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AN OLD GAME

Mr. Fielding Claims Small
Surplus

BIG CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

EVEN PAYMENT FOR QUEBEC
BRIDGE DISASTER CHARGED
TO PERMANENT ACCOUNT—
N. T. R. ADMITTED TO BE COST
ING MANY MILLIONS

(Western Associated Press.)
OTTAWA, April 20.—The budget speech was delivered today by the finance minister, Hon. W. S. Fielding, who claimed a surplus of \$1,500,000 for the next fiscal year. Hon. G. Ooster, opening a discussion, declared that in reality there was a deficit shown of many millions, disguised by the familiar practice of charging current expenditure to capital account.

Mr. Fielding began by reviewing the fiscal year just closed and the current fiscal year. For the fiscal year 1908-09, just closed, Mr. Fielding said it had not been possible to close up accounts. The revenue of the year was affected by the world wide stringency; as received up to the present it was \$84,352,000. "My estimate," said Mr. Fielding, "is that the complete revenue will be \$84,500,000, \$11,500,000 less than the previous year, or a shrinkage of 12 per cent." So it would not be surprising to find a considerable deficit, but on the contrary he estimated a surplus of \$1,500,000 on consolidated revenue account. Expenditures to April 10th had been \$72,339,000 and he estimated the total expenditures at \$83,000,000. On capital and special expenditure he estimated \$25,500,000 for the N.T.R. during the past year; taking over the Quebec bridge adds another \$6,424,000, and other special expenditures of \$17,300,000 bring the aggregate to \$49,224,000. Deducting from this \$1,500,000 surplus and a sinking fund of \$1,675,000 there would be a balance of \$46,049,000 to add to the debt. This was a very large increase but \$32,000,000 was accounted for by the N.T.R. and Quebec bridge. He said freely they might have avoided this addition to the debt by not building the eastern section and particularly the Moncton section of the N.T.R., but whatever might be said by people living remote from it there was no section of the line more unanimously demanded by the people affected. The maritime provinces demanded that if there were to be another transcontinental line it should have better connection with it than by the Intercolonial. The government might have avoided very heavy expenditure by pursuing the conservative policy with "the C. P. R. and have given 25,000,000 acres for building the line, but that policy had caused wide dissatisfaction in the west and would not have commended itself to the house or country. The government was convinced that the right course was to build the eastern section as a government work and they had enough faith that it would become an interest earning asset.

Going on to discuss trade statistics he said they would necessarily be unfavorable, but not more so than in other countries. Exports had fallen slightly but there was a considerable decrease in imports. For the current year it was only fair to assume the country would overtake the decline and although he did not think they would be justified in expecting to reach the very high revenue of 1907-08 the revenue for 1909-10 would considerably exceed that of last year, but he thought the tide had turned and the revenue would gradually increase. With such conditions and the great demands being made on them, it might seem unavoidable that they should meet the difficulties by increasing taxation, but the government had decided on the wiser method of reducing expenditures.

Mr. Fielding then submitted figures to show a reduction of \$9,333,000 in the estimates on consolidated fund expenditure as compared with last year, while on capital account there was a reduction of \$13,333,000 or a total reduction of \$22,666,000.

There were big demands for important public works throughout the country, but the government thought the first duty was to improve the country's financial condition and the saving would probably enable all capital expenditures outside of the N.T.R. to be met out of revenue.

Mr. Fielding then sketched the financial record of the administration and the long series of surpluses, taking occasion to deprecate the attitude of a section of the opposition press in saddling the country with a tremendous deficit, explaining that the confederation custom had been followed by separating capital and revenue expenditures.

Mr. Horden asked whether that system prevailed in any country but Canada and whether this was not a suitable time to conform to the practice when Canada had been enjoying an enormous superabundance of revenue.

Mr. Fielding replied that as conditions were utterly unlike in Canada where they were developing vast virgin resources, they were more con-

cerned with their own practice than with that of other nations. He was chiefly concerned in showing the unfairness of conservatives in applying to finances of the present time a test they never applied when they themselves were in power. He went on to show that out of capital expenditure of over \$212,000,000 since the liberals were in office, 69 per cent had been out of ordinary revenue. Referring to various national undertakings which had made it necessary for the country to borrow considerable sums abroad during recent years, Mr. Fielding dwelt on the success of the \$6,000,000 loan last January and on the success which had attended its small multiples. He condemned the erroneous statements which tended to prelate the credit of the dominion. He then went into an analysis of the public debt and of increases since the liberals came to power, stating that whereas the net charges in 1895 were \$1.79 per head today, although some \$6,000,000 had been added to the total they were but \$1.33 per head. Mr. Fielding announced that the only change in the tariff related to beet sugar. Regulations governing the importation of beet sugar would be continued for the year and then for two years on a reduced scale.

Mr. Foster in his opening remarks said the bounties should have been charged to consolidated fund expenditures as the conservatives had done, in which case there would have been a deficit. He complained that accounts had been juggled and falsified; he remarked that it was particularly rich to hear from Mr. Fielding that the main objection of the government to giving land to the N.T.R. instead of cash was that the policy of the government was "the land for the settler." In view of the fact that they had been getting rid of the land as fast as they could for the past years, but not to settlers at first hand. Criticizing the general policy of the government he complained that the government had neglected their principles or had they imperilled the country because an election was impending? Mr. Foster raked the minister of finance not only for his keeping but for extravagant capital expenditures in his own constituency, and claimed that under his management the credit of Canada had been strained. He claimed that Mr. Fielding had nothing to say about the vital point of the financial situation. The sum taken from the citizens for all purposes, saying that this in 1896 was \$6.46 per head and last year it was \$11. Discussing the adverse balance of trade Mr. Foster noted that Mr. Fielding had said nothing about the French treaty and had not told the Canadian farmers that there was no market in France for their cattle. He referred also to the revision of the American tariff and how might injuriously affect the country and made a strong appeal for the development of trade with the empire. For the time was approaching when Britain was going to change her fiscal opinions. After challenging the lax and reckless expenditure which had driven the government to heavy borrowing, Mr. Foster characterized Mr. Fielding as the "champion taxpayer of Canada."

American Gold Shipments.
NEW YORK, April 20.—Goldman, Sachs & Co. today engaged \$500,000 in gold coin for shipment to Brazil. This brings the gold engagements to Brazil since April 3rd to \$2,500,000. The total exports of gold to Europe and South America since January 1 are now \$39,400,000. Of this amount \$5,500,000 went to Paris, \$13,750,000 to London and \$17,650,000 to Argentina.

Scotch Murderer Extradited.
GLASGOW, April 20.—Oscar Slater, alias Otto Sands, who was extradited from New York last February charged with the murder in Glasgow of Marian Gilchrist, has been committed by the sheriff's court for trial before the high court. Ninety-eight witnesses have been cited by the crown. The trial is set for May 3.

Castros Back to Europe.
COLON, April 20.—The steamer Guadeloupe came into port this morning from Port Limon, Costa Rica, and sailed this afternoon for France via Venezuela. Among her passengers are Senora Castro, wife of the former president of Venezuela, who is returning to Europe to join her husband. She could have landed here or in Costa Rica but elected to return to France.

Speed Record Broken.
LIVERPOOL, April 20.—The Mauretania which left for New York this morning, concluded the last portion of her trip from Queenstown to Sheriffs Islets, about 200 miles in six hours and ten minutes. This works out to the very high speed of 29 knots an hour, a test never accomplished by any ocean steamer.

Germans Laying Cables.
BERLIN, April 20.—The German-South American Cable company has begun the laying of a cable between Emden and Tenerife in the Canary Islands. The line will be continued later to Brazil and will be the first direct cable between Germany and South America.

Fire Fiend's Deadly Work.
BELFAST, April 20.—Some 500,000 gallons of whiskey were destroyed by fire in a bonded warehouse in Belfast today.

TO FLATHEAD

C. P. R. Proposes to Construct Branch Line

BILL IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

CHARTER IS SOUGHT FOR IMPORT
ENT EXTENSIONS IN SOUTH-
EAST KOOTENAY AND SOUTH-
ERN ALBERTA.

(Western Associated Press.)
OTTAWA, April 20.—Before the railway committee today W. E. Knowles presented a bill incorporating the Kootenay and Alberta railway company to build lines of railways, one from a point on the main line of the C. P. R. between Pincher and Cowley stations in Alberta westerly through North Kootenay Pass and southerly along the valley of the Flathead river in British Columbia to the international boundary, and (2) from a point between Pincher and Cowley stations easterly and southerly through the town of Pincher Creek, Fishburn settlement, Cardston and along the valley of Less creek to Coulters on the international boundary. The bill was reported.

BREAD MAY NOW GO UP

RISE IN PRICE OF FLOUR MAY BE
FELT HERE.LOCAL BAKERS ARE CONSIDERING
THE MATTER.

Owing to the rise of 40 cents per barrel in the price of flour the cost of bread has risen in most of the large cities of Canada. In Winnipeg the charge per loaf has been raised from 5 cents to 6 cents and in Vancouver although the price is unchanged the bakers have decided to make their loaves smaller.

A representative of The Daily News yesterday interviewed one of the largest bakers in the city who stated that although the price had not yet been increased in Nelson there was every probability that such a step would have to be taken shortly. He explained that the present price of bread in the city was six and a quarter cents per loaf, four loaves for 25 cents. This price is somewhat higher than that prevailing in some cities but the difference is accounted for by the fact that buyers of flour in Nelson have to pay 20 cents per barrel more in freight from the prairies than do buyers in Victoria and Vancouver.

Another point is that in all the large cities it is the custom for the bakers to use what is known as second grade flour. This grade is perfectly whole some and makes excellent bread though of a somewhat coarser fibre than that which is retailed here. No baker in Nelson or in the surrounding cities uses anything but the first grade flour. The difference in the cost of the two grades is 40 cents which makes a total extra cost of flour for bread-making in Nelson as compared with the coast of 60 cents per barrel. It is interesting to note that the price of bread in New York is 7 cents per loaf while the flour is there purchased for 55 cents cheaper per 100 pounds than in Nelson. In Spokane the price is remaining unchanged. The bakers, however, are losing nothing by this as they simply make their loaves correspondingly smaller. This cannot be done in Nelson owing to a city bylaw which states that all loaves must be of a uniform weight of one pound.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

NEW YORK, April 20.—Rain and generally disagreeable weather caused a postponement of all the important games scheduled for today in both the National and American leagues except the Detroit-Cleveland contest in Detroit. This is rather unusual but on one day last year the weather stopped practically every game in every league in the United States.

American League.
At Detroit..... R H E
Detroit..... 2 3 6
Cleveland..... 12 17 2

Northwestern League.
At Tacoma-Tacoma 1, Vancouver 7
At Seattle-Seattle 1, Portland 5
At Spokane-Spokane 4, Aberdeen 0.

Nova Scotia Has Enough Water.

HALIFAX, April 20.—A prohibition resolution which was introduced ten days ago in the legislature and which has been the subject of almost continuous debate since, was put to a vote yesterday afternoon and lost by 23 to 8.

Diplomatic Relations Restored.

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, April 20.—It is said here today that diplomatic relations between Venezuela and the Netherlands will be re-established at once.

To Post of Danger.

BRUSSELS, April 20.—The appointment of Baron Moncheur, the Belgian minister to the United States, to represent his government in Constantinople was officially gazetted today.

INSTALLED ON BENCH

W. W. B. McINNES TAKES SEAT AS
COUNTY COURT JUDGE.W. A. MACDONALD, K.C., CONGRAT-
ULATES ON BEHALF OF BAR

VANCOUVER, April 20.—Theodore Ludgate, owner of the lease of Deadman's Island, with his wife, is stopping at the Hotel Vancouver. Mr. Ludgate had nothing to say regarding the present question involving his holdings.

A deal has just been put through whereby the British Columbia Electric company has acquired extensive water front holdings in Hastings townsite. The property is many acres in extent and lies on both sides of the C. P. R. tracks immediately north of Hastings park, taking in the well known Hastings hotel. It is popularly known as the Black property, having been used as an hotel and site and grounds since Vancouver's earliest days. The purchase was, however, made through H. A. Jones. The price at which the price was put through was in the neighborhood of \$75,000.

In a room where campaign meetings have been held, whose appointments included a piano and lodge emblems, the temporary county court, which has been established at O'Brien's hall owing to the congestion in the old court house, Judge W. W. B. McInnes took his seat for the first time as senior judge and received the congratulations of the bar upon his elevation to the judiciary. The surroundings were such as to induce in Mr. W. A. MacDonald, K. C., who proffered the congratulations, the expression of a hope that more commodious quarters would be soon secured, still on this, the first occasion, his honor's men were thoroughly judicial. Before the session opened Mr. MacDonald extended on behalf of the bar their congratulations and hoped that the cordial relations which had existed between his honor while a practising lawyer and the other members of the profession would continue now that he was elevated to the bench. Not only did he extend this wish on behalf of the local bar but, coming as he did from the upper country and knowing that his honor had taken in the whole province, and his activity in public life, he could offer congratulations from lawyers in all parts of the province.

"I wish sincerely to thank you for your congratulations upon taking my seat for the first time on this senior county court judge," said Judge McInnes. "The best thing I can wish on this occasion for the public, for the bar and for myself is that during my tenure of office I may establish a record as satisfactory to the public in the bar as did my friend the late Judge Cane, when he was senior judge of this court. I will strive for that end and I am sure I shall have the hearty assistance and co-operation of the bar. I thank you for your remarks and trust that the relations existing between us will always be as cordial as they are this morning."

Among those who went north on the Princess May last night was G. E. Stittings, a wealthy young New Yorker who, with his wife, is bound for the Peace River country on a prospecting trip. It is Mr. Stittings' intention to make a thorough investigation of northern British Columbia with a view should opportunity present itself, of staying in the country permanently as a rancher.

Fred Lamberth, engineer in charge of the Canadian government's Alaska boundary survey party, and the seventeen men comprising his force, left for the north on the Princess May last night. The first stop will be made at Skagway where the party will journey overland to the starting point of the summer's work, the 141st meridian, and the White river. The first stretch of eighteen miles will be made in a direction due south from the starting point to the White river and build the line of monuments due north.

After sixteen years the seamen and seal hunters who sailed north in the Vancouver Belle, a schooner belonging to the Vancouver Shipbuilding company, which was held up by a Russian gunboat and confiscated, and who themselves suffered detention and hardship, are to be paid their wages and interest at the rate of six per cent per annum since 1893. The schooner sailed away in 1892 and it was only last year that compensation to the extent of \$46,000 was paid by the Russian government to the Imperial government, through whom it has been transmitted to the Canadian government.

Romanist Prelates Meet.

OTTAWA, April 20.—The opening session of the annual conference of the Roman Catholic archbishops of Canada took place this morning at the archbishop's palace. All the archbishops, save Mr. Langevin of Manitoba, were present. The matters to be considered will be mostly those relating to discipline, and kindred affairs. The decrees will be reported to Rome and will not be announced for perhaps a year.

Temporary Insanity.

WOODSTOCK, April 20.—P. J. Dugit, deputy registrar of Oxford for twenty years, while temporarily insane, committed suicide in his office this morning by stabbing himself in the heart.

Fire in Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, April 20.—Rockland hotel at Windsor Junction was destroyed by fire this morning and but little of the contents saved. There was only \$2500 insurance on the building.

WILL NOT FLY

Abdul Hamid is Ready for
Either Fortune

MUTINY MAY END CALMLY

FEW FAITHFUL MINISTERS WAIT
WITH SULTAN THE DECISION
OF THE VICTORIOUS FACTION
HOPES OF PEACEFUL ENDING
TO WEEK OF TERROR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 20.—Sultan Abdul Hamid is waiting in his palace for whatever may befall. He has not taken to flight and his grand vizier, Tewfik Pasha, has announced that without fear, the Sultan will remain with his family and accept resignedly the fate which has been prepared for him and his country. Tewfik Pasha and the minister of war Edhem Pasha, who sent in their resignations to the Sultan last night decided to withdraw them today, and the grand vizier is spending most of the time with His Majesty. Nazim Pasha is still in command of the garrison, but no preparations have been made to offer any resistance to the advance of the Salonika troops. The constitutionalists' lines now envelop the city but the commander-in-chief, General Husni Pasha, is still at Hademkol and there is little likelihood that the invading army will enter the city before tomorrow night or the following day. It is understood that Salonikists have submitted to the government a list of persons, whose punishment is demanded for complicity in the recent mutiny. This list includes deputies, journalists and theologians. But apparently there is the utmost good feeling between the invaders and the residents of the city, many of whom today visited the camps of Salonika troops and were received hospitably by the soldiers.

Two proclamations, signed by the commanding general of the army of investment, and addressed respectively to the citizens of Constantinople and the garrison, were issued today. They have had a reassuring effect. That sent to the war office for distribution to the garrison denounces as criminal and construes the acts committed under cover of demanding that the Sherif supersede the constitution, by bands of executioners, vile, conscienceless agitators, and partisans of absoluteism who deluded the soldiers and people so that the parliament was stained with blood, the nation plunged in mourning, and a blot made on the Ottoman army, whose honor had remained intact for the last 600 years. After explaining that the army of Salonika had come to remove the stain the proclamation formulates two demands:

First. Full re-instatement of the officers of the army and navy and that the soldiers take an oath in the presence of the Sheikh-ul-Islam, to obey their superiors, and not to mix in politics.

Second. That the garrison undertake not to interfere with the measures for the punishment of the guilty persons, and that the spies and others who provoked the disorders be denounced. Finally, if both demands are accepted by the land and sea forces, and they show the real obedience, nothing will befall the garrison."

The proclamation to the populace explains that the object of the investing army is the re-establishment of the constitution, which is in accordance with the Sherif law, and the punishment of the traitors to the country. It assures complete safety to the innocent and oppressed population and to foreigners and adds that those who, disguised as Ulemas, to serve their personal ends, committed a reprehensible act, will be punished.

Tewfik Pasha, commenting to one of the ambassadors on the rumors that the Sultan was no longer in the palace but had taken flight on Sunday, said that the Sultan was not physically timid and would remain with his family and accept whatever situation was prepared for him. The Constantinople garrison is deserting to the side of the constitutionalists. The capital troops have been leaving the city in small batches since early on Sunday, but the outward flow set in heavily today. It is estimated that about four thousand men have gone from their officers and comrades. One party took along the battery of machine guns, with horses and full ammunition wagons. None of these attempting to join the constitutionalists without arms were accepted. Strangely enough a large part of the garrison was given leave of absence today, only about five thousand troops being kept in barracks. The principal suburban railway service, that to San Stefano, ran special trains through the day to accommodate thousands more than the regular trains could carry, who were anxious to see the advancing troops. Just as the train on which the correspondent of the Associated Press was ready to leave the station, a dozen or more Salonika chassateurs, who had deserted from the palace guard, came at double quick down the platform with Mausers in their hands, and magazines full of cartridges. They climbed into the third class cars. They are going to join the others. Remarkable the stationmaster: "That must be the three hundred that I have seen today

taking the train to San Stefano. Outside the Byzantine walls, the excursionists saw the first squad of constitutional soldiers. There was great clapping of hands and cries of salutation from the Turkish party and the Armenian ladies on the train waved their scarfs and handkerchiefs. The powder and cartridge works, just beyond, are strongly held by the constitutionalists, who took possession of them last night. The extensive factories were in operation, all the chimneys smoking. At San Stefano, about eight miles from the city, Colonel Chalfo Bey, commander of the advance guard had his headquarters in the railway station. He received the correspondent very cordially. He said that no orders came to him indicating when the city was to be occupied. General Husni Pasha, commander-in-chief was in the vicinity of Hademkol, 25 miles distant, and it was to be presumed that no entry would be made until he was nearer the capital, so that he might have the advance under his close personal direction. He could not, however, reach the neighborhood of the city before tomorrow night at the earliest. "We are hardly expecting trouble," said Colonel Chalfo, "but every disposition is being made, just as though we were." An orderly came in with a dispatch at the moment, and the conversation ended. As the commander of the advance guards came up to his headquarters he was greeted respectfully by many hundreds of Turks who had been allowed inside the lines. Most of them were well dressed. Beyond the lines there were probably a thousand or more coffee-sellers, vendors of sweet meats, and others engaged in a variety of small businesses improvised for the crowds. No such throngs have been seen in San Stefano, it was said, since the Russian advance guard held the place for several months in 1878.

The members of the San Stefano club have been offered their building to General Husni Pasha as his headquarters while some of the rich Constantinople merchants with villas at that place, are providing the troops with unlimited cigarettes, sending them by the tens of thousands to every company. The rank and file of the invading army, especially the volunteers, are fine looking young men. They appeared to know the aims of the committee of union and progress thoroughly and are enthusiastic and determined in their support.

The correspondent, through a dragoman, talked with several of them. They felt strongly the treachery as they termed it, of the Salonika chassateurs who had been selected for the most important post by the committee, that of palace guards. They avowed that the guards corrupted by months of residence in the capital, had revealed in the soft living and hot house life on the Yildiz barracks. The youths from the country had been too weak to resist this sort of existence. It is from the Salonika chassateurs that trouble is likely to come, as they felt that they will not be treated mercifully although the committee, it is understood is not disposed to punish any but the ringleaders, who are for the most part corporals and sergeants.

Constantinople tonight is gay and animated. All the cafes are brilliant and crowded. Political talk is going on at every table in the most open fashion. Strange and wild stories are being told, with every indication of being believed, principally about the Sultan. Terror of spies being raised, all tongues are loosed. At one of the tables it was related that the Sultan was half unconscious and had been moaning for hours throughout the day. A new comer joined the table, with a circumstantial narrative that the ambassadors had waited on the Sultan with the demand that he abdicate, the Sultan had replied that he would abdicate when he was dying, with a scimitar in his hand and with Constantinople burned.

Extra editions of the newspapers in Turkish, French, Greek and German are appearing in various parts every hour. They are hawked shrilly. There are many extras, merely hand bills sent out by irresponsible persons, but all seemingly find a ready market and are read eagerly.

No less than 5,000 persons lost their lives in the massacres that have been going on in the villayet of Adana for the last eight days as a result of the outbreak of Moslem fanaticism. Of this total 2,000 persons were killed in the city of Adana and of this number more than 1,000 were Moslems.

Editor Offers Apology.

(Special to The Daily News.)
VANCOUVER, April 20.—William Stanley, editor of the Fernie Ledger, appeared before the full court this morning to answer the charge of contempt on account of articles referring to Judge Wilson appearing in publication. Through his attorney C. W. Craig an abject apology was offered the lawyer stating that Mr. Stanley had not understood the full meaning of the reference. The crown asked that in view of the apology only a fine be imposed. The court announced that a decision would be given tomorrow.

King and Queen Cruising.

GIRGENTICE, Sicily, April 20.—The royal yacht Victoria and Albert with King Edward and Queen Alexandra on board arrived here today from Genoa. Their majesties are cruising in the Mediterranean.

May Have Scandal.

HALIFAX, April 20.—A political sensation was sprung in the legislature yesterday when the leader of the Conservative opposition gave notice of a motion to appoint a commission to investigate supplies in various departments of the provincial government.

NOT PARTIZAN

British Opposition Will Aid
Premier Asquith

TO MAKE EMPIRE SECURE

LORD CHARLES BERESFORD DE-
NIES SENSATIONAL STATE-
MENT—ALL CLASSES IN NEW
ZEALAND UNITED IN FAVOR
OF NATIONAL TRAINING.

LONDON, April 20.—In connection with Premier Asquith's speech on an imperial defence conference the desire is expressed by all members of the opposition that the question should be as free from party sentiment as possible. Mr. Asquith, it is said, would receive the full and hearty support of Mr. Balfour if he announced his intention to deal with it in a broad and non-partisan manner.

All the London newspapers today publish a statement to the effect that a letter from Admiral Lord Charles Beresford was read at a meeting of the Navy league at Bournemouth last night in which the writer said: "If the country knew the real truth regarding the present condition of the navy there would be a panic." Later in the day the admiral denied emphatically that he had penned this sentence.

MELBOURNE, April 20.—Minister of Justice Peace, speaking at Williams-town referred favorably to Premier Asquith's suggestion of a naval conference, the question being vitally important. A thorough agreement and working understanding between all parties of the empire was desirable before his colleagues would act on the suggestion.

WELLINGTON, N. Z., April 20.—Public opinion continues to grow in favor of compulsory training. A preliminary meeting of clergymen, teachers, merchants and manufacturers was held yesterday to arrange for a mass meeting which will urge the government to institute universal training.

MINES AT YMIR WILL OPEN

Plans for Work on Yankee Girl and
Broken Hill.

(Special to The Daily News.)
YMIR, April 20.—Ymir, which for some time past has been very quiet is again coming to the front, stronger than ever. The Yankee Girl group is no longer a prospect, development of the property in the form of a tunnel 150 feet long, all in ore, which at the face is 7 feet wide and solid ore that runs from \$20 to \$30. This ore chute has been proven to have a depth of 450 feet and its value is based at not less than half a million dollars. H. L. Rodgers, manager, and having a large interest in the property, has just returned from New York where he went to consult with his associates relative to putting in a tram and concentrator and arrangements are now under way to have this work done. This will mean that a large number of miners will be employed who will board in Ymir.

A. H. Tuttle of the Broken Hill mining company has just returned from spending the winter in New York and with his return comes the news that he will commence work on the Wilcox mine, ample funds being arranged for. The Wilcox, it is reported, will be worked this summer. In the timber line there is much work being done. Clarkson Bros. are shipping a large quantity of fence posts into the Canadian Northwest, they are also filling some orders for telephone poles for Manitoba. Taking everything together the prospects for Ymir this summer were never better and a large tonnage in ore and timber products is promised.

Government Agent Wright was here Saturday and made an appropriation for work on the Dundee road. Foreman Mitchell Tate with a crew of men commenced work Monday.

Constable J. A. Fraser accompanied by his wife and daughter left for a week's vacation at Spokane.

Invalid Chose Quick Route.

ONTARIO, April 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, wife of Dr. S. G. Thompson, Jarvis street, died at St. Michael's hospital this morning from a dose of carbolic acid. She had been an invalid for four years and managed in some way to get hold of the poison and had almost emptied a two-ounce bottle before she was found. She was 45 years old.

Defaulting Teller Returns.

WINNIPEG, April 20.—Fred A. Lee, the defaulting teller of the Northern Crown bank at Saskatoon, who was arrested in Los Angeles, Cal., and waived extradition, arrived in Winnipeg last night in charge of detectives. Lee got away with \$7,000 of the bank's money.

Deficit of \$50.

HALIFAX, April 20.—The provincial estimates were brought down in the legislature yesterday. Receipts are estimated at \$1,633,944 and expenditures at \$1,634,004.



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"And how beautifully her house was decorated. Of course I could not get mine done like that." Why not, madam? The Daily News has obtained exclusive right to publish in a series of articles on home decoration written by the best known experts on the continent. A full description of the latest styles in vogue for each room in the house will appear each week. If you are an advocate of the "Home Beautiful" you must not miss one of these valuable treatises.

The Drawing Room.
This is generally nothing less than a Chamber of Torture and its name should be extended to "Drawing and Quartering Room." Most of the drawing rooms are the receptacle for all the pretty (or otherwise) bric-a-brac gathered together by an industrious family for years, and with small regard for either utility or appropriateness the gew-gaws are hung, or otherwise displayed in all corners, or nooks of the room, one occupying in solitary dignity available or corner, and a grand collection adorning (?) the mantel piece.

Woe betide any careless member of the male gender who thinks this is any mere room—this, if you please, is the drawing room in which he may not walk about or sit at leisure. He will generally find the chairs attenuated as to limb support and uncomfortable as to practical use and besides almost every one there is likely to be (Oh! horrors) a "What Not" loaded to the groaning point with pots, pugs and painted poodles. He must move warily. A sudden arm movement and the whole menagerie collection may be precipitated to the floor. He must keep before him always the mental admonition—"Remember, you are not in your smoking room, you are now in the drawing room. Do be careful of that china elephant behind you."

There is an encouraging glimpse of light, however. Professional decorators now eschew over-decoration of much elaborate trimming and all qualifiedly condemn the use of a drawing room for menagerie purposes, even china animals being taboo.

Though the habits of the past are all too tenacious there is evident much hopeful improvement and it will not be long before the ginger-bready drawing room will be as much a matter of history as the gilded frying pan.

In the decoration of a long, narrow parlor, use size usually met with in city houses, especially one poorly lighted, one can do quite as much in affecting proportions by the placing of furniture and pictures as he can in the choice of paper.

No wall decoration can be devised that has diminishing sizes of patterns to be placed at the far ends of a room away from the entrance, but the arrangement of the larger pieces of furniture and pictures in the immediate foreground and the smaller ones at the ends of the rooms brings about a perspective illusion of far greater width than actually exists.

Continuous design in carpet or calling weakens this size effect so rugs that can be laid across the room to break the continuity are preferable to carpets that run with the length of the room. Ceilings can be made to add to this effect by being broken into paneled spaces.

Drawing room decoration can be less elastic than that of any well defined attempt at some "period style" of furnishing, that the wall decoration must of course harmonize closely with this feeling.

Light tones and delicate somewhat fanciful designs or plain stripes are most popular and most rightly so, too, though some rooms one sees decorated in the lightest of creams, ecru or pale green simply cry out for a more vigorous treatment in the somewhat deeper tones. This is usually due to the clash of heavy furniture and the too-delicate wall treatment.

In thorough keeping with the best general ideas of drawing-room decoration is the photograph herewith. The paper should be either velour in the distinctive colorings that only velours have, or a "silk" in pale green, fawn, biscuit or ivory—in the light tints—or salmon, leaf-green or grey.

The border is "cut out" both along the top and the bottom of the festoons and applied over a filler of light fabric chambray of harmonious blending with the stripes in the wall. The bold drawing of the frieze and its rich elaborations in applique relieve the otherwise excessive formality of the stripe pattern. The woodwork should be enameled pale green, ivory, cream or white to contrast with the paper, and the carpet should be in dark stripe of the wall hanging. As the walls will show a rather great expanse of unbroken space in the average room it will be well to relieve this with hangings of appropriate color but rather rich design.

The ceilings offer a fairly large range of choice, though the one most admirable plan (especially if there were a cove effect) would be to continue the filler used behind the applique border up on to the ceiling to the distance of about two feet from the walls, setting this off with a narrow panel divider and using a cream or ivory ceiling paper in the centre. This would tend to balance the effect of the stripes and would give the clusters of roses at the apex of each festoon almost the appearance of being on the ceiling with the festoons themselves hanging away from the walls. A clever frescoco could add to this illusion by the sparing use of a light shadow under each curve of the festoon.

On Sunday there will be an article on the living room.

VALUABLE ORE.

Splendid Copper Gold Samples Struck on Copper Mountain

If any mining man or prospector had any preconceived notion that high grade gold copper ore could be found only in far-off Spain, Mexico, or Butte, says the Similkameen Star, he may have his delusion exposed by seeing the latest strike on the No. 4, Copper Mountain, development work on which has now reached a shaft depth of 70 feet and the work advancing steadily with the force employed by E. F. Voigt.

No. 4 is located west of Voigt's Camp toward the mountain proper and within the zone which has now added fresh fame to the widely known Copper mountain, with its many hundreds of mineral claims. The sample shown is from a lead which outcrops 180 ft. wide, and runs 85 per cent copper, and \$73 in gold. The ore consists of chalcopyrites and copper glance, the formation being lime.

It is fully believed that as in the case of ore of this class in other camps, and particularly in Butte, depth will show a greater purity of glance deposit. Whatever conditions are met within developing, thus far the ore has increased in value as depth was obtained.

For exhibition purposes this ore is so subject to oxidation that it cannot be displayed in all its native prettiness and form. An effort will, however, be made to have a sample on view at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exhibition in Seattle. In the reward which Mr. Voigt seems now about to annex, it has come by patient and enduring struggle. May he long enjoy it.

WINNIPEG'S LATEST CENSUS

Prairie Metropolis Has 122,500—First Crop Estimate.

WINNIPEG, April 20.—The official figures of Winnipeg's population as given out by assessment commissioner Harris, show 122,500.

The street railway employees this morning notified the company that they had applied to the government through the department of labor for a board of conciliation to try and effect a settlement of the dispute between the company and the employees. No appointment of a representative to act on the board on behalf of the men has been made. Yet the company through general manager Phillips will issue an official statement tomorrow.

The imminent peril of the missionaries in Asia Minor is a subject of intense local interest as there are a number in the disturbed section to whom Winnipeggers are closely related. Miss Genevieve Duval, a daughter of Rev. Dr. Duval of Knox church, who five years ago married Rev. H. M. Irwin, of Ontario, is in the disturbed section at a place called Cesora, only one hundred miles to the south of Adana, from whence such an earnest appeal has been made for help. The mission affected is of the Presbyterian church and while there are a number of Canadians in the section yet they were all sent from the Presbyterian church with headquarters at Philadelphia and New York. There are many Winnipeggers deeply interested in the list of names of those laboring in the affected field, as there are a number of other Canadians known to be in the mission besides Rev. W. N. Chalmers and Dr. Fred McCallum and wife.

The first report of the Canadian Northern railway on the crop conditions in the west was compiled today. The agents all over the system send in good reports of the farming situa-

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tion, and it may be taken that seeding will be general by the end of the week. In many places seeding starts today. An especially good report comes from Disley, Sask., where five per cent, of the grain is already in the ground. At this point the acreage will be much in excess of last year. At Maryfield, Sask., the farmers start today seeding 18,000 acres of wheat land which represents an increase of 6000 acres over the crop of last year. Mannville farmers expect to have 4000 acres seeded by the end of this week. At Bladworth, Sask., Osler, Underhill, Beaver, Plumus, Carman, Rosebank and many other places, the farmers were early on the ground this with their drills and seeds.

Prof. H. A. Powell of Havana, Cuba, Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I recalled its true value until now," writes Prof. H. A. Powell, of Howell's American school, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold; the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment.

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Montreal Inquiry Begun.

MONTREAL, April 20.—Judge Carson, the royal commissioner appointed by the provincial government to inquire into civic affairs at Montreal, opened the first session this morning, adjourned until April 27 after the hearing of two witnesses in regard to a \$2,000,000 loan made by the city some years ago which, it was claimed, was irregular and alleged irregular spending of the city's money by assistant clerk Bauset. Judge Cannon said all witnesses had been protected by law and would not be charged with costs if their evidence were given in good faith.

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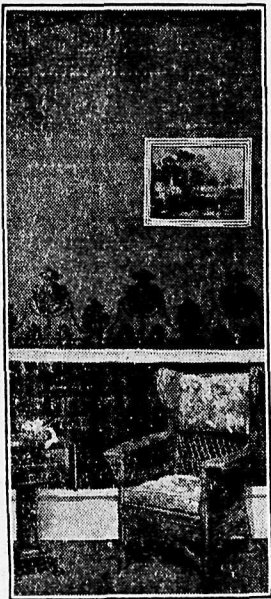
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Mr. Sylvester Swetenham, brother of Sir Frank Swetenham, who is associated with business enterprises in which the banking house of Glyn Mills & Co. is concerned, is here on his way to the Pacific coast. He stated in an interview with a Montreal Herald representative that a company of influential capitalists is being formed in London to develop a new halibut fishing industry between Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands, where the finest halibut fisheries in the world lie, and for the opening of extensive new canneries near the mouth of the Skeena river. The capitalists associated are most influential, and they are prepared to put into the venture, Mr. Swetenham said, the sum of two million dollars.

Mr. Swetenham added that it was anticipated the new halibut fisheries would prove most profitable. Experts had already been over the ground and had reported upon the prospects, and there could be no doubt as to the quantity and quality of the salmon on the Skeena river. It was believed that from both sources profitable traffic would be developed, particularly as regards the halibut, which would find the G. T. P. the most direct route to the large consuming centres, whither they are to be conveyed in iced cars of special construction.

Mr. Swetenham, who is a member of the Carlton club, said a good many London club men come to Canada to

have a little sport ostensibly, but they have other and more serious purposes in view. The majority are looking out for favorable opportunities for investment. Not the kind of thing that are likely to be unloaded upon them by the ordinary promoters, but enterprises that are likely to give immediate return and that will prove a permanent source of profit.

"The fact is," he said, "a large number of wealthy men just now are profoundly uneasy at some of the recent developments—the spread of socialism at home, the heavy burden of taxation, and the increasing difficulty of getting anything like an adequate return for capital, with the requisite guarantee of unquestioned security. Many who come out to Canada and other parts of the empire for sport mean really to buy land."

Sailors' Strike Inevitable.

BUFFALO, April 20.—While not officially declaring a strike J. A. Secord of this city, general secretary of the instructed his men not to take employment on any boat on which there are non-union crews on contract engagements. The cooks and stewards are affiliated with the lake seamen's union, and it is not believed that the latter organization can hold off much longer in declaring the strike official. The marine seamen have benefit of \$2 a week to men called out of the various boats. The police have been called on several times to disperse crowds throwing coal at passing boats manned with non-union crews.

Another Atlantic Merger.

NEW YORK, April 20.—A special Berlin cable to the Times says: Reports are current that proposals will be brought forward at the annual shareholders' meeting of the North

German Lloyd Co. at Bremen on April 24th with a view to effecting the amalgamation of that line with the Hamburg-American line. It is believed that each of the great German lines could continue to do practically the same business it does now separately by the maintenance of joint offices throughout the world and by otherwise sharing the operating charges, while doing away with profit-destroying competition at the various points. The proposed alliance would bring under one control a shipping capital aggregating the enormous sum of \$115,750,000.

New York Teamsters' Strike

NEW YORK, April 20.—Disorder occurred here today in connection with the strike which the members of the International Association of Teamsters have instituted against certain trucking firms, the men demanding higher wages and recognition of their organization. An attack was made on a wagon belonging to Jackson Bros., 120 of whose men have struck, but the attacking party was frightened off by two shots from a revolver discharged in the air by a special policeman mounted on the truck. Cornelius Shea who looked after the interests of the striking teamsters in Chicago a couple of years ago assumed charge of the teamsters' affairs here today, opened local headquarters and sent out a call for a meeting tonight for the discussion of the strike. Extra patrolmen have been stationed in the district at present affected and a force of detectives has been engaged to protect the stables and other property of the trucking firms in this territory.

Foreign Students at Paris.

PARIS, April 20.—The report of the University of Paris for the past scholastic year shows that Paris has lost none of its traditional attraction for the students of all countries. Of a total of 17,000 students matriculated over 3,000 are foreigners. By far the largest contingent comes from Russia. Higher education seems to possess little attraction for the Parisienne, for of the 1,400 women students registered 1,101 are foreigners. These figures of course take no account of art and musical students whose numbers increase every year.

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MR. PATTEN LAUGHS AT ESTIMATE OF DEPARTMENT

SECRETARY WILSON MAINTAINS REPORTS ARE ACCURATE

CHICAGO, April 20.—Mr. Patten of the wheat corner paid his respects to secretary of agriculture Wilson, declaring that the latter's estimate of available supplies is a joke, and lectured the reporters who, he alleges have been more entertaining than accurate in their stories. As to the talk of removing the tariff on wheat as a slap at manipulators, Mr. Patten was for it. "I am in favor of removing it right now because we will have to do it inside of ten years at any rate. It would not affect the price of wheat a penny, for the markets of the world are on a parity right now. Take off

the duty on corn, oats and live stock, too, for it will not be long before we have to import them. I have said this before and "Jim" Hill has been preaching it to the farmers along his rail for the last three or four years. As to Mr. Wilson he is absolutely incorrect. There was not 143,000,000 bushels on farms on March 1. It was nearer 100,000,000 bushels. My information is better than his. But don't take it from me. Go to any big dealer who pays his money for accurate information on which to risk his capital. They say I have a corner on wheat. I have no. The wheat I have would not feed the world for one day.

Last week's place in speculative history is due to the practical passing of the so called "May deal" and the active engagement of the bulls and bears all along the line concerning the proper price for July contracts for wheat. From this time on the price may fluctuate erratically but it is stated that there will be little trading in it. The bears admit that Patten won

in the struggle and that he is arbiter of the price. However, few settlements of this delivery, it is said, remain to be made. The price during the week ranged between 125 and 127 7-8 and closed today at 128 1-8.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Secretary Wilson's statement was made in reply to criticisms of J. A. Patten of Chicago of the crop reports of the department of agriculture, which not only described the department's estimate for the wheat crop, but said that the supply of wheat was scarcer than the government's estimates show. "The reporters of the department of agriculture are farmers living on farms and know, if anybody knows, and have knowledge, if anybody has knowledge, of the facts. The large majority of wheat has left the hands of the farmers. A fictitious price has been created. The farmers are not beneficiaries of such conditions, but will naturally plant more wheat and next year's crop is likely to be abnormally large, when the gamblers will not be in the market and mischief will be done by disturbance of the crop system."

NEWS OF THE DOMINION

SASKATOON, April 20.—The university governors will go to Regina tomorrow to attend a meeting of the governors to be held there for the purpose of selecting a site for the university.

OTTAWA, April 20.—Phileas Lantot, formerly of Montreal, translator in the labor department, died suddenly in the hospital here this morning. He was stricken with paralysis while waiting in the doctor's office.

MONTREAL, April 20.—The bank of Montreal closed at 4 p.m. today the list of the Lake Superior Consolidated corporation \$5,000,000 first mortgage collateral trust 40 year five per cent gold bonds, issued at 90. It is officially stated that the underwriting subscriptions aggregate 60 per cent.

TORONTO, April 20.—Harry Morton has received a message from the Minto cup trustee, P. D. Ross of Ottawa, giving it as the decision of the trustees that those who play with Regina for the Minto cup this spring will not be allowed to play for the Tecumseh for the season. This may prevent Morton going with Regina.

HAMILTON, April 20.—Dr. and Mrs. Webster of this city are believed to be in Beirut, Turkey, where the Young Turks are causing so much trouble, and fears for their safety are entertained by their friends. Mrs. Webster is the daughter of Mrs. Troop of this city. Nothing has been heard from them since the outbreak of the riots.

QUEBEC, April 20.—Another tragedy of railroad construction will undoubtedly be revealed when the coroner holds an inquest on the body of an unknown man found in a culvert last Tuesday along the Transcontinental railroad, about 23 miles north of Katanaque. The body was lying in a pool of blood and the general belief is that the man met foul play.

TORONTO, April 20.—Among the Canadian missionaries known to be in southern Asia Minor at the present time are Rev. H. M. Irwin and his wife, who are stationed within 100 miles of Adana. Mrs. Irwin is the daughter of Rev. Dr. Duval of Winnipeg. No tidings have been received from them since the trouble commenced.

HARRISON, Ont., April 20.—Duncan McKinnon, a farmer of Normandy township, violently attacked Ethel Ellis, daughter of a farmer and would probably have killed her had not the neighbors interfered. The attack took place on the highway and the girl was badly bruised and wounded. Constables went to arrest McKinnon, but he drove them away with a shot gun. Later on they returned and arrested him in his stable. Five years ago McKinnon had put in a year in an insane asylum. McKinnon will be arraigned before a magistrate tomorrow.

EDMONTON, April 20.—Efforts are being made by the officers of the 101st Canadian Fusiliers to secure a lease on the curling rink to be used as a temporary armory until new armories in Edmonton are erected. At the present time the separate school hall is being used for drill. As soon as the ground is dry open air drill will be started probably on the exhibition ground. Although no special efforts have been made at recruiting a large number of men have been enrolled and the new regiment is now half its full strength. Every day members are being enrolled and in a few weeks the complement of men will be enlisted. Another shipment of equipment has been received and is being issued to recruits.

Atlantic Trade Looking Up.

MONTREAL, April 20.—Mr. Arthur Piers, manager of the C. P. R. steamship service, arrived in Montreal today from Liverpool. He says there is every prospect of good but not extraordinary season's business in the Atlantic steamship trade. Shipping men are somewhat depressed over the fact that last year's business was so poor that most of the big companies had to pass their dividends, said Mr. Piers. The class of emigrants booking for Canada this year is distinctly superior to the average of the past four years.

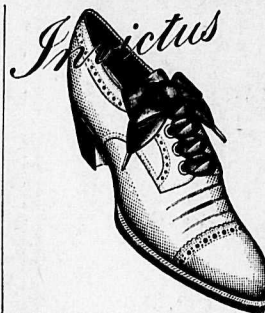
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(Special to The Daily News.)

PHOENIX, April 20.—During the past week representatives of the protective committee of the dissenting stock and bond holders of the Dominion Copper company have been investigating matters locally of the company. R. deSallier and R. M. Atwater, Jr., and Robert Finton of Los Angeles, have been examining the Dominion Copper mines here as well as the properties at Sunset camp and Boundary Falls. The protective committee are also having the books of the company examined and audited. This committee claims to have the pledged support of some 300,000 shares and about \$100,000 in bonds. In his report as to the progress of the committee, the chairman, B. V. Lincoln, says: "Carried to a successful conclusion, the efforts of the dissenting stockholders and bondholders should result in the complete rehabilitation of the Dominion Copper company, and its transformation into a true investors' company."

With the strike in the eastern British Columbia coal mines still unsettled matters become more serious for the British Columbia Copper company at Greenwood as there is not more than a week's reserve supply of coke on hand. Operations will probably have to be closed for a time before the new supply of coke begins to arrive.

Another tunnel has been started on the Athlestan Fraction, the B. C. Copper Company's recently acquired Wellington camp property. The original development was the sinking of a shaft and drifting. A tunnel was then run to explore the property at depth, and now a tunnel to secure greater depth has been started.

A good strike is reported to have been made on the Greyhound Fraction in Deadwood camp, near the Mother Lode mine, by a syndicate which is having the property developed. In



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sinking a shaft a ledge of nearly two feet in width was uncovered, carrying about 15 ounces of silver as well as good values in gold.

F. Whitwell and P. Pinker have just completed another 50-foot contract of tunneling on the Lucky Shot claim.

A small force of men have again commenced operations at the B. C. Copper company's Oro Denoro mine.

E. A. Black has commenced work on a new blacksmith shop which he is erecting on Knob Hill avenue.

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Max Berger, who has been taking orders for an eastern firm of men's clothiers, appeared before magistrate Hood on a charge of selling clothing in the city without a license. The case was adjourned till the latter part of the week.

The Wm. Hunter company are building a store in New Westminster and will move their Phoenix stock of dry goods to that point in June.

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THE BUDGET SPEECH

Hon. W. S. Fielding's budget speech delivered in the house of commons yesterday was a studied attempt to make the best of a bad showing. While admitting that his figures are not complete, he estimates that there will be a surplus for the year of a million and a half dollars. This estimate may or may not prove correct. It would have been far more satisfactory had he presented final figures.

It is interesting to note the manner in which Mr. Fielding arrives at his estimate of a surplus of a million and a half dollars for the year just closed. He does so by charging \$49,224,000 to capital account. Included in the sum so charged is \$25,500,000 spent on the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific and \$6,424,000 which the government had to make good as a result of the collapse of the Quebec bridge. Outside of these two amounts, however, there is \$17,300,000 charged up to capital account. In making up this amount Mr. Fielding is the sole arbiter. He says what money shall be charged to capital account and what to consolidated revenue fund. It is, therefore, quite easy for him to make a surplus. A few large sums which an ordinary business man would charge to consolidated revenue account can be charged instead to capital account and a surplus created in this way. In other words, under the system of bookkeeping in force at Ottawa, a surplus can be made to order at any time.

Granting that the cost of the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific should be charged to capital account, it is hard to see why the \$6,424,000 which the government was forced to assume as a result of the collapse of the Quebec bridge should be. The government has practically nothing to show for this. New plans are being prepared for this bridge on entirely different lines from those of the previous structure so that what is left of the latter can be realized on only as scrap. From the manner in which Mr. Fielding has dealt with the finances of the country in previous budgets it can also be taken for granted that a large portion of the \$17,300,000 which he charged to capital account in addition to the cost of the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Quebec bridge would have been paid out of consolidated revenue account had it not been considered necessary to produce a surplus.

The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Mr. Fielding while claiming a surplus of a million and a half dollars admits that the public debt of Canada was increased \$46,049,000 as a result of last year's operations. This amount he arrives at by subtracting from \$49,224,000, the total amount which he has charged to capital account, his alleged surplus of a million and a half and \$1,675,000, the amount added to the various sinking funds during the year. Allowing for these two amounts and charging the cost of the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific to capital account, there is a deficit on the year's operations of \$20,549,000. If the books of the department of finance at Ottawa were kept in the way an ordinary business man keeps his this would more nearly represent the correct showing for the year than does Mr. Fielding's surplus, small though it is.

FULL COURT AND FISHERIES

The announcement comes from Victoria that the full court of British Columbia may refuse to hear the questions submitted to it by the provincial government relative to the rights of the province in regard to the fisheries within its boundaries. It is to be hoped by loyal British Columbians that the full court will take no such action but that it will pass upon the questions submitted to it by the provincial government in order that an appeal may be taken to the privy council with the least possible delay and that tribunal be asked to settle this question once and for all.

It is well known that there has for years been a dispute between British Columbia, as well as the other provinces, and the dominion government regarding control of the fisheries in tidal and non-tidal waters. Up to the present the dominion government has administered the fisheries of this province. Somewhat over a year ago, however, the British Columbia government asserted its control over them and issued regulations relating to them.

As a test case action was taken against a fisherman for breach of the provincial regulations and the case came before the full court, which declared that these regulations were ultra vires. The province asked leave to appeal but this was refused by the full court. The province, of course, could appeal from this decision direct to the privy council, but it was thought better to start the action anew by submitting to the full court a number of questions dealing with the matter, the idea being that an appeal would be taken from this decision to the privy council. The full court, however, it is said, will refuse to answer these questions on the ground that it is not called upon to deal with abstract questions of law even when submitted to it by the government.

The full court is probably technically right in both its decisions and without evidence to the contrary it would not be right to impugn the motives of the men who comprise it by suggesting that friendship for the government at Ottawa has in any way colored their views in the matter. The same time the provincial government owes it as a duty to the people of this province to take whatever steps may be necessary to secure a definite pronouncement on this question of the control of the fisheries, even though such action is taken in face of the opposition of the full court, for there is no question but that the fisheries of British Columbia could be better administered locally than from Ottawa. The only way that this can be brought about, is by securing a decision from the privy council. If the decision of the privy council should be against the province's contentions matters would remain as they are now and no harm would have been done. On the other hand, if these fisheries by right belong to the province there is no reason why the dominion should continue to administer them. The McBride government has the support of the people of the province in anything they may do to secure a final and authoritative decision on this question.

SHOULD BE AN INQUIRY

The Toronto Star, the junior liberal organ for Ontario, which has latterly been showing more or less independence in the discussion of public affairs, said in a recent issue:

"The liberals at Ottawa ought to court the fullest inquiry into the McAvity case, and into the charges made against the Hon. Dr. Pugsley. The public mind is undoubtedly disturbed by these charges and will not be satisfied by anything less than a full investigation. The opposition may not

be adopting the right means of bringing about an inquiry, but that is all the more reason why the government and their supporters should take whatever measures are necessary. Dr. Pugsley has announced that he will make a statement as to the charges made against him by the provincial commission, but this does not cover the McAvity case which relates to the expenditure of federal money upon a federal work, and cannot be allowed to remain in its present position."

What the Star says about this matter is in keeping with the sentiments of many of the best liberals of the country, who see no reason why Sir Wilfrid Laurier should prostitute his duties as head of the government by arbitrarily preventing the investigation of charges of wrong doing which have been made openly and publicly against one of his cabinet ministers.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised that his government would build the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific out of its surpluses. Is it doing so.

Why should the \$6,424,000, which this country lost as a result of the collapse of the Quebec bridge, be charged to capital account? The country has nothing to show for this money, which should be charged up as a loss for the year.

It will be noted that while the deficit of the Ottawa government for the year ending March 31, just past, exclusive of the cost of the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific, is twenty and a half millions, the decrease in revenue for the same period to which Mr. Fielding ascribes the government's poor showing, was only eleven and a half million dollars.

Mr. Fielding is making use of the period of depression just past to excuse the government for the non-fulfillment of those promises of public works which were made to bribe the electors in many parts of Canada last October. These promises, it may be said, however, were made with a full knowledge of the effect of this period of depression, so that Mr. Fielding's excuse would indicate that the government never had any intention of fulfilling the majority of them. They were merely meant as vote catchers.

One of the things which Mr. Fielding charges to capital account is the bounties the government pays to various industries. Without finding fault with the bounties, it would be interesting to know why they should be charged to capital account. Are they not regular annual charges which should be paid out of current revenue? Under Mr. Fielding's methods the payments made on account of these bounties are classed with payments for permanent public improvements, such as canals, postoffice buildings, etc.

Anglo-Canadian Syndicate.
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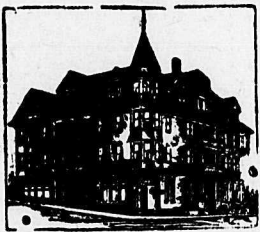
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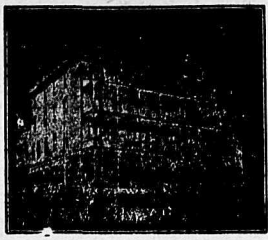
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STRATHCONA—W. J. Graves, Edmonton; S. Phipps, Vancouver; H. G. Nichols and wife, Ymir; E. Keating, Missoula; G. H. Eaton, Winnipeg; J. S. Cowan, Dawson; T. Paine and wife, Spokane; H. Fisher, A. C. Whitaker, Montreal; W. M. McElroy, San Francisco; P. S. Walsh, Jr., Montreal.

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BARTLETT—B. Holmes, W. Braddely, Fernie; R. Cook, Cranbrook.

SILVER KING—H. L. Summers, T. Stevens, H. Dobosh, Trail.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, April 20.—The closing of the

London stock market today was as follows:

Anacanda	94
Athelston	109 1/2
Atchison	108 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	116
C. P. R.	180 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio	78 1/2
Chicago and Great Western	5 1/2
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul	153 1/2
De Beers	13 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande	53 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd.	31 1/2
Erie	31 1/2
Erie, 1st pfd.	48
Erie, 2nd pfd.	38
Grand Trunk	30
Illinois Central	149 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	141 1/2
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	44 1/2
New York Central	134
Norfolk and Western	94 1/2
Norfolk and Western, pfd.	50
Ontario and Western	51 1/2
Pennsylvania	69 1/2
Railway Mines	9 1/2
Reading	74 1/2
Southern Railway	30 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.	69
Southern Pacific	125 1/2
Union Pacific	185 1/2
Southern Pacific, pfd.	96
United States Steel	53 1/2
United States Steel, pfd.	117 1/2
Wabash	10
Wabash, pfd.	69
Spanish Fours	96 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	78 1/2
Bar Silver, steady	22 11-16d. per ounce.

Oklahoma Lynching

GUTHRIE, April 20.—Governor Haskell declares that those implicated in the lynching of four men at Ada yesterday will be punished to the full extent of the law, if identified. An official investigation, it was announced, will be made.

ADA, April 20.—Sensational developments are expected to follow the lynching of four prominent cattlemen here yesterday. Attorney general West today summoned county attorney Wimbish to appear at Ada, where the grand jury will investigate the affair and attempt to prosecute the leaders of the mob. A special grand jury will be empaneled. It is reported that the indictments will cause amazement when the names are made known. Edward and David Johnson, charged with the murder of city marshal Putnam were taken from the jail here today to Tecumseh for safety. Oscar Peeler, who confessed that Miller killed marshal Robbitt, was also moved to Tecumseh. The bodies of the lynched men, J. B. Miller, Jesse West, Joe Allen and B. B. Burrell, were sent to their Texas homes for burial.

G. T. P. Manager Satisfied

WINNIPEG, April 20.—E. J. Chamberlain, general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, with his party of officials returned this afternoon from an inspection trip of the G. T. P. road in the east. Mr. Chamberlain has been right up to Prince Rupert and arranged about the disposition of the townsite. Since then he has inspected the work that has been done on the new road and today expressed himself as being very well pleased with the outlook in the west and at the condition of the road.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

APPLES FOR SPOKANE

ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE FOR EXHIBIT FROM NELSON

PRIZES DONATED FOR FRUIT FAIR IN SEPTEMBER.

A meeting of the Nelson agricultural society was held in the board of trade rooms last evening. There were present: C. W. Busk, President; Fred Starkey, Capt. D. C. McMorris, T. G. Proctor, A. D. Emory, J. E. Annable, J. Johnstone and W. S. Pearcey.

The question of a committee to select an exhibit for the Spokane apple fair in October was brought up and the following were chosen for that purpose: A. D. Emory, chairman, Wm. Irvine, J. E. Annable, J. Hyslop, C. F. Hardy.

J. E. Annable suggested that the apples for the Spokane show should be sent into Nelson a fortnight previous to that event and that a prize of \$50 should be donated to the best exhibit either from one ranch or from a collection of ranches in one district. The exhibit for the Spokane show would then be selected from those shown by the competitors for the prize.

After some discussion it was decided that a number of smaller prizes should also be given, the idea being to arrange an apple show for Nelson in addition to the fruit fair in September which was stated to take place too early to show apples to the best advantage.

T. G. Proctor moved that the matter should be left in the hands of the selection committee who would report upon the amount of money necessary for prizes and upon other arrangements for the proposed apple show. The motion was seconded by A. D. Emory and carried.

The floral committee's report as read at the previous meeting and thoroughly discussed was formally adopted. The following special prizes were reported by the secretary as having been promised for the Nelson fruit fair: A. S. Goodeve, \$15, or a cup equivalent in value; George Milligan, 100 Arabella cigars; three bags of Royal Household flour; The Oregon Nursery company, \$10 worth of nursery products; N. R. Smith & Co. of Victoria, a box of biscuits; the McCormick Manufacturing company, London, Ont., a donation of biscuits; Imperial Tobacco company, prizes consisting of tobacco; Baird's nursery, prizes of stock seeds; Jennie's Seed company, prizes of seeds for products grown of that company's seeds; Purdy Flour company, three barrels of Purdy flour; Hamilton Powder company, case of stumping powder; Standard Furniture company, Ostermoot mattress, a chair and a pair of lace curtains; Canadian Rubber company, garden hose; R. P. Rithet & Co., Victoria, 20 pounds of tea. It was also mentioned that the C. P. R. were donating their usual prizes of \$25 and \$35 for fruit grown at an altitude of 3,000 feet or more. The competition will be open to the whole of the province.

It was decided that the question of allocating these special prizes should be left over until the next meeting which will be held on May 18.

SALMO NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News.) SALMO, B. C., April 20.—J. G. Hunyan of Nelson was in town Saturday last looking over the townsite in view of purchasing some real estate.

Tommy Cummins of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Bonnington Falls, made a trip up the famous Sheep Creek during the past week.

A. McMillan and A. W. Jenkins left Saturday for Nelson, after having inspected Sheep Creek properties.

Wm. Poole of Nelson is on his way to the Nugget mine on a trip of inspection.

The Salmon river is up to quite a high water mark on account of the warm days and nights.

Salisbury's new livery barn is now nearing completion and will be ready for occupation in a day or so.

Mr. Wicheit is getting his residence ready to move it to his lot on Railroad avenue.

Mr. Lewiston of the Queen mine passed through town last evening on his way to Nelson.

Another carload of lumber arrived today for Leahy & Hickey's new barn. There are no less than eight new buildings in course of construction at the present time.

W. H. Billings J. Waldbeser and G. Bell are putting in private waterworks to their residences.

Mr. Archibald has set aside a large tract of land on the bench west of the town for the baseball club and the club has let contracts to clear the land of the light brush.

A. McMillan of Rosland came in on the morning train and left for Sheep Creek.

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Another of the special features of this sale: Suits are all the rage this year. We have them at all prices but this line we are offering at \$10 defies competition. They are right up to date, have long hipless coats, very prettily trimmed, and gored skirts. Don't miss these, they are very special

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One more of the necessities of summer. Of course you want one, why not get it cheap. We have them in white and a variety of colors. Regular \$8 for \$6.50. If you like them rather more elaborate, we can fix you up with some of the prettiest you ever saw; ones that usually sell at \$11, this week we offer them for \$8.

\$6.50

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These are a line of underskirts that are only just in. All the same they are in the sale. Made of the best quality silk Moirette, in black, brown, grey and cardinal they were bargains at \$6.50, which was the price we were asking for them, but this week you get them at cost, \$4.75.

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What's nicer for the hot days than a muslin dress, what is cooler, what looks better. You'd like one, you know you would, and aren't they cheap enough at this price. During the sale you get a \$5 one for \$3.75.

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If you want one more elaborate we have some beauties that have been selling fast at \$9.50 and \$10, but this week they are yours for \$7.50.

\$7.50

All guesses as to how long the candle will burn must be registered by 6 o'clock tonight, as we light it on Thursday morning. Come and register, its perfectly free and you may win a wash dress.



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JEFFRIES WILL FIGHT

HAS RECLAIMED TITLE OF THE HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

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NEW YORK, April 26.—James Jeffries, the retired heavyweight champion, announced tonight that he has reclaimed the title of heavyweight champion pugilist of the world and will be ready to defend it against an opponent in ten months or a year. He declared he is convinced he will be able to make good fighting condition. For some weeks the retired champion has been touring the country giving sparring exhibitions and at the same time endeavoring to ascertain if his four years' retirement from the ring has impaired his fighting ability.

Jeffries, immediately after his sparring partner tonight, went before the fightlights and announced to the audience that he had decided to re-enter the ring again and defend the title of heavyweight champion against any man in the world. If Jack Johnson was fortunate enough to beat Stanley Ketchel next October he would fight him before the club offering the largest purse.

"I have come to the conclusion," said he, "that I can get back to my previous form which is responsible for my making this announcement. I will be ready to fight in about ten months or possibly a year, but I will fight just the same."

Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the world, said today that Jeffries is in earnest and will post a forfeit, he will cancel all fighting engagements and welcome the chance to meet the former champion in the ring. "I would be the proudest man in America," said Johnson, to the Associated Press today, "if Jeffries will show that he means business and cover the \$5000 which I have posted with a New York paper. My money is ready the I will cancel all fighting engagements and get ready for him. My matel with Ketchel and all other matches I have arranged with the understanding that I could cancel them if I had a chance to meet Jeffries. But Jeff cannot reclaim the championship. He can only fight for it. I am glad he has made up his mind to meet me and if he means business he should post \$5000 to cover the \$5000 I have posted in New York."

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

Results of the Soccer League Played on Tuesday

LONDON, April 26.—The following are the results of yesterday's football games:

First League
Blackburn, 2; Sheffield, 1.
Southern League
Luton, 1; Swindon, 0.
Scottish League
Hibernians, 1; Rangers, 0.
Celtic, 2; Hearts, 1.
St. Mirren, 1; Third Lanark, 0.
LONDON, April 26.—The football match yesterday between Queens Park Rangers and Northampton resulted in a draw, each scoring one goal.
LONDON, April 26.—Football results today were: Second League, Glossop, 4; Clapton, 0.

Langford Matched in London
LONDON, April 26.—The proposed fight between Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight champion, and Sam Langford may possibly never be pulled off as Langford last night signed articles for a contest before the National Sporting club on Derby day, with Ivan Hague, who last night won the championship of Great Britain

from Gunner Moir. Hague, who put Moir out in the first round in the east-end fashion, is a Yorkshire pitman. The National Sporting club has offered a purse of \$7000 together with a side bet of \$1000 for the Langford-Hague match.

Weston Resumes His Walk

CHICAGO, April 26.—Edward Payson Weston, after a stay in Chicago since last Saturday afternoon following his journey from New York to Chicago on his coast to coast walk, resumed his tramp at 6 o'clock this morning. Plans had been made to resume his journey last night at 9 o'clock but at the last moment the walker's manager was unable to obtain an automobile and chauffeur to take the place of the one discharged on Saturday.

Races at Epsom

EPSON, April 26.—The Prince of Wales stakes of 200 sovereigns for three year olds and upwards, distance a mile and 44 yards, was run here today and won by Tomerose. Sosana was second and Summer third. Eleven horses started.

The Great Surrey handicap of 500 sovereigns for three year olds and upwards, distance five furlongs, was won by Hallaton, Sycross second, and Redmister third. Among the 14 starters was H. P. Whitney's Robin II.

Freddie Walsh and Murphy

BOSTON, April 26.—Tommy Murphy of New York and Freddie Walsh, the famous English boxer, have been matched to box 12 rounds at the Arbury Athletic club in this city on May 24. Sandy Ferguson and Sam Langford are negotiating for a meeting at the club on April 25.

Regatta at Zambesi

LONDON, April 26.—It is hoped to arrange a big international regatta at Zambesi in 1910 at which it is expected British, Canadian, American and Belgian crews and scullers will be tempted to enter.

Metropolitan Stakes

LONDON, April 26.—The great Metropolitan stakes resulted as follows: Laughing Mirror, 20 to 1, first; Impression, 100 to 9, second; Wedding Ring, 10 to 1, third. Also ran, Turbine and Father.

Racing in France

ST. CLOUD, April 26.—The prix du Bois de Bologne was run here today and won by W. Vanderbilts' Gambaluz. Herbert Durica's Rose Noble got first place in the Prix au Bepines.

Sculling Handicap

LONDON, April 26.—In the sculling handicap on the Thames today Coles with 65 seconds start, easily defeated E. Barry, scratch, by ten lengths.

Pitcher Winters Sold

DETROIT, April 26.—President Navin announced today the sale of pitcher George Winters to Montreal.

FERNIE FEELING BETTER.

(Special to The Daily News.)
FERNIE, April 26.—The members of this year's council are still keeping up their record for attendance at meetings and of dealings in a prompt and businesslike manner with all questions affecting the city's interests. At the special meeting held on Thursday night the council decided to accept the offer of the Crow's Nest Pass Electric Light and Power company, and to purchase from the company one hundred and eight acres of land at the south end of the city for park purposes. The price to be paid is \$50 per

acre, and the payments are to extend over a period of eight years. The site is a most suitable one in every respect and is at a convenient distance from the centre of the town. By a small expenditure it can be made one of the most beautiful parks in the province. The council authorized the fire and light committee to purchase a new chemical engine for the fire department at a cost of \$2450. It was also decided to insure the lives of the members of the brigade to the extent of \$1000 each, the city paying the premiums.

The C. P. R. are making arrangements to greatly add to their trackage in the Fernie yard to accommodate the rapidly increasing business at this point. It is proposed to lay over two miles more of track.

There is a strong probability of the Imperial bank opening up a branch here in the near future. They have secured an option on a desirable lot in the business section and will erect their own building.

Launch Party Upset.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 26.—One man drowned and three persons had narrow escapes from death when an electric launch in which the four people were riding overturned in the Cuyahoga river yesterday. The rescues were effected by firemen. Milton Teasdale had taken the party, one of whom was his daughter for a pleasure trip. He steered the launch too near the freighter the Northern Light, and the waves which swept out from the path of the large boat struck the launch overturning it.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1909, for the purchase of the following property belonging to the Dalley Estate and situate near Hambury, B. C., namely:
About 38.00 mining props.
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For further particulars apply to
PERCY CHAPMAN,
Assignee, Fernie, B. C.,
or J. G. McALLUM,
Inspector, Cranbrook, B. C.
Dated this 15th day of April, A. D. 1909.
PERCY CHAPMAN,
Assignee.
P. O. Drawer 4, Fernie, B. C.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of several executions issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and the County Court of East Kootenay, holden at Cranbrook against the goods and chattels of the Sullivan Group Mining Company, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said Sullivan Group Mining Company in and to, a quantity of raw and roasted ore now in the yard of the smelter of the said Company at Marysville, B. C., and also in a large quantity of mining tools and mining machinery, assay materials, supplies and implements, fire brick and fire clay, Vancouver cement, Alite and Chalmers are crushers and various other articles and supplies for mining and smelting, office furniture, cooking utensils, and other goods and chattels, a full inventory of which may be seen at my office in the Court House at Nelson, and the various goods and chattels may be seen upon application to John F. Adams, bailiff, in possession at the smelter at Marysville, and at the Sullivan mine.

I shall offer all of the said goods for sale at public auction at Marysville, B. C., on Thursday the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1909.

S. P. TUCK,
Sheriff of South Kootenay.
Dated at Nelson, B. C., 2nd April, 1909.

The above sale is postponed until Thursday the 6th day of May, 1909, at the same place and time.

S. P. TUCK, Sheriff of South Kootenay.

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Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tenders for Station Buildings, Section and Tool Houses," will be received at the Office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until 12 o'clock noon of the 27th day of April, 1909. For the conditions, plans and specifications, in accordance with the plans and specifications of the Commissioners, of station buildings, section and tool houses, etc., as follows, viz:

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Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners, which may be obtained on application to the Chief Engineer at Ottawa, or the District Engineer at Winnipeg.

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New York, April 20.—Silver, 51½; Electrolytic Copper, 12½ to 13½; dull.
London, April 20.—Silver, 23 11-16; Lead, £13. 3s. 9d.

April 20.—Closing quotations on the New York curb and Spokane exchange, reported by Mighton and Cavanaugh.

	Bid.	Asked.
Albion Coal...	0.75	0.80
B. C. Copper...	6.25	6.50
Can. Con. Smelters...	75.00	99.00
Copper King...	0.03	0.03½
Domestic Copper...	0.06½	0.12½
Gertie...	0.025	0.03
Granby...	90.00	110.00
Hecla...	2.50	3.50
International Coal...	0.65	0.75
Idaho Smelter...	0.025	0.025
Kendall...	50	1.00
Lucky Calumet...	0.54	0.08
Missoula Copper...	0.017	0.02½
Monitor...	0.27	0.28½
Nabob...	0.025	0.025
Com Paul...	0.03	0.06
Reindeer...	0.04½	0.06
Rambler Cariboo...	0.09	0.15
Rex...	0.003	0.00
Snowflake...	0.09	0.07
Snowstorm...	1.01	1.06
Stewart...	0.02½	0.04½
Tamarack-Chesapeake...	0.00	0.00

Opening Quotations Reported by McDermid and McHardy.

	New York, April 20.	Granby.	B. C. Copper.	C. P. R.
		85.00	100.00	
		50	6.50	
		175.50	175.00	

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Dr. G. A. B. Hall, M. P. P. has returned to the city from Victoria.

The I. O. G. T., Nelson Lodge No. 59, will meet in K. of P. hall tonight.

Royal Arch Chapter, G. R. C., will meet this evening in Masonic hall.

The temperature yesterday in the city ranged between 35 and 51 degrees above zero.

There will be a meeting of the police commissioners in the city hall at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

There will be a regimental parade of the headquarters half battalion tomorrow at 8 p. m. sharp. A full attendance of members is urgently requested.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Paxton leave this morning for Victoria, where they will spend the next two weeks before taking up their residence at Portland, Oregon.

All the classes of the public school are now quartered in the new building and by this morning all the rooms will be equipped with new desks and seats of the most modern kind.

R. A. Brown, city electrician, yesterday put a staff of men to work on the lighting arrangements for the recreation grounds as authorized by the city council at Monday night's meeting.

There are already a number of houses under construction in Fairview this spring. Among others one for George H. Playle is now nearing completion under the charge of contractor Thomas H. Waters.

There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. at 11 a. m. today in the secretary's office over the Royal Bank, at which all members are specially urged to be present as there are important matters requiring their attention.

An advertisement appears in another column calling for applications for the position of city engineer, rendered vacant by the resignation of Leslie Crawford. Applications must be in the hands of the city clerk by May 3.

George Card, who had been sent from Fernie to the provincial jail in this city to await trial at the assizes on a charge of indecent assault has been taken to the asylum for the insane at New Westminster by warden W. R. Jarvis and chief of provincial police W. J. Devitt.

The Empire theatre is putting on a good change of program tonight the following being the films to be shown "The Dynamite Man," "Substitute," "Modern Magic," "Inconveniences of Taking Moving Pictures," Alan Stewart, the new feature will sing "Forgotten" the song that is now very popular in the States.

E. S. Gunn, who is to take charge of the quarries of the Kootenay Marble works at Marblehead, will arrive in the city from the east this week. Staff of men will be taken on soon after his arrival and a large tonnage of marble quarried. The company has already received a number of orders for marble for buildings in various cities in the district. Among these is the marble for the new block which will be constructed shortly by Green Bros. & Burden.

A meeting at which ten large growers of fruit in the district were present was held in the board of trade rooms yesterday for the purpose of formulating plans for the disposal of their berries during the coming season. Arrangements were made whereby these growers, who represent about 75 per cent. of the estimated number of crates of strawberries from the Nelson district, will ship as a unit. The arrangements made were naturally of a private nature but it is anticipated that the formation of this small co-operative society will result not only satisfactorily to the growers concerned but will also be the beginning of a large organization which

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will later include the majority of the fruit ranchers in the Kootenays.

"Web of the Golden Spider" by Frederick Owen Bartlett, author of Joan of the Alley, "54-40, or Light" by Emerson Hough, author of the Mississippi Bubble are two of the new books on hand at the Canada Drug and Book Co. Price \$1.25 each.

Call on J. H. Wallace and buy your boots at a big reduction; clearing out prices; both heavy and fine goods. Men's patents \$4.00, Boy's \$3.50.

FRUIT INDUSTRY.

R. M. Winslow, Horticulturalist and Assistant Fruit Pest Inspector

R. M. Winslow has been appointed horticulturalist and assistant fruit pest inspector, in connection with the provincial department of agriculture. The appointment is in line with the policy of the provincial board of horticulture, and confirmed by the government by which more rigid and broader inspection of fruit will be maintained throughout British Columbia.

Mr. Winslow graduated from the Guelph College of Agriculture last

May and spent the following eight months in the employ of the Ontario government. He was spraying inspector for a portion of that time and following that was stationed at Picton, Ont., the centre of the apple growing industry of the Bay of Quinte district.

ANTIMONY SMLTER.

First on Continent Is Opened up at Lake George, N. B.

Canada has the distinction of operating the first antimony smelter on this continent. Last Friday the Canadian Antimony company started its new company at Lake George, York county, N. B., and the officials of the company were well satisfied with the results. The smelter will have an output of twelve tons a day. As there is an unlimited market for the finished product at \$150 a ton, the prospects of the company appear to be very promising, especially in view of the fact that there is already a matter of 50,000 tons of ore in sight in the company's mines. The Lake George mine is the most

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Chieftain's Revenge.
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Matinee Tomorrow, 2 to 5:30
ADMISSION
Adults 15c
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John Paterson, deceased, late of Nelson, British Columbia.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1897, Chapter 187, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John Paterson who died on or about the 14th of November, 1908, are required on or before the 30th day of May, 1909, to send a post prepaid or to deliver to James O'Shea, Houston Block, Baker street, Nelson B. C., solicitor for Administrator of the said estate christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and duly verified particulars of their claims, statement of account and nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not then have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 19th day of April, A. D. 1909.

JAMES O'SHEA,
Solicitor for James Murray Lay, Administrator of the Estate of John Paterson, deceased. 307-30

important antimony mine in Canada. There is, in fact, only one other in the Dominion.

The establishment of the smelter and its adjacent works marks an entirely new departure in the method of dealing with the mineral at Lake George mines. Hitherto it has always been necessary to concentrate the ore and ship it to a distance to be treated. At Lake George, however, the deposit is so large that it can be handled without installing a concentrator on the spot to deal with the output. A great saving is thus effected in time and the cost of operation being lessened in many ways.

The company has the sole Canadian and American rights, which were purchased from a European syndicate. The mine is in charge of C. Noble Crowe, a well known mining engineer of New Brunswick. F. W. Fairman is offering the stock of the company to the public and reports a very satisfactory response.

SLOCAN MINES.

Dividends Paid by Well Known Properties in That District.

In view of the renewed activity which is being shown by many of the mines in the Slocan district the following account of the dividends which have been paid by mines located there may be of interest.

Payne	\$1420,000
Slocan Star	575,000
Idaho	400,000
Reco	327,500
Rambler-Cariboo	220,000
Last Chance	213,109
Whitewater	209,000
Ruth	125,000
Sunset	66,000
Noble Five	50,000
Goodenough	45,188
Washington	38,000
Monitor	27,000
Queen Bess	25,000
Lucky Jim	24,000
Mountain Con	21,000
Jackson	20,000
Surprise	20,000
Bosin	12,000
Antoine	10,000
Leasers (approx.)	500,000

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

W. E. Chipman of Kaslo is at the Hume.
Alex. Taylor of Cranbrook is a guest at the Hume.

J. S. Cowan, a mining man from Dawson City, is staying at the Strathcona.

G. D. Bell came in from Salmon last night and is staying at the Hume.

The Nelson Evangelistic executive will meet in the Baptist church today at 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nichols are guests at the Strathcona. Mr. Nichols is manager of the famous Pottery boats and canoes.

The Lindsay boat and Launch company have received a further consignment of the famous Pottery boats and canoes.

Dr. Granstaff will give a bible reading on the "Second Coming of Christ" this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Baptist church.

At the meeting in the roller rink this evening G. F. Pugh will sing "The Holy City" and Dr. Granstaff will speak on the "Re-making of a Man."

Mr. and Mrs. Loasby who have been visiting Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Moore for the past two weeks returned to their home at Sirdar this morning.

Professor Kilpatrick leaves this morning for Arrowhead where he will address evangelistic meetings, going on later to Revelstoke, Field and Creston.

The city of Greenwood is asking for applications for the position of policeman which must be in the hands of the city clerk by April 25. The salary offered is \$10 per month and the duties are to commence on May 1.

The St. George's night dance in the armory on Friday promises to be one of the most interesting and attractive military events of the season. From the interest shown it is certain that a very large number of people will turn out to do honor to England's national saint.

At a meeting of the executive of the Nelson Boat Club held last night plans for the coming season were discussed and it was decided that a dance in aid of the funds of that club should be held on May 14, arrangements for this event to be completed later. The fee for non-acting members was fixed at \$2 per annum.

Capt. W. Halse-Smellie of Procter is introducing a new and important industry into that district in the form of bee keeping. Capt. Smellie brought one hive with him when returning from his recent trip to the old country and another is already on the way. He intends to later form a large aviary and is convinced that the industry can be made extremely profitable.

A meeting of the Nelson Ladies' Rifle Association was held in the armory last night for the purpose of deciding whether the association should continue as a miniature rifle shooting club or as an association using the .303 army rifle at the range. It was decided to continue in the present form for this year. C. G. Broadwood was elected an honorary member and coach for the club.

At a special meeting of the Victoria city council last night Capt. Thomas Davis of the Toronto fire department was appointed chief of the Victoria fire brigade in succession of Thomas Watson, resigned. Among the applicants were Thomas Davis, ex-chief of the Nelson and Victoria brigades, and Donald Guthrie, the present chief of the Nelson brigade. Mr. Doney got four votes to six for the successful applicant.

It was finally decided at a meeting of the headquarters association of the 52nd regiment held at the armory last night that the regiment should go to Kaslo on May 24. The steamer Kuskonook will be specially chartered for the occasion. At Kaslo there will be a number of interesting military events such as a signalling exhibition, a maxim gun exhibition and similar events. The festivities will be concluded by a ball. The Kuskonook will leave Nelson at 8 a. m. and Kato on her return journey soon after midnight.

Canada in Forefront.

PARIS, April 20.—The annual report of the British chamber of commerce here calls attention to the extent to which the trade of Canada has prospered during the past year and to the ratification of the Franco-Canadian treaty, to which great importance is attached, as showing that the Dominion is coming into the forefront of the battle for the world's trade.

Shot at Three Times.

WINDSOR, April 20.—Donald McKinnon, son of a Courtwright dentist was shot at three times by Ralph Pringle at St. Clair Mich., across from Courtwright, early Sunday morning and is not expected to live. Pringle fled, but was later arrested.



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or Buddha or Mahomet. He had the union of the Father, and this was manifestly the source of his knowledge, as a teacher. Another feature of his teaching is the note of authority. He drives His warrant from no one else. He consciously stands above even the old testament. Mark also the substance of the teaching of Jesus. It is Himself. Jesus also wrote nothing, but He entrusted the performance of His teaching to the living spirit of God. What kind of teaching is this? Whose Son is He?
A second answer is that Jesus is a great example, the pattern of human excellence. That is true, but what is this example? It is not the example of a very good man, but it is the embodiment of goodness itself. There is not in him any shadow or stain of sin. No repentance, no remorse, a serene oneness of will with God. Do you know what you are doing when you set yourself out to the invitation of Christ? His is goodness, incarnate, perfect. When He demands the men invite Him and follow Him. He demands, as we ourselves do, that the demand which Jesus makes is not, believe in goodness or in justice, but believe in Him. Jesus does not merely hold up an ideal, but gives power practically to realize it.
A third answer is that Jesus is master and Lord. This is the answer of the new testament, which declares that Jesus is supreme Lord. But not what is implied in this. This has been brought out by the poet Browning who points out that the demand which Jesus makes is not, believe in goodness or in justice, but believe in Him. Jesus does not merely hold up an ideal, but gives power practically to realize it.
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EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

CAMPAIGN IN NELSON IS DRAWING CROWDS.

SEVERAL GATHERINGS ARE ARRANGED FOR TODAY

TODAY'S MEETINGS.

Noon—Yale-Columbia Co.'s saw mill. J. A. Thomson.
12.30—1 p.m.—Empire theatre. Illustrated song service. J. J. Lowe.
3.30 p.m.—First Baptist church. Bible reading. Dr. Granstaff.
4.30 p.m.—Alice roller rink. A children's illustrated song service. J. J. Lowe.
8 p.m.—Mass meeting in roller rink. Dr. Granstaff and Mr. Pugh.

Yesterday at the noon hour J. A. Thomson, accompanied by Prof. Kilpatrick, Dr. Granstaff and Mr. Pugh visited the C. P. R. shops, and addressed a large gathering of men whose reverent attention and hearty invitation to come again showed their appreciation of the visit.
There was a good assemblage of old and young at the Empire theatre where J. J. Lowe conducted one of his interesting and attractive song services. Mr. Lowe also received a hearty welcome from his many friends among the children at the Alice roller rink at 4.30 p. m.
At the afternoon meeting in the Baptist church Rev. F. H. Graham presided, and in introducing Prof. Kilpatrick referred to the great benefit conferred on the clergy of this city by such visits as they were receiving from him and others at the present time. Dr. Kilpatrick took for his subject "What Think Ye of Christ? Whose Son is He?" which he said was the question of questions.
For 100 years the minds of men have been more than ever deeply interested in finding an answer. The speaker proceeded to advert to some of the answers that are current, pointing out that the only adequate test of the correctness is their correspondence to Christ's witness regarding Himself. The applying of the test required an attentive study of the gospel, and without this no one should assume that the Christ of whom he talked was the real Christ. One answer is that Jesus is a great teacher. A good answer so far as it goes. But the gospels show that Jesus as a teacher spoke out of consciousness that is unique, not parallel in Zoroaster

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W. S. Hemphill of Neillville, Wisconsin, president of the syndicate of Wisconsin men who are operating the Queen mine at Salmon and G. C. Linderman of Osseo, Wisconsin, secretary of the syndicate, arrived in the city on Monday night and spent yesterday here. Interviewed by a representative of The Daily News yesterday Mr. Hemphill stated that he was delighted with the appearance of the property which he had inspected on Saturday last. Great improvements had been made since the mine was taken over from William Walde last May. A new drive of approximately 10,000 feet in length and with a fall of 450 feet had been built and the mill capacity of 10 stamps had been doubled. Since May last the property has produced a little over \$100,000 in gold.
Work is at present being carried on in the 500 foot level and the milling ore from which the last two gold bricks have been produced has averaged \$75.00 per ton. The lowest grade ore which has been milled so far has averaged between \$5 and \$9 per ton. A gold brick produced from a ten days' run and which was of a value of \$3,300 was brought in on Monday night. The property is producing approximately a \$5,000 brick every 44 days. Messrs Hemphill and Linderman leave for Spokane this morning.

Sailors Take Referendum

CHICAGO, April 20.—At a meeting of the lake seamen's union last night orders were issued to the seamen at all points around the lake to take a referendum vote on a strike. The Chicago men will vote on Wednesday and the result from the other ports will be known by the end of the week.

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able. Ignorance, perversity, or disobedience may give rise to these sins. Many eminent scholars regard the unpardonable sin as the sin of characterizing the Holy Spirit's work as the devil's work. Others regard this as only one form of the sin. The fact is that any sin carried too far will become unpardonable. Sin carries past the possibility of repentance carries the sinners past salvation. A symptom of this is that one becomes past feeling. Another is that the sinner gives himself over to uncleanness. Yet another symptom is that no one feels able to pray for the sinner. But so long as any sinner feels any concern for his sin is certain that he has not committed the unpardonable sin. At the close Mr. Pugh sang with much feeling "If You Could See Christ Standing Here Tonight."

The reports coming in from Coal Creek and Coleman show much good work be-

ing done by the evangelists. Mr. Lowe's visit to Kaslo was greatly enjoyed. From Cranbrook and Fernie come encouraging bits of news. All through the district the impression seems to be deepening and here and there are evidences of an opposition which is a sign of something worth while going on. The work has been extended to Pincher Creek.

Texas Wants the Fight

EDMONTON, April 20.—J. T. Jessett, who offered \$50,000 for the Johnson-Jeffries fight, received word today from Johnson that he would accept the offer. No word has come from Jeffries. Jessett has wired the same offer to James J. Corbett in case Jeffries refuses.

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