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IS AFRAID OF KUROKI

Gen. Kouropatkin Will Not Risk a Battle With the Japanese

Has Withdrawn Bulk of His Forces North of Liao Yang Leaving Only a Rear Guard

NAVAL BATTLE SURE

Russian Squadron Escapes From Arthur—Japanese in Pursuit.

Che Foo, Aug. 11.—A Russian torpedo boat destroyer entered Che Foo harbor at 5.30 o'clock this morning and reported that six Russian battleships, four cruisers and half a dozen torpedo boats escaped from Port Arthur yesterday morning. The torpedo boat destroyer left Port Arthur last night, bringing five passengers who stated that the Japanese fleet is pursuing the Russians and that a battle on the open sea is expected.

Petersburg, Aug. 10.—Again the of a decisive battle between Kouropatkin and the commander Japanese armies seems to be ering. According to a statesued by the general staff tonight e again falling over a wide area dria with the prospect of imoperations, but even more imis the information reaching the ed Press from an exceptional that the Japanese once more ayed too long. General Kouroas now withdrawn the bulk of safely north of Liao Yang, only a strong rear guard line st of Liao Yang to contest the when it comes.

ding to this information the have about 300,000 men in the operating against general Kourendering it too hazardous for isk a general engagement. The staff has no information bearthe reported presence of Japan-Saithuho, a place that cannot be on available maps. The report agrees with the tenor of the ation received by the Associated s here given that general Kours already retreating north of ang.

RUSSIA'S REPLY.

That It Has a Right To Sink Neutral Vessels.

Petersburg, Aug. 10.—The Russian to Great Britain's representations subject of the sinking of the steamer Knight Commander by Vladivostock squadron while couchthe friendliest terms does not reom the Russian position as set the regulations in regard to the of the right to destroy neuessels, carrying contraband, in emergency, reserving the quesfor discussion after the war. assures Great Britain that the recourse to sinking neutral will not be resorted to unless tances render it impossible to them to a prize court. The Rusly points out that the prize reunder which Russia is acting romulgated nine years ago and reat Britain did not enter a proll after the present war began. Britain's proposal that the Britmer Allanton be liberated upon osit of security has not been acRussia replied that the docuin this case were already on their St. Petersburg and will have to mitted to the admiralty court beher action is taken. The Rusovernment manifests a friendly ion in suggesting to the United its readiness to entertain an apthe case of the Arabia.

RUSSIANS ARE NERVOUS.

orried Over Port Arthur And tion of General Kouropatkin

etersburg, Aug. 10.—Nervousness e situation at the front seems ncreasing since the occupation Japanese of Wolf hill, before rthur. It is believed that the behave an elevated position, emplaced guns can command ress and while still professing hat general Stoessel will be able out with his comparatively garrison against the enormous s of attackers and their disremen, indicated by the reckless in which they stormed the positions, the state of affairs more apprehension than the ice or admiralty care to acknow-

ar misgivings exist regarding Kouropatkin's position with the ages of the new Japanese base at hwang is greatly simplifying the of provisioning their army, fully realized. But it is the reat the Japanese are working up rd of the main Russian army, occasions the greatest uneasi-The rumor that they are moving ards Sinmintun, a short distance west of Mukden from New Chwang, is generally believed. With the Japanese cordon tightening south and east and a column threatening the Russian line of communications in the rear towards Mukden, the appearance of Japanese on the other side of Mukden would almost pocket general Kouropatkin if he has resolved to accept battle with his whole army at Liao Yang. Shrewd military attaches are extremely doubtful whether general Kouropatkin could now withdraw, even if he so desired. Another alarming feature of the situation in connection with the Japanese western column is the report that it includes many Chinese who are kept subjects from the island of Formosa, whose influence on the local Chinese and the soldiers of general Ma and viceroy Yuanshikai is feared.

NO CHANGE IN FRONT.

Daily Fusilades Between the Japanese And Russian Outposts.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.—Emperor Nicholas has received despatches from general Kouropatkin, dated August 8 and 9, mentioning a few minor reconnaissances, but saying that there has been no particular change in the position on either the east or south fronts. On the south the Japanese advance posts are nine miles north of Hai Cheng. Daily fusilades occur between the Russians and Japanese outposts. General Kouropatkin points out the fact that the Japanese are using bullets of different calibre some with nickel and others with copper coverings, as showing that their reserve men are now in the fighting line.

THE THEA CONDEMNED.

Vladivostock, Aug. 9.—The prize court today condemned the German man steamer Thea which was sunk by the Vladivostock squadron off the coast of Japan on July 24, and declared that the Russian cruisers were justified in sinking the vessel. Evidence was produced that the vessel was chartered by a Japanese company and that since March 25 she had been engaged exclusively in the Japanese trade between Japanese ports. On this ground the court declared that she had lost all rights as the vessel of a neutral nation, especially as her cargo, which consisted of fish, was intended for the use of the Japanese.

RESULT IS UNKNOWN.

Tokio, Aug. 10.—The Russian fleet emerged from Port Arthur today and a severe engagement with the Japanese fleet lasting all day followed. The Japanese destroyers attacked the Russians. The results of the engagements are unknown. The Russian battleship Retvizan and Pobieda were seen outside the bay this morning.

ED TILDEN IS BLAMED

DONNELLY SAYS HE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR REOPENING STRIKE

IF HE HAD KEPT STILL ALL WOULD NOW BE WELL.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—"Edward Tilden is absolutely and alone responsible for the re-opening of the strike."

This assertion was made today by Michael Donnelly, president of the butchers' orgonization. When he said it his teeth were clinched and there were tears in his eyes.

"When we signed the agreement to abrogate the strike," he continued, "it was arranged that every man was to go back and take his old check number, so far as possible. But I had no sooner reached the street than I met a crowd of newspaper men and one of them showed me a statement written by Edward R. Tilden, declaring the packers had gained all the advantage. If he had kept still all would have been well. Next morning our men were ridiculed by the very men we had put our trust in. I have the affidavits to prove that the superintendents of the packing houses had hundreds of non-union men in line with the union men when the men came back for work under the peace agreement. They picked out these non-union men. The packers thereby broke the agreement. We have never done so and we are ready now to abide by the original terms."

The city officials began an active investigation into the conditions surrounding the housing of non-union men and women in the stock yards today in response to an appeal made by union men to mayor Harrison.

The conference between the retail meat dealers association of Chicago and the market wagon drivers union concluded this afternoon with the appointment of a committee which will visit the packers tomorrow and make another effort to settle the strike.

Washington, Aug. 10.—President Timothy Healy, of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, this afternoon ordered a sympathetic strike of the firemen in the New York packing houses. About 85 men will go out under this order. The strike was ordered by telephone. President Healy being called from the convention of his organization for the purpose.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—As an evidence that the strikers are anxious to bring about a peace conference and to end the strike they have solicited the intervention of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Gompers will arrive here on Sunday morning. He will be met by president Donnelly of the butchers' organization, and they, with the other strike leaders, will immediately go into conference to canvass the entire situation. It is said to be the plan then for Mr. Gompers to act as mediator and do his utmost to arrange a meeting with representatives of the packers.

WILL COMBAT EVIL

Archbishop of Canterbury to Visit This Country and the U. S.

Trip Undertaken in Belief That it Will Promote Amity and Combat Evils That Are Rife

London, Aug. 10.—The Rev. Randall Thomas Davidson, archbishop of Canterbury, has issued a message to the clergy and laity, announcing his forthcoming visit to the United States to attend the general convention of the protestant Episcopal church of the United States and Canada, which will be held in Boston in October. The message says that for the last two months information has been coming in steadily concerning the gain which competent men in the United States and Great Britain opine is likely to follow the visit of the archbishop to the United States. The archbishop says he will also visit a few of the great Canadian centres which will entail his absence for two months.

The journey, he adds, is undertaken in the belief that it will promote closer amity in the common work of the church in combating the evils which are rife both in Great Britain and the United States.

PATHETIC SCENES.

Funeral of Victims of Railway Disaster at Pueblo Yesterday.

Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 10.—The beauty of today was marred for hundreds of Pueblo citizens, who witnessed the funeral of friends and relatives whose bodies were being conveyed to their final resting places. Early in the day all the prepartions had been completed for the funerals. The undertakers and liverymen were severely taxed in supplying hearses and vehicles, but all were finally accommodated and soon long lines were wending their way to various cemeteries. Many bodies were sent to other cities last night and today. Sad indeed, were some of the pictures to be seen. Instances of father and mother being borne to the grave followed by three and four orphan children were not rare. Down town the streets were crowded with people watching the processions and business was almost at a standstill. The search for victims which has been so faithfully conducted the past two days was resumed at dawn today but the chances of further recovery of dead grow fainter as time passes, although many persons supposed to be victims are as yet unaccounted for.

THE VICTORIA FIRE.

A Conservative Estimate of Losses is $100,000.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, Aug. 10.—A conservative estimate of the damage resulting from yesterday's fire is $100,000, but it will not be known with any degree of certainty until the damage to the Albion Iron works where the fire started, and which was partly gutted, has been computed.

The pattern room, most modernly fitted up, and this portion of the plant, together with the patterns, was entirely destroyed, while in the store room 12 or 14 engines can be counted among the ruins. An insurance of $75,000 was carried by the company.

One block with the exception of two structures, was wiped out. On the opposite side of the street seven houses were destroyed, while five houses, cottages and some cabins on two other streets are also gone.

The Shawnigan Lake Lumber company suffered but small loss.

The assessed value of the dwellings destroyed is more than $29,000. This valuation of course is considerably under actual cost of A?o shrdlu taoin hd der the actual loss, as there was a large quantity of household goods destroyed.

It will be some time before the list of insurance losses are computed. The insurance was in a number of cases on furniture and in some on the house.

THE REPORT DENIED.

London, Aug. 10.—The foreign office authorities authorize the Associated Press to positively deny the New Orleans report that the British minister to the Central American states has been ordered from Gutamela city to Managua to deliver an ultimatum to the Nicaraguan government regarding the seizure of Jamaican fishing schooners and their crews by authorities of Nicaragua.

PARKER FORMERLY NOTIFIED

Esopus, N. Y., Aug. 10.—Judge Alton B. Parker was today formally notified of his nomination as the candidate of the democratic party for president. The ceremony occurred on the lawn of Rosemount, his handsome country home and in addition to the members of the notification committee, many prominent men of his party, hundreds of the candidate's friends and neighbors assembled to witness the event.

Judge Parker's statement on the gold standard was as follows:

"I want it thoroughly understood throughout the country, so that misunderstanding in the future will be impossible, that I am for the gold standard of currency and that if elected I shall do all in my power to maintain that standard."

MADE A FAST TRIP.

The Schooner Carabi Traveled 2100 Miles in 12 Days.

New York, Aug. 10.—The Carabi a three-masted schooner built at Shelburne, N.S., in 1901, reached the empire stores above the Brooklyn bridge, on the Brooklyn side yesterday after the phenomenal passage of 12 days from Porte Cortez, Honduras, a distance of 2100 miles at the rate of 175 knots a day, says the World. Persistent southwest and southerly breezes drove her along making the "accelerated gulf stream" faster than normal by one and a half or two knots an hour. This accelerated gulf stream has been running for two months, making it almost impossible for schooners to get south of Hatteras and driving northbound vessels into port ahead of time. On some days the Carabi made more than 200 knots. She is commanded by captain Hugh Wallace.

THE EIGHT HOUR LAW.

Washington, Aug. 10.—At today's session of the convention of the International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, a resolution providing that after May 1st, next no local union will be allowed to make contracts with employers for more than eight hours in a day was referred to a committee.

A BIG MORTGAGE.

Columbus, Aug. 10.—A $35,000,000 mortgage from the Norfolk and Western railroad company to the Guaranty Trust company of New York, was filed for record here today.

TALKED OF THE TRIUNE

MR. BATTY TELLS OF WHAT IS BEING DONE AT THE MINE.

IT IS ONE OF THE BEST PROPERTIES IN THE LARDEAU.

R. H. Batty, president of the Metropolitan Gold and Silver Mining Company of Ferguson, was in the city yesterday at the Hume. To a representative of The Daily News he gave an account of the Triune mine, the principal property of the company at present. The company was organized on the Metropolitan property, but examination showed that a great outlay would be immediately necessary and returns might be slow, so the Triune was purchased, a mine which had already been worked for over two years and was already a shipper. Since then the whole energy of the company has been devoted to the Triune.

When it was taken over this mine had already two tunnels, these the new management decided to extend, and, during their first year's work they shipped ore to the Trail smelter which netted them $9,000. During the second year they continued shipping ore with equally good results, but the difficulties were very great. First there was four miles of packing from the mine to Ten-mile, then ten miles of hauling to Trout Lake, then by the circuitous ways of lake and railway transportation to Trail, and finally the charges for treatment added to this was the fact that in its condition at that time the mine could be worked for only about 90 days in the year, half of which was necessarily spent in removing snow and ice from the tunnels. The result was that only ore of very high grade could be shipped profitably. Last year the average value of ore shipped was $143 to the ton, of this gold represented $9; silver $123 and lead $11. This year their shipments have already netted $16,000. Changes of considerable importance have been made already. A third tunnel has been run and is now in 40 feet. In a fortnight a fourth tunnel will be began 150 feet lower, then a shaft, 300 feet from the mouth of the lowest tunnel to the top will connect all four. A tramway is being constructed by Riblet Bros. of Nelson, which is expected to be completed early in October. Work will then go on all the year round and the tramline terminal being at the lowest level, will not be obstructed even in mid-winter.

There are now 18 men employed on the mine, six are taking out ore, the others are engaged in development work. This force will be increased to 30 within the next few months, and more will be added as the new workings afford room. With the decrease in the cost of mining and shipping, ore of lower values can be profitably handled and Mr. Batty is convinced that as regards quality and quantity together, they have in the Triune the best property in the Lardeau district, which, he adds, is conceded by all those who have followed its development.

The ore contains, in addition to what has been mentioned, high values in zinc, but there is no profit in shipping zinc at present, on the contrary, any considerable quantity of zinc is penalized by the smelters as it adds to the difficulty of treatment.

In the immediate vicinity of the Triune are the Nettie L and the Silver Cup, under one management. These are on opposite hills, and both are connected by tramlines with a mill in the valley between, equipped with a Westinghouse plant of 400 horse power, operated by power from the south fork of Lardeau creek. At the mill, this company has treated profitably $15 ore and has already earned handsome profits.

On the north fork of Lardeau creek is the Metropolitan, the original property of Mr. Batty's company, 400 acres in extent. This will be developed soon on lines similar to that of the Nettie L and Silver Cup, as the north fork of the creek also affords magnificent water power.

Since coming to Nelson, Mr. Batty has been informed by telephone from the Trail smelter of the arrival there of a car of Triune ore, another is due in a day or two, which will make 40 tons for this year so far, and this is earlier in the year than any former shipment from the mine. He has not yet been informed of its result but estimates it at $130 to the ton.

Mr. Batty returns today to Ferguson to arrange for the work on the tramway which is to cost $20,000.

FIRES PLAYING HAVOC

The City Water Flume is Badly Burnt Along the Summit

The Eva and Gold Finch Trams Destroyed by Conflagrations Which Are Raging Near Camborne

Forest fires in the immediate neighborhood of the city continue to increase and multiply. The latest addition to the list is a fire which started below the upper track of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard line as it runs down hill to Five-mile point, just behind Robert's ranch. It is supposed that a spark from a passing engine started the dry grass, and all morning the fire was spreading until it passed over the track and climbed on up the hill. Fearing that the long trestle bridge, which is at the spot might catch fire the railway company dispatched a gang of section men to protect the gridge and the fire was kept off the structure in its upward path.

By 6 o'clock last night the fire had crept around the shoulder of the mountain above the track and was plainly visible from the city making its way westerly.

By far the most serious fire news locally is the partial destruction of the the city water works flume from Whitewater creek to the summit, which took place yesterday afternoon. The flume is from one and a half to two mile long and the fire has passed right over it, burning the top board covering wherever it was uncovered and probably destroying several of the trestles over which the flume runs at different points. The fire also destroyed the mill of the old Golden King mine owned by J. Fred Hume.

The fire had burned up from both sides of the creek and had reached the summits on either side last night. The flume is covered in parts by burning trees and debris and the men who were sent to inspect were unable to do anything until the fire cools down, so that city engineer McCulloch last night was unable to give details. The top board which covers the flume is probably destroyed, but the under board next to the water may have held out and as the trestles were well water soaked, they may not have all gone. Mr. McCulloch will go out the first thing this morning to see what can be done. The fire came north yesterday two and a half miles and is still traveling rapidly citywards, so that some step to stay the march of the flames will have to be taken today. The fire has now reached Cottonwood creek and at the rate it is coming there will probably be trouble in store for the Athabasca people. The wind generally sets in down the Cottonwood draw and this is what is bringing the flames this way so quickly.

Mayor Hamilton took chief Steele out to the spot in the evening and made an inspection of the situation, fearing that the water works flume from Anderson creek might be in some danger. On their return the chief said that the wind had shifted early in the evening and that the fire was traveling to the east. In case of trouble a party of men will go out this morning to keep the fire from coming west if possible.

Down below Grohman creek the fire is growing and burning out a big territory and the fire at Six-mile is doing the same. The blaze to the west of the C. P. R. yards was extinguished yesterday.

Passengers coming in from the Boundary report that at the summit this side of the Bull Dog tunnel the whole section is on fire, and from all parts of the Kootenays come reports of many fires. Rain is badly needed all over southeastern Kootenay.

The forest fires which are causing so much annoyance to the people of Nelson and anxiety to those owning property outside of Nelson, are proved by late reports to be general throughout the district, and in the north, near Camborne, have already done much damage which will take time and money to repair.

It is known by telegraphic report that the tramways at the Goldfinch and Eva mines are destroyed. Since this is so there is little doubt that the cabins at the Eva are also gone, as, if the fire has swept to the tram line, there is no effective means near of checking its further progress.

Near there, so near as to be in serious danger, if it is not already attacked, is the Oyster-Criterion group of mines with a recently constructed tram line. Those familiar with the nature of the surroundings there say that a fire which has destroyed anyone of these is most likely to involve all.

THE JAPANESE PLAN.

Intention is Evidently to Press Direct On Liao Yang.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.—The news received at the war office today indicates the concentration of the Japanese armies east of Simoucheng, which is interpreted as showing the intention to press direct on Liao Yang in an attempt to cut off Anshanshan, half way between Hai Cheng and Liao Yang. The Japanese advance on Mukden does not seem to have developed a serious character and according to the general staff the way of retreat is still open, if general Kouropatkin choses to withdraw. Rains again seem to be interfering with the movements of the Japanese.

AMERICAN CONSULATE ROBBED.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Consul general Gowdy on arriving at the American consulate today found that his private desk had been forced, the woodwork badly smashed, petty cash and postage stamps, amounting to several hundred francs, abstracted and his papers ransacked. The big safe of the consulate bore conspicuous traces of unsuccessful attempts to force it open. The safe contained a large sum in cash and documents. The police are making the fullest investigation.

FIRST VESSEL TODAY.

Volunteer Fleet To Be Allowed to Pass The Dardanelles.

Constantinople, Aug. 10.—The Porte has definitely accepted the assurances of Russia as to the character of the volunteer fleet vessels seeking to traverse the Dardanelles.

In a note to the Russian embassy, agreeing to the exit of the steamers, the Porte emphasizes the fact that its understanding of the Russian statement is that vessels of the volunteer fleet shall not carry arms or munitions of war and they shall fly the commercial flag throughout the voyage and shall traverse the straits separately at stated intervals. The first vessel is expected tomorrow.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—Parliament has been prorogued by the governor general, lord Minto, who delivered the speech from the throne.

FORMER PREMIER DEAD

WALDECK-ROUSSEAU DIES AFTER SURGICAL OPERATION.

HE FILLED A LARGE POSITION IN FRANCE'S POLITICS.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Former premier Waldeck-Rousseau died at 2.45 p.m., at his county residence at Corbeil, 18 miles from Paris, from the effects of an operation which his medical attendants deemed to be a final necessity. A similar operation which was performed in Paris some months ago proved partially successful, and the former premier was able to be removed to Corbeil, where it was hoped rest and the effect of the country air would restore his strength.

The evil however, was not eradicated and alarming reports regarding the condition of the distinguished patient have been frequently circulated. Despite the efforts of his family to conceal the truth Mr. Waldeck-Rousseau's condition during the last few days became much aggravated, the patient having frequent hallucinations and displaying extreme weakness. The family, accordingly, called in two famous liver specialists, professor Hans Kehr, a German, and Dr. Armour, a Canadian surgeon, who at a consultation, decided that since the liver had ceased to perform its functions, an immediate operation was the only hope of saving the patient's life. Waldeck-Rousseau was informed of the necessity for this operation and received the news with calmness and courage. The operation was preformed under chloroform at noon today, by professor Kehr, who was assisted by Dr. Armour and three French surgeons. It at first appeared that the operation, which was admirably performed would prove successful and the patient was removed from the operating table to his bed, but the pulse became more feeble and despite the administration by injections of serum, he gradually sank and died without regaining consciousness.

Madam Waldeck-Rousseau, Jacques Louville, the patient's brother-in-law, Rene Waldeck-Rousseau, his nephew, and three intimate friends were present at his death. From Paris a priest was summoned to administer the last rites of the church, but he arrived too late.

As soon as the death of the former premier became known messages of condolence began to arrive at Corbeil. The first came from premier Combes, who telegraphed: "I have received the news contained in your telegram with the keenest grief. Please express to madame Waldeck-Rousseau the share I take in her mourning and the mourning of all republican France."

Notwithstanding the fact that failing health prevented his active participation in politics for the last two years, the death of Waldeck-Rousseau leaves a gap in the ranks of French statesmen, which it will not be easy to fill. Assuming office in 1899, when the war of the reactionary and progressive parties over the Dreyfus case was at its height, M. Waldeck-Rousseau succeeded in gathering around him the republicans of various shades of opinion, thus inaugurating a party of republican defence which the course pursued by premier Combes and his cabinet is a later development. The success of this policy is sufficiently demonstrated by the fact that his cabinet created a record, since beaten by that of premier Combes, by holding office for a longer period than any preceding cabinet since the proclamation of the republic.

A most striking measure of the early days of his ministry was the pardoning of captain Dreyfus after his second conviction at Rennes, which was followed by the proclamation of amnesty governing all offenses connected with that notorious case.

Waldeck-Rousseau will be best remembered as the inaugurator of the anti-clerical policy, which his successor carried further than he did. Considering his task accomplished by the enactment of the law against unauthorized religious congregations, he resigned office on the plea of failing health. He often opposed the extremist measures brought in by M. Combes. Despite his assertions that he did not intend ever to reassume the cares of office, it is certain that an important section of the republican party would have been glad to hail him as leader, should the chamber of deputies have declined to follow premier Combes to the utmost limit of his anti-clerical policy.

ALIEN LABOR BILL DEAD

It Was Killed in Committee in the Senate Yesterday

Lennox Charges Macpherson With Receiving $100,000--Member Denies the Charge

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—In the senate this afternoon the debate on the alien labor bill was kept up till within a few minutes of lord Minto's arrival to prorogue parliament at 4 o'clock. The bill was finally killed by the committee, which had it under consideration, rising without making any report. Throughout the whole sitting the organized hostility to the measure made its fate certain. The kick against its enactment was led by senators Baker, Deboucherville and Landry.

In the house this morning Houghton Lennox, member for south Simcoe, drew attention to the contract made last year with the Vancouver Dry Dock & Shipping company, for the construction of a dry dock at that city. He referred to the negotiations the government had also had with Colin Jackson, representing another company, and said he had been told that Robert G. Macpherson, member for Burrard, who helped secure the contract for Thompson's company, received $100,000 without paying anything for it.

Mr. Macpherson—I give that statement a most unqualified and unquestioned denial. I have no interest directly or indirectly, in the Vancouver Dry Dock & Shipping company. The statement is made of whole cloth.

Mr. Lennox accepted this denial.

Mr. Macpherson said he had helped to secure the construction of the dry dock at Vancouver, but did nothing of which he was ashamed.

The minister of public works read a letter received from Mr. Jackson in November last in which that gentleman said: "At present stage of history our port is not quite ripe in our opinion for carrying out this scheme in its entirety, and we do not wish to cause your department unnecessary work by entering into negotiations for a subsidy until we are absolutely ready to carry through to completion such a dry dock. The matter was then dropped.

AN OVATION FOR PERRY

WINNER OF KING'S PRIZE ROYALLY WELCOMED IN TORONTO

A PROCESSION IN HIS HONOR—SPEECHES AND PRESENTS.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Private Perry of the duke of Connaught's Own Rifles, Vancouver, winner of the King's prize at Bisley, was accorded an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here from Montreal last night.

Private Perry was greeted at the station platform by colonel Otter and several officers of the garrison, acting mayor Ward and several other members of the city council and by them escorted to the street where various regiments and crowds of people were waiting. On his appearance private Perry was greeted with loud cheers and was mounted on a chair fastened to a gun carriage, which was drawn by the men of "E" company, Royal Grenadiers, of which he was formerly a member. Private Perry was then escorted through the streets, headed by mounted police and the city regiments. The streets along the line of the procession were lined with people. A stop was made at Queen park, where a stand was erected, but was not strong enough to hold the crowd and it collapsed. Charles Goodhead, of Wellington avenue, had a leg broken and dozens of others were badly shaken up.

Private Perry was presented by the Toronto garrison with a cabinet of silver, a grandfather's clock by the city, and a gold watch by his old regiment, the Royal Grenadiers.

Congratulatory speeches were made by colonel Gibson, on behalf of the Dominion Rifle association, and by E. B. Osler, M.P., on behalf of the Ontario Rifle association.

CASH FOR LEAD MEN.

Cheques for $17,000 Paid Yesterday—Remaining 40 Per Cent Now Coming

G. O. Buchanan, administrator of the dominion lead bounty received another batch of bounty cheques yesterday and they were at once dispatched to the claimants.

The cheques were of all sizes but the sum total disbursed amounted to $17,000.

The beneficiaries are the Cinderella and Medford, the Idaho, the Highland, the Neepawa and the St. Eugene.

Mr. Buchanan received the following telegram from W. A. Galliher, M.P., yesterday: "Act passed clearing doubt as to payment of 40 per cent. Payment will be made as soon as act is approved by senate."

The telegram conveys good news to the lead mines who will now receive the balance of their claims.

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The first shipment arrived a few days ago, and we offer it at the following prices.

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FIRST DAY, 2 P.M.

No. 1—Running race, 1-4 mile dash, purse $50.
No. 2.—Running, 3-4 mile, purse $250.
No. 3.—Running, 3-8 mile in heats; purse, $150.
No. 4.—Running, Grand Forks Derby, 1 mile; purse $400.
No. 5—Cowboys' race, 300 yards, two turns; $40 in prizes; entrance free; post entries.
No. 6—Running, 5-8 mile; purse $150.

SECOND DAY, 2 P.M.

No. 7—Gentleman's Saddle Horse race, 1-4 mile, owners up; purse $40.
No. 8.—Running, 1-2 mile, heats, best two in three; purse $200.
No. 9.—Pony race, 1-4 mile, 14 1-2 hands and under; purse $50.
No. 10—Seagram Cup, distance 7-8 mile, all ages; winner of Grand Forks Derby to carry 7 pounds additional weight. For a cup valued at $500, donated by J. E. Seagram of Waterloo, Ont., and $300 cash added by the association, cup to be won two years consecutively by same owner to become private property. Purse divided.
No. 11—Cowboy race, 1-4 mile, three turns. Purse $20; first $15, second $5; post entries; entries free.

Consolation races will be run on the third day, August 27th. They will be open to horses which failed to win prizes in the other races. Prizes will be appropriated from 90 per cent of of the gate receipts on the third day.

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ORGAN FOR CONSERVATIVES.

The conservative party has decided that an addition to the number of party papers is desirable and so has purchased the plant of the Rossland Evening World, which suspended several weeks since. The executive committee thought it would be desirable to locate the paper at the place of the residence of the president of the executive committee, and of Gov. Mackintosh, so that they, with the advice of their colleagues, can be in a better position to dictate its policy during the campaign. An alternative plan that was considered and rejected is understood to have been the aiding of other publication which have espoused the conservative cause in this section, but this plan, to a certain extent, was rejected in favor of a daily organ located where it is in close touch with the executive and the candidate. It is considered that this plan would be the most effective. A better plan would have been to have purchased some paper which is already established with circulation and prestige, which would give weight to its utterances.

It will take time to gain a circulation for the new organ, but doubtless during the campaign the paper will be given considerable free circulation, in order that the propaganda of the party may reach as many of the electors as possible. This can be easily done when it is known that the paper will receive the combined support of the dominion and provincial organization, and it is not anticipated that it will be a profitable venture for at least a considerable period.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

M. Jean Perier, French consul in London, makes a very interesting comparison between the English and French artizan. "The English workman," he says, "is intelligent, very anxious about his interests, but nevertheless a great lover of order. He is generally very conscientious in the execution he undertakes to do, very skilful in the management of large machines, but a little heavy in mind and body, and is becoming more and more despecialized in consequence of the use of machinery. He is very rarely an artizan workman, nor very inventive, and rarely qualified for minute, artistic and finished work. On the contrary, if the French workman has not all the qualities of his English comrade, he is particularly quick in mind and body, very ingenious, and of great manual dexterity; endowed with considerable imagination and frequently with fine artistic taste. The French workman is much less despecialized than his English comrade; and in addition to this, the working classes of France have for centuries reckoned among their number a large proportion of real artizans, while France is still one of the industrial countries of the world which possesses the greatest number of little industries which produce those little goods known as 'Articles de Paris.' Thus then the British and French workmen differ much from each other, and consequently compete with each other very little as regards the products of their labor. It is quite the contrary when one compares the British workman with his American, German, and Belgian comrades, who, doing the exact kind of work, making the same kind of articles, are formidable rivals, since by their work they aid in rendering the production of their countries antagonistic to those of the United Kingdom."

The house of commons recently passed a resolution expressing warm appreciation of lord Minto, whose term as governor-general expires in a short time. The people of Canada will heartily endorse the action of the house of commons. Lord Minto will leave Canada with the good will of its people, as his course has been that of a sensible, conscientious official, who did his duty properly and honestly and who endeavored while he held the high place of governor general, to in every way advance the best interests of the country. While not brilliant he has been an effective official.

FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION

Its Meeting Promises to Be Well Attended And Interesting.

Most of the dominion and provincial officials who are to be in attendance at the meeting of the Provincial Fruit Growers' association in this city on Friday and Saturday of this week, will arrive by the Crow's Nest steamer Thursday night. They will be met at Procter by the energetic and ubiquitous secretary, Onslow Newling.

The visitors include Dr. Fletcher, dominion entomologist, Maxwell Smith, dominion fruit inspector, R. M. Palmer, provincial freight rates commissioner, Thomas Cunningham, provincial fruit pest inspector, Martin Burrill of Grand Forks, and numerous officials of various boards and associations throughout the province. Most of them have been attending the Winnipeg Fair.

The programs of the afternoon and evening sessions of Friday promise pleasure and profit. The public are cordially invited to attend these meetings which will be held in the Opera house at 2.30 p.m. and at 8 p.m.

H. L. Dawes has very kindly promised to decorate the opera house for the occasion; those friends of the local association who have generously promised flowers for the purpose will oblige by having them sent to Mr Dawes at the Opera house Thursday evening.

On Saturday all visiting members will be the guests of the local association at a picnic at C. W. West's ranch on the north shore of the lake, to which they will be taken in launches Saturday morning between 11.30 and 12.

All preparations have been in the hands of secretary Newling, who has certainly done at least one man's share to justify his indiguation at the taunt that the local association was dead or sleeping. In this matter Mr. Newling has certainly shown himself to be very much alive.

A PARTY ORGAN.

Conservatives Have Purchased The Plant of the Rossland World

It is definitely reported that the Rossland Evening World plant and premises have been purchased by the campaign executive committee of the conservatives of Kootenay riding, and will be the organ of the party for the approaching election campaign. The personnel of the management and staff of the new paper has not yet been disclosed but it is authoritatively stated that ample funds are provided and no effort will be spared to make the organ a strong one and thoroughly representative of the conservatives of Kootenay.

An alternative plan suggested was that of distributing financial assistance to a number of the weekly publications throughout the riding which at present support the conservative cause. But, after mature consideration, it was decided that one strong daily newspaper would give a greater return for the expenditure of party funds and energy, and it was agreed that the plant of the Rossland World, which has been for sale for some time, was the best available. All the support of the conservative party of the constituency will be given to the new journal.

It is said that the venture is to be supported by the combined efforts of the dominion and provincial organizations of the conservatives with the entire good-will of the provincial government.

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The management, as we stated in our last issue, have been devoting their attention to development work which will enable them to mine throughout winter and summer. Some 20 men are now employed there at six different points, and it was decided to drive the face of a new tunnel, No. 3, which is about 100 feet below No. 2 tunnel. It was thought about 70 feet would have to be driven before the main lead was reached, and a start was made on the new tunnel last week. No attention was being paid to the rock at this point as no values were expected, but on close scrutiny by president Battey and superintendent Dodds, a decision to have an assay of the dump was arrived at. It came as a great surprise to all concerned to learn that what was being dumped was running up to 480 ounces of silver and $7 in gold, the ore being a clean zinc. There appears to be a great amount, and one thing certain is that when the new tramway is fixed and the ore is being sacked at the rate of 10 tons daily, with the present economic system of mining, the Triune will prove an enormous dividend payer. Assays from No. 1 tunnel from two average samples taken last week were at the current rate of silver, $60 silver and $6 gold, and $43 gold and $89 silver respectively. With the recent showings in the new tunnel, the property is now a grand one.

WALDECK ROSSEAU DEAD.

Paris, Aug. 10.—Former premier Waldeck Rosseau died this afternoon as the result of an operation.

[Pierre Marie Waldeck Rosseau was born December 2, 1846. He was elected a member of the chamber of deputies from Rennes, in 1879, and was re-elected in 1881. He was minister of interior in 1881-2, and in 1883-5. Formed the ministry in 1899.]

BOUNDARY NEWS

Morrison Shareholders May Exchange Their Shares for Merger Stock

[Special to The Daily News.]

Greenwood, August 10—Quite a number of Greenwood people have secured licenses in the matter of the East Kootenay coal and oil lands and are expectant of receiving profitable returns therefrom.

H. C. Stow, teller of the bank of B.N.A., here has received the sad intelligence of the death of his father, Rev. F. W. Stow, vicar of Aysgrath, Yorkshire, England.

Local stockholders in the Morrison Mines have received notice that if they so desire they may now exchange their stock therein for shares of the Montreal & Boston Consolidated, on a basis of 20 shares of Morrison for one share of Consolidated.

Messrs. Huff and McLeod, owners of the Blue Bucket and Horseshoe claims in Central camp, have disposed of a part of their holdings to Peter Swanson and Geo. Clowes, in return for certain development work to be done on the property.

As an indication of outside confidence in Greenwood, the local agent for a building and loan society, has received notice recently that his company would be glad to make further loans in the town to parties wanting to build homes. All desirable buildings in town are tenanted and several are contemplating erecting their own homes.

A large number of strangers have recently been in camp. Last evening's stage from Grand Forks brought in F. H. Rae of the Hesperus mine, on Fourth of July creek, accompanied by the following gentlemen all of Chicago: H. H. Bishop, J. Clancy, C. J. Magee, W. M. Thornton and M. S. Mossler. These gentlemen are looking the camp and district over with a view to investing in mining ventures.

THE FISCAL CAMPAIGN.

Chamberlain Tariff Commission Issues Its First Report.

The Chamberlain Tariff commission has issued its first report, which, in spite of advance criticism of the personnel of the commission, has attracted profund attention and interest. It is true that its members are all known to favor Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal proposals, but they are all eminent men, and in all other respects thoroughly representative of British trade and industry, and there are members of it qualified to give information on the interests of the different colonies. But the reports of the commission are directed solely to proposals for British legislation and offer no suggestions for colonial action. This first report outlines the scheme of the commission, suggests a policy, and reports on the condition of the iron and steel trade. The most stirring feature of it is that the empire is treated as a unit for the first time, the suggestions are far more moderate than were expected.

A triple tariff is proposed: (1) A very low general tariff for protection and encouragement of home industries; (2) a preferential tariff for the colonies to promote trade among the different parts of the empire; (3) a maximum tariff to be used in retaliation against countries discriminating against any part of the empire.

For the iron and steel trade the general tariff recommended is 10 per cent, this the commission considers necessary in the interest of British manufacturers to prevent "slaughtering," especially by Germans, American and Belgians.

Probably the second division is of most interest to Canadian, the proposed preference to colonial goods. It is distinctly provided that no reciprocal arrangements with foreign countries can reduce the tariff against their products below the general tariff, that is, the most favored of foreign nations will not be in as favorable a position as the colonies. Equally significant is the provision that the colonies to secure the preferential tariff must fully reciprocate the benefit.

It is claimed by the commission that manufacturers of iron and steel are almost unanimous in favor of the proposals. Reports on other industries will appear soon. The above may be taken as an indication of the general plan.

ARGONAUTS WIN

Carry off Chief Events at Canadian Henley on Saturday

What is described as the "finest gathering of the best lot of oarsmen ever held in America," came off at the Canadian Henley regatta at St. Catherines, Ontario on Friday and Saturday last and the racing that ensued is said to have been quite remarkable.

The Associated Press was too busy watching the war in the east to send out a word about the long string of finals which were rowed off on Saturday afternoon before an immense crowd.

Entries for all the events came from all over Canada and the United States, but the Argonaut Rowing Club of Toronto carried off the lion's share of the racing, winning the senior, intermediate and junior four oars, the junior eight oars, and having a second crew in the second place senior and junior four oars and in the junior eights.

The Winnipeg four which went to Henley came in third in the intermediate fours.

In the junior eights the Toronto Rowing Club's crew were stroked by Lou Scholes, who won the Diamond Sculls at Henley this year, but they came in third, both Argonaut boats beating them.

Frank B. Greer of East Boston, won defeating C. S. Titus of New York.

The intermediate double sculls was won by the Toronto Rowing Club. George H. Doyd of Arlington, Mass., won the intermediate single sculls.

The attendance was very large and the regatta passed off very successfully except that a strong breeze was blowing across the course on the second day.

MINING RECORDS.

At the mining recorder's office on Wednesday John Johnson recorded the location of the Lane, up Groham creek, 3 1-2 miles from the mouth. William Moore recorded the California on Boulder creek, 2 1-2 miles from Kuskonook.

Certificates of work were granted to D. P. Porter on the J C P; to Agnes Billings on the Pasadina; to John Phillips et al on the St. Ola and the Union Jack; to Adam Waldbeisen on the King Edward and to Frank Atkins on the Montana and Big Bannock.

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Located July 29th, 1904.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

JOHN HENDRY, Locator.
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THOMAS MATHEWS, Locator
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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D. C. M'GREGOR, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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ALBERT E. WOODS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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J. W. WEART, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

JOSEPH MARTIN, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

ALBERT E. WOODS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

DAVID G. WILLIAMS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

D. C. M'GREGOR, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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ALBERT E. WOODS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

JOHN HENDRY, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land, situate on Sage creek, about six miles from the international boundary line and about four miles from the Flathead river, district of Southeast Kootenay. Commencing at a post marked Thomas Hammond, coal and Petroleum location, and running east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located July 29th, 1904.

THOMAS HAMMOND, Locater.
JAMES MOORE, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land: situated on Sage creek, about seven miles from the international boundary line and about four miles from the Flathead river, district of Southeast Kootenay, commencing at a post marked Hugh B. Gilmour's coal and petroleum location, thence running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 30th July, 1904.

HUGH B. GILMOUR, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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Located 30th July, 1904.

J. W. WEART, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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JOSEPH MARTIN, Locator.
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GOLD	$1 00
SILVER	1 00
LEAD	1 00
COPPER	1 00
GOLD	1 00
SILVER	1 00
SILVER	1 00
LEAD	1 00

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PRICE OF METALS.

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London, August 10.—Lead, £11 16s. 3d.; silver, 26 13-16.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Cecil Ward, formerly of this city, is at the Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Baylis, England are stopping at the Strathcona.

The Crow's Nest boat was six hours late yesterday in reaching this city.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the city council will be held this evening.

S. M. Bryages has purchased the launch Pele from J. J. Malone and James McPhee.

Dr. Rogers of Kaslo arrived in Nelson yesterday afternoon and will remain here today.

Rossland is suffering from local bush fires within the city limits caused by sparks from locomotives.

Owing to the absence of some of the musicians the city band did not give its usual weekly concert last night.

Rev. T. H. Graham will hold divine service at the Willow Point school house next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, weather permitting.

R. Marpole, general superintendent of the Pacific division of the C. P. R., arrived in the city last night and is at the Strathcona.

The train from Slocan junction reached the city at 9:30 last evening, the burnt trestle having been repaired. The train will go out this morning as usual.

A. H. Buchanan, manager of the Bank of Montreal, who has been relieving manager Finucane at Spokane while the latter has been away on his honeymoon, returned to the city last evening.

An alarm was turned in yesterday morning for a small blaze at the Occidental on Vernon street. The brigade turned out but their services were not required and practically no damage was done.

Elder R. M. Simmons of the Christian Catholic church of Zion, arrived on the delayed Crow's Nest boat last evening. He will hold a street meeting this evening. Announcements of future meetings will be made.

The many Nelson friends of John Maguire, the veteran actor and manager, have prevailed on him to appear in a performance in this city. He will probably give some readings from the plays of Shakespeare.

The Daily News has received an official invitation to the Kootenay Fruit Growers' Association picnic at C. W. West's ranch at Five-mile on Saturday, to meet the members of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association.

A basket picnic under the auspices of St. Saviour's Sunday school will be held at Procter today. The Kokanee will leave the city wharf at 9 a. m., and the C. P. R. train will leave the station at 2 p. m. returning the steamer will leave Procter at 7 p. m.

William Thurman has received a letter from the Grand Forks street carnival secretary asking if Nelson would nominate a lady for "Queen of the Carnival." Rossland has a candidate and the secretary thinks Nelson should have one. So far there are no applicants.

His honor judge Forin was over in Rossland yesterday trying the case of Rassmussen vs. the White Bear Mining Company, an action for damages under the Workingmens' Compensation Act, with the county court judge sitting as arbitrator, a new procedure recently enacted.

The Neorna, which successfully defended the Seawanhaka cup in the fifth and final race at Montreal yesterday, is 38 feet over all, with a 26-foot water line, and an 8-foot beam, while the challenger, the White Bear of St. Paul, is 41 feet over all, has a 27-foot water line, with a beam of about 8 1-2 feet.

The Nelson Hockey and Lacrosse Club have decided to run the old skating rink this next winter. An effort will be made to get the car line extended to the rink, and the ice will be used for skating and hockey exclusively, the new combined building on the fair ground now in course of erection providing a home for the curlers.

D. W. Moore, who came from Trail last night and is registered at the Hume, brought with him for J. Fred Hume's mineral cabinet two fine specimens of lead pipe, the first made in British Columbia. The Trail smelter is the second plant in Canada to turn out the finished product. Toronto has already produced it. This is a good beginning of an important industry.

R. G. McLeod, secretary-treasurer of the Spyglass Mining Co., yesterday received a letter from J. A. Magee, manager for the company from Poplar, under date of August 10th, stating that 8 inches of ore had been found in the No. 2 tunnel. There is 8 inches of grey copper and from the looks of the quartz Mr. Magee thinks that the native silver found above will soon come in. Mr. Magee has some samples of the ore from No. 2 tunnel which he intends to send to this city to have them assayed.

In local launching circles yesterday the letter from the crew of the cruiser "Gretchen," which appeared in The Daily News, was the subject of much favorable comment. The launchmen are anxious to have it stated that no discourtesy possible was intended in the remarks made about challenging the Gretchen to race when here on her recent cruise. It was the intention of the local club to extend the usual courtesies to the Kaslo visitors had they remained here, as it was expected they would. The effect of the letter referred to has been to set the launch owners jumping for the privilege of upholding the name and fame of this port with the Kaslo boat and a formal acceptance of the challenge will be sent on at once. It is expected that an exciting race will be the outcome of the affair.

WHERE THEY PRACTICE.

On the C. P. R. flats in these evenings half a dozen of the faithful may be found practicing lacrosse at the lower end, at the other extremity an equal number of association footballers usually assemble under the punctual manager, James Meighan. The lacrosse team has in view a trip to the coast, the association team a match arranged with Sandon for Labor Day. If victories are to be won in either department, and Nelson's credit sustained on the athletic field, more enthusiasm must be aroused. The player who turns out only for matches is of little use then. Only hard, steady practice can hope to win.

YMIR HAPPENINGS.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, August 10.—Phillip White of Vancouver is paying the camp a visit. This gentleman was the original locator of the Wilcox group on Wild Horse creek. He sold out his interest in the property some time ago to eastern parties who are represented here by A. H. Tuttle.

Miss Marion Horton has been appointed by the Salmo school trustees to take charge of the Salmo school for the coming them. Miss Horton for the past two years had charge of Eholt public school. She is a lady of experience and very successful with her scholars.

Provincial constable Fraser left last evening for the coast, having in charge an Indian named Peel who will spend the next four years learning a trade in the penitentiary at New Westminster. This is the same Indian who endeavored to shoot Mr. Fraser at Fire Valley a short time ago.

H. M. Murtha, assistant superintendent of the S. F. & N. paid a visit to the Salmon river placers yesterday. Mr. Murtha is interested in these.

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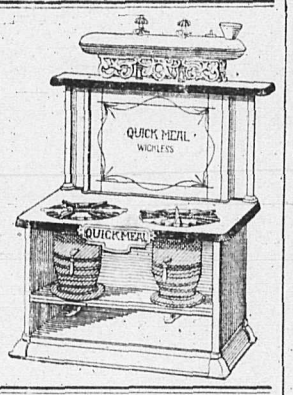

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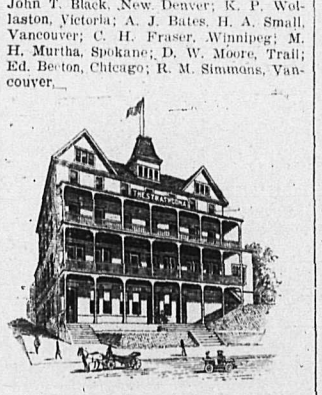

HUME—F. Creen, A. Merritt, Toronto; John T. Black, New Denver; K. P. Wollaston, Victoria; A. J. Bates, H. A. Small, Vancouver; C. H. Fraser, Winnipeg; M. H. Murtha, Spokane; D. W. Moore, Trail; Ed. Becton, Chicago; R. M. Simmons, Vancouver.

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QUEENS—F. McLeod, J. B. Winlaw, Winlaw siding; J. D. Woodcock, Slocan.

ROYAL—J. R. Cranston, Whitewater; Robert Bond, Slocan; J. O. Butler, New Denver.

LAKEVIEW—W. J. Wilton, James Conway, S. P. Carnew, Poorman mine.

BARTLETT—J. Irvine, Vancouver; T. S. Martyn, H. F. Cawlin, Kelowna; S. B. Peashak, M. J. Broock, Parkston, South Dakota.

MADDEN—E. Ballinger, A. Connell, Slocan; E. E. Ames, Vancouver.

NELSON—F. W. Langrell, R. E. Trowbridge, C. O. Trowbridge, Spokane.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.

A Telegram From Gompers—Amendments That Were Voted Down.

St. Louis, August 10.—The convention of the International Typographical Union today resumed consideration of the report of the committee on laws. A telegram of greeting and congratulation was received from Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. An amendment to the general laws providing that when a strike has been inaugurated the executive committee should pay to the union involved, for not exceeding eight weeks $7 per week for each member, was voted down at the advice of president Lynch. A proposed new section of the general law providing that in no case should a charter be issued unless the scale of wages was at least $15 and eight hours per day for job work, $18 per week and eight hours, or less, for machine work, was also voted down.

CANADIAN BOAT WON.

Seawanhaka Cup Will Remain in Canada for Another Year.

Montreal, August 10.—Noorna, the defender of the Seawanhaka cup for small raters, won today's race, the deciding one of the series, crossing the finishing line two minutes and thirty-four seconds ahead of the White Bear. The cup will remain another year in the possession of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club. The race today was one of the most exciting of the series.

BALFOUR'S ANNOUNCEMENT

Will Not Appoint a Commission to Examine Fiscal Situation.

London, Aug. 10.—Premier Balfour announced in the house of commons today that he did not propose to call an imperial conference or appoint a royal commission to examine the fiscal situation of the empire.

KING WILL GO TO SPRINGS.

London, Aug. 10.—King Edward started for Marienbad, Bohemia, this afternoon to take his annual cure at the baths. He travels incognito as the duke of Lancaster. His majesty's stay at Marienbad will be entirely of a private character with the exception of the occasion of emperor Francis Joseph's visit to him there on August 16.

THE NOTABLE DEAD.

London, Aug. 10.—Sir Frederick Bateman, M. D., born in 1824, died this morning at Norwich. He was a member of many societies, a consulting physician of the Norfolk and Norwich hospital and author of numerous medical works.

The September number of the Delineator, a special issue, just in, is for sale at Fred Irvine Co., Limited.

Bird's Eye Maple Sets

are going fast but we still have half a dozen on hand.

We do Upholstering to order. Make anything you ask for. Do PICTURE FRAMING and carry an up to date stock of moulding.

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Auction Sale
Friday, August 12th, 2 p. m.

FLOWERS AND PLANTS

We will on the above date offer by auction a large assortment of Plants. This is the second auction sale of plants by E. E. Grizzell at the Royal Green House, corner Hoover and Ward streets. Palms, Roses, Rubber Plants, all kinds of Ferns, Geraniums, Fuchias, Begonias, etc., in great variety. Terms cash.

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PROCTER

THURSDAY, AUG. 11, 1904

GOING—Steamer Kokanee leaves city wharf at 9 a.m. Train leaves C.P.R. depot at 2 p.m.

RETURNING—Steamer Kokanee leaves Procter at 7 pm.

ADULTS, $1; CHILDREN, 50c.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for a duplicate of certificate of title to block 6 of lot 222, group one, Kootenay district (Map 713.)

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, a duplicate to the certificate of title to the above mentioned lands in the name of Tong Kue, which certificate is dated the 29th day of May, 1901, and numbered 335A.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., 24th June, 1904.

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The new Military Sets are the latest for ladies' wear.

Brooch style—with joint, catch and pin—avoids making button holes and sewing on buttons.

Sets in gold and silver finish, in Roman, plain polished, old rose and oxidized.

Various shapes—round, oval, square, oblong and fancy patterns.

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$1.15 and $1.25 line clearing at....90c
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