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Harden Sentenced to Four Months Imprisonment

VON MOLTKE IS CLEARED

COURT HELD THAT EDITOR NEVER HAD GOOD GROUNDS FOR BELIEVING WHAT HE PUBLISHED —VON HOHENAU TO BE TRIED BY COURT OF HONOR.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—The notorious Harren-Von Moltke libel suit came to an end this evening when the accused editor of the "Die-Zukunft" was sentenced to four months' imprisonment and to pay the entire costs of both the present and former trials. When the court reassembled at a quarter to six this evening the scene was an imposing one. The five judges constituting the penal bench took their seats with the president of the court in the centre. To only lawyers present, were the state attorney and the attorneys for the defense and the accused. Maximilien Harden and count Von Moltke, sat on opposite sides of the court room, which was crowded to its fullest capacity.

The president of the court at once delivered his judgment. Deep silence prevailed and he spoke in a sonorous voice, straight at the accused man. The president said that in spite of prisoner's assertions that the insinuations contained in the articles which appeared in "Die-Zukunft" referred merely to the scientific and artistic meetings of count Von Moltke and prince Zu Elenburg and that they had nothing whatever to do with immoral or unnatural practices, it was evident that if this was the meaning it had been intended to convey, the articles were senseless and purposeless. There was no doubt, the president of the court declared, that Harden had meant to imply that count Von Moltke was possessed of unnatural inclinations while his reference to the intercourse between count Von Moltke and Zu Elenburg certainly left the impression that illicit relations existed. The intention of the prisoner was to degrade count Von Moltke and prince Zu Elenburg in the eyes of the public. The proceedings have proved that the charges made by Harden were absolutely without foundation. Both the count and the prince were men of artistic taste whose friendship, dating from their youth, had grown stronger with the passing of years. Harden had founded his charges primarily on statements which he asserted had been made by the late prince Von Bismarck, who, if he really did say these things, had done so in a moment of anger against certain men. Then Harden had received communications from Mrs. Von Elbe, the divorced wife of count Von Moltke, a hysterical woman who was embittered against the man to whom she had been unhappily married, and assertions made by Dr. Schweninger, who was at one time physician to prince Bismarck undoubtedly were biased. Harden, the president went on, had never attempted to obtain proofs against men occupying prominent position. Had these proofs been in existence they could easily have been had. No serious minded writer should dare, for a political object, attempt to injure the honor of others. All the charges had been utterly disproved during the trial and Harden could have disproved his charges himself before publishing his articles. Even the notorious incident when Von Moltke was seen kissing a handkerchief which belonged to Zu Elenburg had been shown to be perfectly harmless and the allegation that Von Moltke used cosmetics had been equally disposed of.

"Count Von Moltke," said the president of the court in conclusion, "leaves this court with his name and his honor untarnished and nothing whatever has been proved against prince Zu Elenburg. No fine would sufficiently punish Harden for his offence and I must therefore sentence him to imprisonment. But in consideration of the health of accused, I will sentence him to prison for only four months."

It is understood that Harden has entered an appeal. At the morning session of the court, Harden was heard at length on his own behalf. His speech was most eloquent, but the general impression was that he had not made out a good case for himself.

Maximilien Harden, editor of "Die-Zunkunft" became convinced sometime ago from certain conversations with Mrs. Von Elbe, divorced wife of count Von Moltke, Dr. Schweninger, who was physician to the late prince Bismarck, princess Charlotte of Saxe-Meininger, a sister of emperor William, and others that the emperor was surrounded by a camarilla that exerted a great and injurious influence on his decisions in political matters and that the members of this group, particularly prince Zu Elenberg, who was at one time German ambassador at Vienna, general count Von Moltke, who was formerly military governor of Berlin, and general count Wilhelm Von Hohenau, ex-commander of the guard corps, were men of abnormally vicious tendencies and practices. In an effort, according to his own statements, to break up this ring for the good of the country, Harden began publish a series of articles in his magazine. The publication of these charges attracted the greatest interest throughout Germany and in Europe because of the very high station of the persons accused and of the famous scandal involved. The matter quickly became notorious and Von Moltke brought suit against Harden for defamation of character. The hearing of this suit began October 23rd. Witnesses for both sides were heard in open court and the newspapers of Germany indulged in an extraordinary degree of license in printing the details of the evidence. A vast amount of matter was spread before the newspaper readers of all classes. Von Moltke denied all the charges. Previous to the suit he had challenged Harden to a duel but Harden refused to fight. Nearly fifty witnesses were subpoenaed, including prince Von Buelow, the imperial chancellor. The trial resulted in the acquittal of Harden and Von Moltke was condemned to bear the casts. This vindication of Harden was followed very shortly by the announcement that he was to be tried on the charge of criminal libel, by the public prosecutor of the first provincial court. This was the trial that has just come to an end. The case was heard before a penal bench of five judges. Some of the proceedings were held in camera, it being desired to avoid a repetition of previous publicity given to the evidence bearing on abnormal practices; some of the persons who testified one way at the first trial reversed themselves at the second and the decision against Harden does not come as a surprise.

Harden is a Jew of Polish extraction. His real name is Max Wilskowsky. The statement had not been made that racial antipathy entered into the bringing of the second suit against him. It was recently reported that prince Zu Elenburg had decided also to bring a libel charge against Harden and he may have to stand trial on this account.

With regard to count Von Hohenau, emperor William ordered his trial before a military court of honor. Exactly what charges the proceedings will be taken on, is not known, but in general they will be the counts in connection with Harden-Von Moltke and Harden's allegations in his magazine.

C. P. R. FREIGHT DITCHED

EIGHT CARS DERAILED AND BADLY SMASHED

SNOWSHOE CLUB'S OUTING—DANCE AT THE WALDORF

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Dec. 3—Traffic on the C.P.R. at this point was held up for nearly ten hours yesterday owing to the wreck of a freight train which occurred at 7 o'clock in the morning about one mile west of Fernie station. A westbound freight train was travelling at a high rate of speed to reach the Cokato siding in order to let the Soo-Spokane flyer pass. A flange on one of the wheels broke while rounding a sharp curve with the result that the train left the rails and eight cars were ditched and badly wrecked though fortunately none of the crew were injured. Roadmaster Telfer was soon on the spot with a wrecking train and a large gang of men but some of the cars were loaded with rails and others with general merchandise were so badly wrecked that it took many hours to clear the line and in the meantime the flyer and C.P.R. west bound express were held here while the local from the west was stalled at Cokato.

While raising one of the large trusses for the new rink this afternoon a guy rops gave way and the enormous timber fell to the ground. Little damage was sustained, however, and another attempt will be made tomorrow to place it in position.

The snowshoe club held their usual weekly tramp last night, the members turning out in full force and though the night was dark, a most enjoyable evening was spent in the open and on the return to town light refreshments were indulged in.

Roland W. Wood of the Tilles-Wood company, who has been suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever is making very satisfactory progress and it is hoped he will soon be convalescent.

Howels Frechette, C.E., assistant engineer of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company, has severed his connection with the company to accept a position in Ottawa, and expects to leave for that city in about two weeks.

A very bright and jolly dance was given at the Waldorf hotel last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Calgary, who have just returned from their wedding trip. Mrs. Campbell was long one of the most popular young ladies of Fernie and will be much missed by her numerous friends, when she leaves shortly for her new home in Calgary.

FRENCH CABINET

M. Aristide Briand to Assume Two Portfolios

Paris, Jan. 3—Aristide Briand, minister of public instruction and worship, after lengthy conferences with premier Clemenceau, agreed today to take the portfolio of minister of justice made vacant by the death on Dec. 31 of M. Guiot-Desaige, to which, at his request the office of public worship will be joined. M. Briand's object in requesting the joining of the portfolios was the carrying out of the separation law and by the agreement he was able to carry on the work without interruption. Nothing definite has been decided upon as to his successor to the portfolio of public instruction but it is generally understood that it will be M. Doumergue, minister of commerce, who in turn will be replaced by Malire Cruppi, who pleaded the case of the counters de Castellane in her suit for divorce against count Boni de Castellane.

WAR ALARMS

Japanese Fleet Cruising off Hawaiian Islands

NO JAPANESE IMMIGRATION

SIR CHARLES DILKE THINKS JAPAN CANNOT HOPE FOR ULTIMATE VICTORY IN A CONTEST WITH AMERICA AND THEREFORE WILL NOT FIGHT.

Paris, Jan. 3.—The Patrie, in this afternoon's issue, asks in big headlines, "Where is the Japanese fleet?" and publishes an alarmist story based on reports that it had been seen cruising off Hawaii.

London, Jan. 3.—Sir Charles Dilke, M.P., in an interview today of "The World's politics in 1908," expressed the opinion that there will not be a war between the United States and Japan. Sir Charles asks: "Why should there be? You cannot have war unless one side wants it. What possibly could be gained by war? Japan is supposed to covet the Philippines, but she has not yet digested the slice of Manchuria that the Russo-Japanese war gave her, nor has she even settled Formosa. Does she know that even if she did defeat the American fleet her triumph would not be forever, since the United States would build a new fleet and Japan's expenditure in blood and treasure might be for nothing?"

Washington, Jan. 3.—Further information than that afforded yesterday relative to the contents of the communication from ambassador O'Brien transmitting from Tokio, the Japanese reply to his memorandum dealing with the immigration question, was refused at the state department today. This is the invariable rule in cases where negotiations are still in progress and the inference is that although, as officially stated, Mr. O'Brien regarded the Japanese answer as evincing a satisfactory disposition towards the American desires, the reply is not conclusive. It is not understood that these exchanges are negotiations in the ordinary sense, or that a treaty is to be forthcoming as the result. But it is expected that the Japanese will, in some formal manner register its plan to prevent further emigration of coolies to the United States and when the assurance on this point has taken satisfactory form the administration will see that congress is acquainted with the fact and thereby relieved from the necessity of enacting any legislation looking to the exclusion of the Japanese immigration as a whole. Attempts in that direction already have been made by the Pacific coast representatives and if the president is able to convince congress that the Japanese government is in good faith endeavoring to do by international regulations what it is proposed to do here by statutory law, namely, stop the influx of Japanese coolies, he will find it necessary to veto any such legislation.

CONTROVERSY IS RAGING

CAUSE OF RUSSIA'S FAILURE IN THE FAR EAST

COUNT WITTE CONTROVERTS KUROPATKIN'S STATEMENTS

St. Petersburg, Jan. 3—The controversy between count Witte and general Stoessel, which has been conducted at length for several days in the Novoe Vremya, has developed into a discussion of count Witte's role of so-called eastern adventurer and the extent of his responsibility for the war, which his enemies persistently have endeavored to saddle upon him. General Kuropatkin, in a series of letters, has sought to prove that Witte was responsible for the founding of Port Dalny, which the general declares gave the Japanese an invaluable base during the siege of Port Arthur and also interfered with the prompt despatch of heavy artillery to the fortress.

Replying to these letters count Witte explicitly declares he was opposed to the establishment of either a military or commercial port in Chinese territory and says that the policy of leasing the Kwangtung peninsula and extending the railroad line thither, was adopted over his head. He ascribes the occupation of Port Dalny by the Russians to the initiative of count Muravieff, who then was foreign minister, and declares he was so indignant at the move that he immediately broke off all relations with Muravieff.

Count Witte challenges general Kuropatkin to prove that he ever called attention to Port Dalny as a strategic menace to Port Arthur before the war and says that Kuropatkin in 1903 stated that Port Arthur was able to resist the whole Japanese army and even Kwangtung peninsula and Manchuria.

The contest has restored count Witte's diminishing prestige and brought his prominently into the public eye. Among his partisans is premier Stolypin, who in a recent conversation, said he was a great admirer of Witte's talents and would be glad to have him in the cabinet were it not for the opposition to him in the highest quarters.

BIG LOCKOUT THREATENED.

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 3—The wage dispute between cotton spinners and mill owners, on account of which the operatives in the Oldham mills struck several weeks ago, reached a crisis today when 96 per cent of the masters declared themselves in favor of a lockout if the strikers did not yield by January 18th. Two hundred thousand workers will be involved.

CONSIDER THE VERDICT

PETTIBONE JURY BEGINS ITS DELIBERATIONS

HAWLEY DARES PETTIBONE'S COUNSEL TO SPEAK

Boise, Jan. 3—The jury in the case of George A. Pettibone, charged with conspiracy in the murder of former governor Stuenenberg, began its deliberations at 8:50 tonight. The defense carried out its announced resolution not to argue the case, thus preventing senator Borah from addressing the jury. Attorney Hawley, for the state fairly dared the attorneys for Pettibone to speak in behalf of the defendant but they sat dumb when he concluded. No session of the court was held this afternoon owing to the illness of juror Stahl, but he recovered sufficiently for the trial to proceed tonight. Pettibone was sick during the day but he insisted that the trial be concluded. He was carried to the court room tonight.

MANITOBA TELEPHONE COMMISSION

Three Experienced Men to Have Control of the System

Winnipeg, Jan. 3—The three men who have been chosen as the Manitoba telephone commission are F. C. Patterson, manager of the northwest department of the Bell system, who will be made chairman; W. H. Hayes, assistant manager of the Bell system, who will be in charge of the engineering work and H. J. Horan, auditor of the northwest department of the Bell system, who will have charge of the same work now in his his hands.

F. C. Patterson has been in the employ of the Bell Telephone company since 1887. In that year he became manager of the exchange in Brandon, where he remained for 16 years and then was promoted to the managership of the entire northwestern system. W. H. Hayes, engineer on the commission, has been with the Bell company for more than 22 years. He came here from Windsor, where he was manager for western Ontario. He is looked upon as a very able manager.

H. J. Horan, who will have charge of the auditing department on the commission has been with the Mell company for 14 years. Prior to that he was in the solicitor's department of the C.P.R. in Montreal. He came west from Montreal five years ago as the business of the system grew in the west and for the past three years has been auditor.

U. S. BANK CLEARINGS

Larger Business Shown in 1907 Over Previous Year

New York, Jan. 3—Bank clearings for the year at nearly all cities in the United States as reported by R. G. Dunn and company, reflected larger settlements than in any preceding year, notwithstanding the restriction in payments during the last three months. Omitting New York city, where the smaller value of stock market operations reduced the volume of bank settlements very materially, the total exchanges for the year are $57,583,711,927, an increase of 4.2 per cent as compared with 1906, and 4.6 over the figures of 1905. There is a small loss in New England and the middle Atlantic states, due almost wholly to losses at Boston and Philadelphia, but in all other sections of the country an increase is shown.

PRINCE ALBERT ELECTION

Bradshaw's Gain to Date is 31 Votes Over Turgeon

Prince Albert, Jan. 3—The hearing of the appealed votes was continued today. Very little interest is being taken in the proceedings and the court had to adjourn twice. Mr. McKay and Mr. Brashaw asked for an adjournment until Saturday and the request was granted. So far only 30 of the 131 protested votes have been dealt with. Judge Johnson refused to grant subpoenas for voters whose votes were appealed. If they would not come and prove their votes he would not compel them to do so. Out of 30 votes dealt with eight appealed on behalf of Mr. Turgeon were allowed and 19 on behalf of Mr. Bradshaw. The latter's gain to date is 31

NO RENT PARADE

Monster Demonstration Planned Against New York Landlords

New York, Jan. 3—Six hundred notices of dispossess proceedings were obtained from the municipal courts today by the East Side landlors as a retaliatory move against the tenants who declined to pay their rent until rents demands for a reduction have been allowed. The strike leaders asserted today that 12,000 families had refused to pay their rents this month. Attorneys for the tenants propose to have the dispossess cases tried separately. The tenants are planning a monster parade as a demonstration against the landlords and it is estimated that fully 175,000 men, women and children will march.

TORONTO'S POSTMASTER

Toronto, Jan. 3—It is expected that W. B. Rogers, secretary-treasurer of Chas. Rogers and Sons, will succeed the late T. C. Patterson as postmaster of Toronto.

BLOODY FIGHT

Vancouver Whites Knifed by Brown Men

YET MORE JAPS POUR IN

RACIAL FEELING AT THE COAST AGAIN STIRRED UP AND CIVIC AUTHORITIES ARE BECOMING GRAVELY DISTURBED OVER THE SITUATION.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Jan. 3.—That British Columbia is to receive a fresh invasion of Japanese from Honolulu was indicated today when plans for sending 1,150 coolies almost immediately were announced. The next small steamer will bring a first shipment of 150 and this will be followed, the following month, by two steamers bringing nve hundred each. It is understood the same parties as were behind the Kumeric shipment are backing the arrangement. In addition it is stated that the steerage on the Australian liners has been engaged for six months to bring Japanese from Hawaii.

Local racial feeling has reached an acute stage through the knifing of three Vancouver firemen by Japanese, and has attained a pitch where the civic authorities are greatly disturbed. The trades unionists have appointed committees to investigate the reports that Japanese are maintaining armed guards, etc., and the extremists are in favor of the whites arming in turn. The policy of the local police magistrate in dealing with the Japanese was greatly criticised. The police have so far arrested five Japanese for the knifing incident, all of whom are held without bail.

According to Holland papers received here the Grand Trunk Pacific is advertising in Amsterdam for twenty thousand laborers for railroad construction. It is stated that the work will continue for seven years and the men are promised pay of $10.40 per week in the east, and of $13.20 a week in the west, on a basis of a ten hour day.

The population of Vancouver according to the assessor's figures is 60,100 of whom 7,490 are Orientals. The assessed valuation stands at sixty-one millions over last year.

Particulars of the stabbing affray referred to above are contained in the following Vancouver despatch:

Allan Anderson, a fireman, is dying, and two other young men, also members of the city fire department, are badly wounded and in the hospital as the result of a fight in the Japanese quarter with an overwhelming number of subjects of the mikado. The fight was the worst in the city since the September riots.

Anderson, accompanied by J. Frost and T. McDonald, were passing a Japanese store, when Frost stumbled and fell hard against the plate glass window front. The glass smashed and the fragments were still rolling on the sidewalk when a score of Japanese appeared from the inside and rushed at the trio of whites. The firemen were in uniform, with brass buttons and official caps, but the Japanese attacked them furiously.

Within three minutes there were dozens of Japanese in the fight, all trying to get at the white men. The latter were borne to the ground and cut and slashed until the sidewalk and front of the store were covered with blood.

The police station is less than three blocks away, but it was a quarter of an hour before armed officers arrived at the scene of the fight. Only four arrests were made, as nearly all the Japanese scattered at sight of the policemen.

His two companions thought Anderson dead, and had been fighting over his prostrate body when the policemen came. Anderson's face was marked with many slashes, up and down, and from one side to the other. From the back of his ear to his shoulder was a slit two inches deep that had only missed the jugular vein by a fraction of an inch. His body was also stabbed in half a dozen places. The other two men were cut and bleeding from wounds on their faces and arms. All were taken to the hospital. Three doctors were working over them for hours, sewing up their wounds.

It is unlikely that Anderson will recover.

Vancouver, Jan. 3.—In the police court today the police magistrate flatly refused bail for the Japanese prisoners charged with the attempted murder of three city firemen. A fourth arrest has been made, but the evidence against him has not been disclosed. There is no sign of rioting in Vancouver, despite the reports cabled to England that another disturbance had taken place.

The report was circulated this afternoon that Frost, the man most injured, was in a critical condition, owing to blood poisoning having set in, but this has been denied.

The trades and labor council representative declared in a special meeting that the Japanese houses are arsenals and that if they arm themselves the whites should do likewise. He received hearty endorsement, and a committee of three was appointed to investigate the situation.

A week's adjournment was granted when the prisoners were arraigned today, as the men will not be able to appear for some time.

Prominent Japanese are giving assistance in locating the perpetrators of the outrage, but it will be difficult to get other than circumstantial evidence.

IS QUITE UNCONCERNED

YOUTHFUL MURDERER EATS AND SLEEPS NORMALLY

SELF-CONFESSED MURDERER OF LECLAIRE A DEGENERATE

Gretna, Man., Jan. 3—James O'Brien, the young murderer of Frederick Leclaire, is considered the most remarkable prisoner the Pembina jail has ever sheltered. Although having confessed to the deliberate murder of his friend, he east and sleeps and appears to enjoy himself as if he were on a holiday. He is displaying no remorse and little interest in the possibility of death on the scaffold. When told there was a witness to the murder, he said it was impossible, as it was very dark when he killed Leclaire, "I would swear to that," he added significantly.

A number of family friends from Gretna and other points in Manitoba have called on him since his imprisonment and from all he eagerly enquires concerning a young woman with whom he was infatuated. The young lady is a school teacher and never had anything more than a casual acquaintance with the murderer, though being a great friend of the family. He has urged her to come and see him, having written her two letters which the girl has ignored. Though her name has been concealed it is said she will be called as a witness to produce the letters he has written to her in which he refers to his crime and his hope that she will "not go back on him" because of it.

Though O'Brien has confessed and supplied sufficient details to cause a jury to hang him, his family has employed a law firm to defend him and it is quite possible there will be a fight made to save him from the consequences of his crime. It is conceded that the only defense can be moral degeneracy, though O'Brien was always regarded as a blight but reckless young man.

His friends continue to assert that on Wednesday he will go before judge Kneeshaw and plead guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree. This particular judge is said to be very severe on criminals and the death penalty would be imposed in that event, it is thought. However, it is not customary to accept the plea of guilty in capital cases in North Dakota, and a trial may follow, even though no defense is put in. It is conceded that a plea of guilty is the only hope the boy has to avoid the gibbet, unless, of course, the theory of insanity is made the defense. No special guard is provided for the murderer, though he is locked in a small steel cage reserved for the most desperate cases. He asks all visitors from Neche very earnestly about the feeling there against him. At first he feared that a mob of railroad friends of his victim would lynch him, but he soon got over that. The Pinkerton detectives who traced the crime to O'Brien were first sought by the railroad men who were friendly with the murdered man, and were later retained by the state to solve the mystery.

Detective Crawford has obtained an affidavit from a 17 year old boy whose name is not given, to the effect that the boy left Gladue's rink, on the river, 2½ rods north of the scene of the murder at 11:15 on the night of the murder, when Jim O'Brien killed his chum with a hatchet and threw the body in the river. When about 50 feet from the place where Leclaire was killed he saw two men standing in a road, recognizing them as O'Brien and Leclaire.

He heard O'Brien say, "Come on, Goose," Leckaire's nickname, "let's go to the rink."

"No," was the reply, "I'm sick; I'm going home to bed.".

O'Brien said: "Come on, walk to the wood, walk off your jag."

"No," said Goose.

"Afraid of the wolves," sneered O'Brien.

"Not afraid of anything, but I'm going home to bed," replied Goose.

The boy witnessed the brutal murder of Leclaire by his friend, O'Brien, not in anger or after a quarrel, as stated in O'Brien's confession, but in cold blood.

The boy ran home, told his father what he had seen and begged him, srying with terror, not to say anything, "they might do something to me."

The boy is thought to be the son of Joe Gladue, who runs the rink.

O'Brien had a preliminary hearing today before a magistrate and waived examination on the charge of murdering Leclaire. He was bound over to the district court to appear for trial next Tuesday. Judge Kneeshaw will conduct the court and it is understood the prisoner will plead guilty and will be sentenced to life imprisonment.

DISREGARD INJUNCTION

Helena, Jan. 3—A jail sentence of three months was imposed on five Butte union laborers by federal judge Hunt today. They faile to purge themselves of contempt, in which they had involved themselves by disregarding the injunction forbidding interference with non-union workers employed by the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company on its new building.

A LARGE INFLUX

Lethbridge, Jan. 3—The homestead entries for this district for 1907 numbered 2231.

DAILY PAPER SUSPENDS.

Lethbridge, Jan. 3.—The News Publishing company, which issued a daily paper here for a year, ceased the publication of that edition today.

ARE OVERDUE

Two Atlantic Steamers Not Heard of

FIERCE GALES ON OCEAN

HOPE IS ENTERTAINED THAT AN ENCOUNTER HAS TAKEN PLACE PLACE AT SEA AND BOTH THE HUNGARIAN AND MOUNT ROYAL ARE SAFE.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 3.—There is no word yet of the long overdue steamer Mount Royal from Antwerp. Inquiry at all places where the steamer might put in injured, have brought no responses. C. P. R. officials, however, have not yet given up hope.

London, Jan. 3.—The non-arrival of the Allan line steamer Hungarian which sailed from Greenock, Scotland, December 14, and is now a week overdue at Portland, Maine, leads shipping agencies to believe that she has fallen in with the Canadian Pacific liner Mount Royal, which left Antwerp December 7 and is now long overdue at St. John, N. B. The course of the Hungarian would naturally cross that of the Mount Royal, and underwriters would not be surprised to hear that the Mount Royal is being towed by the Hungarian. Acting upon this view of the fate of the Mount Royal, the insurance rate on that vessel has been reduced to twenty guineas from the twenty-five guineas per cent which ruled on Thursday.

The Mount Royal has on board 304 passengers, mostly Italians and Russian Jews, in addition to the crew of more than 100 men. She is not fitted with wireless telegraph apparatus and therefore could not communicate with passing vessels or with any port until she is actually sighted.

London, Jan. 3.—The heavy gales which have prevailed along the Irish coast for te past few days still continue and homeward bound Atlantic liners are experiencing a rough time.

The White Star liner Baltic from New York, which arrived off Queenstown at 10.05 p.m. today, was unable to communicate with the port and was obliged to proceed to Liverpool without landing any passengers or despatches destined for Ireland.

Portland, Maine, Jan. 3.—The Allan line officials here say they think the steamer Hungarian will reach Portland in a few days. All incoming steamers report a succession of heavy gales and it is thought boisterous weather delayed the Hungarian. She is a slow boat and was out twenty-three days from Glasgow on one of her trips last winter. She has been out twenty days on this trip.

BLACK HAND IN MONTREAL

Serious Shooting Affray Resulting in the Death of an Italian

Montreal, Jan. 3—One Italian dead and two others seriously injured is the result of a shooting affray which took place tonight in a small lodging house on No. 36 St. David land. A number of Italians lodged in the house and in some way a row started, after some angry words, revolvers were drawn and shooting began. Several of the Italians rushed out into the lane and the shooting was kept up for some time. In the fracas one of the Italians was shot through the head and fell dead. Another was shot in the head and received several stabs in the back, while another received several stab wounds in the hand. The police were called to the scene where they found the Italian's body lying in the lane but those who had taken part in the shooting had made their escape.

The dead man has not yet been identified. The police have made a number of arrests and it is believed that the Black Hand is mixed up in the affair.

POPE'S ENCYCLICAL

Berlin, Jan. 3—The recent conference of Catholic bishops at Cologne discussed the pope's encyclical in a letter. This letter declares that the encyclical was most opportune and necessary in order to oppose the modernists' many and varied errors and to examine into their causes and denounce their pernicious effects. The letter conclues: "Praise be to God. Everlasting thanks to thee who hast spoken with so much authority and courage. Thou seest us ready with sincerity to execute they admonitions and to co-operate with all our force, zeal and application of our minds to uproot and destroy the weeds of error which the enemy has sown in the fields of our Lord."

TOWN TREASURER ARRESTED

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 3—Charged with having converted to his own use $1850 of the town's money, treasurer Henry Aletter, was today placed under arrest. Bail was refused and he will have a hearing tomorrow.

DEATH OF NED HANLAN.

Toronto, Jan. 3.—Ned Hanlan, the famous sculler and former champion of the world, died just after midnight at his home here, aged 52. During twenty years he took part in over 35 races the world over and lost only half a dozen.

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The recent mayoralty campaign in Toronto witnessed probably the most cowardly and contemptible attack upon a candidate for civic office on record in the history of Canadian municipal politics.

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Some eighteen months ago Dr. Beattie Nesbitt was a visitor in Stratford and to put it bluntly, "got on a spree", and made an exhibition of himself in a well known restaurant, from which he was ejected. The Globe learned of the facts at the time, but said nothing about the case because Dr. Nesbitt was not then in public life. When Dr. Nesbitt recovered from his spree he amply apologised to those he had offended and paid the damages demanded of him by the restaurant proprietor in whose resort he had created a disturbance.

On the eve of the election in Toronto the Globe raked up this miserable story and published it under display headlines on its front page.

Whether or not the publication of this story had any material effect on the election we cannot say, but if Toronto electors were not all besmirched with the hypocrisy that characterises the Toronto Globe, they would have rallied to the doctor's support as one man and elected him mayor as a rebuke to an organ that at one time enjoyed the respect of every Canadian, irrespective of party leanings.

It is a somewhat pitiful commentary upon this exhibition of pettiness and yellow journalism on the part of a leading Canadian newspaper like the Globe to have to note that its editor is a minister of the Gospel, who even since his retirement from the pulpit to occupy the editorial chair has felt called upon to exercise his privileges as a clergyman and to preach to a Canadian congregation.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

A London cable despatch says: "The Tokio correspondent of The Times says there is no foundation for the rumors that have been in circulation that the Lemieux mission has been a failure. Both Mr. Lemieux and sir Claude Macdonald have declared themselves entirely satisfied with the action of the Japanese government, which has determined to vigorously restrict the number of emigrants into Canada."

The New York Herald has received the following cable despatch from London:—Some alarmist stories have been appearing this week with reference to the prime minister, sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, to the effect that his sojourn at Biarritz has been productive of no good, and that in all probability he will not be able to return to London for the meeting of parliament. I am able to say, however, that these reports have no foundation in fact. Mr. Ponsonby, his chief private secretary, has just come back to London with the information that sir Henry's condition has undergone marked improvement during these last few weeks, and that there is not the smallest reason to suppose he will not be in his place in the house of commons five weeks hence. Whether he will deem it prudent to engage in heavy platform work or take the same share as in the past in the business of the house of commons is another matter.

We direct attention to a communication from Mr. T. G. Procter, appearing elsewhere in this issue, in reference to the 20,000 club. Mr. Procter writes forcibly, but no one can dispute either the urgency or the accuracy of his statements. If Nelson is to hold her own and to keep a foremost place in the struggle of northwestern towns for a foremost position, her citizens must not be afraid to spend liberally in publicity. The fairness of the proposal that a considerable proportion of the necessary expenditure should be borne by the city at large cannot be questioned. It is to be hoped Mr. Procter's timely letter will serve the purpose for which it is intended, to arouse Nelson citizens to a proper appreciation of intelligently conducted publicity.

There appears to be no little difficulty in securing the names of acceptable men for nomination to the aldermanic board. Many men, otherwise eligible, have not the necessary property qualifications, so that the choice is restricted. We do not imagine that the names mentioned at the meeting last evening of the joint committees of the labor and so-called progressive party were ever intended to be taken seriously, although from among those mentioned some might be picked who should prove acceptable. Of the names The Daily News has heard mentioned it believes a good council could be picked from the following:—George Hale, T. G. Procter, John Matheson, or W. A. Thurman in the east ward; J. O. Patenaude, E. B McDermid, P Lamont or M R. McQuarrie in the west ward. For school trustees there can be no question that Dr. Arthur is entitled to re-election, it would be a distinct loss to the city if he were not to be a member of the board during the coming year. Other names mentioned, and worthy of consideration are those of J. E. Annable and Victor Odlum, the latter served on the Vancouver board of school trustees where he gained valuable experience.

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London, Jan. 3—The countess of Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw of Pittsburg, has begun proceedings for the nullification of her marriage with the earl of Yarmouth. The case is entered in the list for trial at the coming sittings of the divorce court. It will be heard in camera. The countess is a sister of Harry K. Thaw.

The solicitors concerned in the Yarmouth case are making every effort to maintain absolute secrecy regarding all the details of the suit brought by the countess. Reports that the couple disagreed have been current for some time past and society is in no sense surprised at the development of today. A legal separation has been anticipated.

Pittsburg, Jan. 3—The news from England today that the countess of Yarmouth formerly Miss Alice Thaw of this city, had begun proceedings for the nullification of her marriage, did not create much surprise as it has been known here for some time that all was not well between the couple. It is said the estrangement resulted from two causes. The first is said to be the action of the earl of Yarmouth during the first trial of Harry K. Thaw, a brother of the countess, who is to be tried Monday next for the second time for the murder of Stanford White at New York. It is said that when the first trial was about to begin Yarmouth went to Egypt and lived in seclusion in the society of English folk who reside there during the winter months.

The second cause is said to be the action of the Thaw family in determining upon an insanity plea for Harry Thaw. Yarmouth objected to insanity figuring in the second trial on the grounds that it would have a direct influence on the succession of the Yarmouth estates in the event that there was an issue from the marriage. It is also said that the parents used every influence to prevent the institution of proceedings to nullify the marriage. Yarmouth and Miss Alice Thaw were married in Pittsburg on April 7, 1903.

New York, Jan. 2—In his cell in the Tombs, Harry Thaw is counting the days that will elapse before he will again c oss the "bridge of sighs" and face the jury of his fellowmen, charged with the murder of Stanford White. Only two days, Saturday and Sunday, now remain between the present and the date set for the trial. It is considered certain that when the case of the People vs. Harry Kendal Thaw is called before justice Victor J. Dowling on Monday morning, the work of selecting a jury will almost immediately commence. Justice Dowling has declared that he will hold sessions night and day until a jury has been secured and that the trial will be pushed to the speediest possible conclusion consistent with the cause of justice.

Judge Victor J. Dowling is the youngest and most energetic jurist on the supreme court bench and is famous among New York attorneys for the promptness and unerring accuracy of his rulings. He believes in expedition, the New York spirit of "rush" and in consequence it is likely that the coming trial of Thaw will be completed in half the time required by the first famous trial of the case.

Judge Fitzgerald, the presiding justice at the former trial, allowed the lawyers the widest latitude in arguing motions, and frequently listened to long drawn out debate among the attorneys on the same subject. The attorney who attempts to argue regarding a ruling made by judge Dowling will likelp find himself called down with neatness and dispatch. The young judge is a stickler for legal forms and what he says goes.

Judge Dowling is about 40 years of age and despite his apparent severity on the bench, has a round, smooth face which frequently expands in a broad smile or a heart ylauh. His brown eyes are keen, piercing and penetrating, but have in their depths a humorous sparkle. He is a recognized authority on constitutional law and is the author of the Dowling anti-gambling bill, which he presented while in the senate.

Dowling holds the record in New York for brevity of time in trying a murder case. Insanity was offered in the defense of the prisoner as will be the case in the Thaw trial, and after listening to the evidence for 40 minutes, judge Dowling sent the case to the jury, which promptly returned a verdict of "not guilty because of insanity."

A special panel of 250 talesmen from which to select the jury to try Thaw, has been ordered by justice Dowling and will report on Monday morning, when Thaw will be led forth from his cell and across the famous bridge of sighs to the court room. Lined up in the court room, in battle array will be district attorney Jerome and his assistants for the prosecution and Martin W. Littleton and half a dozen less famous attorneys, for the defense. The silver-tongued oratory of Delphin M. Delmas, the California lawyer, will not be heard in defense of the "unwritten law," but another westerner will take the place of Delmas, as Thaw's leading counsel. Martin W. Littleton is even younger than judge Dowling, and will attain his 35th birthday on Jan. 12. He is a native of Tennessee and is a self-educated man. His young manhood he spent in Texas and was at one time assistant prosecuting attorney at Dallas. He married a Dallas woman, Miss Maud Wilson, on Dec. 1, 1896, five years after he commenced his legal career. He left Texas to go to New York, settling in Brooklyn, where he speedily became prominent. He was for four years assistant district attorney of King's county and president of Brooklyn borough 1903-5. He first attained national prominence, when as delegate from New York to the democratic national convention, he presented the name of judge Alton B. Parker for the presidential nomination. He is a mebmer of several Brooklyn clubs and prominent in social and political affairs in that borough.

It is known that Mr. Littleton is opposed to any appeal to the so called "unwritten law" and that he will make his sole appeal for his client on the ground that Thaw was temporarily insane when he fired the shot which ended the life of Stanford White. While the defense will be insanity, with no "dementia Americana" side issues, Mr. Littleton and his legal assistants will bitterly oppose any attempt on the part of district attorney Jerome to railroad their client to Mattawan

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madhouse.

Both Harry Thaw and Mrs. Thaw are in as good spirits as could be expected with Thaw a prisoner in the Tombs and facing the electric chair or the madhouse. Both are confident of acquittal and this hope is openly shared by Thaw's attorneys, who declare that when the evidence they have to offer, showing conclusively that Thaw was temporarily demented when he shot White, is presented to the jury, no other verdict will be possible. Attorneys who have carefully followed the case and who have no personal interest in it, do not share this opinion, and believe that the coming trial will result in another hung jury. In that event, however, it is probable that the prosecution against Thaw will finally be dropped.

There is little doubt that Evelyn Thaw will again be the principal witness for her husband. The tragic history of her life—the story which even district attorney Jerome said was "without a parallel in history or literature"—will be gone over again for the benefit of the court and jury and curious auditors and sensation hungry newspapers. Again the little child-woman will recite the tale of the drugged wine and the mirror lined room and the terrible wrongs she is alleged to have suffered at the hands of the wealthy architect. Again she will lay bare her quivering heart and tell the inmost secrets of her soul, soiled by early associations forced upon her by an ambitious mother and designing friends. Again New York will revel for a time in the tales of that gay Bohemia of wealth and culture where virtue is laughed to scorn and little, slender girls are the favorite prey of men of money and position.

This piteous tale of the life of Evelyn Nesbit, the childish artist's model, will be retold, not as the basis of another appeal to the "unwritten law" but to show the terrible mental effect upon Thaw of the relation of these wrongs suffered by his wife. The story is to furnish proof to the jury of the sudden madness that came upon Thaw and transformed him for a short time into a revengeful, bloodthirsty lunatic, with no room in his mind but for the one thought of vengeance upon the man who had betrayed his wife.

Attorney Littleton will maintain, from his first speech to the jury that Evelyn Thaw's testimony alone shows conclusively Thaw's mental and legal irresponsibility at the time of the commission of the crime. All other circumstances tending to prove Thaw's insanity will be marshelled before the jury and greater stress will be laid upon these than upon the theoretical testimony of experts and alienists.

By confining the defense strictly and closely along lines of technical and logical proof of insanity, Mr. Littleton hopes to have a decided advantage over district attorney Jerome and his staff of alienists. The fact that the alienists for the prosecution swore at the first trial that Thaw was insane from the standpoint of medical science, but that he was legally sane will be urged as a very close distinction on which to send a man to the electric chair, the prison or the madhouse.

Strong stress will be laid by Mr. Littleton upon Thaw's semi-religious fervor previous to the commission of the crime, which led to the belief in his mind that he was the chosen agent of Providence and that it was his mission and his duty to remove from the world a man whom he looked upon as an inhuman monster. Thaw's remarkable last will and testament by which he devoted a fund to the discovery and punishment of his assassins and a large sum for caring for the young women whom he declared had been victims of Stanford White, will also be introduced as an evidence of Thaw's insanity.

Opinions differ as to the length of time which will be required to secure a jury. It is reasonably certain that there is not to be found in New York an educated man, qualified to act as a juror in a case as important as this, who is not more ore less familiar with the case and the testimony adduced at the previous trial. Interest in the case has been so universal, too, that nearly all have formed opinions as to Thaw's guilt or innocence, opinions which would probably be hard to eradicate.

The opinions are perhaps governed largely by the newspapers which the prospective jurors have read. What is commonly called the New York "yellow press" has played up every fact favorable to Thaw and the habitual readers of such journals would naturally be possessed of a firmly fixed conviction that the young Pittsburg millionarie is a much wronged man and should immediately be given his liberty. The conservative press, on the other hand, has occasionally lapsed from its attitude of judicial calm to denounce Thaw and to defend the maligned memory of Stanford White, at times painting him as a white-souled angel, whose angelic robes have been soiled by the calumny of a malicious woman.

The great mass of New York men reflect one or the other of these opinions in their conversation regarding the Thaw case. The human interest stories which enterprising reporters have woven, with Harry and Evelyn Thaw as hero and heroine, have won the sympathies of many thousands of men and this fact will likely be much in evidence when the attempt to get a jury begins on Monday.

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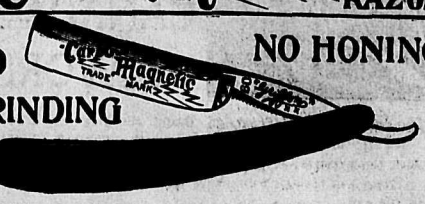

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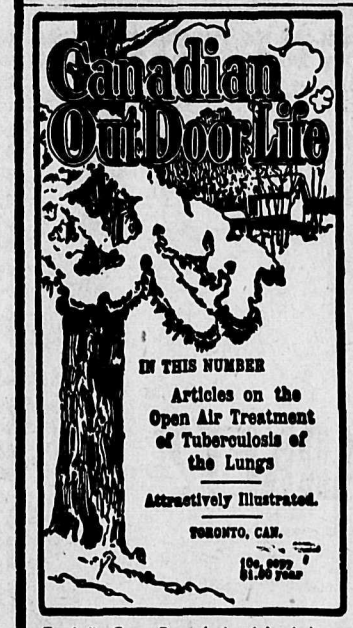

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Lorne Campbell was in from Rossland yesterday.

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The thermometer yesterday varied between 29 and 33 degrees, the sky being overcast.

Today's classified ads. may bring a cargo of luck for you.

Miss Ida Johnston is leaving for Spokane this morning.

Do you "manage" your troubles, or do they manage you? You—and your ally, classified advertising—can, if you elect, "tame" any crowd of troubles that come your way.

S. S. Taylor left for the coast last night to attend a session of the full court, meeting early in the coming week.

The thaw of yesterday is playing havoc with the curlers who will have to meet all comers at the bonspiel at the end of the month.

R. Radio was fined $5 yesterday by stipendiary magistrate W. H. Bullock-Webster in the provincial court, for an assault at Granite upon Peter Wergld.

The marriage of A. H. Green of Nelson and Miss Ethel Seed of Vernon was celebrated last Tuesday at Vancouver by Rev. H. Beecham. After their honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Green will make their home in this city.

Angell's Comedians are giving a matinee at the opera house this afternoon at 2:30, the special feature being the baby show. The baby receiving the highest number of votes will be presented with a suitable present.

Some things in this newspaper have a "heart interest"; some things in it appeal to the faddist, some to the philosopher, some to the student. But the advertising has a purse interest, so that they appeal to all.

The annual meeting of the Nelson board of trade takes place next week when the election of officers and the opopintment of delegates to the forthcoming convention of the boards of trade of southeastern British Columbia will take place.

A project is on foot to drive a 4000 foot tunnel at Ainsworth along the Kroa lead which would give a depth of 900 feet upon that well known property and at the same time would tap several adjoining claims. If this can be satisfactorily arranged the cost of mining would be cut in half as the great trouble with the properties affected is the presence of water and sonsequent expensive pumping.

H. Geigerich came down from Kaslo yesterday. Speaking of the properties upon the south fork of Kaslo creek, Mr. Geigerich said that he thought that although there were several conditions that made it hard to mine, yet upon the whole the prospects ahead of the silver-lead-zinc districts for the coming year were very favorably. The success of the zinc works in Nelson would make a wonderful difference. Instead of zinc proving a detriment to a mine, the reverse would be the case and many a property now idle could be worked at a profit.

Members of the Nelson choral society are requested to attend practice on Monday evening next at 8:15 at the Baptist church on Stanley street. Arrangements have been made for practices being held there for the rest of the season instead of at the hall where they have been formerly held. A good turn out is hoped for.

There is to be a meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute on the 15th inst. in Nelson for the purpose of organizing a western branch at which papers will be read and discussed. A meeting of the local members was held yesterday afternoon to discuss the entertainment of the visitors and it is probable that this will take the form of a dance. All local members are urgently requested to attend a meeting at Leslie Hill's office at 3 o'clock this afternoon to definitely decide upon this matter and to receive reports of committees.

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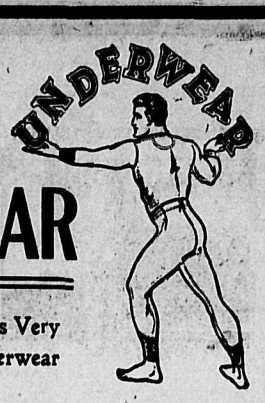

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CANADIAN TRADE REVIEW

HOLIDAY TRADE VERY SATISFACTORY ALL OVER

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS MEN REPORT BEST BUSINESS ON RECORD

New York, Jan. 3—Bradstreet's weekly trade report says:

Later reports from Canada as to the holiday trade are very satisfactory and in parts of the west are the best ever received. Mild weather, however, retards distribution of heavy goods. Wholesale and jobbing trade is quiet as usual at this season of the year and nothing especially important is expected in trade until about the middle of the month. Cold weather is neede to held retailers. Wholesale dry goods men report the largest turn over in the country's history. Money is slightly easier and no lines report large stocks of goods. Mild weather has helped the railways in moving the grain but has affected the demand for heavy goods.

In British Columbia trade is rather quiet but there is talk of returning activity in industries and the problem of the unemployed is not regarded as serious.

Failures for the week number 27, as against 77 last week and 56 in this week a year ago.

WHEN TO GO HOME

From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner: "When tired out go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best, go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal, go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy, go home and light up the whole household." To which we add, when you have a bad cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

SERVICES APPRECIATED

Edmonton, Jan. 3—W. A. Giesbach, the "boy mayor" of western Canada, who has just completed his term of office as mayor of Edmonton for 1907, was paid a glowing tirbute by the council upon his retirement from office and as an indication of their recognition of the valuable services which he had rendered the city, they unanimously voted him a grant of $500 in addition to his regular salary of $1200.

FACTOR HALL HOMEWARD BOUND

Winnipeg, Jan. 3—R. H. Hall, chief factor of the Hudson's Bay company, who has been in the city for a few days left for Prince Albert where his headquarters are. Mr. Hall has just returned from Toronto, to which place he took his daughter to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The operation was successful and Miss Hall, who is still in Toronto with relatives, is out of danger and convalescing rapidly.

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Here it is; try it if you suffer: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known local druggist is authority for the statement that one weeks' use shows good results in nearly every instance, and such symptoms as lame back, frequent desire to urinate, pain in bladder and even chronic rheumatism are generally relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

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

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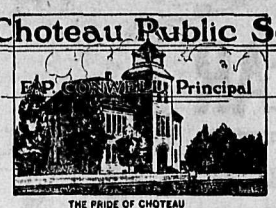

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BYRON GORDON, CLERK

CHOTEAU, MONTANA, Jan. 21st 1907.

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They were narrow toed shoes size I think either 6 or 6½ and on the inside appear figures & letters as follows; 6–E 40350 and Slater Price $5.00 Please let me hear from you and if you can supply them I will send you money for two pairs.

Thanking you in advance,

I am Respectfully, E. P. Connell, Pres. of schools

Choteau Mont.

The above is a photo reproduction of a letter delivered to the "Exclusive Shoe Dealer in Fernie, B. C.", who is the agent for Slater Shoes. It is one of many daily demonstrations received in Canada. The gentleman knows the superiority of the Slater Shoe so well that he is willing to pay the duty.

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PUBLICITY FOR NELSON

FATE OF 20,000 CLUB HANGS IN THE BALANCE.

IF GOOD WORK TO BE CONTINUED CASH MUST BE FOUND.

Editor The Daily News: The present moment, the commencement of a new year and the eve of a civic election, seems to me to be a favorable time for calling attention to the question of publicity for Nelson.

The 20,000 club, of which I have the honor to be president, has completed another year of its existence, and looking back over that year one cannot help being moved by opposite feelings—on the one hand satisfaction with the useful work accomplished and on the other disappointment over the lack of support. Turning first to the work accomplished probably the most useful item was the publication of 20,000 copies of the booklet entitled "Glorious Kootenay." This booklet which has received the warmest praise from many and diverse quarters was largely published by subscription, over 12,000 copies being taken by real estate men and others. The remainder have been distributed by the club wherever it was thought they would be useful. The next important move was the arranging for a district exhibit at the eastern fairs. Unfortuntely the expense entailed prevented the club from handling the matter unaided, and it was found necessary to get up a special fund for this purpose and appoint a special committee to deal with the matter. Another 20,000 special booklets were prepared and distributed among the visitors at the fairs and the consequence has been a steady influx of settlers and enquiries from the districts where we exhibited.

The next satisfactory feature is that thanks to the public spirit of a few citizens the club now has a suitable office in which to carry on its work. It is well equipped and has been much used and appreciated by new comers. The financial working of the club is carried on on proper lines, all accounts are audited and monthly statements have appeared in the press regularly. Now let us look at the results. Without pretending to say that the efforts of the 20,000 club are entirely responsible for the increased turnover in all lines of business in the city, I do say that the increased volume of business, the enhanced value of real estate, the overflowing of the hotels, and the general prosperity of the city and district is the result of publicity and the one end and aim of the 20,000 club is publicity.

Let us now turn to the other side of the shield. The support accorded to the club has been very disappointing and the result of the year's working will be a considerable deficit. There is no other course open to the committee but to close the institution. The amount required to give an efficient service is not very great, and if it were spread over the many it would not be felt, but when, as is the case, only a limited number of the citizens accord their support it becomes too heavy a burden and I can see no other course than to close down.

But is Nelson then to have no advertising or publicity department? Are we to allow this necessary work to be neglected and give way for other and more enterprising towns to take our place? I hope this will never be permitted, and that the new city council will see that either a sufficent grant is given towards the existing institution or else institute a department for carrying on the work. And I want my fellow citizens to make a point of only nominating and voting for men for the new council who will undertake to see that this question of publicity is efficiently dealt with. Many towns of half the importance of Nelson are spending from $2,000 to $3,000 annually in attracting capital and settlers, and such an amount as this when spread over the entire population—who all benefit when the town prospers—would never be felt.

I notice that the citizens of Winnipeg have recently come to the conclusion that they have got to advertise and to advertise largely and they have gone enthusiastically to work on a big publicity campaign. And if the great city of Winnipeg finds it necessary to keep in the limelight, what about little Nelson, lost among the mountains?

We may have the finest climate, the best scenery, the richest fruit land, rich mines and unlimited timber, but the man looking for a new field for enterprize will certainly not come our way unless we take some steps towards acquainting him with the advantages we possess.

We've just got to advertise and that's all there is to it, so let us do it in the most sensible and the fairest way. Let publicity for Nelson be a plank in the platform of the coming election.

T. G. PROCTER.

Nelson, Jan. 3rd, 1908.

HOW DIPHTHERIA IS CONTRACTED

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ASSAYERS' SUPPLIES.

THE B. C. ASSAY & CHEMICAL SUPPLY Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B. C.—Importers and Dealers in Assayers' Supplies. Sole agents in British Columbia for the celebrated Battersea Crucible, Scorifiers and Muffles and Wm. Ainsworth & Co.'s fine Balances, Chemical and physical Apparatus, C. P. Acids and Chemical Platinum, Sodium and Potassium Cyanide, Quicksilver, Carbonate and Bicarbonate of Soda, Borax, Borax Glass, Silver, Free Lead and Litharge.

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CASH advanced on consignments Jacob Green and Co., auctioneers, appraisers, valuators, general commission agents. P.O. box 233, Nelson 191-tf

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A. MACDONALD & CO.—WHOLESALE Grocers and Provision Merchants—Importers of Teas, Coffees, Spices, Dried Fruits, Staple and Fancy Groceries, Tobaccos, Cigars, Butter Eggs, Cheese and Packing House Products. Office and warehouse, corner of Front and Hall Streets. P. O. Box 1095. Telephone 28.

LIQUORS.

E. FERGUSON & CO.—WHOLESALE and Commission Merchants—Importers and Wholesale Dealers in Wines, Liquors and Cigars. Kootenay agents for Pabst Milwaukee Beer. Agents for the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co., Billiard and Poole Tables and Supplies, Bar Fixtures, Cigar Counters, Bowling Alleys, etc. Prices and specifications on application. Office and retail department, Vernon St., Nelson, two doors east of postoffice. Telephone 260. P. O. Box 1020.

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A. MACDONALD & CO.—WHOLESALE Jobbers in Blankets, Underwear, Mitts, Gloves, Boots, Rubbers, Overalls, Jumpers, Mackinaws and Oilskin Clothing, Camp and Miners' Sundries. Office and Warehouse corner of Front and Half streets. P. O. Box 1095. Telephone 28.

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WASHINGTON MACHINERY & SUPPLY Co.—Dealers in Engines, Band and Circular Sawmills, Atkins' Saws, Wood and Iron Pulleys, Leyner Compressors and Drills, Pumps and Hoists. Prompt attention. Reasonable prices. Courteous treatment. Spokane, Wash.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small cottage opposite park, on car line, city water and electric light. Enquire of Wolverton and Co., 210-tf

FOR RENT—Comfortable, nicely furnished room, apply box 511, Daily News. 213-tf

TOLET—Furnished rooms, with or without board. Apply 517 Vernon St. 216-6

FOR RENT—Well heated furnished bedroom for rent, $8 per month; only one block from Baker street. Aupply M.E., care Daily News. 216-tf

FOR RENT—Cottage for rent on Robson stret. Apply 1319 Kootenay St. 216-6

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, light and well heated, with bath, 214 Victoria street. 216-6

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished front room in Aberdeen block. Rent reasonable. Enquire Madam Tate, Aberdeen block. 217-2

FOUND

FOUND—A child's gold bracelet. Owner may have same by applying to Geo. Maurer, Kootenay Cigar Factory and paying for this advertisement. 213-3

TIMOTHY
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Also
OATS
IN CARLOAD LOTS
For Sale by
Hembling & Ruby
DIDSBURY, ALBERTA

HELP WANTED

NELSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
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WANTED — Swampers, tiemakers, waitress, girls for housework.

WESTERN CANADIAN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—SEMI-FREE
To the employers of labor. We supply all kinds of labor such as miners, lumbermen, ranch help, cooks, waiters, etc. Address all communications to Box 658, Nelson, B. C.

WORKINGMAN'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
WANTED—Woman cook, $50; nurse girl, $30; six girls for family work, $15 to $25; one girl for hotel work, $30, swampers, laborers.

WANTED — MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Men and women to learn barber trade in eight weeks; tools free. Graduates earn $15 to $25 weekly; help secure positions; secured over 10,000 last year for our graduates in U.S. Catalogue free. Moler System Colleges, 403, Front avenue, Spokane, Wash. 180

FIRST CLASS dressmaking. Miss Phaup, Room 2, Victoria block. 196-tf

AGENTS WANTED—To sell our high-grade trees, shrubs, etc.; outfit furnished free; commission advanced each week; good territory open. Albany Nurseries, Albany, Oregon. 202-26t

WANTED—Housekeeper, must be a good cook and thoroughly competent to take full charge of the house. Apply to the Salmo Trading Co., Salmo, B. C. 206-tf

WANTED—Teacher for Granite Siding school. Apply to Secretary, Box 917, Nelson, B. C. 207-12t

WANTED—Experienced male stenographer and typewriter, seeks position. Apply G., Daily News. 211-tf

WANTED—At once, a man of ability and good address with some knowledge of the fruit business to represent us in the Nelson district. A permanent and paying proposition for the right man. "Canada's Greatest Nurseries," Stone and Wellington, Toronto, Ont. 212-26

WANTED—Position by stationery engineer, B.C. license, sawmill or mine. Last place four years in 400 h.p. sawmill plant. Best references. Can instal. J., Daily News. 213-6

WANTED—Girl for light housework. Apply 271 Stanley St. 214-6

WANTED—Engineer, 3rd class certificate, desires position in sawmill or mines. Understands D.C. dynamos and also air compressor. Address A. J. Carter, Elko, B.C. 216-6

WANTED—To buy, flat top desk. Send description and price to P.O. box 655, Nelson. 216-2

WANTED—Housekeeping rooms, furnished, immediately; state rent. Apply box 14, Daily News. 217-5

WANTED—Position as office assistant; good stenographer. Apply B., Daily News. 216-6

WANTED—Potatoes for hogs and cattle. Particulars Marsden, Williams' siding. 217-6

WANTED—Good business producers to write insurance on all kinds of live stock against death from any cause. British American Live Stock association, Vancouver, or W. J. Walker, Hume hotel, Nelson. 217-6

WANTED—Dining room girl wanted at Sherbrooke house. 217-tf

WANTED—Situation as clerk in grocery store; six years experience. Apply C.H., box 281, Fernie, B.C. 218-tf

WANTED—Work of any description by strong man, willing to work. Apply S.W.S., Daily News. 218-2

WANTED—Boy wanted at once. Thelin's Cigar factory. 218-6

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One thoroughbred Water Spaniel bitch pup, six months old. Apply T.C., Daily News. 181-tf

HORSE FOR SALE — Chestnut gelding, about 1200 lbs. Broken to saddle and harness. Can be seen at smelter stable on and after Monday, 16th Dec. Hall Mining and Smelting Co. 203-tf

FOR SALE—Have still for sale a few choice Black Orpington cockerels, price $5 each, f.o.b. here. Duke of Kent strain. Vigorous and healthy. A. McQueen, Kaslo B.C. 210-tf

FOR SALE—Five roomed house, newly renovated, 50x120 lot, near high school. Apply Shoeshop, Hall street. 213-26

FOR SALE—Baker street property, paying 20 per cent or about $2500 a year. Modern improvements. Apply box 385, Nelson, B.C. 213-26

FOR SALE CHEAP — One medium-size mule suitable for packing or general work; one set bob sleighs, medium size; one lumber wagon; one set double harness. Apply L. Pogue, expressman, 615 Victoria street, Nelson. 214-26

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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL AND
Kindergarten for boys and girls; mental and bodily training, elementary and advanced education, Christian home influence. Fourteen years' experience.
Music, languages, practical needle work. Evening classes. Principals, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Field, 520 Silica St., Nelson, B.C.

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Skating every afternoon and evening. Band Mondays and Fridays.
Season Tickets for Sale at Wicket.
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MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE For 15 Days Only

Commencing Saturday Morning, January 4, 1908

Twenty Thousand Dollars' Worth of Dry Goods and Millinery at a Sacrifice. Terms of Sale Strictly Cash

Bright and early Saturday morning will commence the biggest and best Sale of Winter Dry Goods ever held in the City of Nelson. This will undoubtedly be a great opportunity to supply your winter needs. Discounts of 25 to 50 per cent. will be given all through the store. Cost is not considered, our aim being to reduce our stock at any sacrifice. Come early Saturday morning if you want to reap the benefits of this great bargain festival. We must reduce our stock to make room for spring goods already on the road. This is how we do it:

Dress Goods

200 yards of Tweed Dress Goods, light and dark colors, 42 inches wide; regular price 65c—Sale Price.....45c

200 yards colored Lustres, 40 inches wide; regular price 65c—Sale Price.39c

300 yards Black Dress Goods; regular price 90c and $1.00—Sale Price.....45c

Ten pieces Harris Tweed in black, grey, green and mixed colors; regular price $1.50 and $1.75—Sale Price..$1.00

French Flannels

15 pieces French Flannel and embroidered Cashmeres; regular price 65c—Sale Price 45c

15 pieces Wrapperette in light and dark colors; regular price 15c and 17c—Sale Price 12½c

10 pieces extra heavy Flannelette, suitable for dressing gowns; regular price 25c—Sale Price.....17c

Flannelettes at 10c

15 pieces Heavy Striped Flannelette, 32 to 34 inches wide; regular price 12½c—Sale Price 10c

Comforts

Good large sized Comforters, good quality filling; regular price $2.25—at $1.75

Regular $3.00 Comforters, at....$2.25

Regular $4.50 Comforters, at....$3.25

Regular $6.50 Down Comforters, 72x72—Sale Price $4.95

Regular $10.00 Down Comforters, extra quality, sateen covering, size 72x72—Sale Price $6.95

Blanket Cloth at $1

Extra heavy Saxony Wool Blanket Cloths, suitable for Coats, Dressing Gowns, etc., colors navy and cardinal; regular price $1.40 the yard—Sale $1.00

Ladies' Skirts

Ladies' $4.50 and $5.00 Skirts, at $2.90

Ladies' $6.50 and $7.00 Skirts, at $3.90

Ladies' $8.50 and $10 Skirts, at $6.00

Ladies' Coats

Six only—Ladies' Tweed Tourist Coats, ⅞ length; regular price $13.50—Sale Price $8.00

Girls' Coats

Twelve only—Girls' Tweed Coats, full length, light and dark colors; regular price $10.00 and $12.50 each—Sale $7.00

Ladies' Furs

Alaska Sable Collars, extra fine quality; regular price $14—Sale Price $9.75

Alaska Sable Collars, regular price $19.00—Sale Price $14.50

Mink Collars, regular price $50.00—Sale Price $32.50

Mink Collars, regular price $60.00—Sale Price $42.50

Mink Ties, regular price $50.00—Sale Price $36.00

Remnants at Less Than Half Price

ODD LINES OF BOYS' WOOLEN HOSE AT LESS THAN COST PRICE. ODD LINES OF CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR AT LESS THAN COST PRICE.

Not all the bargains are contained in the above list. In fact, some of the best of them for want of space are left out. We just wished to give you an idea of the immense price-cutting which takes place during this sale. Many of these will be picked up early, so its to your advantage to get here as early Saturday morning as possible.

Ladies' Underwear

ALL LINES OF UNDERWEAR REDUCED 25 PER CENT.

Ladies' 65c Underwear for.....50c

Ladies' $1.00 Underwear for.....75c

Ladies' $1.25 Underwear for 95c

Ladies' $1.50 Underwear for.....$1.15

Ladies' Silk Blouses

Ladies' $4.50 Wash Silk Blouses, trimmed with lace or silk embroidery; colors black or cream, at each.....$2.95

Ladies' $6.50 Wash Silk Blouses, nicely trimmed; Sale Price.....$3.90

Ladies' Taffeta Blouses, well made, good quality, chiffon, taffeta; regular price $5.00—Sale Price.....$3.90

Ladies' Woolen Blouses $3 and $3.50 Value for $2

23 only—Ladies' Woolen Blouses, all colors, made of fine quality wool, taffeta; regular price $3.00 to $3.50—Sale Price $2.00

Ladies' Waterproof Coats

50 ladies' waterproof coats,.. made of best English cravenette; all this season's goods; regular price $10.00 to $19.00 each—Sale Price...$6.75 to $13.50

Corsets at Half Price

Three doz. W.B. and La Vida Corsets, straight front style, regular price $2.00 to $6.00 the pair—Sale Price....$1 to $3

Flannelette Underwear

Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, extra good quality Flannelette; colors, white and pink; regular price $2.50, $2.75 and $3.00—Sale Price .....$1.90 to $2.25

Children's Flannelette Gowns of striped flannel, size 5 to 10 years; regular price 75c each—Sale Price.....50c

Ladies' Flannelette Drawers, good quality, nicely trimmed, regular price 75c to $1.25 the pair—Sale..50c to 90c

MEAGHER & CO.,

COR. BAKER AND WARD STS.
NELSON, B. C.

HOTEL ARRIVALS OF A DAY

Tremont House

Baker St., Nelson
Malone & Tregillus, Props.

European Plan, 50c. up
American Plan, $1.25 and $1.50
Meals, 35c.
SPECIAL RATES PER MONTH

TREMONT—A. B. Lauder, M. A. Bergen, Crescent; J. Robertson, B. Nelson, H. Forteith, Rossland; D. Brown, Y. Jorgensen, Trail; T. B. Billings, Grand Forks.

Grand Central Hotel

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

American and European Plans
J. A. ERICKSON

GRAND CENTRAL—W H Leal, Seattle; J. B. Russer, Kaslo; P. J. McCabe, D. L. Doyle, 7-Mile; D. Ross, Kaslo; J. McGregor Crawford bay; H. D. Fuller, Fernie; H. Buxton, Salmo; J. Drummond, Winnipeg A. Reading, Arrowhead.

The Klondyke Hotel

VERNON STREET

Head quarters for miners, prospectors, loggers and railroad men.

Rates: $1.00 per day up

NELSON & JOHNSON, Props.

KLONDYKE—A. Taylor, Salmo; O. Bergon, Moyie; V. Vanerstone, A. Swanson, J Carlson, Slocan.

The Royal Hotel

Mrs. Wm. Roberts, Proprietress
Cor. Stanley and Silica Streets

Meals cooked under supervision of best caterer in Kootenay

Rates, $1.00 and $1.50 per day

ROYAL—J. Anerson, C. Guerson, F. Napier, Fernie; H. McMillian, Cranbrook; F. Tanton, F. Tyler, Silverton.

LAKEVIEW—P. R. Tollington, Fernie; G. Hayden, Salmo; J. B. McPherson, Rossland; K. Swanson, Ainsworth.

KOOTENAY—J. Trainer, Cranbrook; G. Morandum, Salt Lake; J. Williams, Rossland; M. Romano, Castlegar.

SHERBROOKE—F. Jacques, Slocan; E. Carun, Crescent; D. Gravel, New York; L. Rosso, Chicago; N. Ray, Salmo; W. H. Leal, Spokane.

THE QUEEN'S

BAKER STREET

MRS. E. C. CLARK, Proprietress

Large and Comfortable Bedrooms and First Class Dining Room. Rates $2.00 Per Day

QUEENS—Miss Stoughton, Revelstoke; F. S. Chandler and wife, Kaslo; H. F. Dow and wife, Northport; J. P. Wilson, Saskatoon; C. Bell, Calgary.

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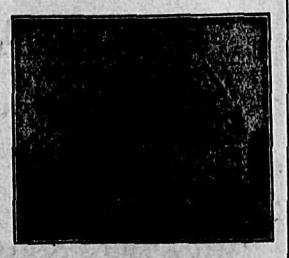
Thos. Madden, Prop. Baker St.

Well Furnished Rooms With Bath
Best Board in the City

A COMFORTABLE HOME

MADDEN—P. Harding, W. S. Barrie, H. McDonald, Silverton; R. S. Willis, D. McCaushon, D. Cameron, M. McDonald, Salmo; H. Jardine, Hammond; N. McLeo, Phoenix.

HUME—W. B. Poole, Salmo; R. C. Gage, Spokane; F. P. Burdon, Vancouver, L. A. Campbell, Rossland; P. Pouplied, Calgary; A. Carney, Kaslo; Miss Bruce, Cochrane; R. L. Scott, M. Morrison, Vancouver; R. McGuire, Pass creek; L. A. Dodd, Arrowhead.



STRATHCONA — P. Hoight, J. M. Thorpe, Fernie; J. V. Wilkinson, Kootenay landing; A. L. Lye, Malvern, Englan; G. H. Aston, Greenwood.

BARTLETT—M. Merton, G. Sands, Salmo; H. R. Willoughby, Rossland; D. Sanderman, Greenwood.

NELSON—A. A. Cow, A. E. Bodey, Hillyard; F. Lapin, Fernie; L. E. Reed, Lacombe, D. Morrison, Cranbrook.

SILVER KING—J. Anderson, C. Grierson, Harrop; J. Healey, Winnipeg; R. J. Cooke, Fernie.

HOW TO WRITE AN AD.

Some merchants—and some business men in all lines—are not at all sure that they know "how to write an ad."

So much nonsense is written on the subject of advertising—so much mist is thrown around it—that a plain business man may be excused for coming to think that he must necessarily be a bungler as an ad-writer.

Now it happens that some of the best ads. in the world are written by business men who would lay no claim whatever to literary talents, or to the ability to "write." These successful merchants can "write"—although few people stop to consider it. Through their ability to write they lift up their business ventures to the plane of material successes. They know the "trade of authorship" well enough to lift stores up on the points of their pens.

This "literary ability" comes from the simple fact that such men are tremendously, intimately, absorbedly interested in the things they write about! And in writing about their stores they say things that interest themselves—they write exactly as they would talk to you if they had your interested personal attention, and were trying to make of you a new friend for the store or the venture.

And that is about all there is to "how to write an ad."

WEEK'S BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Jan. 3.—Bradstreet's weekly bank clearings. All decreases:

Montreal	$22,526,000	dec. 24.4
Toronto	19,056,000	dec. 27.0
Winnipeg	10,747,000	dec. 14.1
Ottawa	2,232,000	dec. 16.2
Vancouver, B. C.	2,752,000	dec. 12.2
Halifax	1,366,000	dec 37.2
Quebec	2,204,000	dec. .3
Hamilton, Ont..	1,171,000	dec. 28.1
St. John, N. B..	1,101,000	dec. 12.6
London, Ont....	1,199,000	dec. 16.4
Victoria, B. C...	791,000	dec. 1.1
Calgary	1,099,000	dec. 25.7
Edmonton	574,000	dec. 22.9

IRISH STOCK BROKER WANTED

Winnipeg, Jan. 3—The provincial police are in receipt of a request from superintendent Lowe of the Dublin metropolitan police, asking for the apprehension, if here, of Alexander C. Burrows, a stock broker of Westmoreland street, Dublin, wanted for the wrongful conversion to his own use of £5348, monies given to him to buy shares for his customers. The man wanted is described as the senior partner of the firm of Burrows and Mayne, stock brokers, Dublin, 50 years of age, six feet two inches tall, stout build, stooped shoulders, large nose, fair hair, turning grey, fair complexion, brown moustache. The police so far have not discovered the man wanted.

A HOME MADE HAPPY BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at last resulted in a severe attack of bronchils. We had two doctors but no relief was obtained. Everybody thought she would die. I went to eight different stores to find a certain remedy which had been recommended to me and failed to get it, when one of the storekeeprs insisted that I should try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did so, and our baby is alive Springs, N.C. For sale by all druggists and well today.—George Spence, Holly and dealers.

SHERMAN'S OPERA HOUSE

Angell's Comedians

MATINEE TODAY AT 2.30.
"Woman Against Woman"

TONIGHT
"Jim Bludso"

TWO NIGHTS, COMMENCING TUESDAY, JANUARY 7th.

The Minstrel Maids

In answer to numerous requests for something good in the musical line, Mr. E. A. Wolff (of the Juvenile Bostonians, so well and favorably known to Nelson audiences) begs to present the above attraction.

MIRTH MUSIC MELODY

DO NOT FAIL TO SEE HALYCON MARTIN.

PIRCES—50c, 75, and $1.00.

ONE NIGHT ONLY—
FRIDAY, DEC. 10th.
Ernest Shipman & W. G. Colvin Present
Ian McLaren's Beautiful Scottish Idyl,
THE
"Bonnie Brier Bush"
Original Kirk La Shelle Production,

20—NOTABLE CAST—20

THE PLAY THAT WINS ALL HEARTS.

PRICES—$1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c.

SEAT SALE AT RUTHERFORD'S

OTTAWA NEWS NOTES

Ottawa, Jan. 3—A. Knechtel, lately a forester, employed by the New York forest, fish and game commission, has been appointed inspector of forest reserves for Canada. It is hoped to greatly extend the work of the forest reserves in the near future.

Dr. J. G. Rutherford, veterinary director general and live stock commissioner for the dominion, is too ill to avail himself of the six months' leave of absence recently granted him to travel.. It is understood that Rutherford's illness is due to the intensity of his zeal in safeguarding the health of live stock. He is in fact a martyr to the cause of science of which he is said to be one of the best living experts.

Arrangements are concluded for the conference of delegates from all Canadian clubs to be held at Ottawa on Jan. 15, to devise ways and means of raising a million dollars by public subscription to supplement the grants already promised by federal and provincial governments towards the conversion of the most important parts of the battlefields of he Plains of Abraham and St. Foye, at Quebec into a national park, and the erection of a monument to commemorate the reconciliation of the British and French races in Canada. A public meeting will be held in the Russel theatre at which earl Grey and others will speak.

A meeting of the Canadian Patriotic Fund association was held in the governor general's office today to consider a request for a grant of $7000 to trooper Mulloy of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, who lost his eyesight in South Africa, the money to go towards the expense of a post graduate course which Mulloy is taking at Oxford university. The executive feels itself unable to make the grant but a deputation will wait on the dominion government to ask a grant from the dominion treasury to Mulloy for the purpose.

CANADIAN BRIEFS

Quebec, Jan. 3—The Quebec legislature has been called to meet Tuesday, March 3.

Toronto, Jan. 3—Doctors say that Edward Hanlan cannot live out the day.

Vancouver, Jan. 3—Mayor Bethune was today re-elected by acclamation for a second term. There are contests in all the wards for aldermanic seats.

Toronto, Jan. 3—The Canadian Manufacturers' association will make another protest to the dominion government against the reckless dumping of American goods on the Canadian market.

PROVINCIAL RAILWAY TAX

Toronto, Jan. 3—The total income from the provincial railway tax was $376,364 in 1906 as compared with $390,000 in 1907, or an increase of $13,636. Under the new plan of distribution the municipalities will receive $180,000 from the 1907 tax, as compared with $81,060 in 1906.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Skips will be selected next week for the various rings of the curling club.

J. G. Egan of the Rossland Miner came over last night on a brief visit.

There was a fair attendance at the opera house last night where Angell's Comedians were showing.

The Sunday school of St. Saviour's church will have its annual Christmas entertainment today.

Court Kootenay Bell, No. 723, C.O.F., held its regular meeting last night and elected the following officers for the year: J.P.C.R., W. Fotheringham; C.R., J. W. Holmes, jr.; V.C.R., A. Turner; F.S., H. E. Dill; R.S., E. Robinson; treasurer, W. Spear; chaplain, J. Dancy; S.W., J. Robertson; J.W., F. Perry.

Nelson Nest, Order of Owls, No. 153, held its regular meeting last night and elected officers as follows: A. P. Lorsch, past president, re-elected; George F. Motion, president, re-elected; C. Clark, vice-president; R. R. Caldwell, secretary, re-elected; H. G. Goodeve, treasurer, re-elected; A. Lorn, indicator, re-elected; A. A. Pitchford, warden; C. A. Barton, sentinel; H. Roth, picket.

At a meeting of the labor and progressive parties at Miners' union hall last night, at which 60 delegates were present, W. Johnson of the C.P.R. presiding, the following ticket for aldermen and school trustees was nominated, balloting occuring in the cases of the east ward and the school trustees: East ward, J. Matheson, E. Kerr and M. R. McQuarrie; West ward G. Stead, J. McPhee and W. Gosnell; trustees, J. Holmes, Sr., and R. G. Joy.

The enlargements in the lead plant at Trail have now reached a point which will make it unnecessary for the Consolidated company to make any further shipments of St. Eugene lead cincentrates to Europe. In future these cincentrates will all be smelted and refined locally. During the past several years contracts for many thousands of tons of concentrates have been made with European firms for shipment to Antwerp and Hamburg, where the concentrates have always found a ready market in competition with the Australian lead concentrates.

A letter was received yesterday by the board of trade from the railway commission asking that the board appear at Winnipeg and present the Nelson case against the C.P.R. tariff. The board was informed that if attendance at Winnipeg was found to be impossible Nelson would have an opportunity at a later date at Ottawa to obtain a hearing before the commission. A reply was sent through S. S. Taylor informing the commission that the Nelson board of trade found it impossible to present its case against the new tariff inasmuch as, despite frequent requests to the C.P.R., no copy of that tariff had yet been delivered to the board. It was further urged upon the commission the desirability of sitting in Nelson when the hearing was eventually given so that local conditions might be studied.

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LATEST CAUSE CELEBRE

LADY YARMOUTH, H. K. THAW'S SISTER, SEEKS DIVORCE

PROCEDINGS TO BE HELD IN CAMERA BY ORDER OF COURT

London, Jan. 3—The failure of another alliance of English nobility with an American woman of wealth, became public this evening, when it was learned that the countess of Yarmouth who was Alice Thaw of Pittsburg, a daughter of Mrs. William Thaw, and sister of Harry K. Thaw, had applied to the divorce court for an annulment of her marriage to the earl of Yarmouth.

The court has ordered that the proceedings be held in camera and the papers are being kept secret. The only inkling obtainable of the charges preferred is a statement to the efffect that the nature of the medical evidence to be given makes a public hearing inadvisable.

The countess of Yarmouth is staying at Park Hill, near Evesham, Worcestershire, a magnificent country seat she has leased, decorated and refurnished with lavish expenditure. She declines to comment on the case. The earl of Yarmouth cannot be found at his usual haunts tonight and it is supposed he is on the continent where he spends much of his time.

It has been well known for two years that the domestic affairs of the Yarmouths were most unhappy. The earl's companions and his manner of living were such that he could not give his wife the position in society she had a right to expect. She supplied immense sums of money to defray her husband's extravagances and her friends say she has conducted herself with dignity throughout the troubles resuting from the unhappy marriage and her brother's difficulties. The notoriety brought upon the Hertford family through its indirect connection with the Thaw murder case was galling and this climax to the eldest son's marriage to Alice Thaw is a bitter pill. The marchioness of Hertford, who has stood by her daughter-in-law throughout her troubles and has exerted herself to reconcile the couple, is prostrated with grief.

The ountess herself has suffered from the strain of the past year. Her friends say she has grown thin rapidly and has a worried look. They have advised her to remain in England until after the divorce proceedings, but the countess desires to return to the United States for her brother's second trial and is undecided which course to pursue.

Last summer on the advice of Mr. and Mr. George Lauder Carnegie her brother-in-law and sister, who were with her for two months, the countess decided to seek the aid of the divorce court. It was intended to defer this action until the second trial of Harry Thaw in New York, but the delay in bringing the case to trial led to a change of plans.

Alice Thaw, daughter of the late Wm. Thaw of Pittsburg, was married to George Francis Alexander Seymour, earl of Yarmouth, in Calvary church, Pittsburg, on April 27, 1903. The marriage followed a rather brief courtship and put a stop to the earl's stage career, which had begun in private social theatricals at Newport and had later been more or less successful in a professional way. Yarmouth was starred in light comedies by a well known New York manager, his title being thinly veiled in programs and announcements.

Lady Yarmouth has always been a favorite of the family with her brother Harry Kendall Thaw. She returned to England, where she had made her home since her title marriage and was present during the entire three months of the trial of her brother. It has been given out that lady Yarmouth would not be present at the second trial of her brother, out of deference to the wishes of her husband and other members of his family. It was said that the earl strongly objected to the notoriety and prominence of the Yarmouth name in connection with the first proceedings.

The news from London of the beginning of a suit for the nullification of the marriage is a new aspect upon the countess' absence. The news was not entirely unexpected here for rumors of the proceedings now undertaken have been rife for some time. The former Miss Thaw has always been very popular among her associates, both in Pittsburg and New York and her married life has been followed with a great deal of interest. During the trial of her brother she attracted a great deal of sympathy and the sadness written upon her features was attributed to the plight of her kinsman. When she returned to England it was generally reported that her health had been wrecked. Later it was said she had gone to Italy with her husband to seek rest and the restoration of shattered nerves.

It fell to the lot of lady Yarmouth to inform her mother of her brother's rash deed. At the time of the sensational shooting in Madison Square roof garden, Mrs. Wm. Thaw was on a steamer bound for England to visit her daughter. She was met by lady Yarmouth and taken to the latter's house in London, where as gently as possible, the news was broken.

Mrs. Thaw returned at once to America and took a prominent part in arranging for the defense of her son.

Lady Yarmouth followed her in time for the trial. There was some surprise expressed at the time that her husband did not accompany her.

The wedding of lord Yarmouth and Miss Thaw was an event in Pittsburg society. It was planned that her eldest brother, Harry, should give her away but he was absent. The ceremony was delayed for several hourse to await his coming, but he did not put in an appearance. Josiah C. Thaw, another brother, acted in his place. It was also reported that the delay in the ceremony was due to further negotiations with regard to the marriage settlement from the Thaw family. The earl is declared to have insisted upon an increase and the papers had to be drawn up before the marriage proceeded.

Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie, who was a familiar figure in the family group at the first Thaw trial, was the matron of honor to her sister. Lord Edward Seymour, brother of the groom, was best man. A number of the earl's relatives came over for the ceremony. Within a year of her marriage lady Yarmouth was compelled to deny rumors of a disagreement with her husband. She endeavore to live as quietly as possible and any entertaining that was done was on a comparatively small scale.

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EXASPERATED BY TRAIN'S DELAY

Paris, Jan. 3—Three thousand suburbanites residing along the Western railroad exasperated by the continuance of delays in transit through which they lose hours in pay daily and sometimes even are dismissed by their employers, today wrecked the offices at the Saint Lazare terminus of the railroad and for an hour held the police at bay and were finally dislodged by the fire department which played streams from two lines of hose upon them. The railroad officials claim that delays today were due to the extreme cold causing signal wires to break.

ROADMASTER ARRESTED

Toronto, Jan. 3—Roadmaster Kinsman was arrested this morning in connection with another attempt of the Suburban Railway company to run their cars to Humberside avenue in Toronto Junction. Manager Boyce states that the town authorities will have to answer for their action as they had no right to prevent the running of cars. Kinsman was in the cells for a while and then was released on $100 bail for one week.

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