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SERIOUS FIRE

Wood-Vallance Company's Warehouse Suffers

COVERED BY INSURANCE

FIRM WAS WELL PROTECTED ON BOTH STOCK AND BUILDING—DAMAGE WILL RUN INTO THOUSANDS—CAUSE IS UNKNOWN—FIRE BRIGADE'S QUICK ACTION

Damage to the extent of several thousands of dollars was done by a fire which broke out in the Wood-Vallance Hardware company's wholesale warehouse on the waterfront shortly before 7 o'clock last evening. It was impossible for the officials of the company to fix the exact fire loss last evening but that it was a heavy one may be judged from the fact that the stock was valued at between $35,000 and $40,000 and that, while much of this escaped serious damage, other portions were either totally destroyed or ruined. The stock in the west end of the building, where the fire broke out, suffered heavy damage but that in the east end, which the blaze did not reach to any extent, got off very lightly. In addition to the loss on the stock, the building suffered considerably. It was valued at $2,500 and was insured for $1,500. That the building was not totally destroyed and with it the entire stock which it contained was due to the good work of the fire brigade which not only responded promptly but also, under chief Deasy's direction, did good work after it did arrive. The efforts of the firemen were rendered all the more effective by reason of the excellent water pressure that was available. From the time that the alarm was sounded until the first water was playing on the building was 1 1-4 minutes.

The cause of the fire is unknown. There were no electric wires nor gas fixtures in the building and neither was there a stove nor fire of any kind. William Croy, one of the company's warehouse men left the building at 5:15 and at that time there was no sign of fire. About 6:50, however, flames broke out through the roof just as the steamer Kaslo was berthing at the city wharf and an alarm was rung in from box 43 at the corner of Front and Hall streets. Up to the moment when the fire broke through the roof there was no evidence whatever to people in the neighborhood of anything wrong. Members of the Nelson boat club who had been out for a practice previous to today's race returned about the time the fire was discovered and the crews went into their dressing rooms as usual. Hardly a moment later the whole neighborhood was lighted up by flames breaking through the roof of the Wood-Vallance warehouse. Someone else had noticed the blaze at about the same moment or the fire alarm commenced ringing just about then.

The firemen responded quickly and soon had two lines of hose playing on the building. These were followed shortly after by three others. With the excellent water pressure these five lines in comparatively short time had the fire under control, although to the casual observer there did not appear any hope of saving either the building or its contents such a hold did the flames appear to have secured before the arrival of the brigade. Chief Deasy's good judgment, however, backed as it was by the work of the men, accomplished what many considered was impossible. Of the five lines of hose used, one belonged to the mill company. None of the city's new hose was brought into requisition.

When the brigade arrived the whole west end of the building appeared to be in flames. Water was first directed against the roof and later was discharged direct into the lower portion of the building. The fire gradually worked eastward but the firemen kept pace with it and soon what had threatened to be a most disastrous conflagration was under control. One thing that was in favor of the brigade was the fact that there was little or nothing of an inflammable nature in the building. Beyond some oakum and cotton waste and three barrels of boiled oil and some woodenware there was nothing whatever that could be classed as such. The three barrels of oil were saved. Contrary to general belief at the time of the fire there is never gasoline or petroleum or anything in the way of explosives in the building. The stock carried in the portion of the building which suffered most consisted of stoves, ranges, nails and horse shoes.

When seen last night the officials of the company said that until they could look over the stock in daylight and figure out exactly what had been destroyed, they could not estimate the damage. Although the stock was a heavy one, between $35,000 and $40,000 was well insured, the total amount carried being $29,000. The company's loss therefore would not be a heavy one. A large portion of the building was pretty badly gutted but the insurance on it would also go a long way toward making up the loss. They valued the building at $2,500 and carried $1,500 insurance on it.

Had the fire occurred at a dry season and with even the wind that was blowing last night it might have resulted in a conflagration such as this city has never yet known. For a time large sparks and embers were blowing up over the city as far as the postoffice. However, conditions were favorable to the city's safety last night and no damage resulted from these sparks and embers.

The warehouse in which the fire occurred was built about 12 years ago by Hamilton Byers & Co. and was taken over by the Wood-Vallance company about four years ago when they bought both the wholesale and retail branches of that firm's business. One of the features of the fire is the fact that it is the first serious fire that the Wood-Vallance company has had since the firm commenced business in 1849 or 59 years ago in Hamilton, Ontario, which is still the headquarters of the firm, although it has large branches in Winnipeg, Vancouver, Toronto and Nelson. This is undoubtedly a record for a firm of such magnitude as the Wood-Vallance company and speaks volumes for the way in which the firm's premises are looked after by its employees. Since opening here the Wood-Vallance company have extended the business of their predecessors and this year bought the building at the corner of Baker and Josephine streets in which is located their retail branch. This building they have since then reinforced and doubled the floor space of their store by taking in that portion of the building formerly occupied by R. H. Ewert.

JUDGMENT RESERVED

(Western Associated Press)

OTTAWA, Oct. 13—In the supreme court appeal in Caseleman vs. Waghorn from the supreme court of British Columbia heard today, judgment was reserved. The dispute arose out of a transaction in Diamond Vale Coal company stock.

OUTRAGEOUS PROFITS

MORE DISCLOSURES AT MARINE DEPARTMENT

CLIFFORD SIFTON'S SHARE OF GOOD THINGS

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—Mr. justice Cassells temporarily suspended his inquiry into the marine department here today in order to hear certain witnesses who promised to testify in New York. On resumption it is expected that the International Marine Signal company's business with the department will again be investigated. President Wilson has already acknowledged that the profits on the buoys were enormuos. For three years the department purchased carbide from the Ottawa Carbide company, consisting of the Bronzons, Wilson and the heirs of the late Hon. James Sutherland. In order to minimize anything in the nature of a deal with the estate of the late minister the government has been purchasing carbide from the Shawinigan Carbide company. Just now it has transpired that the owners of the works at Shawinigan are Wilson and the Hon. Clifford Sifton. It has been rumored for some time that Clifford Sifton was one of the moving spirits of the International Marine Signal company but it is now stated that Sifton holds stock to the value of $850,000 on the company.

It is also stated that John Gain, formerly assistant commissioner of customs, resigned from the government service two years ago to watch Hon. Sifton's interests in the company where he is now general manager.

WRIGHT'S AIRSHIP.

Will Attempt Flight of 3000 Feet Very Soon—Flying Without Motor.

PARIS, Oct. 13—According to a Paris newspaper Wilbur Wright, the aviator, has told Llazare Weller, head of the syndicate that has purchased the French rights to the Wright brothers machine and that as soon as he has completed his contract with the syndicate by instructing three pilots in the working of the aeroplane, he will attempt some flights for height. There is no reason, he is reported to have said, why he should not go up to a height of 3000 feet. He also spoke of trying some flight without the motor and without the derrick which is now required to start the aeroplane.

BOGUS MINING STOCK

Spokane Promoters in Trouble at Toronto—Extradition Asked.

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—A demand for the extradition from the United States of two alleged representatives of the Spokane and Montana Mining and Smelting company has been laid before the attorney general of Ontario. It is claimed that by misrepresentation and false statements they induced various persons to buy stock. Mrs. M. H. Cockburn is the chief loser on whose behalf the application is made.

Lost Everything.

BERLIN, Oct. 13—A wireless message received from Arnold, the conductor of the St. Louis balloon in the Gordon Bennett race says: "Lost everything in the North sea last night."

Another dispatch received here says the St. Louis sank in the North sea and that its occupants were rescued by a schooner.

WAR IN BALKAN

There is no Cloud on Horizon of Bulgaria

PEACE DAWNS IN EUROPE

NO HOSTILE DESIGNS ON TURKEY AND WAR SPECTRE NOW LAID FOR GOOD—LIBERAL REGIME WILL NOW BE CULTIVATED IN SOFIA.

PROVINCIAL LIBRARY.

SOFIA, Oct. 13.—"There is no cloud on the Bulgarian horizon," sums up the official view in Sofia of the events that have transpired since the proclamation of Bulgarian independence by prince Ferdinand on October 5th. The government is convinced that the chancelleries of Europe will swing to a more favorable view of Bulgaria's action as soon as the danger of a general conflagration is over. The troops now under arms, including the reserves recently called out, reached a total of 120,000 men; they will be kept to the colors for another month, pending the settlement of the existing situation.

The guards on the frontier have been given stringent instructions to keep well within the limits of the new kingdom and to avoid clashing with the Turks. The illness of prince Boris, the eldest son of king Ferdinand, is the reason why the members of the royal family were not present at the festival in Sofia yesterday in connection with the king's triumphal entry into the capital. The only discordant note is found in the social organ, Kambana, which harps on the unconstitutionality of the declaration of independence and persists in calling the king "prince Ferdinand."

The representative of the Associated Press had an interview today with the present minister of foreign affairs. The minister said: "Before the dawn of independence in Turkey, Bulgaria was arming herself in preparation for a war for the liberation of Macedonia, but with the attainment of their aims by the Young Turks the situation was reserved. Our government recognized immediately that it had the most to gain by the cultivation of sincere friendship and co-operation with the liberal regime in Turkey.

"The proposed Turko-Bulgarian entente is dictated by the mutual interests of our neighboring states and each can be of powerful assistance to the other. Guided by such motives the Bulgarian government declared its independence as the sole means of placing Bulgaria on an equal footing with Turkey. We cut the bond of fictitious vassalage which in the past was responsible for so many disagreeable incidents. We wish solemnly to declare that we harbor no hostile designs on Turkey, in fact the act of Tirnovo signalizes, so far as Bulgaria is concerned, the laying of the spectre of the Bulkin war."

FOR THE CESAREWITCH

GLACIS DISPLACES PURE GEM AS FAVORITE

GREAT NEW MARKET HANDICAP TO BE RUN TODAY

(Canadian Associated Press)

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The latest betting for the Cesarewitch, the great handicap run tomorrow at the Newmarket second October meeting, shows that Glacis has displaced Pure Gem as favorite, commissions having been executed at 800 to 200 against the former, while the latter has gone out 5 to 1. The Nut rules strong at 1,000 to 70 and Wise Mason with Monadin are both well supported at 1,000 to 60.

Notwithstanding his failure in the Dorchester Cup the White Knight has been specially prepared and will probably go to the post, but the talent are of the opinion that the 10 stone flat he is asked to carry over the two miles and a quarter is too great a task, although last year he ran the winner, Demure, to a neck, carrying but two pounds less, this being regarded as the finest performance of Co. Kirkwood's horse. Radium is in at 9 stone 12 pounds, but after his race in the Prix de Conseil Municipale at Long Champ on Sunday last, he is not expected to be among the lot at the post. Glacis is the next heaviest weight with 6 stone 2 pounds, the rest of the heavy weights having dropped out. Siberia, owing to her recent win, carries 8 stone and is well fancied in some quarters, as is Lagos.

NEW STEAMSHIP LINE

G. T. P. to Take in Victoria Says President Hayes.

VICTORIA, Oct. 13—President Hayes of the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad announced that a steamship line to Victoria is being arranged. Waterfront property for wharfage was secured on the inner harbor some time ago.

MAY COME HERE.

C. P. R. President on Tour of Western Canada.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R. arrived here from Montreal today and will spend a few days in the city before proceeding west on a tour of inspection of the company's lines.

PUGSLEY IS CORNERED

ST. JOHN SENSATION SOLE TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

POINT BLANK CONTRADICTION OF MINISTER'S STATEMENT

ST. JOHN, Oct. 13.—Hon. Wm. Pugsley has issued a statement that the $2,000 given him by Mayes was for legal services. He says that he recommended McAvity as a possible investor in business and repudiated all knowledge of any arrangement between McAvity and Mayes until the matter was brought to his attention lately. He then made inquiries. He further states that Mayes had used his possible disclosures as a lever to influence the minister to buy the dredge at $150,000, but that Pugsley refused to go beyond the superintendent or dredging's valuation, $101,000.

Mayes denies that the $2,000 was for legal services, claiming that these were settled by payment of $1,300 several years before.

It is noteworthy that the minister has not denied sending Mayes to McAvity or subsequently advising him to keep in touch with him. Pugsley states that Mayes has post dated his $2,000 note two years, viz. to '07 instead of '05, the correct date.

McAvity, pleading indisposition, has refused to be interviewed and his counsel, Perley Barnhill, is equally reticent.

The Globe, liberal, senator Ellis' paper, admits that the charge has caused a great sensation and today is almost the only matter of discussion. It says the affair must lead to a government enquiry and concluding says that the statements made are of considerable importance.

BORDEN IS CONFIDENT

Conservative Leader at Ottawa—Increased Wages Granted.

OTTAWA, Oct. 13.—The government has accepted the award of the conciliation and investigation board in connection with increase of wages for Intercolonial railway freight clerks. The board recommended that the staff should be reduced in size and that money so saved should be applied to increase the salaries of those remaining.

R. L. Borden is at home again after campaign work. He will spend a week in Nova Scotia before the elections. He expresses himself as confident of victory for the conservative party.

The seismograph at the Dominion observatory recorded a severe earthquake shock just after midnight which lasted two and a half minutes. The seat of the shock is estimated to be 2,300 miles away.

The Ottawa river is so low that steamers cannot pass through the locks.

Asks Big Damages.

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—Justice Teetzel this morning quashed the conviction of John Titmarsh, of Inglewood, by justices of the peace Graham and Jamieson on a charge of polluting a well with coal oil. For this alleged offence Titmarsh was fined with the alternative of thirty days in jail, and as he did not pay the fine he was arrested at Brampton. He spent two hours in jail and was then released on habeas corpus proceedings. Titmarsh has issued a writ for $100,000 damages for false arrest and imprisonment against Graham and Jamison.

Killed at a Fire.

NIAGARA FALLS, Oct. 13—A fire broke out at 11:30 last night in the old roller rink building in the south of the city occupied by J. Critellis & Sons as a lodging house for Italian laborers. Ten Italians who were asleep in the building were aroused and escaped with their belongings. Critellis Felix, 24 years of age, was killed by a falling roof. The loss is $3,500, partly insured.

Store Rooms Burn.

TORONTO, Oct. 13—Fire from unknown cause did considerable damage to the store room of H. W. Manville & Co., manufacturers of asbestos and magnesia products on Wellington street, west.

Appointed Fuel Agent.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13—J. F. Kane, chief clerk to W. Whyte, second vice president of the C. P. R. has been appointed fuel agent of the company with headquarters at Calgary.

Damages for Child's Death.

TORONTO, Oct. 13—Thomas McKeown was awarded $300 by a jury tonight in his action for $5000 for the death of his four-year-old son who was killed by a street car in April last.

Toronto Firm Assigns.

TORONTO, Oct. 13—Imperial Carpet company, limited, Front street west has assigned for the benefit of the creditors. The liabilities placed at about $580,000 and assets at $650,000.

Suicide at Wininpeg.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13—C. G. Smith, of Vermillion bay, Ont., committed suicide this morning by drowning himself in the Red river here. He was about 45 years of age.

Central Vermont Line.

ST. ALBAN, Vt., Oct. 13—At the annual meeting of the Central Vermont, C. M. Hayes, of Montreal was elected president. The earnings were $700,380 for fiscal year ended June 30th last.

Woodstock's Latest.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Oct. 13—The new Y. M. C. A. building which cost $25,000 was formally opened tonight.

TURNED DOWN

Gompers is Deserted by Noted Labor Leader

KEEFE WORKS FOR TAFT

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR SPLIT IN TWO ON VOTE FOR PRESIDENCY — JOINING THE GROWING TURNOVER NOW IN PROGRESS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The democratic national committee, through John J. Gordon, acting chief of the press bureau, tonight made public the following statement.

"It was stated at the national democratic committee headquarters that president Roosevelt by promise of office hud succeeeded in having one of the big men of the American Federation of Labor desert president Gompers in his advocacy of the election of Mr. Bryan for the presidency.

"The labor leader in question is Daniel J. Keefe of Detroit, president of the International Association of Longshoremen and one of the vice-presidents of the Federation of Labor. The democratic committee alleges that Keefe and the president were closed for several hours in Washington on Saturday, October 3rd and the offer of being named commissioner of immigration, made vacant by the death of commissioner Sargent, was made by Mr. Keefe repudiating Mr. Gompers and the executive committee.

"Mr. Keefe on Saturday last issued a statement in which he adds: 'I am going to vote for Wm. Taft.'

"It is pointed out that on September 28 the last executive committee of the American Federation of Labor issued a circular calling on all organization of labor to work for the defeat of Mr. Taft and republic congressmen seeking re-election and Mr. Keefe authorized his signature to be attached to it.

"The course of the democratic committee's information was not divulged tonight but the information was offered that if Mr. Keefe or president Roosevelt deny the charge, another big leader now in New York will come forward with facts to prove that the offer was made and Mr. Keefe accepted and has commenced to make good part of the deal."

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Secretary Leob, upon being shown the statement issued from the democratic headquarters in New York, said nothing in the nature of a reply would be given out at the White House tonight but that the charge would probably receive attention tomorrow. Daniel Keefe was one of the president's callers on October 3. Patrick H. Morrissey, of Cleveland, head of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, also saw the president on the same day.

ARE BEST ON THE COAST

GERMAN EXPERT ON VICTORIA SHIP REPAIRING YARDS

HOW SOUTH AMERICANS LOOT CARGES OF SHIPS

VICTORIA, Oct. 13—Captain O. Callaen, representative of the German underwriters of Hamburg who is here on a tour of investigation inspected the Esquimalt ship repairing yards and said they were the best equipped on the coast for repair work.

He recently investigated the looting of cargo at Chilian ports and says that the insurance has been increased from 1 3-4 per cent. to 10 per cent. as a result of his report. He instanced two cases where steamers had been practically pirated in the harbor at Antofagasta. The steamer Serato of the Pacific Steam Navigation company, he said, had been attacked, the watchman overpowered and the captain held up at a revolver point while the hatches were taken off and a valuable cargo stolen, being lifted into small boats alongside with the steamer's own winch by the pirates.

There had been too, practically a pitched battle with revolvers at Antofagasta between the pirates and the crew on the steamer Coyo of W. R. Grace & Co. In another case forty tons of Bolivian cargo, valued at 80,000 pesos, had been looted from lighters and loaded on an Italian barque. Very heavy losses had also occurred at Talcuhuano as a result of the neglect of cargo which had been left to sink in the sand, abandoned for months.

NEW SERUM.

French Professor's Discovery for Cure of White Plague.

PARIS, Oct. 13—Professor Lanselongue, of the university of Paris has discovered an anti-tubercular serum which is said to be the most efficacious remedy of the kind used. Of eleven patients innoculated with the new serum, ten have either been cured or have shown improvement. Further experiments are expected to show even better results.

This Thief is Bold.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Representing himself to be a real estate agent a well dressed young man gained acess to the home of Summerfield McLean, a wealthy Brooklyn publisher, today and while Miss Beatrice Masten, a young sister of Mrs. McLean, was showing the man over the premises, he overpowered her and bound her arms and legs, tied a gag over her mouth and got away with about $1,000 worth of jewelry and valuables. It was nearly an hour before the young woman, who had become unconscious, was discovered by her neice, Beatrice McLean. A physician was summoned and he found Miss Masten suffering from shock but not otherwise injured.

MASKED MEN AT FERNIE

SEVERAL DARING HOLDUPS ARE SUCCESSFULLY MADE

POLICE UNABLE TO OBTAIN THE SLIGHTEST CLUE

FERNIE, Oct., 13—Several daring holdups were made last night throughout the city on people living in small tents and shacks and from information received from the police today, six different cases are reported. They got from $15 to $40 in each place making a total of nearly $200. This happened between the hours of nine and ten o'clock last night and was reported to the police who gathered the whole force together but could not gain the slightest clue as the night was very dark and wet, and the electric light system was out of commission, and no street lights were burning, which made it difficult for the police to trace the robbers. From one to three masked men were reported to be implicated in this daring piece of work and well armed with guns.

BORDEN IN QUEBEC.

OTTAWA, Oct. 13—R. L. Borden, addressed two big meetings on the Quebec side of the Ottawa river yesterday. In the afternoon he spoke before a large audience at Shawville in the interests of Gerald H. Brabazon conservative candidate in Pontiac county and last night he addressed a gathering of electors at Aylmer, on behalf of J. A. Labelle, the conservative candidate in Wrignt county.

A PROTEST TO LAURIER

CANADIAN SOUTH AFRICAN MEN FORM ASSOCIATION

TAG PLACED ON LAND GRANTS IS OBJECTED TO

(Western Associated Press)

OTTAWA, Oct. 13—The Canadian South African Veterans' association organized today, representatives of 7000 veterans being present of 9000 eligible. The officers elected were: Honorary president, earl Grey; honorary vice-president, the minister of militia, Sir Frederick Borden; president, Col. Steele; vice-presidents, major Winter, Manitoba; major Macdonell, Saskatchewan; major Christie, Moosomin, Alberta; British Columbia, Capt. Hart-McHarg; secretary-treasurer, A. Miller, Ottawa. These officers with two representatives from each affiliated association, constitute the council. The capital was selected as the meeting place and the annual meeting was set for Paardeburg day. Affiliation fees were set at $10 for associations of fifty or more and $5 for those having less than 50 members. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution to report at the annual meeting.

The bounty act was discussed and a telegram was sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier remonstrating at the interior department forcing veterans to begin residence within six months of entry instead of the date, mentioned in the act, June, 1911. It questions the legality of the department's action, as being contrary to the act of parliament and also asks the concession that all scrip read 160 acres, instead of $160 as in the act. Another concession is that all incapacitated veterans be especially exempted from settlement duties. The appointment of a selling board was held over until different associations have expressed their opinion.

AMBASSADOR BRYCE

Honored by Big Banquet at Boston—On Friendly Tems.

BOSTON, Oct. 13—Boston men of British birth and ancestry, and Canadians and Britons joined last night in honoring the British ambassador to the United States, the Hon. James Bryce, at a dinner at the Hotel Somerset. The dinner was given by the Canadian club of Boston, with the cooperation of the Victorian club, the Intercolonial club, the British charitable society and the Scots charitable society. British, French, Scotch and American flags formed an international setting behind the British ambassador, as he rose amid the applause of the gathering to offer the greeting of the British empire. Ambassador Bryce declared there was never a time when Canada and the United States were so closely linked and equally desirous of securing peace for themselves and the whole world.

FATAL BASE BALL

Games Cause Numerous Deaths From Disease in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The deaths from heart disease increased last week due, the death department physicians say, to the acute baseball situation. Last week the deaths were 154 as compared with 129 for the corresponding week in 1907. In Manhattan the deaths were 70 as compared with 58, showing, in the opinion of the physicians, that the interest in the game has spread throughout the city, whereas for the week ending Oct. 3 the final decision regarding the disputed game with Chicago had been made and when hope of ultimate victory was still high the death were 121 as compared with 123 a year ago.

IN THE CABINET

Lord Fitzmaurice Given a Place by Asquith

MILITANT SUFFRAGETTES

WOMAN APPEARS AT BAR OF THE BRITISH COMMONS WAVING HER ARMS AND SHOUTING "IT WAS THE TIME TO TALK ABOUT WOMEN."

LONDON, Oct. 13—Lord Fitzmaurice, parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, has been given a seat in the cabinet as chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, vice viscount Wolverhampton of Wolverhampton who has been appointed lord president of the council in succession to the Earl of Crewe. Lord Fitzmaurice will continue to represent the foreign office in the house of lords. A new parliamentary secretary for foreign affairs will be selected from the house of commons.

The climax of the suffragette campaign was reached tonight when an enormous mob hemmed in parliament and stopped traffic in all streets leading to Westminster. For more than three hours the crowds scuffled good naturedly with the police, interferred with the theatre goers, broke windows and disorganized things generally in the centre of London. The heroine of the day was Mrs. Travers Symons, formerly secretary to James Keir Hardie, the socialist and independent member of parliament, who reached the door of the house of parliament, who reached the door of the house of commons by strategy. The house was solemnly debating a bill to prevent children from cigarette smoking, when the woman dashed past the doorkeeper to a position in front of the speaker's chair and shouted: "Leave off discussion of children and talk about the women." Three officials seized Mrs. Symons and carried her out bodily. She was then led to the outer door and dismissed. As a result of the coup an order was issued that hereafter women should not be permitted to the building on any pretext whatever and in the future the historic grill will not screen feminine spectators.

The appeal issued by the suffragettes for 50,000 people to help them "rush" Westminster at 7:30 o'clock this evening was the most successful stroke yet. Not less than twice that number responded to the call and nine tenths of these were young people who came to see the fun. There were also a few hundrd of unemployed and their sympathizers. Parliament was in a state of siege. A close, triple line of police were drawn around the three sides of the square in front of the building. The yard between the gates swarmed with police and two hundred guarded the terrace in the rear against assault by which way the women twice attempted to enter. A small fleet of police boats also patrolled the Thames approaches.

All the mounted police in London and suburbs had been mobilized at this centre and loads of hay were unstacked in the streets for the horses. The whole police force together with cavalry, infantry and marines numbering more than 5,000 was kept busy in restraining and pushing, struggling masses, especially about Trafalgar square, where the Nelson monument looked down upon dense crowds in all directions with busses, motor cabs and cabs mostly filled with sightseers trying to thread the way through. The police kept the streets adjoining the house of commons clear. When they tried their ability to keep the people moving the crowd cheered, sang songs and giving voice to all the sarcastic remarks that only a London crowd is capable of.

These were aimed in a semi-good-natured manner at the suffragettes who, distinguished by their orange sashes, swarmed everywhere distributing tracts.

A delegation of thirteen suffragettes which, approached the police cordon and was formally refused admittance to parliament, attempting to make a rush but the women were turned back with the least possible roughness. The rush resembled a football gridiron. The police were pelted with stones and other missels but nobody was seriously hurt. Twenty-four suffragettes and twelve of the unemployed were arrested. Many persons fainted in the crush, a few were trampled upon and taken to the hospitals. Mrs. Pankhurst, Miss Christabel Pankhurst and Mrs. Lawrence were summoned to court yesterday for inciting a breach of the peace, this morning they coolly refused to obey the summons but agreed to surrender themselves at 6 o'clock in the evening which they did, spending the night in the Bow street station. Suffragettes and unemployed have practically had the whole police force on duty continually for forty-eight hours.

Mrs. Massey eDad.

TORONTO, Oct. 13—Elizabeth Ann Prith, widow of the late Hart A. Massey of the firm of Massey, Harris & Co., died last night, aged 86 years.

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"Miss Summers — Polly—I—I—er—dare I—" But the speaker took a header over bashfulness, only to hear a sweet

"Yes, Charley."

"Can I aspire to—er—to—that—is" Again a lapse into silence, followed by an encouraging

"Yes, Charley."

"Oh, if I might only hope to er—to—

Another failure of language. It was seemingly a hopeless case, and might have been, only for a demure

"Charley, I have said 'yes' twice, and if you mean it, I mean it, too, and—'

And to this day that young man will insist that he popped the question.

All this happened away "down east," and it wasn't long before there was a wedding. Not much longer before there was a letter from Polly's Uncle Josh, (Hon. Josua Turner, an old pioneer of Nelson), rich, generous and level headed, who wrote effusively of his delight at her exhibition of what he called "grit" and he proposed that if the young people could locate at Nelson he would start them up in life, as a wedding gift, having fully explained that this is the best spot in the world for young married people to get a good start. Of course they accepted, and were soon bidding their friends adieu.

A few weeks subsequet to the above conversation a travel-stained party arrived in Nelson. Our friend, uncle Josh, was in charge and he led the party straightaway to the Hume hotel.

"We'll go to the Hume," said he, "'cause that's the popular place and strictly first-class. I have known Mr. Tomkins, the manager, for years and he is mine host after mine own heart; being endowed with that delightful intuition that makes a guest feel at home, comfortable, contented, and in mighty good luck. The house is one of convenience; the apartments are well furnished and the cuisine—well, that hotel is noted for its excellent table, so I have engaged rooms here until your own house is in readiness."

"After breakfast is over," continued the old man, "I must take you for a little drive and then we'll proceed to buy your outfit. To expediate matters I'll just call up phone No. 35 and have big John, our enterprising hack man, send us around a rig." When the handsome carriage, with elaborate trappings and prancing horses drew up in front of the hotel Polly declared it to be a turnout fit for a queen. "Yes sir-ee," replied uncle Josh, "that is a pretty neat rig—the three S's, 'Speed, Safety and Style', is big John's coat of arms, and best of all, the rates are very reasonable. His wedding, party and funeral equipments are unsurpassed. It was in a stylish turnout indeed that the rounds of the city were made.

"No grass shall grow under our feet," remarked uncle Josh, "so what's first on the programme?" "Oh, goodness knows there's lots to buy," remarked Polly. "Then suppose we buy 'lots' first," quoth Charley without turning a hair. "Well, I see you've got a great head for business," laughed uncle Josh, "we'll just stop at McDermid & McHardy's real estate office. I can always depend upon them for bargains in real estate, as they never hold out false lights to induce people to buy, but what they tell you about property may be set down as solid facts. McDermid & McHardy control a large list of desirable residences as well as farm properties, and their judgment on the 'good things' is par excellence." Accordingly Mr. McHardy, a member of the firm, accompanied the trio on their drive and before returning had sold to uncle Josh, for his wards a cosy cottage.

"And in the matter of insurance," the old gentleman continued. "That is also of importance. You will want a risk on your new house, and goods, but you can't be too careful about getting it in a reliable agency. My friends, McDermid and McHardy, not only have lines of the soildest and best companies, but they are expert and trustworthy underwriters. They have a large number of companies, all of which belong to the old reliable category, being well known for their prompt and satisfactory adjustment of losses. It's better to be safe than sorry and you'll surely be safe in the McDermid & McHardy agency." Charley agreed to attend to the insurance matter at his earliest convenience.

"Having already provided a cage for the bird," said uncle Josh, "now the first thing we'll look after will be the furnishings for it." Hereupon Polly energetically declared that she had heard so much about D. J. Robertson's that she decided to go there. The result was that they were ushered into such a bewildering display that the girl was at first at a loss how to select. But she soon yielded to the seductiveness of a magnificent parlor suite, a bed room set in oak, golden finish, that would do credit to old Mr. Klondyke himself. To this she added three of Robertson's elastic felt mattresses, manufactured in Nelson, having come to the conclusion that D. J. Robertson's prices were below the very whisper of competition.

"A pretty good start," said the old man," and now we'll go to The J. H. Ashdown Hardware company's big hardware and stove store where Polly's housewifely instincts will have full play in marvels of kitchen appartus. There is not an establishment in the country that carries a more comprehensive stock of cooking machinery," remarked uncle Josh. "Every possible piece of kitchen furniture from a tin dipper to a cooking range is here in all styles and variety." If Polly fails to accomplish wonders in the culinary art, it will not be for want of superior cooking utensils, for she purchased a Round Oak range with all other equipments needed in a well regulated kitchen, all of which uncle Josh paid for with delight 'cause he knew The J. H. Ashdown Hardware company had treated him all right, just as they treat everybody.

"Well, Scat my!" exclaimed uncle Josh, with a David Harum accent, as they reached the street, "I must run over to the Canadian Bank of Commerce and get another cheque. Come along with me and get acquainted with Mr. Buchan and staff, for of course you will do business with them and it is always more pleasant to be personally acquainted with the people you do business with. This bank is as solid as the base of the universe, is managed on safe conservativeness, and has a strong working capital. You will find them ever ready to extend any accommodations compatible with business principles."

"Guess I'll open an account with The Canadian Bank of Commerce right away," replied Charles, and he did.

At this point, somewhat to the confusion of Charley, the old man indulged in a half serious criticism of his personal appearance. "You are decidedly off style for a townsman," said he "and we'd better go see Mr. C. Holloway about some new duds. That's an up-to-date place, and he understands the changing styles and is noted for his fits, and I bet you'll look more like a newly married man when you get togged out in a Holloway suit."

Charley found a large stock of woolens to choose from and the prices so reasonable that he left his measure, and when his new suit was finished, he looked so stylish in it his wife declared she'd fallen in love with him much sooner had he only been getting his clothes made by Holloway, the popular tailor.

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"So far so good," sententiously remarked uncle Josh as they left the tailor shop, "and one thing suggests another. To make this personal decoration business complete Charley, you'll also need a new hat and a few other men's furnishings. Now the next station the cars will stop at is The Hub, men's furnishing store. I know of no one who keeps so large a line or complete a line of good goods—in styles that are correct. There is no question about it, my boy, Emory & Walley, of The Hub, are in a position to supply the good dressers in more satisfactory styles and prices than anybody in town, and they are satisfied with a moderate profit, too." Calling at The Hub, Charley invested in a complete outfit from a late style hat down to sox, and he declared that "if a man couldn't get satisfied at that store it'd be his own fault."

"Let's see—I promised you a gold watch, didn't I?" queried uncle Josh of Polly, "and J. J. Walker is the man to give us the worth of our money. Entering the popular jewelry store the old man gallantly acquitted himself of the promise and then directed Polly's attention to the superior stock of silverware carried by the house. "There is no other such a house in town," said the old man, "and I will guarantee the quality to be the very best. Pick out your family clock while here," he added. J. J. Walker carries a magnificent line. "Don't forget another fact," he continued, "if ever you unfortunately need optical goods, this is the place to come to get your eyes scientifically tested and fitted free, and say, my boy, remember that Walker is also an expert doctor on sick watches."

After this visit, uncle Josh suggested a resort to some place of refreshment. At the refreshment table the old man waxed philosophical. "Never neglect your larder," said he. "That important adjunct to housekeeping controls masculine temper. To that end you must patronize a grocer on whom you can depend for honest goods. Through a long term of years I have found The Store of Quality perfectly reliable. You will find A. S. Horswill a careful man always fully stocked with every possible thing in the line of staple and fancy groceries, fresh and first-class, no shelf-worn goods there, while the prices are down to brass tacks. To keep peace in this family get all your groceries of The Store of Quality."

"Halt," commanded uncle Josh, as the party came in front of the Poole Drug company. "Walk right in." "Why, uncle, we're not sick, and—" "Guess I know that,' laughed the old man, "but I suspect it won't be long before this young man begins to take an interest in matters of paregoric and" 'U-n-c-l-e!" "We'll go in anyway and get acquainted, besides Polly may find some toilet articles she wants." Sure enough, before leaving he was loaded down with combs, brushes, face powders and sever bottles of fine perfumes. "Don't forget," added uncle Josh, "to come here with your prescriptions, as Mr. Poole and his clerks are competent pharmacists who use none but pure and reliable drugs."

"Oh, say, uncle," exclaimed Polly, where can I go for dry goods? This dress is hardly suitable, I must admit." "Well, my girl, if you want to select from one of the most popular establishments in the city, I will direct you to Meagher's, who carry a stock of dry goods that for variety and real value is seldom seen outside the largest metropolitan cities. Meagher has all the latest weaves in fashionable dress goods and you are sure to be guided right in your selections. You will find him pleasant to deal with and his employes polite and expert, while the prices cannot be duplicated." It did not take Polly long to tell a bargain when she saw one. She got a handsome dress, with all necessary trimmings, and several other articles of "fantastic disarray" so dear to the heart of every woman.

"Well, I reckon that cottage needs a few improvements," sententiously remarked uncle Josh as they climbed into the carriage. "You ought to have a little portico on the front, anyway, so I guess we'll strike right out for The Yale Columbia Lumber Co., Limited. They are the best dealers in that line and handle everything needed in the category of building material, from the brick for the foundation to the shingles for the roof, including, doors, windows and moulding. They are most pleasant to deal with and don't want all the money a fellows got either."

Uncle Josh made investigations as to the price of materials and found that The Yale Columbia Lumber Co., Limited, were selling stuff so reasonable, he concluded to let go the cottage improvements and build a more commodious residence, much to the delight of Polly, although it sent glimmering her first idea of "love in a cottage."

Having come to this conclusion about the larger and more palatial house, it occurred to the old gentleman that as they were not going to build a chicken coop or a barn, it would be a wise thing to employ experienced architects—some one in whose hands the matter might be placed with perfect and speedy results. "I have it, I have the architects right in my eye," he exclaimed. "McDonald & Williams are the very men; they have designed many of the principal blocks and elegant houses around this section. You remember those fine houses I showed you this morning? Well, McDonald & Williams drew up those plans and executed 'em, and they didn't monkey around a whole year, either." McDonald & Williams were soon contracted with to build the house for Polly and Charley, in fact the whole matter of the fine residence was turned over to those popular builders.

While uncle Josh was pondering where to go next, Polly suddenly asked: "Uncle, where can I find the leading millinery establishment?" Just a few doors further on," remarked uncle Josh, and we will visit the Enfield company, who, by the way, have on hand one of the completest stocks of millinery to be found in the city. You can get what you want there, the latest styles and lowest prices being their motto. Miss Curlis' good taste and experience guarantees that when you have purchased of the Enfield Co. you have the thing according to fashion and the satisfaction that your work has been done by a competent artist." In a few minutes there never was a happier girl than Polly, for she got a "perfect dream" of a hat and the bill didn't scare uncle Josh, either.

"Strange, now, isn't it, how one thing suggests another?" observed Polly, after they had arranged with the milliner.

"What's on your mind, now, Poll?" asked uncle Josh. "Well, I was just wondering if you happen to know a good decorator, too?" she asked. "Well now, I reckon I do," acknowledged uncle Josh," and when I think of decorators I think of Thompson & Douglas. They have reduced home adornment to a beautiful science—why bless you, they could make any old place look respectable and not half try. Prices mighty reasonable, too." Polly was soon revelling in a perfect elysium of beautiful wall paper. Thompson & Douglas were subsequently contracted with to do the decorating, and soon turned her home into "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

Returning from the decorators Charley intimated to Uncle Josh that he would like a dish of good oysters. "All right, my boy. I was thinking about that myself and I'm glad you mentioned it, 'cause I must say that if there is anyone thing on this earth in the category of food consumption that I'm particularly fond of its oysters. The only place in town to get good oysters, served up in any style, is the Bosquet Cafe, so we'll drop in and get some, and if you don't say that I took you to the proper place then your uncle Josh is no prophet." Calling at the Bosquet Cafe, the trio regaled themselves in delicious bivalves, which Charley declared would surpass even the dream of an epicure and he said that he guessed he would drop into Bosquet's pretty often.

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"Yes, and I must have some stationery, uncle Josh," quoth' Polly, "and—" "Yes, and a Bible with a reasonably big family register," interrupted the old man, "so we'll go to W. G. Thomson's book store. You'll find many articles indispensible for the parlor as well as the library there, and as for variety W. G. Thomson has an unequalled stock." So here Polly's pudchases included miscellaneous books, fancy stationery, all the latest agonies, bric-a-brac of all manner for the centre table, and finding an immense assortment of magazines, periodicals and newspapers, she subscribed for everything in sight. Polly remarked to the generous old uncle, "Why, I don't know when to quit buying. Everything I find here at W. G. Thomson's just strikes my fancy and is so cheap."

"Yum, yum," laughingly escaped Polly's rosebud lips, as she glanced into C. H. Bean's attractive confectioneary store. "Uncle Josh, you know I've got a sweet tooth, and those home made candies look so nice I just can't resist the temptation to go in." Charley here objected 'cause he knew if Polly got into a confectionery store once, there's where she'd likely want to stay. He relented, however, when uncle Josh said "fruit, my boy, fruit," so in they went, and after regaling themselves in delicious fruit the girl loaded up on chocolates and bon bons enough to make every tooth in the country ache. Polly was a splendid judge of sweetmeats, and she indulged in a profuse compliment of what she found at C. H. Bean's.

"Well, great smoke, Charley, where in the name of creation did you get that rope? That's about the worst snipe that ever came in contact with my olfactory nerve," laughingly remarked uncle Josh. "Step in here to the Cabinet cigar store and get a El Bravo, then you'll have a gentleman's smoke. The Cabinet cigar store takes great pride to keep all the leading brands, both imported and domestic, and consequently this place grows more popular every day." Charley was so well pleased with the cigar uncle Josh treated him to that he bought a whole box and advised his wife to remember the brand when she got his next birth-day present, not forgetting to also make note of the Cabinet cigar store's fine display of other cigars, tobacco's, pipes, etc.

"Now, how about the plumber, uncle?" inquired Polly. "You remember you said you would see somebody for that." Jes so, jes so; and we shant have any botcher do the work either. I'll talk to Smith & Hunden about that. We've got to have water pipes put in, a hot water heater and a porcelain bath tub, besides some sanitary fixin's and Smith & Hunden are the very men to do the work. They observe closely all the hygenic laws guarding against dangers from sewer gasses. You can always feel safe about the house when practical men, as I know Smith & Hunden to be, have done the work." The aforesaid plumbers got the contract, did just what uncle Josh said they would do, and won Polly's praise for their excellent workmanship.

"And now, young man, let me give you another pointer," remarked the generous old uncle. "Do not understand me to say that clothes make the man, but I do affirm that clean and spotless linen helps a heap. Now in this connection I am happy to inform you that the Kootenay Steam laundry is one of the best laundries in the country. Polly will want her lace curtains and shirt waists done up, it's a ticklish job you know, but they are so very careful that the most delicate fabrics are washed without the slightest injury and I don't like a Chinaman nohow. Mr. Larson, the proprietor, will see that your collars, cuffs and shirts are made white as snow unless they happen to be colored, but then you needn't be afraid of a fade, for the Kootenay Steam laundry pride themselves upon the proper care of colored garments."

"Law sakes!" suddenly exclaimed Uncle Josh, "all this trading 'round town has caused me to forget another one or two of the greatest essentials to future existence. Newly married folks can't like on love and scenery any more than anybody else—but your table would look slim without bread; it's the 'staff of life,' you know. Polly must make the acquaintance of Choquette Bros of the Star bakery. Their bread, pies and cakes and nick-nacks are conceded by all to be the finest on earth. Remember, Charley, there is no use of your 'ootsy tootsy' bothering herself much about baking, so long as there is a good bakery in town like the Star. They made that elegant cake I sent to your weddin'." "Yes, and everybody said it was just lovely," eagerly responded Polly.

"Now," cried the old gentleman, "now for a picture of this crowd. In good old country fashion we'll go to the photograph gallery, and my friend Mr. Allan Lean of the Queen studio has a good one. His pictures are wonderful in fidelity and finish. I want one full size photo for my study and some small ones for my friends. Mr. Lean has the soul of a true artist; all his work is a labor of love, in which he will not stop short of perfection. As he is famous for successful enlarging, I want to give you a life size representation of 'yours truly.'" (The pictures of Uncle Josh, Polly, and Charley may all be seen at the Queen studio any time the reader desires to call.)

En route to their home the party called at The Daily News office. "You'll want The News every day," remarked Uncle Josh, "and as this is the favorite Kootenay paper I'll subscribe."

Upon summing up the wonderful events of the day Polly began to volubly express her thanks. "You have bought us everything," she exclaimed.

"Only one thing," replied Uncle Josh reflectively, "but I can remedy that. Robertson, the furniture man always has a nice line of them and you can get one whenever you want it; I'll pay for the best."

"W-h-y," exclaimed Polly with great surprise, "Uncle, what can it be?"

"Well, it's a baby carriage, and—"

But Polly had fainted.

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Local Company at Fernie is Opposed—New Provincial Gaol.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, Oct. 13—Strong opposition is developing against the passing of a by-law for the granting of the telephone franchise to a Cranbrook company. The by-law received its first reading at the meeting of the city council last week but when it comes up again it will be opposed by those who consider that the city should go slowly in disposing of so important a matter, and that the public should be fully informed of all the negotiations that have been carried on with those who are seeking the franchise. The citizens have not as yet had an opportunity of discussing the question, nor have they been taken into the confidence of the council with regard to the terms upon which it is proposed to hand over this valuable public utility to a company. Many cities have in the past suffered by the railroading through of telephone franchises, and the citizens have awakened too late to the fact that the companies control their streets. It is determined that such mistakes shall be avoided here, and for that reason the ratepayers will insist upon discussing the agreement very fully and unless their interests are amply protected will turn down the proposition when it is submitted to them at the polls.

The provincial authorities have decided to proceed at once with the erection of a provincial gaol or lock-up. At the present time there is no proper accommodation for either city or provincial prisoners, a tent being used for that purpose since the fire.

The local fraternal societies are getting into shape to hold their usual meetings which have been discontinued since the fire on account of lack of lodge room accommodation. Supreme organizer McKeen will pay a visit this week to the local nest of the Order of Owls, which is in a most flourishing condition, and arrangements will then be made to find quarters for the lodge for the winter.

L. P. Ecstein, of the legal firm of Eckstein & Patterson, left by C. P. R. express this morning for Spokane on business.

Miss Black of Albany, New York, sister of R. Black superintendent of the Morrissey, Fernie and Michel railway, arrived in town last night, to nurse Mrs. Black who is suffering from the prevailing epidemic of typhoid fever but who is progressing very favorably.

Thomas Whelan, proprietor of the Napanee hotel, returned tonight from Spokane where he has been visiting for the past week taking in the fair.

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REPORT ON FRUIT CROP

DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ISSUES BULLETIN

PRICES FOR APPLES IN ENGLAND HIGHER THAN USUAL

The following report on the fruit crop conditions in Canada have been issued by the Dominion department of agriculture:

Weather conditions have been fairly favorable for plums, peaches and grapes, but not for pears and winter apples.

Apples.—Early and fall fruit nearly all harvested. Winter fruit ripening prematurely and dropping, reducing the crop already below medium.

Pears.—Are ripening rapidly and are of good quality. Exports to Great Britain are larger than usual.

Peaches.—All harvested but a few late varieties. Prices have been below the average.

Plums.—Nearly all harvested except in northern districts.

Grapes.—A full crop of excellent quality. Prices lower than for several years.

Tomatoes.—Have ripened too rapidly for the canning factories, but are of excellent quality.

Cranberries.—A good crop. There is a demand for the Canadian berries in the United States.

Insects and fungus diseases have developed slightly this month. Pink rot has developed to a serious extent.

Winter apples in the United States have depreciated in quality and quantity

Prices for Canadian pears and apples in Great Britain have been good and shipments larger than usual.

NELSON WINS THE CUP

LEADS THE NORTHWEST AT THE SPOKANE EXHIBITION

BEST MINERAL DISPLAY MADE BY BOARD OF TRADE

Nelson is to be congratulated upon winning for the second year in succession the silver cup given at the Spokane fair for the best general mineral display.

The prize was awarded the board of trade exhibit sent from this city.

The Spokesman's account of the matter shows that there were many contestants covering a wide field and Nelson stands at the head of the lot.

The paper quoted says: In class 1 a $100 silver cup was awarded the camp or district with the best general display and was taken by the board of trade at Nelson, B. C.

In class 2 the mine in each district having the best mineral display was awarded a $25 silver trophy cup, the awards being as follows:

Similkameen, B. C., Columbia Copper Mining company; Kamloops, B. C., Iron Mask; Boundary, B. C., Oro Denoro, British Columbia Copper company; Rossland, B. C., Center Star, Canadian Consolidated company; Nelson, B. C., Queen Victoria; Ainsworth, B. C., Krao mine; Kaslo-Slocan, B. C., Standard mine; Chewelah, Wash., First Thought mine; Ferry county, Wash., Summit Mining company, Keller camp, Okanagan county, Wash., Mineral Hill Mining company; Chelan county, Wash., Chelan Butte Mining company, Chelan; Bonner county, Idaho, Monitor Mining company; Coeur d'Alene district, North Side, Idaho, Bear Top Mining company; Park county, Montana, Scotch Bonnet mine.

Diplomas to exhibits of special merit as follows: Tungsten mine, Deer Park, Wash., tungsten ore; Summit Mining company, Orient, Wash., copper-gold ore; Black Horse mine, North Side, Coeur d'Alene district, Idaho.

The handsomest and most unique display made by any individual in class 2, miscellaneous, was that of E. E. Alexander of Spokane, who received a $25 silver trophy cup.

George P. Larsen, who has been for four years superintendent of the mineral exhibit, acted in that capacity this year and had under him as a committee of judges L. K. Armstrong, Joseph Lancaster and L. C. Jaquish.

FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Recent Convention at New Westminster Was Great Success.

The recent convention of fire chiefs and firemen, held in New Westminster, was attended by a large representative gathering of firemen from the Kootenays. Chief J. P. Fink, of Cranbrook, was elected president, and Chief Deasy secretary. Revelstoke was selected as the next place of meeting. Among the numerous papers read and discussed was one by Chief McDougall, of Fernie, on "Forest Fires" and a committee was appointed to interview the government on the question of amending the Bush Fires and Fire Escapes acts. The committee, of which Chief Deasy was chairman, interviewed the premier and provincial secretary and were assured that any proposed suggestions would receive the attention of the government. A large number of topics were dealt with, which will prove beneficial to those engaged in fighting fire. Among those present from the Kootenays were, Chief E. H. Latham, of Kaslo; Chief J. P. Fink, of Cranbrook; Chief D. McDougall, of Fernie; Chief W. A. Foote, of Revelstoke; Capt. G. Knapp, of Revelstoke; Chief E. A. Savage, of Grand Forks; Chief Deasy, of Nelson and a number of firemen. Chief Crowell, of Vernon, was accompanied by the Vernon brass band, of twenty-two pieces, under the direction of bandmaster Austin, formerly of Nelson.

Fifty Years a Blacksmith.

Samuel R. Worley of Hixburg, Va., has been shoeing horses for more than fifty years. He says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm has given me great relief from lame back and rheumatism. It is the best liniment I ever used." For sale by all druggists and dealers.

IS WHIRLWIND ON STUMP

MAIL AND EMPIRE'S REFERENCE TO HON. MR. BOWSER

SAYS HE HAS DONE EFFECTIVE CAMPAIGN WORK

Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general of British Columbia, was in Toronto yesterday, and left last night for Vancouver, where he is to speak on Monday night. Mr. Bowser is a whirlwind on the stump, and has done much effective work in this campaign. He is of tireless energy, and has responded to every call. His last three meetings were held, in the order named, at Sarnia, St. John, N. B., and Cornwall. The profound impression made by Mr. Bowser upon the laboring men of Eastern Candaa by his presentation of the Japanese question has not failed to alarm the supporters of the government, and, instead of answering his arguments, they have attacked Mr. Bowser personally. To the Mail and Empire reporter Mr. Bowser said:

"I see that a lawyer named Dewart is making the statement that while I, as a public man, was doing all in my power to keep out Japanese immigration, that, as the attorney for the C. P. R., I, or my firm, drafted a contract with one Gottob to bring in Japanese laborers. His charges are without foundation. I make this denial sweepingly, and without reservation. You may say that the charges made against me by Mr. Dewart are untrue in form and in substance. He may be honest in making the charges, but he has been imposed upon by somebody."

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will address the meeting and will be supported by Mr. N. F. Mackay, Kaslo; Mr. Wm. Hunter, Slocan; Mr. Jas. Schofield, Ymir; Mr. P. R. Macdonald, Rossland and others.

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God Save the King

Mr. Bowser says that only four members are to be voted for in British Columbia on October 26. Of the four only one is being seriously contested by the Liberals. They hope to re-elect Mr. Templeman. Should the Laurier government be defeated, the conservative candidates in Kootenay, Yale-Cariboo and Lower Atlin, will go in by acclamation.

Mr. Bowser is a native of New Brunswick, and has spent some time during the past month in the Maritime provinces. He predicts large conservative gains in that section, and believes that both sir Frederick Borden and Mr. Pugsley will be defeated. "There is a spirit of confidence in the air," said Mr. Bowser. "You feel it everywhere. I am satisfied that the Laurier government will be defeated."

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Smith, Late of the City of Nelson, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all perliable for the said assets or any part thereons having any claims or demands against the late Thomas Smith who died on the 10th day of August, 1908, at the city of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, are required to send by post prepaid or to the undersigned, solicitor herein for George F. Motion the administrator, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 22nd day of October, 1908, the said George F. Motion will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and the said George F. Motion will not be of to any persons of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Nelson, British Columbia, 21st September, 1908.

E. A. CREASE,
Solicitor for the said George F. Motion.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Glasgow Gibson, Late of the City of Nelson, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Thomas Glasgow Gibson, who died on the 6th day of September, 1908, at the city of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned, solicitor herein for John Aytoun Gibson and William B. Hudson, executors and trustees under the will of the said Thomas Glasgow Gibson their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the 22nd day of October, 1908, the said John Aytoun Gibson and William B. Hudson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Thomas Aytoun Gibson and William Hudson will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any persons of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Nelson, British Columbia, 21st September, 1908.

EDWARD A. CREASE,
Solicitor for the said John Aytoun Gibson and William B. Hudson.

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NOTICE.

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MR. CURTIS' JUGGLING.

Nothing that has happened in the present election campaign in British Columbia has aroused more adverse comment than Mr. Smith Curtis' juggling with the date of the election in this constituency. Everywhere is heard condemnation and nowhere a word of defence. Here is what the Vancouver Province, for example, says on the subject:

"The electors of the constituency of Kootenay, which was represented in the last parliament by Mr. W. A. Galliher, must have felt pleased with the declaration of Mr. Smith Curtis, the liberal candidate in the present election, that he desired no unfair advantage and was opposed to postponing the election to a date later than that on which the polling was to take place throughout the country. That was the courageous position to assume and the public likes courage.

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Yours truly,
W. C. McCUEAN.
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P.S.—Kindly answer at once.

No doubt Mr. Smith Curtis realized what he was doing when he made that declaration and was willing to secure all the advantage he could from it.

"But Mr. Curtis' campaign manager, (and by the bye, his campaign manager is Mr. F. J. Deane who owes any prominence he posseses as a politician to the fact that he is an unquestioning tool of the machine,) has now given notice to the proper authority that the date of the Kootenay election will be postponed. What must the people think of this? There is no real occasion for the delay except from a purely party point of view. The liberals have realized, evidently, that their case is hopeless unless a postponement takes place and the Laurier government is reelected to power. That this is the true cause of the decision arrived at is made apparent by the non-success which Mr. Curtis is meeting with wherever he goes.

"And yet those who know Mr. Curtis and have some acquaintance with his previous public career in British Columbia will be disposed to attribute this cowardly action of the Kootenay liberals to his managers and advises rather than to himself. Still the campaign is Mr. Curtis' campaign and if he has not the resolution to conduct it on the principles which he knows are right and proper, he must take the consequences. He was not formerly regarded as a weak man; if he has become so of late years, so much the greater reason why he should not be a representative of the people in parliament."

WHAT WILL THE ANSWER BE?

People are prone to forget that the country is merely an immense joint stock company in which each and that every man who lives in it is to a greater or a less extent a shareholder. Parliament is merely the board of directors of which the government is the executive.

Even in a small commercial company the shareholders insist above all things that the company's affairs be run honestly. The directors are held to strict account and woe betide the board that deviates from the straight and narrow path or that should adopt a policy which meant the squandering of the company's resources for the benefit of the friends of those who compose the board of directors. Such a thing would mean the immediate election of a new set of directors.

Can any one give any reason why the same should not apply to the government of the country? Why should actions on the part of members of the government be condoned that would not be allowed for a minute on the part of the directors of a company? This, however, is exactly what the apologists of the Laurier government are asking the people of this country to do. They are asking the people of Canada to send back to power the men who have permitted the looting of the public domain by their hangers-on and have also allowed and encouraged all kinds of graft to be worked in connection with all public works undertaken.

What answer are the independent electors of this country going to make to this appeal? Are they going to condone in the Laurier government what they would not tolerate in the affairs of a company in which they were shareholders?

HOW BUSINESS IS RUN.

Here is a sample of the manner in which things have been run at Ottawa during the past few years.

Charles Patton wanted to sell fire extinguishers to the government.

A. W. Fraser, the president of the liberal association, therefore wrote the minister of marine demanding an order. He said:

"As I mentioned to you the other day, Mr. Patton has been a very good friend to the liberal party—and a liberal one. Therefore, I hope you will be able to give him an order for at least 100 extinguishers."

He had subscribed to the campaign funds; he got an order for 100, as proposed.

Later on Mr. Patton wanted another order. This time he had to sign an agreement to pay a local politician, C. S. Cameron, the sum of $2,000 if he got an order for 500 extinguishers, and pro rata for orders above that number.

He was ordered to supply 600, and the middleman was entitled to $2,400.

At the same time P. E. Perreault wanted to supply fire extinguishers. He wrote the department:

"I would be pleased to receive an order for any other ships you would like to equip. I am on the patronage list!"

And Perreault got the order. The government has now hundreds of fire extinguishers in store.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The London Advertiser says Mr. Bowser cannot say any Japs have come into Canada since the first of the year. Mr. Bowser or any other man can truthfully say that 780, or 430 more than the Jap government assured Mr. Lemieux it woul allow to come to Canada, have come in and they would probably have been coming yet had not the Dominion government taken the alarm and begged the mikado to shut off the supply.—Vancouver Sunset.

Whatever the faults of Duncan Ross may be he was certainly no hypocrite in the matter of a deferred election for Yale-Cariboo—except on that occasion in the house when he talked that buncome about the way his majority had been pulled down four years ago by reason of the deferred election. No, he demanded from the first the unfair advantage of a deferred election, and he stayed with that determination, never wavering in it for a moment, while Smith Curtis was cutting his capers.—Hedley Gazette.

Mr. R. L. Borden is being vigorously assailed by Hon. W. S. Fielding and other government speakers in the east because he has promised to see justice done British Columbia in the matter of better terms. This is all the more reason why the people of British Columbia, irrespective of politics, should support his candidates in this election.

That Mr. Martin Burrell will be the next representative in the federal house for Yale-Cariboo is now generally conceded. The unanimous and whole hearted support which he is receiving from the conservative party, as well as the universal appreciation with which his name is being received by all classes of electors irrespective of party can surely be accepted as an augury of a splendid victory. Mr. Burrell's opponent, Mr. Duncan Ross, has not given the electorate sufficient opportunity to hear his explanation of his own record. It is pretty safe betting that he will find it impossible to furnish a satisfactory statement—at least as far as the more intelligent and fair minded electors are concerned. Mr. Ross stands today as a discredited politician whose condemnation is found in the record which he himself created.—Kamloops Standard.

A vote for Mr. A. S. Goodeve is a vote for a white British Columbia and better terms.

It is cheering news that Mr. Martin Burrell brings regarding the election campaign in Yale-Cariboo. He and Mr. A. S. Goodeve will make excellent representatives at Ottawa.

Mr. Smith Curtis changed the date of the election in Kootenay to suit Mr. Duncan Ross and the question that arises is whether Mr. Curtis, if elected to Ottawa, would not be equally willing to vote just as Mr. Ross might direct him to.

How do the people of Kootenay like having the date of the election in their constituency juggled with just to suit Mr. Duncan Ross, the liberal candidate in Yale-Cariboo?

If the people of the country generally had to pay as much for their supplies as the government pays for its a large increase in salaries would be necessary all around.

Business men would not tolerate in their stores or offices the standard of dealing that has been set up by the present government at Ottawa. Why then should they tolerate it in the affairs of the country?

That the liberals are not sure of carrying Ottawa, even with sir Wilfrid Laurier as their candidate, is shown by the fact that the French liberal paper of that city announces on behalf or sir Wilfrid that the government has decided to grant the increases in the salaries of the civil servants, recommended by the recent civil service commission. Beyond this, it is an attempt to buy up the entire civil service vote.

CHRISTIAN SOCIALISM.

Address Given Last Night to Nelson Young People's Association.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Nelson Young People's society last evening. Fred J. Ogle who was introduced by the chairman Rev. R. N. Powell as a Christian Socialist gave an address on Christian Socialism as practical Christianity. He set out to show to those who believed in the teachings of the Nazarene ought to be socialists.

There were ministers of religion who were prepared to come out as socialists if their congregations would give them a free hand. He himself did not care whether the church blessed or banned a movement so long as he knew it was right. Representative men of the Church of England for twenty years had advocated the great principle of property as a trust under God. Christ taught that man's duty to his neighbor was paramount.. How was that consistent with the immense amount of unemployment in Great Britain? Christ devoted much of His time to fighting disease and premature death. The present capitalistic conditions led to an undue proportion of infant mortality among the working classes. This could not be if the teachings of Christ were carried out.

Endeavouring to illustrate his position the speaker quoted John Ruskin on the beautitudes and gave an original practical exposition of the Lord's prayer as a prayer for a perfect social state. He held that all real economic reform must spring from moral regeneration. But it was impossible to act as a Christian should under the competititon system. His panacea for prevailing evils was the familiar maxim, produce for use, not for profit. Change of environment and change of heart must go together. What was the church going to do to meet the present situation?

A brief discussion followed taken part in by J. Patrick, D. Dawes, and Revs. Ferguson and Frith who expressed the thanks of the meeting to Mr. Ogle while taking exception to several of his statements. It was suggested that a fuller discussion might be held at a later date. In the course of the evening $6.75 were collected for the Union's Sunshine fund.

INDIAN FAMINE

Lieutenant Governor of Bengal Writes Nelson's Young People.

At the Young People's Union last evening a letter was read from the lieutenant-governor of Bengal to the Union, in which he says: "I thank you for your kind note of 14th April telling me of one remittance of $10 from the Young People's Union of your city to help in the relief of famine stricken people in India. The money has been received and put into the fund. It is being used where it is really needed. Will you tell your young people how pleasant it is for those who are working in one part of the empire to realize that they are remembered in another part of the same empire, very far away. Their sympathy and co-operation are very cheering. I am yours cincerely A. H. L. Fraser."

BORDEN AND LAURIER

Pringle's Election in Cornwall is Promised—Premier's Reception.

CORNWALL, Oct. 13.—R. L. Borden's meeting here today was a most successful one in every way, the attendance being large and the enthusiasm most marked. Mr Borden followed the general lines of his former speeches and prophesied that the party would win on the 26th by a good majority.

The election of Mr. Pringle in Cornwall is one of the good things in sight.

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier addressed a large meeting at La Prairie and received a flattering reception. It is estimated that there were four thousand present. The premier was presented with an address by mayor Scott and escorted to the meeting place by a long procession. The premier's speech was mainly devoted to a review fo the achievements of his government and a denunciation of the conservative campaign of scandal. If open charges would be made the guilty ones would be punished when their guilt was established by full investigation.

Papal Circular.

PARIS, Oct. 13—According to the Figaro, the bishops of France have received a circular from cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state, absolutely forbidding them in the future to attend the lectures of the state faculties.

Rain of Ashes.

BASSETIERE, Island of Guadaloupe, Oct. 13—A rain of ashes from volcanoes on Martinique or St. Vincent islands is falling over Guadaloupe. Mount Soufriere, the largest volcano on St. Vincents, is calm and the ashes must come from some other crater.

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To any one purchasing one or more of these blocks before October 20th we will pay $25.00 for expenses to examine the property. Write for photographs of the fruit exhibit at the Nelson fair from the Arrow Lake. Hundreds of people who saw this exhibit said that they were the largest apples they ever saw

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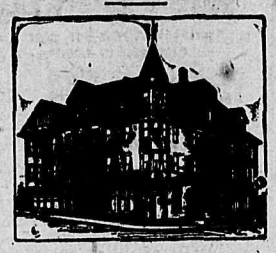

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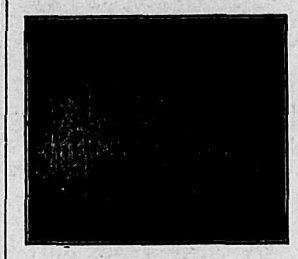

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IS NEARING THE END

CHICAGO HAS NOW WON THREE OF FOUR GAMES

TODAY'S BATTLE MAY SETTLE THE CHAMPIONSHIP

DETROIT, Oct. 13—By winning today's game frof Detroit by 3-0, Chicago has now won three of the four games of the championship series. Should victory come to captain Chance's men tomorrow, the world's championship for 1908 will come with it.

Today's game was an errorless one and the Detroit enthusiasts ascribe their defeat very largely to the luck of the game. Two of Chicago's runs, which would have been enough to win, came in the third innings on two bases on balls, a steal to second and two hits. Chicago added another one for good measure in the ninth when Evers singled to right, stole seecond and came home on Chance's hit. In only one inning, the fourth, did Detroit threaten. With men on first and second, Cobb forced O'Leary to third and Crawford was caught napping off second. In the last four innings Brown was invincible and the Detroit side was retired each time in one, two three order.

Eddie Summers, Detroit, and "Miner" Brown, the premier pitcher of the Chicago team, opposed each other and the latter had all the best of the argument, although Summeres pitched excellent ball in all but one innings. In the third Summers passed two men on balls some, of which seemed to the crowd to be like strikes. He was cutting the corners in whirlwind style, and an inch either way would have changed the umpire's decision. Chicago got two men on bases in the first and one in the second without the situation, however, becoming precarious. In the third, after Sheckard and Evers, as a result of the sprightly efforts of Coughlin and Schaefer, had been retired, Summers wavered ever so long and Schulte was presented with standing room on the initial bag. The tall right fielder promptly concluded to try out Schmidt's throwing arm. The said arm was tried and found wanting. This unsuccessful throw to second was the first of four similar failures by Schmidt. Chance, the next man up, also was allowed to walk despite the strenuous objections of the Chicago battery, to say nothing of the crowd. Singles by Steinfeldt and Hoffman followed, sending Schulte and Chance across the plate. Steinfeldt took third and Hoffman second during the process of run getting, but the best Tinker could do was to ground to O'Leary, who threw him out. Chicago's next and final run came in the ninth when Winter took Summer's place in the pitching box. The change made no difference with Chicago. With two men out, Evers singled to left and stole second coming home on Chance's single to right. Detroit threatened to score only once. In the fourth innings Brown found himself in a pretty tight hole, when singles by O'Leary and Crawford placed those respectively on second and first bases, with none out. Captain Chance left first base and Tinker came over from short to confer with Brown. The conference concerned the handling of an expected bunt, and was successful. Cob, the Detroit right fielder, who batted so strenuously yesterday, came to bat and bunted. The play slowly rolled towards Brown, who rushed upon it and without even looking at first base, shot it on a line to third just in time to force out O'Leary. Crawford, who had taken second on the play, is known locally as the "old reliable," and it is said of him that he may be depended on to do the right thing at the right time almost invariably. Taking a lead off second, "old reliable," for once in his life did the wrong thing at the wrong time. He took this occasion to refresh himself with the traditional "forty winks." This was some thirty-five winks too many. Kling observed the runner's somnolent expression and the violent efforts of Tinker to attract attention without making a noise. Chicago's backstop swung his arm powerfully and the ball shot down to Tinker on a line, rudely disturbing the rest of Mr. Crawford, spoiling Detroit's only chance to score and perceptibly depressing the spirits of the spectators. Crawford retired to the bench very crestfallen, for where there had been men on bases with an excellent chance of scoring, there were now two out with only Cobb on first and he started to steal second at the same time that umpire Connolly called a third strike on Rossman. Presumably Kling did not hear the umpire call "strike," for he threw to Evers and umpire Klem called Cobb out. The play, however, did not count, as Rossman had already made the third out. In the fifth Coughlin was hit by a pitched ball, but got no further than first. In the sixth O'Leary got his second single but he was immediately doubled in the next three innings, Detroit went out one, two, three. The pitching of Brown was clearly up to his usual standard. His only weakness was in hittieng Coughlin. He allowed only four hits, two of which went to O'Leary and two to Crawford, one of the latter's being a double. He struck out four men besides accepting four fielding chances in perfect style.

While the crowd today was larger than that which turned out to view the opening struggle of the series here, it was not so large as had been expected, in view of Detroit's victory in yesterday's game. The turnstiles registered 12,907 paid admissions from which the gross receipts were $19,231. The ground immediately in front of the grand stand was still muddy from Saturday's rain, but the diamond was in good condition, and the weather almost ideal for spectators and players alike.

MINTO CUP

Capitals Say New Westminster Players Cannot Be Beaten.

OTTAWA, Oct. 13—The Capital lacrosse team got back from their western tour last night. In the opinion of the team is that no eastern team is capable of lifting the Minto cup as the New Westminster bunch, even with Rennie and Turnbull absent, are a very formidable lot of lacrosse men.

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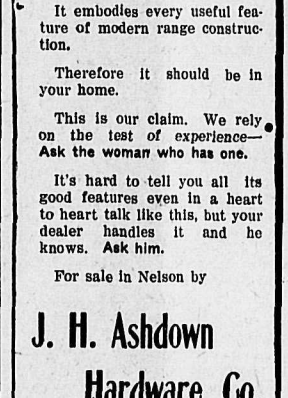

SENSATION AT ST. JOHN

PREMIER HAZEN GIVES DETAILS OF DREDGING SCANDAL

HOW GOVERNMENT INFLUENCE WAS OBTAINED FOR CONTRACT

ST. JOHN, Oct. 13 — A sensation was sprung at the meeting addressed last night by premier Hazen when he read an affidavit signed by G. S. Mayes, the contractor for the dredging of the harbor of St. John in which he alleges that he secured the contract for dredging by talking in Geo. McVity of St. John, increasing his contract price by five cents per yard, this amount going to McVity who in return used his influence with the government to obtain the contract. On Oct. 15 he further alleges that he was asked to call on Hon. Wm. Pugsley, minister of public works and that on the representation of the latter, that it was a good thing to have a friend at Ottawa, he gave Pugsley his note for four months for $2000. McVitty reproved him for doing this, saying that he had arranged with Mr. Hyman. In all he paid McVitty $25,934. A copy of the arrangement with McVity was attached to the affidavit.

Dr. Pugsley declared that the money he received from Mayes was for professional services rendered. He further stated that it was all a case of blackmail.

CAMPAIGN LITERATURE

Ontario Postmaster Charged with Stealing Tory Literature.

COBOURG, Ont., Oct. 13 — Postmaster Ralls of Fenella, was committed to stand trial on a charge of stealing conservative campaign literature from the mails after evidence had been heard in the preliminary enquiry before magistrate Holland here today. Several witnesses were called to give evidence that the campaign literature which Ralls is accused of stealing had never been offered to them at the Fenella postoffice. Ralls was also in the witness stand and stated that he in no way made use of the letters with any intention to commit crime. He swore that in most cases the letters had been offered for delivery but in nearly every case had been thrown in the waste paper basket or else refused. The magistrate considered the evidence strong enough to warrant a trial. Ralls was released on bail.

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PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

MARTIN BURRELL ON OUTLOOK IN YALE-CARIBOO

PEOPLE RESENT DUNCAN ROSS' ACTION IN DELAYING ELECTION

Martin Burrell, conservative candidate for Yale-Cariboo, arrived in Nelson last night and left for Grand Forks this morning. Mr. Burrell has just returned from a lengthy trip through the northern portion of the riding, leaving Ashcroft on Sept. 19 and returning on Monday last, and having driven in that time over 750 miles.

Asked as to this his impressions Mr. Burrell said the trip was on the whole a very enjoyable one, though bad weather and bad roads in the far north made travelling slow work. At Barkerville the mining operations had turned out very well this year and throughout the stock raising districts matters were in good shape as the season had been an excellent one for hay and last winter was fairly mild. At Quesnel there was an increased activity owing to the development of the Nechaco and Fraser lake country to the north.

"How about the political situation?" Mr Burrell was asked.

"Personally I am entirely satisfied with the outlook throughout Lillooet and Cariboo," was the reply. "There is a marked change in the upper country since I contested the constituency in 1904. At that time it is true Lillooet gave me an excellent majority, but Cariboo went slightly liberal. I held meetings all through the country and talked with people of all shades of opinion, and feel positive that we shall secuere a substantial majority all through the north. A great interest is being shown in the forthcoming election and our meetings at Quesnel and Barkerville were very enthusiastic ones. I find in Cariboo, as in other portions of the constituency, a large number of liberals who are convinced that things at Ottawa are in bad shape and who will not support the present administration this time. Then there are local matters which make for a lessening of the liberal vote. Important contracts in that district have been for years let without open tender or proper advertising, and, irrespective of party, men are getting sick of a state of things which is far from being in the public interest.

"On the question of the postponed election," continued the speaker, "there was a strength of feeling which was almost surprising, as one would have thought that in the far north my opponent's arguments for a postponed elecetion might have possibly carried weight with some people. On the contrary, I talked with men from Nechaco, Stoney creek and other points, who resented keenly the action taken in depriving them of participation in the fight with all the rest of Canada. It was pointed out to me that there was no difficulty in reaching Fraser lake (the farthest north of all the polling stations) in five days from Quesnel, and as Quesnel is only four days from Vernon, a matter of ten days would have enabled every ballot box to be delivered at the various polling places. It is true that Mr. Ross in his speech in the house of commons declared that it would take six weeks to get the ballot boxes to those northern points, but rash statements of this kind are duly noted by people in the riding. Whatever the result may be on the 26th, and naturally I am most hopeful as to that, I think there is little doubt as to a conservative victory in Yale- Cariboo."

LAURIER'S CAMPAIGN

Is Well Received in Granby—Large Crowds in Attendance.

MONTREAL, Oct. 13—Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke yesterday in the afternoon at Farnham, Que., and in the evening at the neighboring town of Granby. At Farnham 2000 people turned out to greet the premier and he was presented with addresses of welcome from the town and the liberal association.

In his speech he decelared that if the United States wanted reciprocity with Canada it would have to come to Ottawa and ask for it, for the Canadian government was not going to Washington again. At Granby there was a big crowd, so large that the audience had to be divided into two halls, the French in one and the English in another, sir Wilfrid speaking in both languages.

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J. J. CAMPBELL

The Yellow God

By

H. Rider Haggard

Author of "King Solomon's Mines," "She," "The Brethren," Benita," Etc.

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"I have only to add, major Vernon, that unless you make away with me first, as I daresay you will, as soon as we reach civilization again I shall proceed against you and this fellow for the cold blooded murder of my men, in punishment of which I hope yet to live to see you hanged. Meanwhile, I have much pleasure in releasing Miss Champers from her engagement to me which, whatever she may have said to you in England, she was glad enough to enter on here in Africa, a country which I have been told the climate frequently deteriorates the moral character."

"Hear, hear!" ejaculated Jeeki, "he say something true at last, by accident, I think, like pig what find pearl in muck heap."

"Hold your tongue, Jeeki," said Alan. "I do not intend to kill you lord Aylward, or to do you any harm—"

"Nor I neither," broke in Jeeki; "all I do to my lord, just for my lord's good; who Jeeki that he wish to hurt noble British 'ristocrat?"

"But I do intend that it shall be impossible that Miss Champers should listen to more of your insults," went on Alan, "and to make sure that your gun does not go off again as it did this morning. So, lord Aylward, until we have settled what we are going to do, I must keep you under arrest. Take him to his tent Jeeki and put a guard over him."

"Yes, major, certainly, major. Right turn, march, my lord! and quick, please, since poor common Jeeki not want dirty his black fingers touching you."

Aylward obeyed, but at the door of the tent swung round and favored Alan with a very evil look.

"Luck is with you for the moment, major Vernon," he said, "but if you are wise you will remember that you never have been and never will be my match. It will turn again, I have no doubt, and then you may look to yourself, for I warn you I am a bad enemy."

Alan did not answer, but for the first time Barbara sprang to her feet and spoke.

"You mean that you are a bad man, lord Aylward, and a coward, too, or otherwise you would not have slandered me as you have done. Well, when it seemed impossible that I should escape from you except in one way, I was saved by another of which I never dreamed. Now I tell you that I do not fear you any more. But I think," she added slowly, "that you would be wise to fear for yourself. I don't know why, but it comes into my mind that although neither Alan nor myself shall lift a finger against you, you have a great deal of which to be afraid. Remember what I said to you months ago when you were angry because I would not marry you? I believe it is all coming true, lord Aylward"

Then Barbara turned her back on him and that was the last time that either she or Alan ever saw his face.

He was gone and Barbara, her head upon her lover's shoulder and her sweet eyes filled with tears of joy and gratitude, was beginning to tell him everything that had befallen her when suddenly they heard a loud cough outside the tent.

"It's that confounded Jeeki," said Alan and he called to him to come in.

"What's the matter now?" he asked crossly.

"Breakfast, major. His lordship got plenty good stores, borrow some from him and give him chit. Coming in one minute —hot coffee, kipper herring, rasher bacon, also butter (best Danish) and Bath Oliver biscuit."

"Very well," said Alan, but Jeeki did not move.

"Very well," repeated Alan.

"No, not very well, major, very ill. Thought those lies bring down clouds."

"What do you mean, Jeeki?"

"Mean, major, that Asikis smelling about this camp. Porter man, what go fetch water, see them. Also believe they catch rest of those soldier chaps and polish them off, for porter man hear the row."

Alan sprang up with an exclamation; in his new found joy he had forgotten all about the Asiki.

"Keep hair on, major," said Jeeki cheerfully, "don't think they attack yet, plenty of time for breakfast first. When they come we make it very hot for them, lots of rifle and cartridge now."

"Can't we run away?" asked Barbara.

"No, Missy, can't run; must stop here and do best. Camp well built, open all round, don't think they take it. You leave everything to Jeeki, he see you through, but perhaps you like some breakfast outside, where you know all that go on."

Barbara did like, but as it happened they were allowed to consume their meal in peace, since no Asiki appeared. As soon as it was swallowed she returned to her tent, while Alan and Jeeki set to work to strengthen the defences of the little camp as well as they were able and to make ready and serve out the arms and ammunition.

About mid-day a man whom they had posted in a tree that grew inside the camp, announced that he saw the enemy and next moment a company of them rushed towards them across the open and were greeted with a volley which killed and wounded several men. At this exhibition of miraculous power, for none of these soldiers had ever heard the report of firearms or seen their effect, they retreated rapidly, uttering shouts of dismay and carrying their dead and wounded with them.

"Do you suppose they have gone, Jeeki" asked Alan anxiously.

He shook his head.

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PROVINCIAL GATHERING TO BE HELD AT REVELSTOKE

DISCUSSION OF ADULT DEPARTMENT TO BE FEATURE

The second British Columbia Provincial Sunday School convention is to be held in the city of Revelstoke on October 27-29.

The principal speaker will be W. C. Pearce, international superintendent of the adult department. Mr. Pearce is a very interesting and practical speaker. He is the leader of the adult department, the greatest movement of the twentieth century in Sunday School work. It is practically through his efforts that this department has become so prominent during the past few years. Thousands of men through the work of the department have been gathered into the Sunday schools in all parts of the North American continent. At the recent international convention held at Louisville, Ky., under Mr. Pearce's leadership 1,200 business men belonging cial Sunday Schaal convention is to be to the adult classes marched through the streets of that city and demonstrated to the public that that Suntay school is no longer to be regarded as simply for little children, but that it is for men also, and men of the highest caliber. Sunday school workers of the province are urged to make a spcial ffort to hear Mr. Pearce.

This promises to be the greatest religious gathering ever held in the province. The general theme is "The Twentieth Century Sunday School Organized for Effectual Work." The different phases of the organization and work of the up-to-date Sunday school will be discussed. The Sunday school, it is felt, should be the right arm of the church in all lines of Christian effort, hence this convention will endeavor to show what the twentieth century Sunday school should do in training workers in soul winning, in character building, in moral reform, in reaching the homes, in reaching the neglected masses and many other live questions.

Each school can send the pastor and superintendent and one additional delegate for each fifty of the enrollment or fraction thereof. The provincial board hopes that all schools will send full delegations.

BOUNDARY MINING LOCATIONS

Five New Claims on Record—Martin Burrell Meeting Tonight.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, Oct. 13—At the office of the mining recorder for the Grand Forks mining district for the past week there was recorded five locations, twenty-seven certificates of work and six transfers. The transfers were one-half of the Oro Denoro fraction, Summit camp, J. Mulligan to J. F. Cunningham; all of the No. 27 fraction; Summit camp, H. C. Kerman to F. M. Kerby and J. Mulligan; all of the Hilltop fraction; Wellington camp, H. J. Birnie to F. M. Kerby, one-quarter of the A X fraction; Franklin camp, G. B. Todd and C. Christensen to F.M. Kerby; one-quarter of the Gold Hill fraction; McRae creek, C. Scowaitzenhauer to J. D. Friesen; one-half of the Banner fraction; Franklin camp, B. W. Garrison to A. L. Whiteside.

Born to the wife of Donald McCallum of this city on Monday, October 12th, a son.

Mrs. F. Downey accompanied by her daughter left this morning for Vancouver where she will visit for a month or six weeks.

The first gun in the political fight in this city will be fired on Wednesday evening when Martin Burrell, the conservative candidate, will address the electors in the opera house.

While feeding a cylinder press in the Gazette office a few days ago Foulton Chapple had the misfortune to get his knee badly cut getting it caught between an upright and the cylinder. Dr. Kingston dressed the wound, which required five stitches. The patient is now doing nicely, but will be confined to the house for a few days.

The Kettle valley lines this morning put a crew of men to work on their North Fork extension, clearing off the track where slides have existed during the past summer.

W. A. Thrasher, who about two years ago sold out his drug business in this city and moved to Phoenix has returned here and entered into partnership with H. E. Woodland in the same line of business.

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Goodeve Meetings

Mr. A. S. Goodeve, the conservative candidate in Kootenay for the house of commons, will address meetings in the riding as follows:

Slocan City, Wednesday Oct. 7; New Denver, Thursday Oct. 8; Revelstoke, Friday Oct. 9; Arrowhead, Saturday Oct. 10; Cambourne, Monday Oct. 12; Ferguson, Tuesday Oct. 13; Kaslo, Thursday Oct. 15; Nelson, Friday Oct. 16; Ainsworth, Saturday Oct. 17.

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WHAT'S DOING IN CANADA

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM YESTERDAY'S WIRES

THE DOMINION FROM THE ATLANTIC TO THE PACIFIC

REGINA, Oct. 13—An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out at the mounted police barracks here and 13 cases are now being treated in the military hospital. Only two nurses are available for all these patients. In the city there is comparatively little typhoid this season owing to the strict enforcement of the law regarding the installation of waterworks and the excellent sewerage system.

STETTLER, Alta., Oct. 13—Fully one half of the business section of the town was burned to the ground this morning, resulting in the loss of Leslie Mellor's life. The fire broke out in the Beck bowling alley and had made great headway before it was discovered, and nothing coud check the spread of the flames. The burned buildings include the Grand Union hotel, National hotel, postoffice and Merchants' bank and the lumber yards. Leslie Mellor slept over Riggs and White's store and was evidently suffocated in bed, so rapid was the spread of the fire. The body will be shipped to Grand Valley, Ont., by the Odd Fellows.

WIARTON, Oct. 13—Alex. Day was killed here this afternoon while working on a pile driver. He stepped between the ladders and the full weight of the hammer, 2000 pounds, came down on his head, killing him instantly. He was only married two months ago.

TORONTO, Oct. 13—Richard Ford, who was accused of stealing $1000 worth of money orders from the Canadian Express company was acquitted by judge Winchester this afternoon. The evidence pointed to the case being one of mistaken identity.

REGINA, Oct. 13—Only three quarter sections of land were disposed of today at the big land sale of the Saskatoon and Western company. A small crowd was in attendance.

EDMONTON, Oct. 13—There is no doubt now in the minds of the authorities that the old man Thomas Burns of Strathcona came to his death at the hands of another person. The suicide rumor appears to have no foundation. Chief of police MacAuley returned to the city on Saturday but will go out again in search of the suspect who has not been seen since the evening of the assault. Suspicion rests on an old soldier by the name of Thomas Oliver, who formerly lived with Burns, but whom the dead man had described as useless and lazy.

GLACE BAY, Oct. 13—Frank Morgan was instantly killed this morning by coming in contact with a live wire carrying 500 volts. He was 45 years of age.

TORONTO, Oct. 13 — In the hand book cases continued here this afternoon, Alex. Murphy was fined $50 and costs or 30 days for keeping a gambling house. Objection to all the evidence was taken on the ground that the warrant was sworn out for a betting house while the action was taken as for a gaming house. The case against Henry Strong was dismissed on the ground of insufficient evidence. Thos Hockey pleaded guilty and was fined $50.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13—The fine weather of the past two weeks has caused the farmers to market an immense amount of grain. The receipts of the last few days have increased enormously. The record has been broken for the last 24 hours. Six hundred and seventy nine cars of wheat and ninety-six of other grains being inspected in Winnipeg against a total of 445 cars for the same date last year. Of the number of cars inspected in the last 24 hours no less than 467 cars were contract grade.

METALS

New York, Oct. 13—Silver 51 5-8; copper, 13 1-8 to 13 3-8.

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Copper King	.1⅞	.2⅛
Dominion Copper	.93¼	1.06¼
Galbraith Coal	....	....
Gertie	.2⅛	.3¼
Granby	95.00	110.00
Hecla	3.50	4.00
International Coal	.58	.63
Kendall	1.36	1.45
Missaula Copper	.2½	.3¼
Nabob	.2	.3¼
Oom Paul	.3¾	.5
Panhandle	.6⅝	.6¾
Rambler-Cariboo	.16	.17¾
Rex	.5	.7
Snowshoe	.6¼	.7
Snowstorm	1.57	1.60
Sullivan	.½	.1
Stewart	.62½	.75
Tamarack-Chesapeake	.50	.75

OPENING COPPER QUOTATIONS.
(Reported by McDermid and McHardy)

Granby	100.00	105.00
B. C. Copper	6.12½	6.50
Dominion Copper	.87½	1.12¼

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Nelson lodge No. 23, A. F. and A. M., will meet tonight in Masonic hall.

The Sons of England will hold a social on Thursday evening in the K.P. hall.

The Last Chance mine is shipping a carload of ore to the zinc smelter in Nelson.

Nelson Aerie No. 22, F.O.E., will hold their semi-monthly meeting in Fraternity hall.

W. Davidson, the socialist candidate, speaks in Coal Creek tonight and Hosmer tomorrow.

Nelson Nest 156, Order of Owls, will hold a special roll call and social on Friday night in Fraternity hall.

Nelson branch 524, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners are to meet tonight in Miners' union hall.

Smith Curtis, the liberal candidate, spoke at Burton City last night and goes on to the Slocan district today.

The auction sale of government lands at Creston will take place at that town today. Chas. A. Waterman will conduct the sale.

The monthly meeting of the Board of trade takes place tomorrow evening at the office at the foot of Ward street at 8:30, city time.

Aberdeen Hive No. 12, L.O.T.M., will meet today in K.P. hall at 8 p.m., city time. Business of importance demands a full attendance.

Queen City Rebekah lodge No 16, I.O.O.F. will celebrate the 57th anniversary of the founding of the order tomorrow night in Fraternity hall.

Martin Burrell, the conservative candidate in Yale-Cariboo, adresses meetings in Grand Forks tonight and Greenwood tomorrow night.

Official notice of the establishment of Granite mill road in the constituency of Ymir was given in last week's issue of the British Columbia Gazette.

The final match in the Nelson boat club regatta will be rowed off at noon today. The course is a mile straight away with the winning post at the club house. The competing crews will be Skuce stroke, McDonald, Teague, Pool, bow, and Nott, stroke, Joy, Cheyne, Ball, bow. The prize will be the diamond sculls given by Ald. J. O. Patenaude.

Friday next the annual field day of the Nelson public and high schools will be held on the recreation grounds, morning and afternoon. The day will be a whole holiday

A. S. Goodeve, conservative candidate for Kootenay, and Neil McKay, M.L.A., addressed a very enthusiastic and well attended meeting at Ferguson last night.

Notice was given in last week's B.C. Gazette of the withdrawal of the reserve which has existed since 1894 on the land at Creston, which will be sold by W. F. Teetzel.

G. O. Buchanan is at the Strathcona and will be either in this city or at Trail for the next week. Mr. Buchanan says that forms for lead bounty claims under the new act have now arrived and have been generally distributed. Claims for July, August and September should be immediately sent to the smelter for certification and will be dealt with and forwarded for payment immediately. The full rate of bounty, 75 cents per 100 lbs. has been payable continuously since July 1 and no table of rates therefore need be consulted. Mr. Buchanan adds that he presumes that some $80,000 or $90,000 has been earned in the last three months and will be glad to have the parties to whom the money is payable make their claims promptly. Mr. Buchanan's address for the next few days will be the Strathcona hotel, Nelson.

Col. Holmes, D.O.C., will inspect A Co., R.M.R. at Rossland today as well as the Rossland and Trail rifle associations. He will be at Greenwood tomorrow and Grand Forks on Friday.

The Churchmen's club will meet in the parish hall of St. Saviour's church this evening at 8 o'clock. The election of officers takes place at this meeting and all interested are invited to attend.

Richard Jackson, the C.P.R. employee, who died on Monday at the Home hospital of typhoid fever, was buried yesterday afternoon from D. J. Robertson's undertaking parlors, Rev. R. Newton Powell officiating.

The At home of the St. Paul's Ladies' Aid at rMs. Lamont's residence on Silica street this evening at 8 o'clock, city time, promises to be a great success. An excellent musical program will be provided and refreshments will be served.

In the last issue of the B.C. Gazette it is announced that Edward Francis Phillips of Trail and William E. Spankie of Greenwood, have been appointed commissioners for taking oaths under the provincial elections act for their respective constituencies

A. S. Goodeve, the conservative standard bearer in the dominion elections, will address a mass meeting in Eagles' hall at Kaslo tomorrow night. Neil F. McKay, M.L.A. and P. R. McDonald, labor mayor of Rossland, will support him.

The liberals of Nelson held a smoking concert on Monday night to welcome Dr. G. A. B. Hall, M.L.A., on his return home. That gentleman was offered and he accepted the position of local chairman of the campaign committee.

The provincial police received a telegram yesterday from R. B. Bennett of Calgary to the effect that William McGibbon, the man who committed suicide east of Fairview on Sunday night, has one brother, a doctor in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and another brother in Philadelphia.

A meeting of all subscribers to the new hockey rink will be held tonight at 8:30, city time, in the opera house. The intention is to elect directors for the joint stock company, which is to have charge of the matter, and also to discuss the proposed plans. Now that enough stock has been subscribed to make the undertaking an assured success the construction of the new rink will be undertaken as quickly as possible so that everything may be in shape for hockey playing during the coming season.

There is nothing so convincing to the people as to be dead in earnest. Three years ago when Clarence Bennett first produced his great and successful play, "The Holy City," ministers were inclined to doubt the propriety or morality of a bible play on so sacred a subject, some going so far as to brand it, unheard, as a sacrilige, but upon the author's earnest invitation to them to visit it, their denunciations were turned to praise and they have become its highest eulogists and often solicit and advise their parishioners to see the play, declaring it the most vivid and life like lesson on the life and times of John the Baptist and our Saviour that has ever been presented in this country. It is not a tiresome, long drawn out sermon, but a great play, telling a really beautiful heart story. There is no man or woman so depraved but that will bow the head in reverence when he hears his tiny child lisp "Now I lay me down to sleep." So it is with this beautiful play. While it does not contain one laugh, the lightest and most frivolous or the most hardened and sinful are held entranced and spellbound. It commands reverence, it does not ask it. Its earnest realism thrills us whether we will or not. Get your seats early.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

The Crow boat was an hour and a half late in arriving last night.

It is understood that the registrar of lands has a grouse coming.

The wire for the new fire alarm boxes has arrived and will be installed in the near future.

J. Clementson of Regina has arrived in the city to accept a position with McDermid and McHardy.

Dr. E. C. Arthur is going on a trip to Sandon today as the guest of superintendent Coleman of the C.P.R.

A branch of the Imperial bank of Canada has been opened at Kamloops, under the management of R. A. Bethune.

J. E. Hooper of Rossland, formerly lessee of the Allan hotel, is in the city on a visit and is registered at the Hume.

W. K. Esling of the Rossland Miner, was a welcome visitor in Nelson yesterday and is leaving for Creston this morning.

Miss Lumsden of the Kootenay Lake general hospital will be at home this afternoon from 4 to 6, and in future the last Tuesday of each month.

Frank Martin of Bonnington and Miss Georgina Cicely Bellasis Down of Nelson were married yesterday in St. Paul's manse by Rev. J. T. Ferguson.

W. Hunter, M.L.A. for Slocan, was in Nelson yesterday on a visit and returns home this morning. He is confident that A. S. Goodeve will have a good majority in the riding.

At the launch races today A. Lean is offering a second prize in the shape of a framed picture of launches. A. N. Wolverton, Sr., is also donating a very attractive booby prize.

P. R. McDonald, mayor of Rossland was a visitor in the city yesterday and left on the Kokanee in the afternoon for Kaslo, where he will assist A. S. Goodeve at his meeting tomorrow night.

The secretary of the Fernie relief fund has sent out checks for all accounts that have been rendered and the balance on hand will be dealt with as soon as mayor Taylor returns from Ottawa.

A special feature at the Arcade moving picture show this and tomorrow evenings will be Wagner's opera "Parsifal," with special music by Mr. Johnson, pianist, and a description of the opera by E. Lupton.

The argument in the case of Star vs. White has been concluded at Ottawa and the supreme court has reserved judgment. S. S. Taylor, K.C., has gone to New Brunswick and R. S. Lennie will return to Nelson about Oct. 26.

Married, by the Rev. Thomas Blaylock at his residence in this city on Tuesday, Oct. 13, George Henry Jennings to Miss Ella Laura Moore, both of Slocan. The newly married couple expect to reside in Nelson.

The drawing room of the Strathcona hotel is being considerably enlarged by the taking out of two partitions and taking in the hall. A handsome open fire place will be put in place and the alterations will be of great convenience to the guests.

Nap Mallette and P. Johnson spent yesterday at Hall Siding and returned in the evening with a good bag of grouse.

Martin Burrell, the conservative candidate in Yale-Cariboo, came in last night on the coast train and leaves this morning for Grand Forks.

At the conservative mass meeting on Friday night in the opera house, A. S. Goodeve will be supported by Neil F. Mackay, M.L.A. of Kaslo, Jas. H. Schofield, M.L.A. of Ymir, William Hunter, M.L.A. of Silverton, and P. R. McDonald, mayor of Rossland.

J. F. Puzey appeared yesterday afternoon before stipendiary magistrate Bullock-Webster on a charge of setting a bush fire which was laid by R. Miller of Koch siding in the Slocan valley. After investigation the case was dismissed, the evidence being insufficient to convict.

STRICT CENSORSHIP

Japanese Government Looking After Suppression of News in Corea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13—The Japanese government has established a strict censorship over all communications between Koreans in this country and friends and relatives in their native land, according to Rev. R. S. Ryang, a Korean minister of the Methodist church. It is said that Korean papers published here, containing accounts of the shooting and the subsequent death of Stevens, have been forbidden entry to Korea and that every copy of the Korean Daily News, which contained the Korean emperors' protest against the Japanese treaty has been destroyed.

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ROY BROCK RESIGNS

STORMY MEETING OF KOOTENAY FRUIT GROWERS

VERY PLAIN LANGUAGE USED BY THE MEMBERS

The special general meeting of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association in the court house yesterday morning and afternoon was largely attended and resulted in some stormy scenes. A full account of the meeting is held over this morning owing to pressure of other news.

The resignation of Roy Brock as secretary of the association tendered the directors the previous day and accepted was the subject of much regret. A temporary secretary was appointed to act until some further action was decided on.

Concerning the unsatisfactory returns made to fruit sellers during the past season much discussion arose and many heated remarks were made, the language used being plain, unmistakable and at times violent in the extreme.

A general decision was arrived at to reorganize for next season on new lines, it being claimed that one of the chief sources of trouble was the centering of the business at Revelstoke to the detriment of Kootenay ranchers. It was asserted that more than one member of the association had sold fruit apart from the association and had realized much better prices, than had members who worked through officials.

FERNIE NEWS NOTES.

What is Doing in Town on the Crow's Nest.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, Oct. 13—A philharmonic society is being organized in town and during the winter months will give several concerts. The excellent sacred concerts given last season were so much appreciated and well patronized that it has given encouragement to lovers of good music to attempt a more ambitious program this year. A meeting for organization purposes is to be held this week and if the hopes of the promoters are realized Fernie will have no reason to complain of the entertainment prepared for them.

The board of management of the Presbyterian church has decided not to proceed with the erection of a new edifice this fall as they have been able to secure a large hall in which services will be held during the winter. A very handsome and commodious manse has been erected through the generosity of the church at Vancouver and is nearly ready for occupancy.

Miss Kidd, matron of the Fernie hospital returned last night after a two weeks' visit to Winnipeg and other eastern points.

WILLS HIS BRAINS

Strange Bequest of Journalist and Author.

NEWARK, Oct. 13—The brain of Dr. Alex Wilder, the journalist and author of many works on evolution, philosophy and psychology, was bequeathed to Prof. Burtram Wilder of Cornell university by the will of Dr. Wilder, which was filed for probate today. Dr. Wilder was president of the school of philosophy of New York.

He declared in his will that Prof. Wilder decided to add his brain to the propiete collection of brains and was endeavProf. Wilder has made an unusually complete colection of brains and was endeavoring at ast accounts to add to the collection the brains of a hundred educated orderly persons.

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SECOND FIRE IN NIGHT

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CAUSE IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN INCENDIARISM

The firemen had a second run last night just before 12 o'clock to a fire which destroyed a woodshed in the rear of P. A. Macdonald's residence on Cedar street, near Latimer. The damage was about $50 and the cause is believed to have been incendiary. It was only by prompt work that the house was saved.

The fire was discovered by Alex McIntosh, bell boy at the Hume hotel, while on his way home. He aroused Mrs. Macdonald, who was asleep at the time and immediately ran to box No. 35 at the corner of Mill and Hendryx streets and rang in an alarm. A couple of the call firemen living in the neighborhood were aroused by it and without delay attached the hose which is kept at the substation at the corner of Cedar and Latimer streets and soon had the fire under control, keeping it from igniting the house which was only ten feet away from the shed. By the time the brigade arrived the fire was out.

According to Mrs. Macdonald none of the household had been in the shed after 5 o'clock. It is supposed that some one deliberately set the fire or that one of the wood and coal thieves who have been operating freely in the neighborhood recently in some way did so while stealing wood.

Although tired out after the Wood-Vallance fire the members of the brigade turned out well. When the alarm rang chief Deasy was at the scene of the previous fire and made the distance up hill to the scene in record time.

FORTUNE DECLINED.

Chicago Man too Happy to Bother About Million Dollar Legacy.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13—Heir to a fortune of more than a million dollars, but uncertain if he really can afford to accept the fortune on account of the present happiness of the family, is the strange position of Emil Ascher, who lives contentedly with his wife and eight children in a Prairie aveneue flat.

In 1888 John Ascher, an uncle, died in London leaving neither will nor clue to his relatives. Six months ago Mrs. Ascher received a letter from a friend in Germany near the place where she was born, saying that a family named Ascher had fallen heir to a large fortune. After several communications Mrs. Ascher received a letter from her cousin in which it was stated that her husband was certain to share to the extent of at least one million dollars in the Joseph Ascher estate.

Mr. Ascher is 60 years old and is contented that he has raised a family of eight children. In addition, he has a business which affords a comfortable income.

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