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## IS PROROGUED

### Session of Provincial House is Over

### McBRIDE AIDS SOCIALISTS

"FOOT OF THRONE" RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE HOUSE—DR. HALL COMPLAINS OF THE MANNER IN WHICH HOUSE COMMITTEES ARE TREATED.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, March 7.—Press Gallery, Legislative Assembly—During the early hours of the morning the following bills were passed: License amendment, Water Clauses Consolidation, Dentistry, False Creek Foreshore and the Greenwood City Water Works, to amend the Incorporation act.

On motion of the premier a committee was appointed to sit during recess, to be a select committee of the house for the purpose of revising the rules, and to report to the house next session.

During the ill-fated Municipal Clauses act discussion, Dr. Hall of Nelson, spoke strongly against the action of the attorney general in setting aside the weeks of work of the committee on that bill. He defended the bill as it left the committee. He asked if the work done by the committee was going to be wiped out at the pleasure of the attorney general of what good was a committee. He looked upon a committee of the house as very similar to a jury which hears the evidence and reports to the judge on it. The course pursued by the attorney general was very unfair and would have a tendency to render the work of committees much less effective than in the past. Speaking for himself, he said, if it was going to continue, he would not go into committee work with the same heart next session as in the past, because of the feeling that the work might all be of no avail.

The house adjourned at 1:35 a. m. to sit again at 10:30 and at today's session the order paper was cleared, the premier's Better Terms resolution passing the house without discussion.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite's "foot of the throne" resolution as to which an amendment was proposed by the leader of the opposition altering the terms, was carried by the vote of the government aiding the socialist section.

The usual allegations were made againts the action of the dominion government in the course of the discussion and denied by Mr. Oliver and other speakers.

There seems some hope of Miss Agnes Deans Cameron being restored her school teacher's certificate, as in reference to a motion by Hawthornthwaite on the subject the provincial secretary said that the department was prepared to consider favorably an application to that end from that lady.

The act to amend and consolidate the laws relating to crown lands was passed on a division, and in the case of the Municipal Clauses act, already referred, the amendments moved in committee were re-proposed, to get them on record, by the opposition.

Mr. Brewster's Mine Workers' Wages bill was killed by kindness and the promises of future legislation dealing with the subject, although the introducer and the opposition urged its passing the committee. But the government's motion that the committee rise, prevailed, and the mine workers are at the mercy of sharps who employ them and skin out for another year.

Mr. McPhillips created some diversion for Mr. Oliver and others by finding a parallel in a corner grocery giving credit, with operator of the description named, but Oliver designated his argument as an attempt to protect strawmen.

Hawthornthwaite's bill re Island railway and Graving dock was ruled out of order, as dealing with crown lands, but his Vancouver Island Settlers' Amending bill was accepted, and in the face of the protest of the introducer, the second reading was lost, the premier stating it was not the intention of the government to extend the operation of the act of 1904.

The assembly was shortly after prorogued by his honor lieutenant governor Dunsmuir, who previously gave assent to the large number of bills passed during the session.

### WORK ON NICKEL PLATE

*If Water Holds Out Work Will Proceed at Mill Continuously*

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, March 7.—Frank A. Ross, general manager of the Daly Reduction Co., of Hedley, in the Similkameen country, was a visitor here this week, accompanied by the superintendent of company's Nickel Plate mine, G. P. Jones. The gentlemen were looking over the large mines of southeastern British Columbia, having beent through he large mines at Rossland.

Mr. Ross states that things are running smoothly at the Nickel Plate and if there is no shortage of water, something feared at this time of year, power would be sufficient to keep up operations continuously. The 40 stamps at the company's mill, at the mouth of 20-Mile creek, some two miles from the mine are running steadily, there being about 100 men employed altogether by the company. The concentrates are hauled 20 or 30 miles to the railhead of the Great Northern, at Keremeos, whence they are sent to the Everett smelter.

The Nickel Plate manager deprecated the reports sent out recently from Grand Forks regarding the Nickel Plate, which stated that he was milling $80 ore right along with 100 stamps, that he shipped the concentrates to New York, etc. The values are very much less than the amount stated, though Mr. Ross did not care to state the figures. However, he did say that it kept him busy to show abalance on the right side of the ledger. And showing further how difficult it was to keep gold stamp mills runnings in the west, he stated that this was the only stamp mill of importance in operation in a radius of about 1500 miles—the nearest being the Homestake in the Dakotas, Colorado, California and Utah on the south, and the Treadwell mines on the north. In many places the mines have magnificent equipment but of recent years the low recoveries and high cost of operation had shut them all down, practically.

Mr. Ross and Mr. Jones, after being shown through the Granby mines by Supt. O. B. Smith, Jr. went to Grand Forks to inspect the Granby smelter.

## AWAITING EXPLANATION

BRITISH PUBLIC AND GERMAN EMPEROR'S LETTER

PRESS UNIVERSALLY CONDEMNS LORD TWEEDMOUTH

London, March 7.—No further light upon the subject of emperor William's letter, in which it was charged his majesty made an attempt to influence legislation on the British naval estimates, is expected until lord Tweedmouth makes his promised statement on the occurrence in the house of lords next Monday. There is great curiosity as to whether or not the first lord of the admiralty will read what emperor William wrote. Even of the substance of the letter is inoffensive, the language may be so informal that the emperor would prefer that it be not spread before the eyes of the people at large.

As a result of the official explanations that are given here and at Berlin of the correspondence, the opinion is expressed by the majority of the morning newspapers that the Times has discovered a "mare's nest" ar at least has unnecessarily magnified the importance of the affair. Pending lord Tweedmouth's promised statement on Monday next, however, decided comments are withheld.

While all the newspapers agree as to the advisability of publishing the correspondence, if the emperor's consent is obtained, in order to clear up all suspicions, it is consdered impossible that either house of parliament could call for its publication as such action would amount to an insult to the emperor.

That both emperor William and lord Tweedmouth have been guilty of a serious indiscretion there is but one opinion, and even newspapers friendly to the government remind lord Tweedmouth that it was his duty to submit such a communication to the cabinet. Lord Tweedmouth is seriously taken to task for allowing the contents of the letter to be known.

The Chronicle editorially hopes that the unfortunate series of indiscretions may lead to resolutions by Germany and England to arrest new naval construction, in which event both countries would have an equal occasion to rejoice.

The Daily Chronicle says it is able to state that lord Tweedmouth communicated the emperor's letter to the king and to the foreign office before sending a reply to it. The Chronicle adds that the emperor's letter, besides deprecatiating comments on the German navy policy, mentioned that Germany's chief object was to substitute new ships for old ones and to protect Germany's overseas commerce.

Berlin, March 7.—That emperor William had written a letter to lord Tweedmouth ,it was learned today, was known to a small circle of Berlin diplomats before the London Times published its statement concerning it. The emperor told several persons close to him that he had written to lord Tweedmouth, but official circles here continue to scout the imputation that the emepror tried to influence Great Britain's naval plans. The German government thinks that the publication of the letter would be the best way to dissipate the excitement among certain classes in England. The government explicitly declines, however, to believe that the excited utterances in the Times and several other British newspapers represent correctly the feeling of the English people. Decisive action on the part of the government apparently is impeded by the emperor's absenec at Wilhelmshaven.

Cologne March 7.—TheKoelnishe Zeitung prints an inspired despatch from Berlin reflecting the satisfaction in Berlin political circles at the promptness with the which the English people have refused to accept the Times' version of the emperor's letter, and declaring that Germans can be fully satisfied with the comments on this subject in the English and other foreign papers. The despatch then refers to the position taken by several English papers, that it is improper for a monarch to hold private correspondence with a minister of a foreign personages touching political matters. The despatch concludes with reference to the statement appearing in the English newspapers thet negotiations have been going on between the British and German governments for a mutual restriction of warship building plans.

## MANY BURIALS

### Another Day of Funerals at Collinwood

### MISTAKENLY IDENTIFIED

ERRORS IN CLAIMING CHARRED REMAINS—UNKNOWN WILL BE BURIED ON MONDAY AT A PUBLIC INTERMENT—COURSE OF THE ENQUIRY.

Cleveland, March 7—The total number of dead as a result of the burning of the school in Collinwood last Wednesday, is now thought to be 174. Of this number 167 have been found. The bodies of six other children are believed to have been burned to ashes. This is the opinion of the village officials, who have compiled what is supposed to be a complete list of the missing. The death list was increased early today by the death of Glen Barber, ten years old, who succumbed to injuries sustained when he leaped from the second story of the doomed building. Out of the total number of bodies recovered late today, 147 have been identified. The last identification was established late today, when the body of Richard Kelly, the ten year old son of Walter Kelly, marine editor of the Cleveland Leader, was picked up from the charred ruins. The mother was able to complete the identification by means of stitches she had worked about a buttonhole found in a small piece of the boy's undercloth ng, which clung to the body.

This was another day of funerals. The first services were held simultaneously at St. Mary's and St. Joseph's Catholic churches. In the former services were held for 16 bodies and in the latter for 12. In addition individual funerals were held in nearly two score homes. Throughout the day about 70 were buried. There will be several more funerals tomorrow.

It is believed by officials in charge of the bodies that mistakes have been made by parents who claimed the little blackened remains during the excitement of the first day or two and that they took possession of bodies that were not those of their dead children. Deputy coroner McNeil was convinced of this early today and made an effort to rectify some of the blunders. In this he was handicapped, as in some cases the funerals had been held and in other instances the bereaved parents could not be convinced of their supposed errors. Arrangements were completed today for the public funeral for the unidentified, which will be held next Monday morning. The bodies of several children whose parents are not able to bear the financial burden, will be included in this service. The village council of Collinwood has purchased a small tract of land in the village cemetery where all these bodies will be interred. At the time of the public funerals memorial services will be held in all of the city schools in Cleveland. At that hour also, all of the church bells in Collinwood will be tolled simultaneously.

The body of Miss Grace Fiske, one of the two teachers who gave up their lives to save their pupils, was buried this afternoon near the spot where the unidentified will be buried next Monday. The body of Miss Katherine Weller, the other teacher who met death with the children, has not been recovered. Twice it was thought her body had been found, but the identifications were erroneous. In the last instance the body claimed by her father was found to be that of a male. This body is supposed to be that of John Kranyak, who was one of the first to reach the burning school building and who was seen to rush into the building in an effort to save some of the little ones. He has been missing since the fire, but it was thought until today that he had escaped.

A movement has been started among the school officials of Cleveland to have the school children erect a monument to the memory of the little ones who lost their lives in the ill-fated Lakeview school fire. An effort will be made to broaden the plan so as to include the school children of northern Ohio, if not the whole state. Each scholar will be requested to donate one penny for the purpose of meeting the expense. Already the school children of Cleveland have donated several hundred dollars.

A complete canvass of Collinwood has been made by the village officials, to ascertain where assistance is needed. Several thousand dollars were distributed today for the purchase of coal, groceries and clothing. The village also will bear the expense incident to the public funeral.

The investigation being conducted by the county coroner was ommitted today, but will be resumed next week after the last of the funerals is held. The Collinwood fire has incited Cleveland school officials to a thorough investigation of the city school buildings and already changes and improvements have been asked for by the school directors, which will cost upwards of half a million dollars. The city building inspector today threatened to close two or three of the city schools which he believes to be in an unsafe condition should a serious fire break out.

Columbus, March 7—State shop and factory inspector John H. Morgan, returned to Columbus today after making an investigation of the Collinwood school calamity and reported to the government. He is not prepared to fix the blame for the holocause, but says that conditions were generally bad, although the doors swung out. He admitted that the building was never inspected by his department.

### DOUBLE MURDER

Denver, March 7—Harry Adler, a clothing salesman, 40 years old, shot and killed his divorced wife, Miss Grace Nottingham, 27 years old in a room in the Waldorf hotel Wednesday night and then shot himself. The bodies were found today. Adler left a note, from which it appeared that he had determined to kill his former wife annd himself. The pair were married in Los Angeles on Jan. 12, 1906 and the woman secured a divorce a year ago. Before her marriage Miss Nottingham shot and killed Edward Murphy, a railroad fireman, at Avona, Colorado, where she lived with her parents. She pleaded self defense, but a jury found her guilty of involuntary manslaughter and she served one day in jail

## THE TURN OF THE TIDE

KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMPANY TO REOPEN

BEST HAPPENING SINCE THE BIG PANIC LAST FALL

New York, March 7—Marking the advent of another progressive period in the era of reconstruction in the financial and industrial world, was the order granted today by justice Clark in the supreme court, Staten Island, for the reopening on March 26 of the Knickerbocker Trust company whose suspension last October following a two days' run, involved the savings of nearly 20,000 depositors, brought the president of the institution, Charles T. Barney, to his death in a sensational manner, and precipitated such an unsettlement of public confidence that the panic of 1907 resulted.

The reopening of the Knickerbocker Trust company, in accordance with plans for its rehabilitation prepared after four months labor by a committee of depositors, will release to the welfare of the community assets aggregating $46,370,620 The granting of the resumption order was reflected in a smart advance in securities today on the stock exchange.

"The reopening of the Knickerbocker Trust company," declared James Russell Soloy of counsel for the depositors' committee tonight, "will have a stimulating effect, not only upon the local financial situation, but upon every financial center on the globe. It is the best thing that has happened since the panic."

Justice Clark, in dismissing the temporary receivers of the suspended trust company and signing the resumption order, spoke in a commendatory vein of the work of the depositors' committee, counsel and others who had labored so assiduously in working out the rehabilitation plan.

## ITALIAN DESPERADOES

DARING WORK OF BLACK HAND IN NEW YORK

ATTEMPTED BANK ROBBERY IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

New York, March 7—Repulsing a daylight attempt of the Black Hand to rob his bank today at the point of a gun, Pasquale Patti, who conducts a large banking and exchange business in the Italian quarter on Elizabeth street, in a pistol duel, in which his son-in-law Louis Cartier, joined, shot Francisco Pellatro, alias Guiseppe Sapio, who is dying tonight in a hospital with five bullet wounds in his body, as a result of his attempt to hold up the bank. A second man, Michelo Dogestino, whom the police believe is an accomplice of Pellatro, was arrested while running from the bank after the shooting.

For 14 years, Patti told the police, he has constantly received Black Hand letters and only a month ago the front of his bank was blown out by a bomb, and $40,000 scattered in the street, which was saved by prompt work on the part of the banker. The closing hour of the bank was near at hand today and the streets in the neighborhood were teeming with people returning from a half holiday when Pellatro, entered Patti's bank. Patti was talking with his family, when Pellatro, drawing a gun, declared his intention of killing the banker. Quickly seizing a revolver on a shelf Patti opened fire on Pellatro, while on the other side of the bank, Louis Cartier, who conducts the branch postoffice station in the institution, drew his revolver and also began firing. Pellatro fell to the floor with five bullet wounds in his body, while Dogestino was caught running from the bank.

### WARNER MILLER RESIGNS

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, March 7.—Information has been received here of the resignation of Hon. Warner Miller as president of the Dominion Copper Co. Mr. Miller has been very ill at his home in central New York state for some months, and has been unable to attend to the duties of the office.

C. J. Cull, who was added to the directorate of the company at its annual meeting held last month in Phoenix, will discharge the duties of president of the Dominion Copper Co. for the time being, Mr. Cull having been elected also a vice president of the company.

W. C. Thomas manager of the company, who was here yesterday, had nothing to say about when a resumption of operations by the company would take place, but he was expecting instructions from the New York office any day. The mines and smelter of this company closed down last October on account of the low price of copper and the high cost of operating. Since then there has been a readjustment in some respects, and some look for a resumption at no very distant date.

### WITH THE BOWLERS

Rochester, March 7—The best work of the first week of the national bowling association tournament was done in today's games when one world's record was broken and another threatened. John McGuirk and John J. Grady of Paterson, rolled 1318 in the doubles, breaking the former record of 1275 made by Fisher and Blonin of Chicago in the recent Toronto tourney.

## IN SOUTH BELT

### Rossland May Have Another Mining Boom

### GRANBY HAS NEW RECORD

RESUMPTION OF WORK ON QUEEN VICTORIA MINE—GRANITE IS DOING PARTICULARLY WELL—CLOSE DOWN OF THE MARYSVILLE SMELTER.

Another record was made last week by the Granby mines, the greatest amount of copper ore ever shippel in any one week being sent out for the seven days ending last Friday night. The tonnage was 23,633. At the Granby smelter during the week the ore treated was 22,552 tons.

Rossland camp is enjoying a revival in the mines of the south belt which has been long held to contain some of the best ore of the camp, the veins, however, being much displaced and in no instance has any great depth been gained. A lease has been taken on the Sunset No. 2 where much money has been spent in development. The mines has not been worked for five or six years. Similarily a lease has been taken upon the Homestake, close by the Sunset, but a little further away from the city. The Homestake also has not been worked for many years. A tunnel was driven in from the Gopher, immediately east, some time ago, to drain the property, which was very wet, and along these lines it was thought at the time that success would ultimately be attained. If the revival of interest in the south belt is encouraged by good results, Rossland will have another boom time.

In the districts nearer home the bond on the Queen Victoria was thrown up during the week but was instantly taken by the original parties who have reopened the mine and hope to make considerable shipments during the year. The Granite mine, even nearer Nelson, is also making a remarkable showing of late. Altogether prospects are distinctly encouraging despite adverse conditions.

In East Kootenay the Sullivan has closed down for reasons which have not been made public but which have certainly nothing to do with the profit being made by the property, the ore being of fair grade and with a well equipped reduction plant at Marysville, good returns heretofore have been received by the operating company.

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

*BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS*

| Mine | Week | Year |
|---|---|---|
| Granby | 23,663 | 169,630 |
| Crescent | 28 | 28 |
| *Other mines* | | 411 |
| Total | 23,691 | 170,069 |

ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Centre Star | 3,042 | 32,420 |
| Le Roi | 1,634 | 15,300 |
| Le Roi No. 2 | 854 | 6,351 |
| Evening Star | 79 | 334 |
| Total | 5,606 | 54,405 |

SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHIPMENTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| St. Eugene | 593 | 5,070 |
| Whitewater | 90 | 156 |
| Whitewater, milled | 280 | 2,660 |
| Queen, milled | 185 | 1,655 |
| Poorman, milled | 250 | 1,600 |
| North Star | 76 | 656 |
| Arlington, Erie | 44 | 605 |
| Vancouver | 20 | 394 |
| Ferguson | 96 | 370 |
| *Richmond* | 51 | 365 |
| Standard | 21 | 337 |
| Emerald | 27 | 316 |
| Ruth | 41 | 241 |
| *Rambler-Cariboo* | 45 | 213 |
| Nugget | 22 | 191 |
| Kootenay Belle, milled | 25 | 125 |
| Gallagher | 25 | 25 |
| Wellington | 8 | 8 |
| Grant | 1 | 1 |
| Other mines | | 8,967 |
| Total | 1,900 | 24,955 |

The total shipments for the past week were 31,197 and for the year to date 249,429 tons.

GRANBY SMELTER RECEIPTS
Grand Forks, B.C.

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|---|---|---|
| Granby | 23,663 | 169,630 |

CONSOLIDATED CO.'S RECEIPTS
Trail, B. C.

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|---|---|---|
| Centre Star | 3,042 | 32,420 |
| Le Roi No. 2 | 854 | 6,351 |
| St. Eugene | 593 | 5,070 |
| North Star | 76 | 656 |
| Arlington, Erie | 44 | 605 |
| Vancouver | 20 | 394 |
| Ferguson | 96 | 370 |
| Richmond | 51 | 365 |
| Standard | 21 | 337 |
| Evening Star | 79 | 334 |
| Emerald | 27 | 316 |
| War Eagle | 120 | 294 |
| Ruth | 41 | 241 |
| Rambler-Cariboo | 45 | 213 |
| Nugget | 22 | 191 |
| Whitewater Deep | 90 | 90 |
| Crescent | 28 | 28 |
| Gallagher | 25 | 25 |
| Wellington | 8 | 8 |
| Grant | 1 | 1 |
| Other mines | | 1,849 |
| Total | 5,280 | 50,718 |

LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS
Northport, Wash.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Le Roi | 1,634 | 15,300 |
| First Thought | 72 | 1,011 |
| Other mines | | 185 |
| Total | 1,706 | 16,496 |

The total receipts at the various smelters for the past week were 30,677 tons and for the year to date 242,574 tons.

ROSSLAND MINES

Finding of Good Values in South Belt Properties Means Renewed Activity

Rossland, March 7—The finding of good values in the south belt properties has resulted in leasing of half a dozen Rossland properties which have been idle for years. The lessees are all practical men. The O.K., a free gold property, has been leased by Ontario miners. A shipment of 30 tons from the south belt of silver lead ore just made to the Trail smelter went $50 per ton. The Sunset, on which $260,000 has been spent in development, has been leased, as also has the Homestake.

W. A. Carlyle, consulting engineer for the Le Roi, left today for London after making an exhaustive examination of the Le Roi.

The largest copper furnace in Canada will be started at the Trail smelter next week.

GRANBY SHIPMENTS

(Special to The Daily News)

Phoenix, March 7—Last week the Granby company broke all previous records for shipping ore in one week, sending out over 22,000 tons from the Phoenix mines of the company. But this week that big total is again put in the shade, the output having been 23,663 tons of ore, or an average per day of 3380 tons. The eight blast furnaces at the company's smelter, at the same time, are also doing a large business, with over 22,000 tons to their credit for the last seven days.

For the month of February, although two day shorter than January, the output of the Granby company from its mines was some 6000 tons more, being 80,155 tons for the month. With ample supplies of coke, no shortage of ore cars, no trouble over power of any kind, and vast ore bodies to draw on, it is evident that the management of the Granby company propose to ship all the ore possible, thus, if possible, making up, in some degree for the low price of copper just now prevailing in the markets of the world.

## AMERICAN FEDERATION

PRESIDENT GOMPERS ISSUES A SPECIAL CALL

MEETING TO BE HELD MARCH 18 AT WASHINGTON

Washington, March 7—The far reaching character of the recent decisions of the supreme court of the United States affecting labor organizations has led president Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, to issue a call for a meeting of the executive council of the Federation in this city the early part of the week, beginning March 16.

The call expresses the hope that "the executive officers of the international trades unions of America will meet with the executive council on Wednesday morning, March 18, there and then to consult and take such action as the importance and merits of the subject here n dealt with may be considered and determined as setting forth the position and demands of labor."

The suggestion is made that it would be most advantageous if two or three of the executive officers of each international union were in attendance at the conference, and under any circumstances that the international unions shall be represented by at least one executive officer and one or two other representatives whom that executive officer may select.

The call concludes: "In the interests of the working people of our country, for the protection of their rights, as well as the maintenance and perpetuation of the trade unions and the labor movement of our country, that has done so much for the improvement of the conditions of all, I appeal to you, in their name, that your organization will be represented at the conference."

## NINE CHINAMEN GUILTY

END OF EXTRAORDINARY TRIAL AT BOSTON

WHOLESALE MURDER COMMITTED BY RIVAL SOCIETY

Boston, March 7.—Warry Charles, one of the wealthiest and most influential Chinamen of Boston, and eight of his countrymen, claimed to be notorious "hatchet men," were found guilty by a jury in the supreme court today, of murder in the first degree on four counts, alleging the killing of four Chinamen in Boston on August 2 of last year. A tenth defendant Yee Watt, who had also been on trial on the same charges, died suddently in his cell last Tuesday while the trial was in progress.

The Chinese had been on trial for 35 days. The murders for which the nine Chinamen found guilty grew out of a long-standing feud between rival Chinese societies. Early in the evening of August 3, 1907, a number of strange Chinamen suddenly appeared in Oxford place, in the heart of the Chinese quarter of Boston, and at a given signal, which was the discharge of a fire cracker, lighted by a cigar one of the strange Chinamen was smoking, they immediately began firing from revolvers upon scores of Chinese merchants and laundrymen, who were in the rear of their places of business, lazily lolling about after a hard day's work. Over 40 shots were fired, and when the police appeared they found three Chinamen dead in the alley and dozen others serious wounded, one of whom died.

Shoy Tong, one of the principal witnesses for the state testified that Warry Charles, a rich and influential Americanized Chinaman of this city, had instigated the killing.

## COERCE CHINA

### Japanese Will Not Accept Any Mediation

### NO LIKELIHOOD OF WAR

INCIDENT OF THE TATSU MARU EMBROILS BOTH NATIONS—SYMPATHY IS EXPRESSED IN LONDON FOR CHINA, THOUGH TECHNICALLY WRONG.

London, March 7.—It is the general opinion in diplomatic circles that the chances of a rupture between Japan and China are small. The Middle Kingdom is not considered in a position to resist the demands of the Island Empire. Pending the receipt of advices from their respective governments, which have not yet arrived, neither the Japanese embassy nor the Chinese legation will discuss the Tatsu Maru incident. While diplomatists consider that China is technically in the wrong, considerable sympathy is expressed for her, as it is felt that the Japanese customs authorities must have been well aware tha the consignment of arms, which was the direct cause of the dispute, was intended for distribution to Chinese rebels.

Washington, March 7.—Minister Wu Ting Fang, who has returned to the United States as China's diplomatic representative after several years' absence, arrived in Washington tonight.

Regarding the present trouble his country is having with Japan over the seizure of the Tatsu Maru, minister Wu said that he had been travelling so long that he knew little about the controversy but he did not believe the situation as serious as it had been represented in the press. He signified his intion of awaiting definite information from his government before discussing the question.

There was one subject the minister discussed willingly, and that was the advancement that is being made in China. He said that if he had not been there himself he could not conceive of the progress that has been made in the past decade, especially in the last four or five years. The world does not realize, he said, and cannot know that the nation is alert in a truly modern sense. He thought his country would take rank with the most powerful nations within a short time.

Pekin, March 7.—Japan's ultimatum in the case of the Japanese steamship Tatsu Maru, recently seized by the Chinese, was presented to the head of teh Chinese foreign board yesterday and today the board has the matter under consideration. The irreducible minimum of the Japanese claims is the restoration of the steamer as well as her cargo and then payment of full indemnity. Action is demanded within a "reasonable time." In case of defaut or postponement, Japan, according to her ultimatum, will take immediate action. Japan expects a reply tomorrow. She will not tolerate China's claim to investigate the case; she insists upon an apology for the hauling down of the Japanese flag on the Tatsu Maru and will not accept mediation, affirming that China is in error and that the facts are incontrovertible.

Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to China, in delivering the ultimatum made reference to Japan's sympathy for China in the matter of the contraband traffic in arms and explained that China could not expect mediation as long as she did not admit the participation of the Portuguese.

Tokio, March 7.—"Japan will ndot resort to force in connection with the seizure of the steamr Tatsu Maru unless compelled to do so by the action of China."

This statement was given to the Associated Press correspondent today by a high authority in the foreign office, who, continuing, said: "We propose to exercise the utmost patience and fully understand the difficulty the central government of China has in dealing with viceroys who possess excessive constitutional powers. It is quite apparent that the viceroy of Canton acted hastily in relying upon information which stated that the Tatsu Maru was engaged in smuggling arms. He conceived, therefore, that he had a right to seize the vessel, but the facts show that the vessel's papers, including a manifest of arms consigned in regular form to a firm in Macao, were entirely legitimate. A representative of the firm at Macao boarded the vessel accompanied by the Portuguese authorities before the seizure by a Chinese vessel. She was absolutely then within Portuguese waters. The claim of Japan that this is a clear case of violation of international rights and an insult to the flag, was proved by the Chinese themselves offering to restore the ship together with a further promise received today to reprimand the officials who lowered the Japanese flag. Notwithstanding this, while we are determined not to concede that we believe it is proper but to ultimately enforce our demands should China refuse to listen to reason, the world may rest assured that Japan will not act hastily but will weigh her further actions with the utmost delibe a tion."

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### BANNERMAN'S SUCCESSOR

Late cables from London intimate that Mr. Asquith is making a strenuous fight for the leadership of the liberal party. Mr. Campbell-Bannerman's health is improving, but there is little confidence among his followers that his physicians will allow him to resume control of the business of the commons, and as he declines to lead a helpless minority in the upper house his resignation cannot long be deferred, although the king's convenience must be considered and the retirement of the veteran is not likely to occur before May.

Mr. Asquith meanwhile has the chance of showing what he can do as the second in command, and he is making full use of the opportunity. Unity has been imparted to the liberal policy by a combined attack upon the English church, land owners and the liquor traffic, and the coalition with the nonconformists, advanced radicals and trade unions has been strengthened.

Mr. Asquith is showing both driving power and a conciliatory spirit and still has in reserve a budget speech and the pension scheme as culminative proof that he is a progressive radical. The unionists, naturally, are convinced that that the government is bent upon the spoliation of land owners, the church and vested interests, and that the country can be saved from destruction only by drastic action by the lords in rejecting nearly every measure passed by the commons. Their diatribes would be more effective if they were not themselves committed to reckless and wasteful social reforms, with another system for financing them.

Mr. Asquith now stands for the maintenance of a liberal alliance with labor and the coalition of the democratic forces of the kingdom. The heartiness with which he is supported by all the liberal groups in the commons is a sign that he is the prime minister's necessary successor. The liberals need a fighter, and he is the one liberal capable of proposing a measure which will close thirty thousand public houses and drinking places in the course of fourteen years. He understands the virtue of thoroughness.


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### EDITORIAL NOTES

Duncan Ross, M. P. (Yale-Cariboo) has secured the adoption of a motion for returns that will prove of very great interest in British Columbia when brought down. His motion was: For a return (a) showing the revenue contributed by the province of British Columbia for each and every year from 1872-3 to 1905, inclusive, under the following heads: 1, customs; 2, Chinese immigration; 3, inland revenue, exicse weights and measures, gas inspection, electric light inspection, methylated spirits, sundries; 4, post offices; 5, public works, telegraphs, Esquimalt graving dock, casual; 6 experimental farm; 7, penitentiary; 8, marine and fisheries, sick mariners' fund, steamboat inspection, examination of masters and mates, casual and harbors, fisheries; 9, superannuation; 10, dominion lands and timber; 11, Vancouver assay office; 12, miscellaneous; 13, public debt; 14, any other source. And (b) showing expenditure by the Dominion of Canada for each and every years from 1872-3 to 1905, inclusive, under the following heads: 1, public debt, 2, charges of management; 3, lieutenant governor; 4, administration of justice, judges etc.; 5, penitentiary; 6, experimental farm; 7, quarantine; 8, immigration; 9, pensions etc.; 10, militia; 11, public works, buildings, harbors and rivers, dredging; 12, telegraphs, agency; 13, marine subsidy; 14, marine and fisheries, dominion steamers, lighthouses meterological, marine hospital, steamboat inspection, miscellaneous, fisheries, fisheries inspection, hatcheries; 15, Indians; 16, subsidies; 17, dominion lands; 18, customs; 19, inland revenue, excise weights and measures, gas and electric light; 20, Esquimalt dry dock; 21, post office; 22, Chinese immigration; 23, defences, Esquimalt; 24, Chinese immigration enquiry; 25, bounty on minerals; 26, miscellaneous; 27, Vancouver assay office; 28, railway subsidies; 29 any other sources.

The following from the Ottawa Free Press shows that the tory obstructionists have a proper respect for "Big" Bill Galliher: "W. A. Galliher of Kootenay made a parliamentary record on Saturday. He was in the chair and his ruling was appealed against, but when the vote was taken all the tories crawled and voted to support the chair with one exception."

The London, Ont., Free Press (conservative) is not too partisan to give credit where credit is due. Commenting upon Lemieux's Industrial Disputes act, that tory organ says: "The labor conciliation measure, which is the fruit of Mr. Lemieux's effort, remains the greatest tribute to his skill as a statesman. With here and there an objection, as is natural, the labor act has indisputably been a power for good. The removal of friction between capital and labor is a cause worthy of keenest study and concern, and that the minister of labor has been able to do much to this end is to his everlasting credit. And so it may be that some day Rodolphe Lemieux may be premier of Canada."

### CALGARY'S BONDS

Question Whether Sale Is Legal—Barracks for Strathcona Horse

Calgary, March 7.—Some time ago the finance committee made a resolution to the city council that the offer of Wood, Gundy and company, for a large block of debentures would be accepted. The Bank of Commerece, acting as agents for an eastern firm also tendered but were turned down and the bid was withdrawn. It is now discovered that there was no regular quorum of the finance committee when the resolution was passed accepting the Wood-Gundy bid, the whole thing being done on the responsibility of mayor Cameron and one other alderman. The recommendation was accepted by the city council and the bonds sold on their recommnedation. The question worrying the city fathers is whether the sale was legal.

At the finance committee meeting yesterday the question of accepting the offer of the department of militia for a nindustrial school site three miles from the city was discussed. It is understood that the site is wanted for barracks for the Strathcona Horse and the committee decided to recommend its sale on condition that it was purchased for that purpose.

### POST OFFICE ROBBERS

Pitched Battle With Farmers—Two Robbers Captured, One Escapes

Camden March 7.—A pitched battle between farmers and three robbers, in which two of the robbers were wounded, followed the daring robbery early today of the post offices at Petdricktown and Bridgeport near here. Two of the men were captured but the third succeeded in eluding the farmers. He is being closely followed and his arrest is expected at any minute. The robbers arrested appeared in Pedricktown shortly after midnight and stole a team of horses from a livery stable. They then went to the post office, blew up the safe and stole $250 in mony and stamps. The force of the explosion wrecked the building and the place took fire. The robbers then fled and nothing further was heard of them until two hours later when they appeared at Bridgeport, eight miles from Pedricktown. The robbers took $200 in stamps and $50 in cash from the Bridgeport post office and escaped. A posse was organized and the desperadoes were traced to a clump of woods and both sides opened fire. One of the robbers fell and the second threw up his hands and surrendered, the third held his ground for some time, but fled further into the brush. The two men captured were locked up in jail.

### DAILY TRAIN WRECK

Kansas City Mo., March 7.—The Burlington passenger train No. 4, which left Kansas City at 7:30 this morning for Chicago, was derailed at Kearny, Mo. 25 miles north of here and went over a 15-foot embankment. Twenty persons were injured, four seriously. The wrecked train was an accommodation, stopping at every station between Kansas City and Chicago and was not due in Chicago until Sunday.

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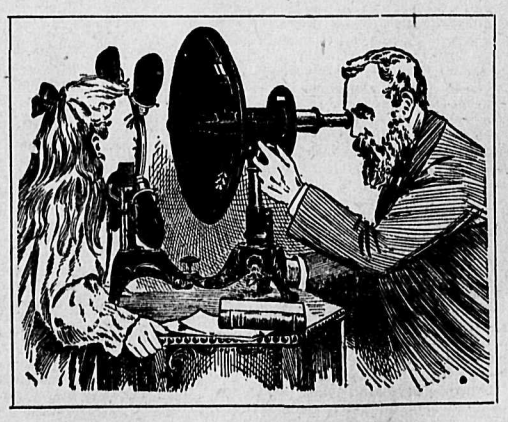

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GERMANY'S GREAT BATTLESHIP IS LAUNCHED

EMPEROR MADE NO SPEECH AT THE CEREMONY

Wilhelmhaven, March 7.—The first mammoth warship of the German navy was successfully launched here today and christened the Nassau by the duke and duchess of Baden. Emperor William, the grand duke of Baden, prince Henry of Prussia, and prince Henry of the Netherlands, as well as a brilliant assemblage of prominent officials were present.

The launch of the great battleship Nassau inaugurates a new era in the German navy. She is the first of the mammoth vessels of which the active squadron in the future is to be composed, and is in size armament, speed and installation superior to any warship hitherto built in Germany. The Nassau displaces 17,960 tons, and is built entirely of steel. Her dimensions and her thickness of armor are not exactly known, as everything connected with the construction has been kept secret by order of the marine minister. It is known, however, that she is to be filled with three sets of triple expansion reciprocating engines, and is to be provided with three propellers. The minimum speed she is expected to attain is 19 knots. Her crew is to number 966, including officers. The Nassau's first keel plate was laid down in the imperial navy yard in the last quarter of 1906, so that the construction has been rapid. Her internal fittings and armaments are to be completed in the first quarter of 10. The cost of construction, including trial guns, will total $9,190,000, of which sum $5,567,500 are accounted for by the hull and internal fittings, $3,375,000 for artillery and $247,500 for torpedoes.

A twin ship in every respect, the Sachsen is to be launched from the waterways at Bremerhaven in a very short time, while work is proceeding rapidly at the Vulcan yard.

Emperor William made no speech at the launching except to propose the health of his royal guests at the luncheon following the ceremony.

The Nassau's radius of action at a speed of 10 knots is 5000 miles. This indicates that the vessel is designed for use in home waters. Although the new battleship was formally laid down in July 1907, this date hardly represents correctly the speed of the German's in shipbuilding, because several months had been spent previous to the laying of the keel in gathering material. The battleship will be ready to go to sea by the end of 1909.

### DOMINION REVENUE

Great Increase Shown to Date—Militia Council Report

Ottawa, March 7.—The report of the dominion for the 11 months to the end of January amounted to $87,601,299, an increase of $8,123,794 over the same period a year ago. The expenditure chargeable to ordinary account was $60,120,352, an increase of $10,735,384; capital expenditure of $25 768,188, representing an increase of over $12,000,000.

The report of the militia council says correspondence has taken place between the Canadian and imperial governments relative to a proposal emanating from the latter that officers of imperial yeomany regiments in Great Britain, when visiting of temporarily residing in a colony, should be attached to colonial mounted forces for training purposes, and similarly that members of colonial mounted forces visiting the British Isles should be attached, for like purposes, to imperial yeomany regiments. The report also says that arrangements are in progress between the imperial and dominion governments and also the principal of McGill university, whereby commissioners in the imperial army and Canadian permanent forces may be granted to under-graduaets of Canadian universities.

### NEW POLITICAL PARTY

St. John, N. B., March 7.—Sir Edward Morris, former attorney general of Newfoundland, has assumed the leadership of the new political party in opposition to the administration of sir Robert Bond. The general elections will be held next November.

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## TERMS OF AGREEMENT

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PROGRESS MADE IN POWER PLANT SETTLEMENT

Yesterday afternoon his worship mayor Taylor on behalf of the city, and R. H. Zavitz, western manager for the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Limited, on behalf of that corporation duly executed the agreement between the city and the company, carrying out the arrangement recently arrived at between the two, as to the payment on account of power plant construction by the city of $10,000, the closing down of the plant temporarily and the charges to be made, as well as the conditions upon which the plant is to be finally tested and taken over.

Mr. Zavitz produced a telegram from his company at Montreal authorizing him to execute the instrument on their behalf.

The agreement in full is as follows:

Agreement made this 4th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, between Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Limited, a corporation having its head office at the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, hereinafter called the "Company," of the first part, and the Corporation of the City of Nelson, in the province of British Columbia, hereinafter called the "City," of the second part.

Whereas, the said company has installed for the said city a hydro-electric plant at Upper Bonnington Falls, on Kootenay river, in British Columbia, which the said city contend has not yet been accepted by the said city or its engineer as having been so installed and operated in accordance with the contract and specifications in connection therewith;

And whereas, the said plant has for some time been operated by the said company and power supplied therewith to the said city, which has, in connection therewith, borne the expenses of wages and other expenses;

And whereas, it has been agreed that the said plant shall be shut down for a period estimated at thirty (30) days to enable the city to construct a weir and cement draught tube, but said changes shall not affect the plant nor the said contract specifications.

And whereas, it has been further agreed that during the said shut down the said company shall be at liberty to make all necessary adjustments, alignments and repairs that may be proper on their part to be made so that the said plant may be submitted to the final test hereinafter referred to, and so that no further shut down will be necessary before the said plant is taken over by the city;

And whereas, the city claims the right to withhold payment from the company of certain monies in respect of the said plant and its installation, of which monies the ten thousand dollars ($10,000) hereinatter named is a part, and the said company has expressed a desire to receive payment of said $10,000 on account of said monies, notwithstanding the said contention of the said city;

And whereas, it has been further agreed that in consideration of the execution of this agreement and the due completion of the said contract as hereinafter stated the said city shall forthwith pay to the said company te sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) on account of the said contract.

Therefore, this agreement witnesseth that in consideration of the premises and the said sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) to be paid and applied on account of the said contract the said company agrees with the said city as follows:

1. That the plans hereto attached with respect to a weir and draught tube to be constructed and installed by the city within the period estimated as aforesaid which plans are marked respectively "A" and "B" hereto and are made a part hereof, be and are hereby approved of by the said company and that the agreement dated the thirtieth day of January, 1908 hereto entered into between the parties hereto with respect to the replacement of the steel draught tube installed by the company be and is hereby cancelled and of no effect;

2. That the city shall construct the said weir and draught tube as provided in paragraph 4 hereof and the company shall be at liberty to make all necessary adjustments, alignments and repairs to the plant and machinery so installed by the said company during the said shut down commencing on the day of the date hereof and that such adjustments, alignments and repairs shall be carried on expeditiously so that the same will be completed prior to the time when the said city shall have its contemplated work with respect to the said weir and draught tube completed as well as any other necessary work that may be considered advisable by the said city during such shut down;

3. The city shall not during such shut down be responsible for the wages of the workmen at present employed in operating the said plant;

4. The company agrees upon completion of the said weir and draught tube in entire accordance with said plans "A" and "B" as far as size and shape of draught tube and height of weir are concerned, to start up and resume operation of the said plant and supply the city with electric power as heretofore immediately after the said city shall by its engineer or city clerk have notified the local representative of the said company or its solicitor, Mr. R. S. Lennie, that the work incident to the draught tube and construction of the weir or other work intended to to be performed during such shut down (which is not a variant from original contract plan and specifications is completed, and that the city desires that the said plant shall again resume operation, and supply power to the city; it being intended that shut down of the said plant shall be for as short a time as possible so that the expenses borne by the said city in the purchase from the West Kootenay Power and Light company of electric power shall speedily terminate and thus bring resultant saving to the city;

5. The company agrees that within thirty days after resuming operations as aforesaid it shall have all the said plant fully completed and ready for test and delivery to the city according to the said contract and specifications. It being, however, provided that the said company may, if it so desires, give written notice to the city prior to the expiration of the said thirty days, requesting an additional two weeks within which to have the said plant and machinery completed and ready for test and delivery as aforesaid; and in that event the said Company shall be entitled to such additional time of two weeks for such purpose. It being also understood and agreed that the plant shall be so operated by the Company after resuming operations as in said paragraph 4 above is provided and until the said plant is finally accepted by the city, that it will not be necessary to again purchase power from the West Kootenay Power and Light company in order to provide the city with power for light, custom power consumption or tramway service: Provided, however, that as to such operation and delivery of power the company shall not be responsible for delays arising out of unavoidable strikes, or accidents or from fires.

6. It is agreed and understood by and between the parties hereto that neither the payment of the said ten thousand dollars ($10,000) nor the execution of this agreement nor the changes with respect to the said draught tube or construction of the said weir as aforesaid nor anything that has been done or omitted to be done by the city or its employees at any time shall in any way whatsoever relieve or release the said company from the full and complete performance of the said contract and specifications for the supplying and installation of said plant except that the said company shall not be required to replace the steel draught tube installed by them:

7. No alterations other than are herein specified affecting the plant aforesaid shall be made by the city unless approved by the company's duly authorized representative.

8. This contract is binding upon the parties hereto and upon their respective successors and assigns.


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### 20,000 CLUB

General Meeting to Be Held on Tuesday Night Next

A meeting will be held on Tuesday evening to decite what steps are to be taken this season with regard to the publicity question. Although the 20,000 club did not receive the amount of support that was necessary to warrant its continuous existence it is felt by many of the principal citizens that something must be done to keep Nelson to the fore and it is hoped that some practical result will be arrived at on Tuesday.

As showing the need for someone to attend to the correspondence, to say nothing of the desirability of a public information office, it may be mentioned that during the last two months—the quietest in the whole year—requests for information concering this district have been received from the following widely scattered places:

Manitoba—Portage la Paririe, Winnipeg, Griswold; Saskatchewan—Summerberry, Brownless, Craven, Lashburn, Saskatoon, Rosthern, Moffat; British Columbia—Elko Golden, Eholt; United States —St. Louis, Oceanside, Cal.,Cando, N. D., Cambridge, N. Y., Meadowville, Wash., Denver, Salt Lake City; Ontario —Toronto, Brompton; Alberta—Pine Lake; England—Highbury, Manchester London, Wimbledon, New Brunswick, Sackville,; Nova Scotia—Halifax.

### COMING UP

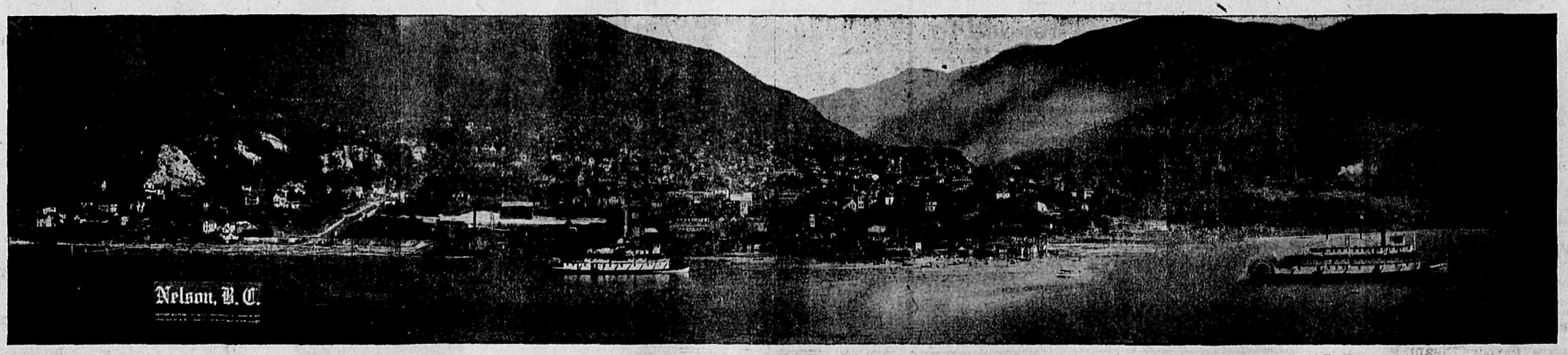
London Spectator Suggests John Burns As Asquith's Successor

London, March 7.—The high position that John Burns, president of the local board, has assumed in the estimation of the public is illustrated by the fact that the Spectator a most conservative weekly newspaper, today suggests him for the highest post in the cabinet, namely, *the chancellor of the exchequer*, in the event of Mr. Asquith becoming premier and finding it necessarly to resign from the chancellorship.

### OFF ON A TRIP

Winnipeg, March 7.—William Whyte, vice president of the C. P. R., Mrs. Whyte, and sir Daniel and lady McMillan left today on a three months' trip to the Mediterranean.


# 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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Canada .....Mar. 14 Southwark....Mar. 21
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Noordland....Mar. 14 Haverford ....Mar. 28
ANCHOR LINE
(From New York)
Perugia .....Mar. 11 Algeria .....Mar. 25
RED STAR LINE—From New York
Kroonland....Mar. 14 Zeeland .....Mar. 21
CUNARD LINE—FROM NEW YORK.
Lucania .....Mar. 14 Lusitania....Mar. 21
WHITE STAR LINE—From NEW YORK
Republic .....Mar. 7 Cretic .....Mar. 28
FRENCH LINE—From New York
La Bretagne..Mar. 19 La Provence..Mar. 19
HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE
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President Lincoln .....Mar. 14
K. Aug. Victoria .....Mar. 19
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## NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

The city council meets tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

The thermometer varied yesterday between 40 and 22 degrees.

Answer the ad that strikes you favorably and turn it to profit.

The bigger advertising precedes and prepares the way for the bigger store.

Judge Wilson left last night for Revelstoke and Golden where he will hold court.

H. L. Reinhardt, cashier of the Royal bank, left this morning on a three weeks' vacation east.

A substantial sum was paid yesterday on the Nugget mine by the bondholders. The mine is looking well and is shipping freely.

In the supreme court chambers yesterday before his honor judge Wilson, the following applications were disposed of: In the goods of Yasu Sato, deceased, W. H. Bullock-Webster, for the executors, obtained an order for letters probate to will; in the goods of Thomas Bemis May, deceased, W. H. Bullock Webster for executors obtained an order for letters probate to will. In county court chambers in West Kootenay Butcher Co. v. Jewell, Seaney v. Jewell and Horswill v. Jewell, W. H. Bulolck-Webster for all plaintiffs obtained an order for service of writs of summons out of the jurisdiction. Coombs v. McKenna, W. H. Bullock-Webster for plaintiff obtained an order for substitutional service by posting in registrar's office. Burns v. Daly, W. H. Bullock-Webster for plaintiff obtained an order for counsel fee; R. S. Lennie for defendant.

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## NOTICE

Under instructions received from the creditors of C. H. Gill, who formerly carried on a grocery, hardware and dry goods business in Trail, B.C., I hereby, as assignee of the said C. H. Gill for the benefit of his creditors, invite tenders for the purchase of his estate. Tenders can be made for the whole estate or for the whole stock in trade, or for the groceries or the hardware or the dry goods separately.

Terms, cash. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned on or before the 14th day of March, 1908, at twelve noon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. R. RANDALL, Assignee
Trail, B.C.

The annual meeting of the Kootenay Lake geneneral hospital takes place on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the court house.

There will be a special parade of the Knights of Pythias to the Methodist church this evening where a special sermon will be preached by Rev. Newton Powell and special music rendered by the choir.

To advertise your real estate twice as much as another man advertises his, does not indicate that you are twice as anxious to sell as he is—but that you know twice as much as he does about how to sell.

Four market gardeners from the Channel islands arrived in Nelson on Friday night and were set to work on Saturday by James Johnstone, three in eNlson and one in Kaslo. All are experienced men in their line of work.

The first shoot of the Nelson gun club was held yesterday afternoon with the following results: At 50 targets, first event, 25 birds: Blackwood, 22; Mawdsley, 16; Bishop, 15; Choate, 15; Moe, 13. Second event, 25 birds, Blackwood, 20; Bishop, 17; Choate, 15; Mawdsley, 14; Moe, 14.

The members of Nelson lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias, are particularly requested to meet at 7 p.m. sharp at their lodge room tonight for the purpose of attending divine service at the Methodist church. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

One hundred people in this city, of those who have never patronized your store, could—if made regular customers through the force of your advertising—make every week a profitable one for you. Put the necessary salesmanship into your ads and you can win them.

Commencing today the services of the Methodist church will be held in the Congregational church at the corner of Silica and Stanley streets. The Sunday services will be at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. as usual, with the Sunday school, including Mr. Patrick's young men's bible class and the pastor's bible class in the afternoon. The Epworth league will meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening and a public prayer service will be held at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evenings.

The hockey players leave this morning for Fernie, where they will play a game with the Fernie tea mon Monday night. Nelson is taking a fairly strong team as the following line up will show, and entertain a hope that they will be able to return victors. The team is handicapped by recent lack of practice but on the other hand, although the Fernile boys have had plenty of practice lately yet as the rink has only been open for a few weeks, that practice has not been very extensive. The lineup is: H Bishop, goal; Deacon, point; Steel, cover; Patrick, rover; A. Bishop, center; Thompson, right Bellrose, left; Horswill and Perrier, spares.

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See For Sale column for snap in pony and outfit. 271—3t.

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As long age as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now," writes Prof H. A. Howell of Howell's American school, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of Feb. 3, our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold, the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now, three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that only, saved the life of our dear little boy." For sale by all druggists and dealers.

KING ON A HOLIDAY

Paris, March 7.—King Edward left Paris today for Biarritz.

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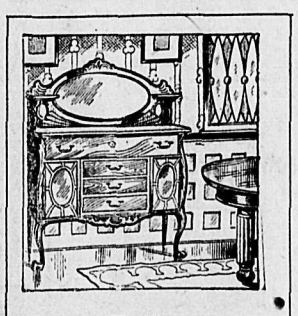

Tables
Just received a shipment of Buffets, Diners and Extension Tables. Early English and Golden Oak, all prices.

The man's "snuggery" in the home is the study or library, but it is the woman's privilege to see to its harmonious furnishing. That is why we particularly invite the ladies to call and inspect our library and study furniture. The Book Cases, Writing Tablets, Cabinets, Easy Chairs, Center and Side Tables, Rockers, Couches, etc., are sure to arouse her admiration just as the low prices will arouse her astonishement.

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## STOCKS FOR THE WEEK

FLUCTUATING PRICES AND MORE ACTIVE TRADING

SOME SHARES SHOWED SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT

(Reported by Mighton and Cavanaugh)

During the past week securities on the different exchanges showed a slight improvement, prices fluctuating more widely with tradings more active. Locally stocks moved more freely, than for several weeks.

B. C. Copper and Dominion Copper continued inactive, with prices only slightly changed from last week's close. Granby also closed without showing any change.

Alberta Coal and Coke and International Coal sold down slightly, with but few trades recorded. Diamond Vale Coal advanced 3 to 4 cents per share and closed stronger, with more demand in evidence than for several months. Galbraith Coal and Royal Collieries though showing no fluctuations attracted more attention than for some time.

Con. Smelters weakened again, showing a decline of about $5 per share, and making a new low record, with more buying recorded than for about a year. Rambler-Cariboo fluctuated only slightly, until the last day or so, when an advance of from 1 to 2 cents per share was recorded. Sullivan owing to the closing down of the property, sold off from 2 to 3 cents per share Snowstorm on the Spokane exchange, was very active, fluctuating from 10 to 20 cents within the day's tradings, but closing with but only a slight gain over the opening at the beginning of the week.

Following are the approximate quotations for the week:

| | Asked | Bid |
|---|---|---|
| Alberta C. and C. | $ .28 | $ .23 |
| B. C. Copper | 4.25 | 4.12½ |
| Con. Smelters | 75.00 | 65.00 |
| Cariboo-McKinney | .3 | .2 |
| Dominion Copper | 2.25 | 2.12½ |
| Granby | 95.00 | 85.00 |
| Galbraith Coal | .27 | .22 |
| International Coal | .80 | .75 |
| North Star | .9½ | .7½ |
| Nicola Coal Mines | .4 | .2 |
| Rambler-Cariboo | .28 | .26 |
| Sullivan | .1¾ | .1¼ |
| Snowstorm | 1.70 | 1.68 |
| Western Oil | 1.10 | .75 |
| White Bear | .2½ | .1¾ |

LEAFS AT FORT WILLIAM

Fort Williams, March 7.—The Wanwerers of this city played the Maple Leafs of Winnipeg to a standstill last night at the Arena rink. There were 2000 present. Play was very fast and at one time it looked as if the Wanderers might win as the score was tied at 4 all. The Maple Leafs then scored two more and the Wanderers one making the final score 6 to 5. The Maple Leafs left for Montreal to play for the Stanley cup.

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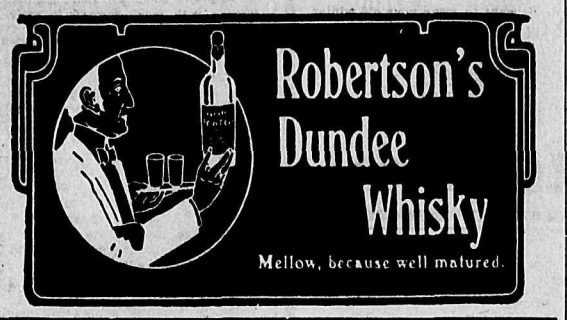


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## NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, March 7.—A new note in modes has been sounded, and it is a note that means a compete revolution in all gowns except those of the coat and skirt variety. It is seen in all the new gowns of the first dressmakers and in the suppression of the separate bodice and skirt, an outcome of the princess dress.

Now the princess dress is not becoming to all women, but its modified form, the baby-princess and the semi-princess may be worn by many women. Instead of a true princess they are a skirt and bodice joined together under a shaped girdle of the goods that obviates the distinct waist line and many are made on a princess lining.

In their construction there is not an inch of extra fulness to spare, the undergarments, the corset, the skirts are all intended to give a smooth, graceful lines of figure. The large hips are concealed and the small waist made fuller to hide the incongruity of size. Long lines are an essential feature of the dress.

The directoire touch is coming more and more in line with the Empire and princess modes, soft, supple, pliable, and clinging materials are to be found in the chiffon weights which make them more adaptable to other styles than the heavy straight skirt and jacket. Chiffon cashmere, chiffon pongee and chiffon voiles, while some others have already appeared in the markets others will soon be under the chiffon sway.

Stripes are conducive to long lines and will be used in these modes extensively, much more so than checks perhaps, though these also will take their part in the directoire and semi-princess gown when trimmed with verticle folds, velvet ribbons, Persian bands and those of lace, applied in long lines.

The basker weaves and a new material called wool filet, resembling the filet lace but with a closer mesh, will be used for gowns of the coming season. Such weaves necessitates a handsome lining, which brings the expense to a high figure. The veilings already so well known are more beautiful and seen in more varieties than ever.

The jumper dresses are now made in one with their skirts following the idea of the semi-princess dress and indeed is one with them. When made in the new bordered goods they are most serviceable as well as dressy in appearance. The Japanese armhole will certainly be one of their features during the summer months. They are one of the most practical modes of the season and not too far beyond the home dressmaker's art. They are also suitable to both the house and the street. In many cases where the Japanese armhole is not becoming a ladder sleeve is used, formed of tiers of tducks at regular intervals. For the house, voile, chiffon panama, chiffon taffeta and all the muslines and very thin goods are used; and for the street there are the heavy linen, the serges, the heavy silks, ginghams and many mercerized goods, with the differences of coloring intended for the house and the street.

Jumper suits, house dresses, street suits made with jaunty little Etons will be made from the rough spun silks as shuntungs, pongees, rajahs and the popular tussor. All these are found in cotton that have a close likeness to them.

A new material that will be used extensively this season is the chevion satin cloth, that is, a satin cloth with a chevron stripe. It is something similar to the herringbone stripes seen on sedges and the English worsteds and cheviots. It is particularly suited to wraps or skirts for separate wear.

There are some pongee linens shown in the shops this spring that are admirable materials for the new shirtwaist and their laundering qualities are unsurpassed, it is said. They come in many designs as well as in the plain shades.

The bordered foulards promise to be one of the favorite fabrics of the season, they are particularly fitted for the tunic skirts and the flounced semi-princess gown. There is also a cotton foulard that makes up into very dressy modes.

A new three-piece skirt is shown that fits closely over the hips with a long panel in the front, from waist to foot. To the hip pieces is attached a skirt portion that is laid in groups of plaits.

The separate long coat has become an indispensable part of the wardrobe. A most practical mode is made from grey taffeta. The seam in the middle of the back allows of an additional width in the skirt of the coat, the seams termination in vents some distance above the lower edge. Turnback cuffs finish the sleeves which are abundantly full with the extra width laid in plaits at the lower edge, and the armyhole is large and deep, which is a stylish feature as well as one of convenience. A notched collar finishes the coat. Broadcloth, Oxford cloth, satin chevron, shantung and taffeta are all suitable materials for these coats, which may be full or seven-eights length.

Etons still continue to hold their own and will be more seen as the weather gets warmer and many are made in cutaway style with rolling collars and narnow vests of a flat collar band. The sleeves are short or long or in three-quarter length, as preferred.

Linens will be as much in evidence this summer as usual but many will be seen in supple weaves and some with borders.

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

ANGLICAN—St. Saviour's church, corner Ward and Silica streets. First Sunday in Lent. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and litany, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

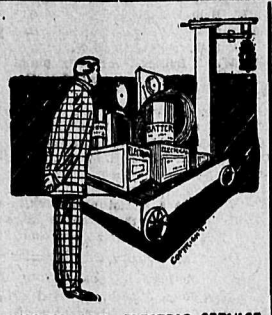
CATHOLIC—Church of Mary Immaculate, corner of Ward and Mill streets. Low mass, 8 a.m.; high mass, 10:30 a.m.; evening service 7:30, Rev. Father Althoff, priest.

SALVATION ARMY—Barracks on Victoria street, west of Josephine. Special services will be held today. Knee drill, 7 a.m.; holiness meeting, 11 a.m.; praise meeting, 3 p.m.; evening meeting 8 o'clock.

BAPTIST — Stanley street, near Mill. Morning service, 11 a.m.; evening service at 7:30; sunday school, 2:30 p.m. Rev. A. N. Frith, pastor.

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

METHODIST—Services held in Congregational church, corner Silica and Stanley streets. Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school and pastor's bible class, 2:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30. Rev. R. Newton Powell, pastor. Morning subject, "Discovering God." The following special music will be rendered by the choir at the evening service, which will be attended by the Knights of Pythias: Solo, Miss Patrick; double mixed quartette, The Lost Chord; anther, Lord of Heaven.

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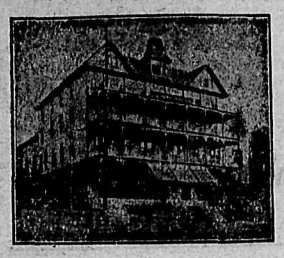

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(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, March 7.—Keen interest is being manifested here in the hockey match which is toke place on the local ice between Nelson and the home team on Monday night, and the spacious rink will be filled with the largest audience that has been present since the opening of the building. The Fernie team, though at a disadvantage owing to the absence of a rink till late in the reason, have defeated all their opponents up to the present time and will exert their best efforts to vanquish the redoubtable Nelsonites. The visitors will be sure of a hearty welcome and a good clean game, without any of the unpleasantness that has marred certain games this season.

At a special meeting of the city council in the absence of mayor Tuttle, alderman J. D. Quail presiding, the only business of importance transacted was the final adoption of the Temporary Loan bylaw, which will relieve the financial situation for the present.

The customs returns for this port for the month of February show a very satisfactory state of affairs and are considerably larger than the same month last year and are as follows: Goods on free list, $9272.50; dutiable goods, $38,468.25; duty collected, $10,965.77.

The Cedar Valley mill in West Fernie, which, for the past two years has been successfully operated by the North American Land and Lumber company of Dubuque, Iowa which intends to greatly enlarge the plant and begin operations early in the spring.

C. R. Galloway of the engineering staff of the coal company has severed his connection with that concern and leaves on Wednesday for Victoria and thence to England early in April.

### SLOCAN NOTES

(Special to The Daily News)

Slocan, March 7.—Joshua MacIntyre and Miss Yansen Neilson, both of Winlaw, were married by Fev. Alex. Kenmure at his residence here on March 2. Mr. and Mrs. MacIntrye will live at Winlaw.

Jesse Tipping is doing an assessment on his claim, the Lanark, adjoining the Myrtle.

*John Campbell has just gone to Calgary*, having been summoned there by the death of his brother.

### TO RESUME BUSINESS

New York, March 7.—The Knickerbocker Trust Co., which suspended business at the beginning of the financial panis last October, will resume business at noon on Thursday, March 26.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

## SALARY IS INADEQUATE

### MULOCK NOT A CANDIDATE FOR RAILWAY COMMISSION

### EASTERN PRESS TO ASSIST IN FREIGHT RATE GRIEVANCE

Toronto, March 7.—Sir William Mulock says he is not a candidate for the vacant chairmanship of the railway commission. He says the position should go to a man in robust health and one younger than himself. The salary should also be increased and an adequate allowance be made in order to induce good men, not now in politics, and who hold more lucrative positions, to accept the vacancy.

The committee on resolutions of the Canadian Press association yesterday proposed a resolution to the effect that the Canadian Press association tender to publishers in the northwest the assurance of hearty co-operation in any action they might take to remedy their freight rate grievances before the dominion railway commission.

George H. Scott, 45 years old, agent for the Fairbanks Morse Manufacturing company, was almost instantly killed on a street railway crossing last night.

The Ontario government will give the Olympic games committee $2000 towards expenses of the Canadian athletes going to London this year. The committee asked for $5000.

### SYNDICATE DISGUSTED

Backers of Burns Turn Down Johnson's Offer of New Terms

London, March 7—After the news had been cabled to America that the forfeits for the proposed fight between Tommy Burns and Jack Johnson had been withdrawn, Kelly, the representative of the syndicate, which put up the purse received the following despatch from Sam Fitzpatrick, Johnson's manager, in New York: "Accept if you allow $1000 expenses. Agree to post $2500 here."

Kelly replied: "Syndicate disgusted with Johnson's action, calls everything off. Johnson knows terms."

Burns is training hard for his contest with Jem Roche, which takes place at Dublin on St. Patrick's day. Burns takes a more serious view of this match than any of his previous matches in England and has done a lot of road work and gynmasium work during the past week, with occasional sparing. He will leave for Dublin on the 15th instant.

### A WALTZ DREAM

*First Night Performance in London—Royalty Present*

London, March 7.—Queen Alexandra and the dowager empress of Russia and princess Victoria occupied a box tonight at the initial performance of the the Viennese operetta "A Waltz Dream," which was presented by Charles Frohman at the Hicks' theatre. London has eagerly awaited to opportunity to hear the much-heralded operetta and there was considerable curiosity to compare it with "The Merry Widow." The audidience tonight was most enthusiastic over the music of the piece, less so over the book, but altogether, it was one of the most noteworthy first nights of the season.

The composer, Oscar Strauss, conducted and was called before the curtain and presented with a huge laurel wreath tied with the Austrian colors.

Robert Evett and Miss Gertie Millar took the principal parts admirably, while George Grossmith, Arthur Williams Vernon Davidson and Mary Grey appeared in other important roles. The costumes were very *striking*.

### HAD ROYAL VISITORS

London, March 7.—Queen Alexandra, her sister, the dowager empress of Russia and princess Victoria, accompanied by a small suite, visited J. Pierpont Morgan's residence at Princess Gate this morning and made a minute inspection of the many curios and pictures in Mr. Morgan's collection. Mr. Morgan was *present in person and his royal visitors* expressed great admiration over his unique exhibition. Mr. Morgan explained the intimate history of his treasures. Queen Alexandra and the dowager empress displayed keen interest in everything they saw. The royal visitors spent in all over an hour and a half in viewthe costly articles of vertu gathered by Mr. Morgan from all parts of the world.

### TROOPS LEAVE GOLDFIELD

Goldfield, Nev., March 7.—The United States troops, who have been in Goldfield for three months, evacuated the camp today and turned the responsibility of maintaining peace in the Goldfield district over to the local police authorities and the Nevada state police. The departing force consisted of 114 men and five officers.

### WILLIE HOPPE WON

Chicago, March 7—Willie Hoppe of New York tonight won the handicap billiard contest with Calvin Demerest of Chicago, the final score for the six nights play being Hoppe 2400, Demerest 1966. Demerest won tonight's block by a score of 619 to 600. Demerest played the strongest game of the contest tonight, making a run of 204 which breaks the record for amateurs at the 14.2 game. The grand average for the six nights was: *Hoppe, 18.1, 233.104; Demerest*, 14.1, 199.104.

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## Mortgage Sale of Kootenay Fruit Lands

Under the powers contained in a mortgage, which can be inspected at the Land Registry office, Nelson, British Columbia, (application to Register dated November 14th, 1907) and a copy of which will be produced at time of sale, there will be sold at Public Auction at the Court House, at Nelson, B.C., on Thursday, the 2nd day of April, 1908, at 2:30 o'clock, p.m., the following lands, situate in West Kootenay district, British Columbia:

(a) The following sub-lots of oLt 4595, Group One (1), situate on the East Shore of Kootenay Lake, about three miles south of the City of Kaslo: Sub-lot number Ten (121..6 acres); sub-lot number Twenty-three (81.6 acres); sub-lot number Twenty-four (34.2 acres), and sub-lot number Sixty-one (536.076 acres.)

(*b*) *Sub-lot number Twenty-eight, of Lot* 4598, Group One (1) situate about2 miles East of Robson, on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, fronting on both the Columbia and Kootenay rivers, containing 554 acres.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ROBERT WETMORE HANNINGTON,
273-18 Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

## LAND NOTICES

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that J. Laing Stocks of Nelson, B.C., occupation, accountant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 6298, thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains to place of beginning, containing 40 acres, more or less.

J. LAING STOCKS.
WM. KYNOCH, Agent
Dated 16th, day of December ,1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT—DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY:

TAKE NOTICE that Norman Wenmoth of Hayfield, England, occupation, farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following land:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner of Lot 7740, Pend d'Oreille River; thence north 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains, containing 40 acres, more or less.

NORMAN WENMOTH.
Dated 19th October, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY

TAKE NOTICE that I, Donald Dewar, of Arrowhead, B.C., timber cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles east from the east end of Summit lake and on the south side of Bonanza creek, and marked "D. Dewar's northeast corner post," thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 160 chains; thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, being same ground covered by T.L. No. 10218.

D. DEWAR.
October 19, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that Adran LaBrash of Nakusp, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at Lessell's southwest corner, about one mile west on Lower Arrow Lake, and marked "Adran LaBrash's northwest corner," thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

ADRAN LABRASH.
ALEXANDER DUCHARME, Agent.
Dated 18th Dec. 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY

TAKE NOTICE that Edith Morrison of portage la Prairie, Man., occupation wife of Angus Morrison, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of lot 8545, Whatchan valley, thence 30 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 30 chains east; thence 80 chains north, to place of commencement, containing 240 acres.

EDITH MORRISON.
Dated Nov. 30, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY

TAKE NOTICE that Ingold Case Schermerhorn and George Huscroft of Creston, B.C., occupation, lumber men, intend to apply for a special timber license over the following describe lands:

Commencing at a post planted 120 chains east and 40 chains south of the northeast corner of Block 812, Group 1, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

INGOLD CASE SCHERMERHORN
GEORGE HUSCROFT
Dated Nov. 3, 1907.

Sixty days after date, I, E. R. Vipond, contractor, of Poplar, B.C., intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay district: Commecing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of K. and S. lot 833, thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement, 160 acres more or less.

Dated this 24th day of Oct., 1907.
E. R. VIPOND.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

I, Donald Dewar, of Arrowhead, B.C., cruiser, acting as agent for R. Hall of Peterboro, Ont., M.F.R.S. agent, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license over the following described lands:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot No. 611, running east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

R. HALL, Applicant.
D. DEWAR, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY

TAKE NOTICE that R. G. Affleck of Winnipeg, Man., occupation, barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south boundary of township X.I.A., on the west side of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard right of way, thence west 60 chains, more or less to the S.W. corner of section 4, township X.I.A.; thence south along the east boundary of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard land grant, 70 chains more or less to the west boundary of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard railway right of way; thence northerly and easterly along said right of way to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

R. G. AFFLECK, Locator.
BOYD C. AFFLECK, Agent.
Dated Nov. 18, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. C. Reed, of Nelson, B.C., occupation, machinist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted on the south side of the Pend d'Oreille river, thence 20 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 20 chains, more or less to the river bank; thence following the river bank, 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less

W. C. REED
J. W. Falls, Agt.
Dated Sept. 24, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

I, Donald Dewar, of Arrowhead, B.C., cruiser, acting as agent for R. Hall of Peterboro, Ont., M.F.R.S. agent, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license over the following described lands:

Commencing at the S.W. corner of T.L. No 10,960, running east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

R. HALL, Applicant.
D. DEWAR, Agent.
Dated Dec. 6, 1907.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Joseph Blackburn, of Nelson, B.C., occupation, electrician, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of lot 3333, in West Kootenay district, thence south 40 chains, more or less; thence 7 chains, more or less, west, to S.E. corner of lot 7874; thence north 40 chains to N.E. corner of 7874; thence east 7 chains to S.E. corner of lot 3333, comprising 30 acres more or less.

JOSEPH BLACKBURN
Dated Oct. 15, 1907.

## 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 tuate. 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.

## NOTICE

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OFWEST KOOTENAY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, T. Ludgate of Arrowhead, B. C., lumberman, intend to apply for special timber licenses over the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains east from the southwest corner of timber limit No. 12,232, and marked "T. Ludgate's northwest corner post," thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of timber limit No. 12,504 and marked "T. Ludgate's northwest corner post," thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

3. Commencing at a post planted about one mile east from the southwest corner of timber limit 13,504 and marked "T. Ludgate's northwest corner post," thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

4. Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of timber limit No. 13,504 and marked "T. Ludgate's northwest corner post," thence east 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 40 chains, to point of commencement.

5. Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of timber limit No. 13504, and marked "T. Ludgate's southwest corner post," thence east 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

6. Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of timber limit No. 12,233, and marked "T. Ludgate's southwest corner post," thence east 160 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

T. L. LUDGATE
235-D D. DEWAR, Agent.
Dec. 20, 1907.

## MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, A.D., 1908, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Strathcona hotel in the City of Nelson, British Columbia, by Chas. A. Waterman and Co., auctioneers, the following property, namely:

All minerals precious and base (save coal) which may be found in veins, lodes or rock-in-place and whether such minerals are found separately or in combination with each other and under all and singular these certain parcels or tracts of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the District of Kootenay in the Province of British Columbia and described as follows:

Lots twenty-two hundred and fourteen (2214), three thousand three hundred and twenty-eight (3328), and five hundred and eighty-four (584) known respectively as the "Bank of England," "Montreal," and "Black Prince Fraction" mineral claims; an undivided five-eighths (⅝) estate, right, title, share and interest in and to Lot ten hundred and twenty (1020), known as the "Two Friends" mineral claims; an undivided one-eighth (⅛) estate, right, title, share and interest in and to Lot five hundred and eighty-two (582), known as the "Slocan Prince" mineral claim; and that certain mineral claim known as the "Zip Fraction" recorded in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District in the office of the Mining Recorder at Slocan in the said Province; and an undivided half (½) interest in that certain mineral claim known as the "Moonraker," recorded as above.

On the said property are erected necessary buildings for mining purposes, and considerable development work has been done in the said mines.

TERMS—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of the sale; balance to be paid in 30 days thereafter.

For full particulars and conditions of sale apply to the Auctioneers, or to

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## NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

John Keen came in from Kaslo last night.

Rev. J. H. Ferguson came in from the coast last evening.

Ex-mayor W. G. Gillett returned last night from his trip to the coast.

Born in this city on Saturday, March 7 to the wife of Paul Wallich, Victoria street, a son.

Born, at the Home hospital, on Feb. 27, to the wife of William Gilchrist, Sastlegar, a son.

Born at the Home hospital on March 6, to the wife of F. Elwell, Bonnington Falls, a daughter.

All members of Nelson lodge No. 10, Pythian Sisters, are requested to attend service at the Congregational church this evening, seats being reserved for them with the Knights of Pythias.

The annual meeting of the local Woman's Council will be held in St. Paul's church parlor on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All women in the city interested in the work of the council are cordially invited to be present.

On Friday night a band concert was held in Kaslo for the purpose of raising money for putting the band into first class shape. Upwards of $400 was required but every cent was raised. The hall was crowded with people and an old timer declares that the sight was worthy of Kaslo at its palmiest.

A city directory which has been in course of preparation for some time will be issued in about two weeks. It will contain some 2641 names, and reckoning three to the average household, this would give Nelson and suburbs a population of well over 7000. The number of private residences outside the business section is placed at 916. The book will contain about 90 pages, although the original scheme only contemplated 32. There will be an alphabetical list of names and also residents on each street by numbers. A full description of the city will be included, with statistics of postoffice, customs, inland revenue, meteorological and mining, also a list of schools, churches, societies, etc.

Gold commissioner Harry Wright leaves for Creston this morning on official business.

Mrs. John L. Retallack has returned to Kaslo after a visit of several weeks to eastern Canada, principally Ottawa.

The ladies' aid of the Baptist church will meet in the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is particularly rquested.

Word was received here yesterday that the annual inspection of the local companies of the R.M.R. would be held here on April 24.

R. C. Brock, who is well known throughout Oregon in the famous Hood river district, as one of the best experts in that section of the country, has been engaged by the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association as secretary. Mr. Brock was recommended by Prof. Lake on the request of the association who desired as good a man as could be got. Professor Lake declares that Mr. Brock has no equal in Hood river and is in constant demand. The new secretary was here some time ago in company with James Johnstone and gave a talk on apples which appealed to every one of his hearers. Mr. Brock is a high priced man but he will not only perform the secretarial duties of his office but will instruct the ranchers in the best methods of packing, planting, mulching and of horticulture generally, the association being determined to send out its product only in the very best form. A wire was received from Mr. Brock yesterday by J. J. Campbell, the chairman of the committee, which was appointed to complete the negotiations as to the secretary, saying that he would accept the position and would be here shortly.

Some very interesting pictures are announced for the change at the opera house on Monday night. The Fight of Nations, shows the different styles of fighting that prevails amongst them. Cup and Ball is a humorous subject depicting the antics of an elderly man who goes crazy over the toy. The Course of Fate is the star picture and shows that even a highwayman has a conscience.

Immigration officer John Dunlop of Fernie came in last night on the complaint of the authorities here of one George Nichols whom they said to be a fit subject for deportation. Nichols is an American and has a bad record as shown by reports from Duluth. His career here has landed him in jail, whence he was but recently liberated. Mr. Dunlop succeeded in arresting Nichols last night and will deport him via Kingsgate tomorrow afternoon.

George Carter, an employee of the C.P.R. who was injured by a fall from the long trestle at Kootenay landing about Feb. 16, died at the Home hospital last night. The deceased was about 32 years of age and unmarried. He came here from Amherst, Cumberland county, Nova Scotia. He was a member of the F.O.E., Cranbrook Aerie No. 967 and of the I.O.F. The remains were taken to the Standard Furniture company's mortuary awaiting word from the friends of the deceased as to burial.

### DEATH OF RUSSIAN MINISTER

Pekin, March 7—M. D. Pokotiloff, the Russian minister to China, died here suddenly of heart failure. He was appointed to this positiono in 1905. In addition to representing the Russian government in Pekin, he was diplomatic agent of the Russian-Chinese bank and an able orientalist. Since the close of the Russo-Japanese war he has been active in reorganizing the policy of Russia in China, and it was his influence that prevented the Russo-Chinese bank from withdrawing from Mongolia.

### NOTHING HAPENED

Lisbon, March 7—King Manoel and his mother, queen Amelie, held their first public reception at the palace today. It passed off without incident.


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## NO MORE COALITIONS

NEW BRUNSWICK FINALLY ADOPTS PARTY LINES

ROBINSON GOVERNMENT LARGELY BEATEN BY LIBERAL VOTES

With the defeat of the Robinson government in New Brunswick last Tuesday there passed away the last of the Coalition governments in Canada and it may confidently be expected, says the Regina Leader, that the people of the province down by the sea will, in future, in common with the other provinces, divide politically as liberals and conservatives.

Governments, of which the Robinson administration was the legitimate successor have been continuously in office for the past 25 or 30 years. Upon the defeat of the Hannington ministry in 1885 Hon. A. G. Blair became premier and continued to hold that office until 1896, when he resigned to become the dominion minister of railways in the Laurir governmnt. During the 13 years that Mr. Blair was premier he had associated with him as members of his government prominent and influential conservatives. When Mr. Blair resigned in 1896 he was succeeded in the premiership by Hon. James Mitchell, who died within little more than a year. Hon. H. R. Emmerson succeeded him and held office for about three years, resigning in 1900. Included in both the Mitchell and the Emmerson cabinets were prominent conservatives and these governments had the support of many conservatives in the house. Mr. Emmerson was succeeded in the premiership by one of his conservative colleagues in the cabinet, Hon. L. J. Tweedie and the old coalition remained in office with a conservative instead of a liberal premier.

It was under the premiership of Mr. Tweedie and his coalition cabinet that the last general election was held on Feb. 23, 1903. The government was sustained. Later Mr. Tweedie was appointed lieutenant governor of the province and Mr. Robinson succeeded him. Like its predecessors, the Robinson government was a coalition, numbering among its members both liberals and conservatives and receiving the support of members of both parties in the assembly.

During recent years the coalition idea was strongly opposed by leading liberals in the province who desired that the house should divide on party lines. The government refused to agree to this and premier Robinson continued his conservative colleagues in office. In some constituencies the disagreement reached a climax, as, for example, in Gloucester. Here the Robinson government candidates were three conservatives. These the liberals refused to support and three independent liberals were nominated, as well as straight conservative opposition candidates. In the polling on Monday the straight Robinson conservatives were defeated and the three liberals were elected. The same feeling prevailed in other ridings, liberals who were opposed to the coalition voting for opposition candidates rather than for the coalition candidates.

The contest was therefore largely a fight of the "outs" against the "ins," and so far as federal party politics are concerned the election is without significance beyond the fact that a liberal-conservative coalition government will be replaced by a straight conservative government. In addition to the feeling against a continuance of the coalition with its record of nearly 30 years in office, there was the fact that two years ago the government passed a most unpopular bill, known as the Highway Bill which imposed direct taxation for highways. This measure was strenuously opposed by the opposition and although premier Robinson promised to repeal it, popular feeling against the act was so strong that it found positive expression in a large adverse vote at the polls.

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### KILLED IN TUNNEL

Six Men Asphyxiated—Exhaust Fan Failed to Carry off Fumes

Baltimore, March 7—Six men are dead and others were taken to the hospital today suffering from the effects of gas poisoning which overcame them while at work in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel near the John street entrance. A number of others were affected but managed to reach the entrance to the tunnel and fresh air before being overcome. The accumulation of gas is said to have been due to the fact that the exhaust fan, depended on to carry off the gas and smoke from the trains using the tunnel, was out of order and had not been working for several days.

### NEW YORK TO PARIS

Omaha, March 7—The American car in the New York to Paris race, reached Julesburg, Col., at 6:15 tonight and left for Cheyenne, at 7:28. The Italian car arrived in Omaha at 8:15 tonight. It will leave for the west tomorrow. The first French car is still in Iowa. The second French car is crossing Illinois while the German car is still in Chicago.