and they cabled the Rhodes scholar trustees in England regarding the matter. A cable reply was received and full instructions are being forwarded to the selection committee, and until this is received the selection of the Rhodes scholar for the year will not be made. The selection committee consists of lieutenant governor Bulyea of Alberta, lieutenant governor Forget of Saskatchewan, chief justice Wetmore of Saskatchewan, deputy ministers of education McKenzie of Alberta and McColl of Saskatchewan. Steps are being taken to have a Rhodes scholar for each province selected after this year.

The Secret of Secrets

In Store Advertising

One of the wisest men wrote:
"Suffer any person to tell us his story, morning and evening, for but a twelve-month, and he will become our master!"
In the above sentence we have, in a nutshell, the innermost secret of successful advertising — frequency, and persistency, and unvarying continuity in the telling of the store or enterprise. There are other things to be said of successful advertising, but in the above quotation is found the real philosophy, the real secret,—

The Heart of the Whole Matter

When you wish success in your advertising campaign use

The Daily News

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

A Lazy Liver

May be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. It would be a stupid as well as savage thing to beat a weary or starved man because he lagged in his work. So in treating the lagging, torpid liver it is a great mistake to lash it with strong drastic drugs. A torpid liver is but an indication of an ill-nourished, enfeebled body whose organs are weary with over work. Start with the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. Put them in working order and see how quickly your liver will become active. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs.

If you have bitter or bad taste in the morning, poor or variable appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, constipated or irregular bowels, feel weak, easily tired, despondent, frequent headaches, pain or distress in "small of back," gnawing or distressed feeling in stomach, perhaps nausea, "heart-burn," sour "risings" in throat after eating, and kindred symptoms of weak stomach and torpid liver, no medicine will relieve you more promptly or cure you more thoroughly than Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Perhaps only a part of the above symptoms will be present at one time and yet point to torpid liver or biliousness and weak stomach. Avoid all hot bread and biscuits, griddle cakes and other indigestible food and take the "Golden Medical Discovery" regularly and stick to its use until you are vigorous and strong.

The "Discovery" is non-secret, non-alcoholic, is a glyceric extract of native medicinal roots with a full list of its ingredients printed on each bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Its ingredients are endorsed and extolled by the most eminent medical writers of the age and are recommended to cure the diseases for which it is advised.

Don't accept a substitute of unknown composition for this non-secret MEDICINE OF KNOWN COMPOSITION.

NELSON CAFE
First Class Meals
Furnished Rooms in Connection
Open Day and Night
First Class Lunch From 12 Noon to 2 p. m.
PHONE 275.
A. AUDET, Prop.

Fruit Growers
SHIP YOUR FRUIT AND PRODUCE TO
WINNIPEG
the greatest market in the West, and consign it to
McNaughton Fruit & Produce Exchange
(Commission Merchants)
Successors to
Ottawa Fruit and Produce Exchange,
108 Princess Street, Winnipeg.
Reference: The Northern Bank.

Nernst Lamps

Are particularly adapted for store lighting.
They are neat in appearance, economical in current consumption, and give twice the amount of light for the same amount of current that the ordinary carbon filament lamp does.
Let us estimate on lighting your store with this lamp.

J. H. Ringrose
Electrical Supplies
Phone A 227. Box 155.
NELSON, B. C.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

NOTICE

To Electric Light Consumers:

No change will be made in the rate fixed by the late or any future inspection until the next regular inspection is made. And all inspections will be made without notice or warning to the consumer; any person refusing admittance to the inspector will immediately have his or her light cut off and the same will not be again connected *except subject to a raise in rates charged* of at least twenty-five per cent.

ELECTRIC FLAT IRONS, HEATERS AND ELECTRIC POWER

Any person using Electric Flat Irons, Electric Heaters or Electric Power without reporting the same to the City Clerk within 30 days from this date will be proceeded against for THEFT of electric current pursuant to the Criminal Code of Canada.

By Order,
W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., April 7th, 1908.

PROCLAMATION

Wednesday afternoon, the 15th instant, from 12 o'clock noon until 6 o'clock p.m. is hereby declared a public half holiday in order to give householders an opportunity to clean up and beautify their premises and the lanes and streets adjacent thereto.

THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NELSON
Nelson, B.C., April 8, 1908.

Corporation of the City of Nelson

Applications will be received by the undersigned up until 5 o'clock p.m., April 13th next for the position of caretaker of the Tramway Park. Applicants to state the amount they are willing to pay for the privilege of selling refreshments and renting bathing boxes (to be erected by the applicant.) The use of the pavilion is reserved by the city. By Order,

W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., April 8, 1908.

Corporation of the City of Nelson

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of Bylaw No. 80, "Pound and Dog Tax Bylaw," it is unlawful for any person to suffer any horse, mule, bull or cow, sheep, goat, pig or other cattle, or poultry to run at large within the limits of the City of Nelson.

Every owner of a dog in the City of Nelson is required to pay annually a tax of two dollars for each dog owned by him.

No person shall suffer or permit his dog to run at large in the City of Nelson for which such person has not paid the tax required of him and unless such dog shall have around his neck a collar or strap to which shall be attached a metallic plate to be supplied by the city on payment of the said tax.

Warning is hereby given that any person guilty of an infraction or violation of any of the provisions of the above named bylaw is in addition to the fees and charges set forth therein, liable upon summary conviction to a penalty of One Hundred Dollars and the costs of prosecution and in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two months. By Order.

W. E. WASSON, City Clerk.
Nelson, B.C., April 8th, 1908

Columbian College
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
Founded 1892 Incorporated 1898
Provides a home for students of both sexes at moderate rates. Has a preparatory class for junior students taking public school work. Does high school work and prepares for provincial teachers' examinations. Teaches all branches of a practical business course, and confers diplomas Imparts a liberal education in its collegiate course and is the ladies' course for M.E.L. and M.L.A. In theology confers the degree of B.D. In university work can take students through the complete Arts course, for the B.A. degree of Toronto university, with which the college is in full affiliation. In science teaches the first year of Toronto School of Science and has a special engineering course College of Music. Special instructions is adapted to practical engineering work in this province. In music, a complete course in theory, voice culture, and piano and organ in conjunction with the Toronto art and elocution, while all students are required to take physical training with all the privileges of a well equipped gymnasium. For calendar address Columbia College.

Good Residence For Sale

In choicest portion of Fairview—just over city line. Lake at rear with stairs down from grounds. Street car passes front.
HOUSE—6 rooms; nearly new; in perfect order; large hallways; bathroom, trunkroom, etc.
GROUNDS—60x140; level, fruit trees, bushes and shrubs; large shade trees; good garden; on town level, no hills to climb. PRICE for quick sale $2900.00.
APPLY OWNER **Geo. H. Playle** 405½ BAKER ST.

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

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

New Easter Costumes

The wise woman is buying her Easter costumes now. We have never shown as pretty a range of these goods as this season. They're here in every imaginable style and color, *some in Navy and Brown, plain and fancy* stripes, the most popular lines shown.

COME EARLY THIS WEEK

Prices $25.00, $30.00 to $40.00 the Suit

New Lace and Net Blouses

They come in Black, White and Ecru; extremely pretty patterns at, each, $15.00 to $5.00.

MEAGHER & CO.

LAND NOTICES

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

Take Notice that John Phillip Evans of Nelson, B.C., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the East side of the Columbia river, south of McDonald creek, running East 60 chains; north 78.845 chains; west 40 chains; south 64.97 chains; west 20 chains; south 13.875 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 343 acres more or less.

JOHN PHILLIP EVANS.
JAS. CAMERON, Agent.
Dated March 8th, 1908.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Jacob Weber of Comaplix, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 35 chains south of the northeast corner of Section 11, township 7, thence north 75 chains, to south boundary of Indian Reserve, thence west 20 chains more or less to east bank of Kootenay river, thence following said bank of river to point of commencement, and containing 240 acres more or less.

JACOB WEBER,
M. G. LAWLER, Agent.
Dated March 9th, 1908.

NOTICE

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

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

H. F. MACLEOD,
283-30 District Registrar
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., March 18th, 1908.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, BETWEEN J. H. DOYLE, PLAINTIFF, AND SULLIVAN GROUP MINING COMPANY, DEFENDANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Plaintiff has issued a specially endorsed writ herein out of the above Court, dated March 23, 1908, claiming $4040.35 for work done, and as assignee for value of moneys due the several workmen therein named for work done by them for Defendants and for $45.00 costs, and unless an appearance be entered in the office of the District Registrar of the said Court at Nelson, B.C. within eight days from April 24, 1908, the Plaintiff may proceed to judgment without further notice.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1908.
296,18 TAYLOR & O'SHEA, Plaintiff's Solicitors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA BETWEEN J. H. HAYES PLAINTIFF, AND SULLIVAN GROUP MINING COMPANY, DEFENDANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Plaintiff has issued a specially endorsed writ herein out of the above Court, dated March 23rd, 1908, claiming $5350.79 for work done, and as assignee for value of moneys due the several workmen therein named for work done by them for Defendants and for $45 costs and unless an appearance be entered in the office of the District Registrar of the said Court at Nelson, B.C., within eight days from April 24, 1908, the Plaintiff may proceed to judgment without further notice.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1908.
296,18 TAYLOR & O'SHEA, Plaintiff's Solicitors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, BETWEEN B. CECIL TRAVIS, PLAINTIFF, AND SULLIVAN GROUP MINING COMPANY, DEFENDANT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Plaintiff has issued a specially endorsed writ herein out of the above Court, dated 12th March, 1908, claiming $479.54 for work done, material furnished and moneys expended and $45.00 costs and unless an appearance be entered in the office of the District Registrar of said Court at Nelson, B.C., within eight days from the 24th day of April, 1908, the plaintiff may proceed to judgment without further notice.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1908.
296,18 TAYLOR & O'SHEA, Plaintiff's Solicitors.

Why Buy Fruit Lands

In all sorts of out-of-the-way places when you can get the best of improved or unimproved lands, close to town, on good road, with best of communications,

At the Beautiful Mirror Lake

Why Wait Years For an Income

From your trees when you can have a good revenue from them this year by buying

A Bearing Orchard at Mirror Lake

The ideal spot for a home. Four boats daily. Best of soil. Best orchards and orchard lands, and best location in the Kootenays. Telephone and telegraph connections.

See K. K. Bjerkness or E. Norman
Corner Baker & Ward

For Sale

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

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

Price for launch and boathouse, $360.00.

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

"Unequalled for domestic use."

GALT COAL

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

LOTS

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

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

Easter!

We have a full line of Easter Eggs, Chicks and Easter novelties which we have decided to clean out completely. We will give you the lowest prices on these lines. See us before you buy.

Choquette Bros.

THE UP-TO-DATE BAKERS
Baker St. Nelson, B. C.

N. B.—Please note that we are selling fine and pure MAPLE SYRUP for 30c per bottle.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

The city wants a caretaker for the tramway park. All applications must be sent to the city clerk by 5 p.m. next Monday.

H. G. Goodeve has recovered from his recent illness and although still weak hopes to be about again in the next few days.

Mayor Taylor has issued a proclamation declaring next Wednesday a half holiday from 12 to 6 p.m. for cleaning up the city and tree planting.

The Lardo boat did not connect with the train from Gerrard yesterday owing to a landslide somewhere along the line, which delayed the train. The boat waited three hours.

There was quite a fair attendance at the opera house last night to witness the production of No Mother to Guide Her. For those who appreciate melodrama, the play had much to recommend it.

Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver, known all over the American continent for his splendid work in the juvenile courts, is lecturing in Spokane this evening. It is a pity the ..udge could not be induced to speak here.

At the regular meeting of Nelson Encampment No. 7, I.O.O.F., this evening one physiarch will be exalted to the royal purple degree. A full attendance is requested as arrangements are to be completed for the celebration of the 89th anniversary of the order

A parent called at The Daily News office last evening to protest against the smoking stove pipes in the temporary public school room in the basement of the Baptist church. *It is stated that owing to faulty pipes the* school children and the teacher are continually troubled by smoke, rendering it quite impossible for scholars or teachers to do justice to their work. Parent thinks the matter should be attended to at once.

At a meeting of the city football players *at the court house* last night with W. G. Gillett in the chair, the project of the city club and the Nelson United, amalgamating, was discussed at length but no definite arrangement was arrived at. It was finally arranged to adjourn the meeting until next Monday night at 8 o'clock in the court house by which time it is thought all the details for amalgamation can be settled. About 30 football enthusiasts were in attendance last evening.

An old fashioned spelling bee was held last night under the auspices of the Churchmen's club. Dr. Arthur was the teacher. Ten ladies and ten of the sterner sex were selected as the contestants. Many hard words were served out and after a long struggle the prize was awarded to Miss Hazel Gore. Among the ladies participating honors went to Mrs. Astley and Miss Bate, while among the mere men P. J. Gleaser, E. H. Smith, John Moe, and Ald. McMorris put up a strenuous orthography. Miss Marjorie Cummins was awarded a consolation prize. The program was varied by pianoforte solos by Mrs. Astley and Miss Bate and by songs by Mrs. McLeod and E. H. Smith.

BREAKFAST FOODS

ROLLED OATS
OATMEAL
QUAKER OATS
CORNMEAL
MALTA VITA
GRAPE NUTS
SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUITS, Etc.
ALL FRESH AND WHOLESOME

C. A. Benedict
Grocer
Cor. Josephine and Silica. Phone 7
NELSON, B. C.

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

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

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

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

H.&M. BIRD

NELSON, B.C.

TOOLS PLOWS

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

"Seeing is believing." Call and examine our stock of Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Alabastine, Murals, Brushes, etc. Car has just arrived, and our prices are the lowest ever offered.

Letter Orders Carefully Attended To.

NETTING CULTIVATORS

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

The standing of the different captains in the bowling tournament at the Alice rink up to last night is as follows. The total number of games to be played by each is *33, therefore the team in the best standing* is that captained by Thomas, the second being Boyer:

	Won	Lost
Wells	6	12
Moe	12	15
Sharp	10	17
Falconer	17	13
Oulmette	11	19
Boyer	19	11
Williamson	18	15
Brown	16	11
Thomas	22	8
Campbell	16	17
Patrick	11	13
Dangerfield	15	18

LABORERS WANTED

Demand is Good All Over Ontario—Temperance People Want Law Changed

Toronto, April 8—The demnad for good farm laborers keeps up in nearly every part of Ontario.

The executive committee of the Presbyterian foreign mission board has received reports from Honan, China, of a large addition to the church membership during the past year and increased interest in every department. Similar word comes from Formosa. The committees of different churches in each province of China have met to *consider steps in the direction* of co-operation which will mean much economy of men and money.

The Ontario branch of the dominion alliance will again ask the Ontario government for the repeal of the three-fifths clause of the local option act.

CHANGE LAND LAWS

Regina, April 8—Requests for changes in the laws were made at the session of the local improvement district convention here this morning. The goverment is requested to change the term of councillors from one to two years, to make provision for the payment of arrears of taxes on abandoned *homesteads and to compel speculators* holding lands to pay their taxes in six months under pain of forfeiture.

Peter Huzzy, a popular man of this city and a veteran of the South African war, taking part in several battles, died today. He leaves a wife and three children.

TOOTHPICKS FOR CALGARY

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, April 8.—The Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway, the Great Northern, is distributing 30,000 ties between Waneta and Troup Junction. These ties when placed in the track will make a first class road.

Clarkson Bros. of Ymir have filled a large order for 55-feet poles for the Canada Zinc Co. of Nelson.

The Salmo Cedar Co. make a shipment of some 110-feet cedar toothpicks to Calgary.

The compressor and hoist for William Waldie of the Queen mine is at Salmo and is being dismantled preparatory to taking it to the property.

The Season for Floral Display Is Here. We Have Anticipated Your Wants
A NEW STOCK OF
JARDINIERES
Just Received. See Them in Our Window.
From 50c up.
OLD CURIOSITY SHOP
Josephine Street.

Fruit Land for Sale

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

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

BANK ROBBERS FOILED

MANAGER HENRY SHOOTS AND THE INTRUDERS FLEE

AGED COUPLE SEEK SEPARATION IN COURT

Toronto, April 8—Burglars early today made an unsuccessful attempt to break *into the branch of the Sterling bany at* Thornhill. Manager Roy Henry opened fire on the man who was attempting to gain an entrance by a fanlight and the latter returned the fire. Continuing the fusillade, Henry stepped across the hall when some one from the darkness struck him a stunning blow on the head, rendering him unconscious. The *firing* in the meantime had aroused the neighborhood and the robbers made a hasty retreat. Henry's injuries are not serious.

A couple almost on the verge of the grave, in an alimony action, was the curious case before the master in chambers in Osgoode Hall today. Mrs. W. F. Coleman of Pickering, aged 61, is suing her husband George Coleman, a farmer of Darlington township, Durham county, over 70, for alimony, pending the trial of an action for separation. The couple have been married for 35 years and have two grown up daughters both away from home. The wife claims that after the daughters left home she could not stand her husband's temper. The magistrate allowed her $3 a week interim alimony on condition that the case go to trial at the Whitby assizes.

Rivalry between two gangs of boys fishing in the Don river at Riverside park last night led to the throwing of stones and the fracturing of the skull of 14 year old J. Cobett. His condition is considered serious.

PIONEER JOURNALIST DEAD

Elora, Ont., April 8—John Martin Shaw, a pioneer journalist of this town is dead aged 71. He ran the Observer and later the Express. He leaves a widow and one son and two daughters.

NEW HEADMASTER

St. John, April 8—Rev. W. R. Hibbard of Montreal, has accepted the head mastership of Rothesay college near here, offered him by the Church of England synod.

MAIL IS STOLEN

Ottawa, April 8—A package containing $275 has been stolen from the Gracefield postoffice. This is the information which has been handed to the postoffice department at Ottawa. It seems that a package containing that amount was placed in the Gracefield postoffice a few days ago by a lumber agent named Lepage. The package was *unregistered, it is understood and was* addressed to the Traders' Bank of Ottawa. As the sender had previously sent money in this way, he did not think that registration was necessary. The package was put with the other mail and it was some time before the postmistress missed the parcel.

COSTLY WRECK

Montreal, April 8—A freight train was wrecked at St. Clair, 20 miles east of Montreal, last night, the damage probably amounting to $100,000. The cause is supposed to have been a defective rail.

FARMER SUICIDES

Deloraine, April 8—Alex. Kirkwood, aged 45, a prominent retired farmer who has been residing in town with his family, committed suicide this morning. His body was found by the roadside half a mile from town with a revolver by his side. Life was extinct. He leaves a widow and a family of small children.

HONORABLY ACQUITTED

Winnipeg, April 8—J. H. R. Finnegan, superintendent of the Winnipeg Boy's club, was this morning honorably acquitted by judge Dawson of the charge of indecency against Ralph Johnson, a Swedish boy, whom he had befriended in the club. The evidence showed that the charges were trumped up because Finnegan prosecuted Johnson for stealing.

SUMMER HOTEL BURNED

Port Burwell, Ont. April 8—The Iroquois hotel, a summer resort, owned by F. W. Fay, was destroyed by fire this afternoon.

FINE WARM WEATHER

Winnipeg, April 8—The weather is clear and warm today and the ground is drying quickly. Seeding has started at a few points but will not be general before the beginning of next week.

FERNIE HAPPENINGS

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, April 8.—A fire in a shack on Railway street brought out the fire brigade *shortly after noon yesterday*, but by the time the hose wagons reached the burning building the fire was beyond control and it was soon totally destroyed. The firemen, however, prevented the flames from reaching other buildings in the vicinity. The burned building had recently been vacated and no cause for the fire can be assigned.

The Ladies' Benevolent society is making elaborate preparations for their annual ball, which is to take place in the opera house on Tuesday evening, April 21. This dance is always one of the chief society events of the year and judging from the number of tickets already sold it will prove more successful than ever. The society has been instrumental in relieving a great deal of distress during the last winter, and will receive the hearty support of the citizens in their efforts to increase their finances and extend their sphere of usefulness.

ANARCHIST RETURNS

Emerson, Man., April 8.—Emma Goldman crossed the international border into the United States last night without interference from the American authorities. The American immigration officials did not interfere with her, in fact, they appeared to be very solicitous for her comfort. It is said she was detained last night on instructions from Washington and that these were cancelled today and she was informed that she could proceed on her journey.

Easter Gifts

We are showing a most beautiful and varied stock of JEWELRY and NOVELTIES chosen expressly for the EASTER SEASON. Among them you will find BOOK MARKS, PRAYER BOOKS, BIRTHDAY BOOKS,

Pin Cushions, Toilet Boxes and Bottles

All STERLING MOUNTED, and at trifling prices.

The very latest things are exquisite little Flower Brooches in enamelled Sterling. They come in VIOLETS, SWEET PEAS, EASTER LILLIES, NASTURTIUMS, PANSIES and GRAPES, all in the natural colors.

Prices range from $2.00 to $10.00. A dainty little CROSS composed of WOOD-VIOLETS sells for $8.00 and a similar one of tiny PANSIES is $9.00. Simple GOLD CROSSES cost from $1.25 to $6.00, and gem-set ones $16.00 and $35.00. Don't fail to see our window display.

J. O. PATENAUDE

Manufacturing Jeweler, Watchmaker and Optican.

A CHOICE HOME

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

$2,500, Good Terms

WOLVERTON & CO., Baker Street

This Shoe store is always at your service.

Always ready to show you the best of Footwear, at pleasing prices.

Ready with the best Shoes in special lines, made by Manufacturers who have won a reputation for making good shoes.

Shoes for Men, for Women, for Boys, for Girls, for the Little People and for the Baby.

Shoes for every member of the family—Shoes for all purposes.

We might quote a string of prices, but Shoe prices are meaningless unless you see the Shoes at the price.

The season's best Shoes are ready for you, and we're always at your servi e.

The Royal
R. Andrew & Company

Easter Eggs

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

S. H. Seaney
Phone 206 Baker St.

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Best Quality Cakes, Biscuits and Pastry.
Orders Carefully Executed.
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ORCHARD MANAGEMENT

CONDITIONS NECESSARY FOR THE GROWTH OF TREES

WEEKLY HORTICULTURAL COLUMN IS BEGUN

As announced some days ago The Daily News has made arrangements to run a special horticultural column every Sunday morning, under the supervision of Roy C. Brock, secretary of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association. In addition, Mr. Brock has kindly consented to reply to all fruit queries sent in to this newspaper, the replies appearing in the Sunday issue. Subscribers are urged to take full advantage of this offer and The Daily News will be glad to have suggestions whereby the horticultural column can be improved.

The article this week on orchard management, follows:

Much has been written lately in the different agricultural papers on the management of orchards. Intensive cultivation, the sod method, the mulch method and grass pastured by sheep have each been explained by their respective champions and each has proved to his own satisfaction that his method is best. The strange part of this discussion is, that if you will visit each of their orchards in turn you will find they have all secured the best results and it will be difficult for you to decide between them.

This only goes to prove that there really is no one best method for all; different conditions require different treatment, also that different means may be used to bring about the same results, so in discussing this question we should consider principles rather than methods. We should decide what we want to accomplish, and then taking into account all of our surroundings, and conditions, proceed in the easiest and most economical manner. In starting an orchard we aim first to grow a healthy tree, with well developed root system, a strong trunk and well balanced head, when our tree has reached the proper size and age we want it to bear regular annual crops of fruit, and at the same time keep up a reasonable growth of new wood.

What are the conditions necessary to grow a tree?

(1) A deep well drained soil containing available plant food.

(2) An abundant supply of moisture throughout the year.

Other things being equal, soils retain moisture in proportion to the amount of humus they contain, the more humus, the more certain will be our supply of moisture. Therefore we should take care of the humus in the soil.

(3) In the matter of plant food, an excess of nitrogen will promote wood growth.

(4) In a finely pulverized soil plant food is more readily available than in a coarse or lumpy or compact soil. Cultivation helps to set free plant food in the soil. The decay of vegetable matter in the soil sets free plant food.

(5) A mulch of any kind spread over the surface helps to conserve moisture. This may be either a dust mulch, formed by shallow cultivation, or some coarse material spread over the surface.

(6) Any crop growing on the ground under the trees wil use some of the moisture and some of the plant food. If we will bear in mind the above well known facts, we can follow either method with perfect confidence. If we cultivate we must plow down cover crops frequently to keep up the supply of humus, or in a short time the mechanical condition of our soil will be such that it will dry out in summer and freeze deep in winter, and if our trees do not die they certainly will not make a satisfactory growth. If we grow sod we must remember that the grass is taking up a part of the plant food and part of the moisture and we must either furnish a fertilizer rich in nitrogen, or a mulch, or both as the case may require, and we can readily see what is needed by watching the growth of the tree, which should be continuous and uniform each year until it has reached bearin gage, when its needs will be entirely different.

What are the conditions necessary for the production of fruit?

Anything that will retard the growth of the tree temporarily will cause it to form fruit buds and take on the fruit bearing habit. Thus by seeding to grass, a portion of the nitrogen and soil moisture will be taken up by the grass and the growth of the tree checked proportionately.

(2) A diet containing less nitrogen, and more phosphoric acid which is needed for the production of the seeds, and more potash for the growth of the pulp surrounding the seeds and to add color to the fruit and to make the flesh firm, so that it will bear handling and keep longer.

After the tree has acquired the bearing habit it should receive annual applications of potash and phosphoric acid as the fruit sold each year removes large quantities of these two elements and if it does not show satisfactory wood growth during any one year, it should receive a dressing of barn yard manure spread in a circle over the feeding roots. We may be forced by circumstances to change the method we have chosen. If we are cultivating our orchard we may find the limbs interfering with us and conclude to seed it down or if mulching, the mice may have become numerous, and force us to abandon this. The statement made by one writer recently that if you want to have sod in your orchard when the trees come to bearing you must plant the young trees in sod in the hard ground, because the tree in cultivated ground is deep rooted, and the feeding roots are so far down that they will die if covered with sod, is all bosh. The two crops of hay were removed; the next year one crop of hay was taken off and the trees bore their first full crop of apples. Since that time the ground has never been plowed. It has been fertilized each year with potash and phosphoric acid; twice it has been dressed with stable manure, twice it has been limed at the rate of 30 bushels per acre; a few years ago daisies made their appearance, so for two years a flock of sheep were borrowed and pastured for two weeks in June. For the past four years the grass has been allowed to grow up and die and fall down with the leaves from the trees, being neither pastured nor mowed. Since 1899 it has been sprayed from once to four times each season with Bordeaux mixture and Paris green, as the weather and press of other work would permit. Since this orchard began to bear, about 18 years ago it has failed entirely only two years. Once the blossoms were killed by a late frost and once they were drowned by heavy rains. The only trees missing in the orchard today are some four or five Kings, which were killed by the canker which usually attacks this variety. Even on the off years the crop never falls so low as 1000 bushels. So here is at least one instance of an orchard cultivated when young and seeded to grass, when 15 years old, that not only was not killed by the change but apparently benefited.

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tree is constantly making new feeding roots and throwing them out everywhere they can find the most food and it will adapt itself to the changed conditions in one year. The writer has in mind an apple orchard of 12 acres planted 33 years ago, that is a living proof of this assertion, a brief description of which may not be amiss at this time:

The soil is a sandy loam. Before planting the field was plowed 12 inches deep with a mould board plow, followed by a subsoiler that ran 12 inches below the bottom of the furrow, so that the ground was thoroughly stirred 24 inches deep. Apple and peach trees were planted in the fall of 1871 and mrket garden crops grown between the trees for three years at which time the peach trees began to bear. Then for seven years the orchard was cultivated without crops and there ended the life of the peach trees. The apples needed the whole space and the peach trees were taken out. Strawberries were grown for three years and being heavily mulched each year with stable manure, the ground was very rich, the apple trees were large and thrifty, but gave no sign of profitable crops, although 13 years old, so the orchard was seeded down to wheat with timothy and clover; a heavy crow of wheat was taken off the first year; the second year

AGE OF EGGS

United States consul general Richard Guenther, writing from Frankfort, Germany, tells of a simple method for testing eggs recently discovered in that country. He says:

"It is based upon the fact that the air chamber in the flat end of the egg increases with age. If the egg is placed in a saturated solution of common salt it will show an increasing inclination to float with the long axis vertical. A scale is attached to the vessel containing the salt solution so that the inclination of the floating egg toward the horizontal can be measured. In this way the age of the egg can be determined almost to a day. A fresh egg lies in a horizontal position at the bottom of the vessel; an egg from three to five days old shows an elevation on the flat end, so that its long axis forms an angle of 20 degrees. With an egg eight days old an an egg 14 days old to 60 degrees, the angle increases to 45 degrees; with while an egg a month old floats vertically upon the pointed end."

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FERTILIZERS FOR STRAWBERRIES

A large number of experiments with fertilizers for strawberries have been tried in New York state last season with remarkably favorable results on the whole. The fertilizers tried were the sulphate and muriate of potash, dissolved rock phosphate, ashes and nitrate of soda. These were used separately and also combined in varying amounts. These fertilizers were applied to young plantations in the spring before the plants blossomed and a year before the recorded crop. The materials were scattered alongside the rows a few inches from the plants and were cultivated in. In 55 experiments the fertilized plants yielded an average of 5197 quarts per acre, or about 2000 quarts above the average. The potash and phosphorus were much more effective than nitrogenous fertilizers, the fruit being firmer and and of better color and flavor. The nitrogenous fertilizers, especially heavy applications of manure, made the plants run too much to vines, and the fruit was soft and inferior. Particular success was secured with a top-dressing of nitrate of soda in the spring. The nitrate was ground fine and applied broadcast after the foliage was well started, but before any bossoms appeared and while the leaves were perfectly dry. The plants thus treated showed a deeper color, a stronger bloom, larger leaves, and a greater freedom from rust. The fruit yield also was increased from 18 to 31 per cent, largely due to the increased size of the berries; the ripening of the fruit was not delayed beyond the usual time, by the use of the nitrate.

NEGRO CONVENTION

Philadelphia, April 7.—A convention of negroes from various sections of the country was held here tonight for the purpose of taking concerted action, to protest against the nomination of secretary W. H. Taft for the presidency, and to petition the senate to pass the Foraker bill, to restore the negro soldiers of the United States infantry who were dismissed from the service, following the "shooting up" of Brownsville. Twenty-seven states were represented by 200 delegates.

MOTOR CAR NIGHT

New York, April 8.—This was "motor car" night in New York. Hundreds of thousands of interested spectators lined Broadway and Fifth avenue to witness an automobile race that was by far the biggest thing of the kind that [illegible] has yet seen. More than 10,000 cars [illegible] representing every kind known to the [illegible] from the days of the motor car's infancy to the present heydey of its popularity, was in line.

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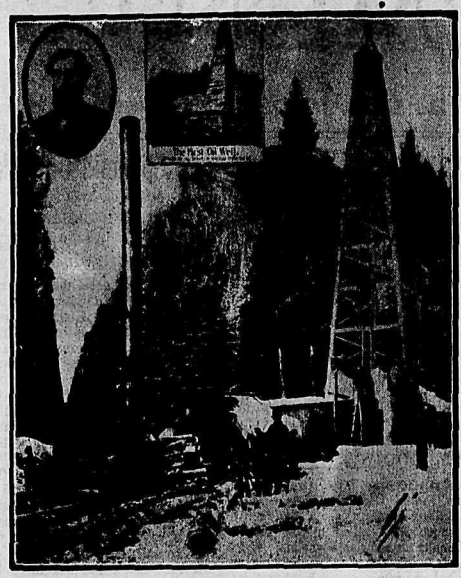

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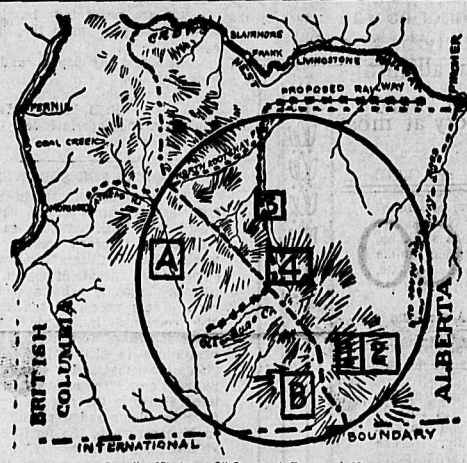

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