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DRAWING TO A CLOSE

Miners Put in no Evidence in Center Star Damage Suit

Sir Hibbert Tupper Denounces Western Federation--Taylor Makes Strong Plea for Defendants

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, July 15.—Upon the conclusion of the plaintiff's case in the damage suit of the Centre Star vs. the Rossland Miners' union, S. S. Taylor, counsel for the defendants, stated that he would call no witnesses.

This morning sir Hibbert Tupper began his address for the plaintiff corporation. Counsel asked the jury to decide, whether the Rossland miners' strike was not due to the Western Federation of Labor rather than for the benefit of the miners. Unlike the English trades' unions these men did not come into court with books, etc., but attempted to hide the facts. He also suggested that the carpenters' union book was spirited away. He said the books of the Rossland miners' union had been obtained. Quoting from the affidavit was intended to conceal the books contained, sir Hibbert said that a perusal of the books proved that the affidavict was intended to conceal the facts. The books showed that the union was organized in 1895. They became incorporated and changed their seal, and from that time on the Rossland miners' union was synonymous with the Western Federation of Miners, although they used the old name on the miners and others for the purpose of concealment. There was very good reason for Frank Woodside, one of the defendants to keep out of the box after having told direct falsehoods to his attorneys.

Mr. Taylor by not calling his witnesses retained the right to reply, which he did in a magnificent address to the jury, lasting for over two hours. His two main points were: Had the Centre Star miners the legal right to strike, and, if so, was there any damage to the Centre Star. He claimed that if the first question was answered in the affirmative, the second must be answered in the negative. He utterly denied that there was any connection between the Centre Star strike and that at Northport, and asked the jury not to give a verdict which would upset the present relations between the miners, who were good Canadians, and the mine owners.

The court adjourned, after summing up, and the deliberations of the jury are yet to take place.

INTERESTED IN ARIZONA OIL.

Dr. Gibson Receives News Concerning The Excitement.

Dr. Thomas G. Gibson, brother of the postmaster, who is interested in oil in Arizona, is in receipt of a letter from a friend at Mammoth, Pinal county, Arizona, which has the following to say regarding the oil fields, of that county: "The oil excitement has not abated, but is up to fever heat. Surveyor Kegle, of Mammoth, has been out for two months surveying oil locations, commencing at the mouth of the Arabapia where our claims are located, and thence toward Benson in a southeasterly direction, how far I do not know. You may judge though, from the two months it took to survey the land. The oil bearing strip is about three miles wide. The well at Mammoth is down 90 feet. They had considerable difficulty in drilling through the loose sand and boulders. They had to take out the casing once and use the sandpump, but at last accounts they were in better ground and making more rapid headway. Two of our claims, which are on the south side of the Arabaipa, are in what the oil experts call the oil basin, a flat, sunken country, where they claim it is impossible for the oil to get away. Since you left Mr. Clark, living above Mammoth, has leased his entire ranch to an oil man for 99 years on good terms. Oil experts intimate that the depth to oil here is 800 feet. My brother-in-law this morning told me of a bed of wax, resembling large flake mica, that burns readily, which was found in the basin. It is said by those who claim to know, to be oil wax. I leave for my cow ranch today and then go to some copper claims which I located some time since. They are low grade but very large, averaging from 1 1-2 to 3 1-2 per cent copper for a width of 200 feet. Four miles west of the belt where my claims are located are some claims recently bonded for $60,000, and prospecting with a diamond drill upon them will soon be commenced. This property has not one tenth of the surface indications that mine has."

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS.

Total For the Year to July 1st is 416,023 Tons.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Phoenix, July 15.—For the first six months of 1904 the ore tonnage from Boundary mines shows that the total roots up to 416,023 tons, or nearly 70,000 tons per month for the half year. If the mines now shipping do not increase the output, and it is probable that they will, this rate for the entire year will give a total of 832,000 tons for 1904, or about 20 per cent more than for 1903. As, however, the Boundary Falls smelter is now preparing to blowin again, after six months of idleness, the probability of Boundary's output being a round million tons for 1904 is more than good, especially as the V. V. and E. branch of the Great Northern is likely to be hauling ore from this camp by the time snow flies. In months the output of the Boundary so far this year, with an estimated value of $2,000,000 on a basis of $5 per ton, is as follows:

Month	Tons
January	75,458
February	72,007
March	72,651
April	60,018
May	67,813
June	68,076
Half year total	416,023

For the month of June the output of the several mines of the Bounadry, as nearly as it could be ascertained, is placed at 68,076 tons, being slightly higher than for the previous month, the figures from each mine being as follows:

Mine	Tons
Granby mines	49,199
Mother Lode	13,088
Emma	3,699
Oro Denoro	1,407
Brey Fogle	159
No. 37	324
Providence	100
Elkhorn	60
E. P. U.	40
Total for June	68,076

THREE CORNERED FIGHT

SOCIALISTS SELECT CANDIDATE FOR YALE-CARIBOO.

ERNEST MILLS OF GREENWOOD, THEIR CHOICE.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Phoenix, July 15.—Ernest Mills, of Greenwood, will be the standard bearer of the socialist party in Yale-Cariboo constituency. The nominating convention was held at Greenwood last night, there being outside delegations from Phoenix, Hedley, Eholt and Cascade. The delegates from the Phoenix Socialist club were John Riordan, W. H. Bambury, D. L. McIntominey, N. Lemieux, H. A. Munroe, R. B. Kerr and Mrs. R. B. Kerr.

J. J. Caulfield, of Greenwood, was chairman, and W. H. Bambury, secretary.

After the various committees had reported, the convention was unanimous in deciding to nominate John Riordan, but that gentleman firmly declined the honor. Finally Ernest Mills was given the nomination without a dissenting vote.

The campaign committee consists of chairman and secretary of the convention, together with John Riordan of Phoenix, Fred Hezelwood, of Greenwood, W. H. Harris, of Grand Forks, and one each from Hedley, Eholt and Cascade.

Ernest Mills has been an employe of the Montreal and Boston Copper Co.'s smelter at Boundary Falls, and was the nominee of the socialist party in the provincial campaign in Greenwood riding last October, in which election he was beaten by J. R. Brown, the liberal candidate. He is now secretary of Greenwood Miners' union, No. 22, W. F. M.

THE QUEBEC COMMISSIONER.

Montreal, July 15.—In government circles here it is stated that Alfred Brunett, formerly manager of La Banque National, will be Quebec representative of the commission that will build the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

THOMAS WATSON'S ASHES

His Widow Scatters Them in the Waters of the Detroit

Windsor, July 15—Twelve years ago Thomas Watson, novelist, litterateur and art critic, married Miss Jean Patterson, eldest daughter of Hon. J. C. Patterson, ex-M.P., and former lieutenant governor of Manitoba. The couple removed to a western city where Mr. Watson died a few weeks ago, his remains being cremated at his own request. Recently Mrs. Watson returned to Windsor, bringing with her the ashes of her husband to comply with his dying request.

At a late hour on the evening of her arrival, and accompannied by an old and trusted friend of her girlhood days, Mrs. Watson went to a place on the Detroit river where the curent is deepest and swiftest, and cast upon the waters all that remained of the man whom a dozen years before she had wedded in the pretty Episcopal church at Windsor.

The following day the widow returned to the western city, where she made her home.

YOUNG WOMAN SUICIDES

Shot Herself Through the Head While Despondent

Belleville, July 15—Miss Katherine Hamilton, third daughter of William Hamilton, local manager of the Merchant's bank here, committed suicide last evening during a fit of melancholy. She had been a nurse in training at the Roosevelt hospital, New York, and came home in June in poor health. She was under the care of a local physician and seemed greatly improved yesterday. With her sister and some friends she was at the Bay and returned home apparently in the best of spirits. She went up stair, obtained a revolver and proceeding to her brother's room, shot herself through the temple. Her mother found her lying on the floor unconscious. Physicians were immediately summoned, but she died in two hours. Deceased was very popular and was only 22 years of age.

GREENWOOD LICENSING BOARD

[Special to The Daily News.]

Greenwood, July 15—At the meeting of the board of license commissioners on Thursday evening, under the new ordinance, saloon licenses were granted to the Ottawa, National, Windsor, Arlington, and Clarendon. All other applicants were granted hotel licenses. The hotel license costs $300 and the saloon $500. The proprietor of the Pacific hotel was notified that the keeping of two bars in his building, one by himself and one by the recently organized Boundary club, was a violation of law and that one or the other of such bars must be closed.

MAR THEIR CHANCES.

Serious Accident to the Victoria "Big Four."

Victoria, July 15.—As the "Big Four" of the Victoria Rowing club were on their way up the Gorge to take their evening spin, they had the misfortune to meet with a serious accident, which, coming as it does so near the regatta, will greatly mar their chances of winning the much coveted trophies. The crew had just left the railway bridge and were swinging along at a long easy stroke when they crashed into a sealing schooner, completely demolishing the bow of their shell. A strong wind was blowing at the time which blew the bow around after the bowman had set his course, and when he again looked about they were right on top of the schoner, and although every effort was made to hold the shell the accident could not be averted. Walter Jesse, who was rowing bow received a nasty blow on the head through coming in contact with the schooner, which temporarily dazed him. He soon recovered, and he and Kennedy climbed aboard the schooner, while Dillabough and Wilson paddled the shell, in a sinking condition, to a boom of logs.

ON A LONG JOURNEY.

Body of a Frenchman on Way to Be Buried in France.

Vancouver, July 15.—A corpse has just been brought down from the north in the central stage of what is undoubtedly the record trip of the femains of any man. It was the body of Charles Bide, late assistant manager of the Syndicate du Lyonaise in the Klondike. Bide died at Dawson on October 19 last. His relatives in France wished to have the remains buried at Lornes, the old home of the deceased. The corpse was therefore kept at a Klondike undertakers till navigation opened and sent out by one of the river steamers. Arriving in port the railway was again utilized. The body goes to New York so that only two more exchanges may be made, once to a vessel, thence again to a French railway when the native soil of Bide is reached.

The longest shipment made heretofore from Dawson was that of the body of a Japanese woman, which was brought to Vancouver and taken across the ocean to the land of the cherry blossom. Many bodies have been shipped from Dawson to various parts of Canada and the United States.

JUSTICE LOST NO TIME

NEGROES WHO ASSAULTED WHITE MEN QUICKLY TRIED

IN SHORT TIME THEY WERE SENTENCED TO 49 YEARS

Mount Holly, N. J., July 15—Aaron Timers, Jonas and William Austin, the three negroes who confessed to assaulting Mrs. Elsie Biddle of Burlington, were today sentenced to 49 years each in the state prison at Trenton, after a record breaking trial. The three men arrived in Mount Holly at 11:16 p.m., and less than half an hour later they pleaded guilty and had been glen the extreme penalty of the law for their crimes by judge Gaskill and were on their way to Trenton to begin the long sentence.

When the men, handcuffed to three deputies, stepped from the train an immense crowd was at the station. A company of New Jersey Natiaonal guard, opened a passageway and within five minutes the criminals were in the courthouse. The public were excluded. The negroes were arraigned and judge Gaskill appointed counsel to defend them. A brief consultation was held by the attorneys and the prisoners and it was announced that they would plead guilty. Judge Gaskill accepted the plea and in pronouncing sentence said: "The sentence of the court is that for the charge of which you have just pleaded guilty each of you be confined in the state prison at hard labor for the term of 15 years upon the charge of robbery, 15 years upon the charge of assault, another 12 years for intent to kill, and upon the charge of robbing the house of Wm. Striker, seven years."

The prisoners were immediately removed from the courthouse. As they appeared at the entrance the soldiers formed two columns of fours and with the men in the centre, they marched down a side street to a special car which had brought them from Camden. A demonstration occurred when they entered the train. Here a large crowd had gathered and there was a cry of "Shoot them." Trenton was reached at 2:30 and the men had begun their sentences at 2:54.

PEABODY DENOUNCED.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 15.—The convention of the Intenational longshoremen and transporters' union tonight decided to maintain its headquarters at Detroit. Resolutions were adopted denouncing governor Peabody, of Colorado, for his action during the mining trouble and calling on the federal government to institute an investigation.

MONEY IN WOLVES.

Toronto, July 15.—This is a good season for wolves. The rangers in Algonquin park reserve have slain about 30 in the past few days. One shanty foreman made a haul. He found one wolf and eight cubs, for which he received the government bounty of $15, making $135 in all.

DISCREDITED AT TOKIO

No Advices There of a Japanese Repulse at Port Arthur

It is Believed That the Story Originated at Shanghai--Alexieff Interferes With Kouropatkin

London, July 16.—The Tokio correspondent of the Times in a despatch filed at 9.45 p.m. on July 15th, says that the St. Petersburg story of a Japanese repulse with heavy losses at Port Arthur on July 10 is wholly discredited at Tokio, where no such reports have been received. It is believed that the story originated at Shanghai.

ALEXIEFF IS POMPOUS.

Interferes Constantly With the Orders of General Kouropatkin.

Berlin, July 15.—A despatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from New Chwang, dated, July 11th, describes the friction between general Kouropatkin and viceroy Alexieff, which, in connection with the correspondent's recent interview with general Kouropatkin, indicates that the present despatch was based on information from near headquarters. The correspondent says viceroy Alexieff continually disturbs military matters by assuming kingly airs. He reverses Kouropatkin's orders, arrogating powers as the emperor's direct representative. When the troops arrived at Mukden, Alexieff held instructions and parades, delaying the soldiers arriving at the front. He sends his own chief of staff twice or thrice weekly to Ta Tche Kiao to observe and report on general Kouropatkin's doings. The correspondent says that the present state of things will lead to the loss of more battles unless viceroy Alexieff is recalled, adding, "his presence is not only useless, but is a serious danger to the army."

SAID TO BE AGAIN AFLOAT.

Is Fourth Ship of Vladivostock Squadron the Bogatyr?

St. Petersburg, July 15.—It is possible that the fourth ship of the Vladivostock squadron, now off the Japanese coast, is the cruiser Bogatyr, as the repairs to that vessel have been nearly completed. A private letter received here from Vladivostock, dated June 25, gives the first reports of the mishaps to the Bagatyr, from which it appears that a cruiser, with admiral Jessen on board, went out in pursuit of a Japanese cruiser. The fog was so thick that the captain made a protest against attempting to navigate the Bogatyr, but admiral Jessen insisted on proceeding. A few minutes afterwards the cruiser struck on the rocks. She was hauled off, repaired and was again afloat on June 2.

With the approaching departure of the Baltic squadron for the far east extra precautions are being taken to prevent the publication of news of the movements or condition of the Russian ships. The newspapers are strictly forbidden to mention their names, and even foreign news despatches referring to the Russian vessels are not passed by the censor.

FIGHTING IMMINENT.

Japanese Are Preparing For an Attack On Ta Tche Kiao.

Liao Yang, July 15.—Fighting is imminent at Ta Tche Kiao and Hai Cheng. The Japanese are entrenched six miles south of Ta Tche Kiao. Much skirmishing is taking place. The weather is favorable for the movement of troops. No rain has fallen for a whole week. It is rumored that a Japanese column has appeared on the Mukden road. There are several Japanese wounded at Liao Yang. They are well treated and contented. Troops are constantly arriving here.

Ta Tche Kiao, July 15.—The Japanese have withdrawn from the west side of the railroad and are massing their armies on the Russian left. Reconnaissances in force, carried out by Russian cavalry and artillery yesterday and today almost as far south as Kai Chou failed to disclose the Japanese.

STILL ANOTHER VERSION.

Ta Tche Kiao, July 14.—(Delayed in transmission)—The latest reports regarding the storming of Port Arthur on July 10 place the Japanese losses in killed and wounded at 25,000 and the Russian at 5,500, the Russians occupied the position. The Japanese have not changed their frontal position and a big battle is expected at the eastern portion of defences.

THE STORY REPEATED.

St. Petersburg, July 16—A special despatch from Ta Tche Kiao, dated July 14 repeats the account of the storming of Port Arthur on July 10, and says that the Russians assumed the offensive and attacked with the bayonet. The Japanese retired in the wildest disorder. The Chinese estimate the Japanese losses at 22,000. Cholera and dysentery are epidemic at Cheng Wang Cheng and there are many deaths daily. Most every day a movement of the Japanese is expected east of Hai Cheng. A Russian correspondent of the Associated Press in the field, reports the story of the Japanese disaster on July 10, but does not add any details except the statement that after the repulse the Japanese fled in great disorder pursued by the Russians.

RUSSIAN GENERAL WOUNDED.

St Petersburg., July 15.—General Rennenkampf was wounded, but not seriously, in a skirmish near Sai Matsza. A bullet passed through the calf of one of his legs. The Japanese are still entrenched south of Ta Tche Kiao. No further advance has been reported. The general staff has not received confirmation of the reports of the occupation of New Chwang by the Japanese.

REPULSED WITH LOSS.

Drive Japanese Back From Right Flank at Port Arthur.

Mukden, July 14.—(Delayed in transmission).—In the fighting at the right flank of the line of defense of Port Arthur from July 3 to July 6 the Russians drove back the Japanese and occupied the east bank of the Lunsantan and the heights surrounding the Lunsantan pass. The Japanese losses were about 2,000. Those of the Russians were insignificant.

THE PORT ARTHUR REPULSE

Japanese Sustained Considerable Loss On July 11th.

London, July 15.—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says the war office announces the receipt of a despatch from Port Arthur, confirming the report that the Japanese sustained considerable losses on July 11th, the exact particulars of which have not yet been ascertained. According to the despatch the Russians recaptured all the positions lately taken by the Japanese.

A NAVAL ENGAGEMENT.

Morning Post Man Says It Took Place Off Port Arthur.

London, July 15.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post, cabling under date of July 15, says: "A naval engagement took place today off Port Arthur." The same correspondent says that the Russians seized the Chicago Daily News despatch boat, Fawn, and towed her into Port Arthur.

CHECKED THE ADVANCE

Cossacks Ambush Japanese and Kill 100 of Them

Liao, July 15—General Samsonoff has seriously checked the Japanese advance in the direction of Yin Kow on July 11. His Cossacks ambushed the Japanese column and put 1000 out of action. The Japanese attempted to advance to Yin Kow along the coast and were hindered by the marshy country. The Russians had expected a movement in this direction and a company of cavalry men with two guns laid in ambush for them in the high grass, catching the Japanese in the most difficult part of the coast road and scattering their advance column. The artillery fire of the Russians was splendid and the Japanese were unable to a make an effective reply.

STRIKES ORDERED

They are Intended to Force an Exchange of Union Cards

New York, July 15—The strikes of the plumbers, gas fitters and steam fitters and helpers were ordered today on all the contracts of the New York general contractors in outside cities to force an exchange of cards with unions in outside cities. It is charged that the plumbers' union of New York is the last union to cling to the idea of a board of building trades to build a Chinese wall about the building trades in this city, so that union men from other cities could not come here to compete with New Yorkers. The strikes are the outcome of the refusal of the plumbers' union No. 2 of this city to obey the rules of the National, uniaon. Organizer Shelvin said tonight that if local No. 2 became an independent union recognized. "I cannot say how many men the cards aof outside unions could not be in the other trades will ultimately be involved in the outcome, but there will be at least 10,000 involved individually. In spite of the arbitration agrement the fight may come to New York.

BRADSTREETS' SUMMARY.

A Good Demand Being Experienced From the Mines.

Toronto, July 15.—At Victoria and Vancouver there is some noticeable improvement in the wholesale trade. The demand for fall goods, as reported by Bradstreets, is better in many departments. A good demand is being experienced from the provincial mining centres. The mercantile business in the larger cities is steadily expanding, as shown by the bank clearings. The crop situation, which is becoming more important every year in British Columbia, is satisfactory.

In Winnipeg the wholesale trade has displayed further expansion the past week, notwithstanding the fact that many buyers have been holding off to attend the dominion exhibition, which is sure to bring a big increase in the volume of fall business. There is a cheerful feeling in wholesale circles over the excellent prospects for the fall business.

The orders for staple goods for the fall and winter are coming forward in fair volume at Hamilton and a cheerful feeling purevails in wholesale trade circles over the future outlook for trade.

In Montreal business is showing the effect of the midsummer dullness peculiar to the holiday season. The sorting demand has dropped of and attention is now mainly directed toward the fall trade in which the orders have kept up very well Shipments are being made and stocks are coming to hand in large quantities in the jobbing departments. Values of staples are generally well maintained. No changes are reported in cottons and woollens are firmer. Remittances are rather slow.

In Toronto the wholesale trade is moderately active for this season of the year, when the demand is always more or less quiet and largely confined to the future requirements of trade. Fall orders are coming in in fair volume and the business will increase later on if good crops are assured. The prices are merely steady. Wool is firm. Three cars of Canada combination and fleece were this week shipped to the United States.

In Quebec general trade during the week has been quiet. The rain during the early period, which was badly wanted, has been of considerable advantage to the pastures. The latter in some places has been pretty well burned up. Haying, which has just commenced, promises an unusually heavy crop. Crops in general throughout the eastern portion of the province are reported very favorable and, with a continuance of seasonable weather a good harvest is expected. Only a few tourist have arrived and as a result city trade is not as active as in past seasons.

PRICE OF MEATS RAISED

Rochester, July 15.—The price of all kinds of meat was raised here today from $1.50 to $3.00 a hundred at the wholesale houses and there is a prospect of a further advance on Monday. The action is said to be due to diminished shipments from western points and an expectation that there would be no shipments tomorrow.

GRAIN ELEVATOR BURNED

Chicago, July 15—The Baltimaore and Ohio grain elevator, 870 Ontario avenue South Chicago was burned today.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Ottawa, July 15.—The interim supply resolution passed last night.

George Taylor, conservative whip, was caned by his political association today Leader Borden made the presentation, eulogizing Taylor's services as whip.

A deputation representing all the boards of trade o fthe Ottawa valley saw the government recently and urged it to guarantee the bonds of the Montreal and Georgian Bay Canal company. McCool, Mackie, Belcourt and other liberal members supported the request. The gfloverment promised careful consideration.

Lord Dundonald leaves for Montreal and England on the 29th.

Mr. Brodeur gives notice of an amendment to the Inland Revenue Act, providing for the cancellation ofthe lic enses to any firm which seeks the probrdin to any firm which seeks to preclude its customers from selling the products of any rival company. This is a crack at the American Tobacco company, which it is alleged has been in the habit of binding its customers not to sell the products of any rival concerns.

IN HANDS OF NEW PEOPLE

MOLLIE GIBSON GROUP SOLD TO A WEALTHY SYNDICATE.

OPERATIONS ON THE PROPERTY TO BE COMMENCED AT ONCE.

Bruce White has returned from a visit to Sherbrooke, Que., where he attended on the 5th instant, the sale of the assets of the Mollie Gibson Mining Co. The property was sold on a judgment held by the Eastern Townships bank for $23,400. It was bid in by Sylvester Jenks, of the Jenks Machine company, acting as trustee for a syndicate of Sherbrooke, Port Arthur and Nelson capitalists.

It is understood that a new company will immediately be formed to be known as the Aspen Mining company, to operate the property. It will be organized on similar lines to the old Mollie Gibson company.

The Mollie Gibson group consists of seven claims which are located five miles up Kokanee creek from Mollie Gibson landing. The property is valuable. The smelter returns from the ore shipped gave $86,000 net after treatment charges had been paid, while the gross value was over $100,000. A great deal of development work has been done on the property and there are large reserves of ore in sight in the workings. The new owners will at once begin operations on the mine, and it is anticipated that a force of men will be put to work on it next week. At first the work will be confined to development so that there may be a large tonnage on hand before shipments will be resumed. The new owners have ample capital with which to carry on the work.

The Mollie Gibson mine has not been operated since the disaster on Christmas day, 1902, when a number of men lost their lives through a snowslide which overwhelmed the mine buildings. There was some indebtedness which might have been cleared up by this time had the mine been continuously operated. The bank to which the money was owing sued and got judgment and sold the assets of the company in order to satisfy the judgment.

The Mollie Gibson group clear of debt and under new and progressive management should soon be placed on a profit making basis.

VICTI MOF LOOP THE LOOP.

Jamestown, N.Y., July 15.—Miss Ethel Boyd, of Cleveland, died this evening as the result of injuries received in an accident on the loop the loop at Celeron. Miss Broadwell, also of Cleveland, another victim is in a dying condition. The coroner and district attorney have begun an investigation.

WILL BE DISTRIBUTING AGENTS

Victoria, July 15—The Western Fuel Co. of Nanaimo, has taken over R. Dunsmuir and Sons' San Francisco office and will act as distributing agents for the Wellington collieries.

THE PACKERS' STRIKE

Negotiations for a Settlement Are at a Standstill

Neither Side is Prepared to Allow the Other to Dictate the Basis of Arbitration

Chicago, July 15.—Negotiations for peace in the stockyards strike are at a standstill tonight and the strike will continue till one side or the other abandons something of the demands. Both sides are anxious for a peaceable settlement, but the stumbling block is that neither side is prepared to allow the other to dictate the basis of arbitration. This afternoon the packers considered Mr. Donnelly's reply to their proposal of last night but it proved unsatisfactory and the union officials were notified that it would be impossible to reach an agreement along the lines suggested by Mr. Donnelly. The packers declared themselves willing to arbitrate, but stipulated that the arbitration should include the entire scope of the strike and not be subject to restrictions or limitations of any kind. This communication was identical with the one sent yesterday to Mr. Donnelly, and to which his counter proposition of today was a reply. A note was also sent to Mr. Donnelly, notifying him that they would be ready for his answer tomorrow and that if he desired another conference with them they would be pleased to meet him. No arrangements have as yet been made for another conference, but the reply of the unions to the last note of the packers will be sent tomorrow morning. Mr. Donnelly's last proposition was as follows:

"All grievances to be sumbitted to to arbitration, strikers to be reinstated in a body, the men employed by the pakers since the strike began may be retained if use can be found for them, the temporary wage scale to be that in effect previous to May 23. This means that unskilled labor is to be paid, pending the decision of the arbitrators, 18 1-2 cents instead of from 13 to 17 1-2 cents, the price paid since May 28."

The following is the reply of the packers to the proposition of Mr. Donnelly:

"All grievances to be submitted to arbitration, the strikers to be re-employed as rapidly as places can be found for them, preference to be given the strikers in the order of their application for work; all men now at work to be retained, and the temporary wages to be in accordance with the schedule in effect at the time of the strike."

The allied trades unions at the stock yards are becoming restless and unless a settlement is shortly reached they may stop work in sympathy with the strikers. The members of the allied crafts here number between 14,000 and 15,000, mostly union men. A mass meeting of these men will be held tomorrow night when the question of their quitting work will be discussed.

The work in the packing plants in this city was continued today on a much larger scale than at any time since the strike had been declared. Many new men have been employed among whom, it is said, are many skilled workmen, and the packers declare that they are doing better than they expected they would be able to do at the time the old employes quit work.

Chicago, July 15.—One thousand more non-union men were imported into the yards this morning, making 4,000 in all now at work. The strikers made no effort to interfere with deliveries of fresh meat, and the filling of local orders was uninterrupted.

Kansas City, July 15.—Five packing houses operated their killing and butchering, departments on a limited scale today. A number of men were put to work at each place.

St. Paul, July 15.—A force of several hundred strikers lined up in front of the main entrance to the Swift Packing Co.'s plant today and refused to let the office force and other employes into the building. An attempt was made in vain to break the blockade. Mayor Little lead the office force in an effort to get through the gates, but the strikers refused to admit them. The strikers said they would allow the office men to enter the yards, if the officials would give their word of honor that the men would not be employed except upon their regular duttes. The officers would give no pledge and things were at a standstill. It is expected that the governor will be asked to send troops to the stock yards.

With the increase today in the working force the packing houses were today able to fill all orders and slaughtering was done on a sufficiently heavy scale to warrant some buying at the yards this morning. The workmen who have taken the places of the strikers were not molested while in the yards, and as long as they continue to work, the packers declare, that a shutdown can be averted for many weeks. At the yards today the expressed opinion was that the strike would last well into next week. Commission men and traders, who are generally in touch with the situation, sent despatches to shippers throughout the country advising them to hold their live stock until later and warning them especially to refrain from sending the usual heavy shipments on Monday morning.

Ladies' Waterproof Coats
At Lower Prices Than Ever

Only about One Dozen Left, Sizes From 34 to 62 inches long.

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6.50	2.00
8.00	3.00
9.00	4.25
10.00	4.50

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EN ARE SCARCER.

Those who want men for work of various kinds complain that there is a scarcity of help in Nelson both in skilled and unskilled lines. There is a reason for this and it is because there is so much work to do in the mines, mills and smelters that everyone who desires employment can secure it. Take the silver-lead industry, for instance. The production of lead is a good index of this and at the present time the production is at the rate of a little over 30,000 tons a year. The mines which produce silver-lead ore are being run to the limit of their capacity, while the two smelters in the province which reduce this class of ore are being operated night and day. The St. Eugene mine, which a few months since was not doing anything, is now employing 300 hands and is producing 500 tons of ore a day, which is turned into 100 tons of concentrates. The low grade gold-copper mines of the Boundary are outputting a larger tonnage than ever in the history of the camp, while the high grade belt near Greenwood is the scene of much mining activity. In the Rossland camp there is again renewed activity and matters are on the mend there. In the Lardeau there are three stamp mills in full operation and they are turning out a great deal of bullion. In the Nelson division there are nearly 100 stamps dropping constantly on ore and the number of men employed in the aggregate amounts to considerable. Several new sawmills, just completed, have started in this section and the output of lumber this year should be twice that of last. The Great Northern railway is building branches in East and West Kootenay and these have called for nearly 3,000 men, skilled and unskilled. The mining of coal and the making of coke has taken a fresh start and there is a demand in that branch for increased help. The demand is so great for men of all kinds from all parts of the Kootenays that every able bodied man who really desired work has got out of the city and that is why help of any kind is difficult to secure here just at present.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

George B. McAulay, mining man, died recently, while on a wedding tour in Scotland. Mr. McAulay was rather a prominent figure in the mining history of the Kootenays and Yale. The most notable of his enterprises was the Cariboo (Camp McKinney) mine, which he brought to a dividend paying basis and out of which he made a fortune. Mr. McAulay was also largely interested in the development of the Rossland camp, although his principal venture there proved a failure. He was a genial, companionable, warm-hearted man, who, whilst close in business, was liberal outside of it. His many friends in this section will hear of his death with deep regret.

The production of 8,000 crates of strawberries by ranchers along the lake this season is not insignficant when it is considered that the lack of rain during May and June cut the production in two. The producers sold their product for about $10,000 and besides this the middlemen also made a profit. It means that by the industry of the ranchers $10,000 remains in the country, which otherwise would have been sent out to purchase the fruit. The result should encourage the fruit growers to renewed effort. Wherever it is possible strawberry plants should be laid out where they can be irrigated. It may not be necessary, but if the facilities are at hand and there is a spell of dry weather irrigation insures a full crop.

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RATES TO WHOLESALERS

C. P. R. DENIES THAT PROMISES WERE MADE TO MERCHANTS

SAYS VALUABLE CONCESSIONS WERE MADE.

Harry E. Macdonell, general freight agent of the Kootenay lines of the Canadian Pacific railway, was seen yesterday, and was asked:

"Is it true that any promises were made to the Nelson wholesalers in regard to giving them territory by the officials of the Canadian Pacific railway?"

"Nothing was given in the shape of a promise. The concessions were given to them in the form of a reduction of rates. The cutting out of the Nelson common points is sufficient in itself to make Nelson a wholesale centre. Besides this there are the reductions in local rates to the Boundary and to the Crow's Nest territory which apply to the wholesale business and are beneficial to it. The railway company had decided to give them a 15 per cent reduction and eventually made it 25 per cent. The Nelson wholesalers always did some business along the Crow line, and now they can do still more with a 25 per cent reduction in the rates.

"As a matter of fact, the wholesalers never were promised that the B. C. points on the Crow's Nest railway should be cut off from Calgary. When Mr. Peters, assistant traffic manager for western lines of the C. P. R. was here the wholesalers made their application and he went partially over the ground with them, saying that certain things appeared reasonable to him. One thing you may be assured of, and this is that the Canadian Pacific never breaks its promises. If I were guilty of breaking my word with a patron of the railway I would at once resign my position. We have kept faith in this as well as in all of our dealings with the public."

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

Dominion Parliament Will Not Be in Session Much Longer.

Ottawa, July 15.—Premier Laurier made the important statement when the house met today that there would be no new railway subsidies granted this session.

The prime minister said that all the legislation proposed was now on the order paper, except a bill dealing with the Canada-Eastern, which, it is understood, the government intends to purchase from the owners. There might be some legislation effecting existing subsidies to railways, but no new aid of any kind would be granted.

Supplementary estimates will be down on Tuesday next.

MOULDERS MAY STRIKE.

Montreal Employers Want to Reduce Their Wages

Montreal, July 15—There is a likelihood of a strike among moulders employed in Montreal, the employers having made the demand upon the union for a reduction of 10 per cent in wages. The men refused to accept the reduction as they claim the wages they are being paid is 10 cents less per day than in Toronto and 20 cents less than in Hamilton, while it costs more to live here. The matter is now being considered by a board of arbitrators.

TRIPLE DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Halifax, July 15—A triple drowning occurred near West Bay, C. B., yesterday. Alex. J. McLeod started in a sail boat for Marie mountain. He had with him his nephew and niece, Angus and Marjorie Ross, aged respectively 12 and 14 years. When half way the boat turned over and went down, carrying the occupants with it.

STRIKE ABOUT ENDED

Sydney, C. B., July 15—Seven hundred men returned to work at the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's works yesterday and the backbone of the strike is considered broken.

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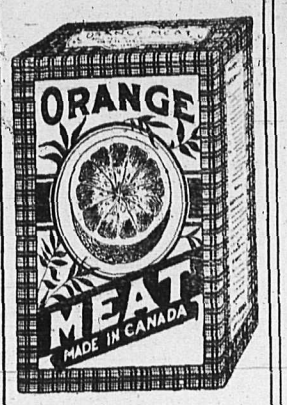

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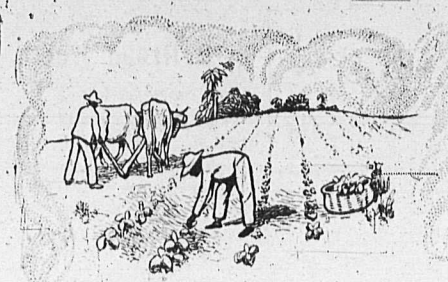

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CUT DOWN THE WASTE

HOUSE TO HOUSE INSPECTION WILL BE MADE

NEW RULES AND RATES WILL BE PROMULGATED

The city water question was advanced a stage at the recent meeting of the council and the water commissioner has now been saddled with the duty of keeping the consumption within bounds.

Failing a satisfactory solution of the points involved at the council meeting it was generally supposed that the city fathers would refer the whole matter to the fire, water and light committee, who would go into the subject exhaustively and bring in a well thought out report at the next meeting of the council, two weeks hence. In place of doing so, however, the council have rather shirked the responsibility and simply turned the matter over to Mr. McCulloch, with instructions to do the best he can to please everybody, and at the same time to be sure that sufficient water will be forthcoming when the time of low water arrives.

The city engineer will at once proceed to meter all large water consumers who will be rated accordingly. He announced yesterday that a house to house inspection would at once be commenced looking for leaky services and waste of water generally, and wherever it is found that waste is taking place the owners or occupiers of the premises will be notified to at once make the necessary repairs, and in default, the water will be promptly turned off.

The dozen or so motor users in the city will have to put in a separate motor service at their own expense, and the service will be under the supervision and control of the water commissioner, who may turn it off at any time should it become necessary to do so.

Presumably regulations will be made and published regulating the hours in which lawn sprinkling and extra water service generally can be used. All this in view of a possibly dry season when the water will probably be lower than for some years past.

From Mr. McCulloch's statement last night it is clear that no more motor services can be allowed by the city as the ones now in use exhaust the feeding-pipe capacity. Should the water get so low as not to fill the feed-pipe then apparently all, or at least some of the motors will have to be closed down. For fire protection and for ordinary domestic purposes there is no lack of water the year round provided the consumption is used and not wasted.

Possibly when some of those now using water motors are metered and are called upon to pay meter rates, they will obtain some other power.

BOY AND GIRL DROWNED

Girl Lost Her Life Trying to Save Her Companion

Muskoka, July 15—Miss Ward, the fifteen year old daughter of J. W. Ward of the parliament buildings, Toronto, and Ritchie Powell, aged 11 years, the son of R. P. Powell of Toronto, were drowned here yesterday. Powell was in bathing and got beyond his depth and was unable to swim back and sank. Miss Ward swam out to rescue him, but before she got far from shore she also sank and did not rise again.

MINING RECORDS

At the mining recorder's office on Friday certificates of work were granted to John Ryan on the Whail. To Flora Crossett on the Killarney Fractional. To Oliver M. Harris on the Maple Leaf and the Roseene.

Angel Jones recorded the Thelma location one mile from Craigtown.

The following transfers were recorded: Robert Bradshaw to W. D. Stewart, of a three-eighths interest in the Lucky Jack, on Grohman creek, consideration nominal. Thomas McNeish to N. D. Stewart a one-half interest in the Lucky Joe on Grohman creek, consideration nominal. Eli Provost to N. D. Stewart a three-eighths interest in the Britannia on Grohman creek, consideration nominal.

DEAL FOR BLACK PRINCE

THE PIONEER MINING COMPANY MAKES AN INVESTMENT

CASH PAID FOR ONE CLAIM—ANOTHER PARTIALLY BOUGHT

The Slocan Drill says that a deal has gone through, or partially so in the Slocan camp. The deal in question is in connection with the Black Prince group, at the head of Springer creek, which has been acquired by the Pioneer Mining Company, who are operating the Bank of England alongside.

The company has bought the Black Prince fraction outright, paying $4000 cash therefor. They are now negotiating for the Slocan Prince adjoining and have secured a part of the interests on a basis of $8000. J. C. Shook of Peterboro, Ont., and R. Bradshaw of Toronto, own the other interests and they are being negotiated for. The two claims have had the bulk of the work for the group done on them, and in securing them the company bought out the existing lease paying the holders wages to date and buying the ore on the dump. The owners are applying for a crown grant on the Slocan Prince, and upon the delivery of the title the purchase money will be paid over. The Black Prince fraction is crown granted. The vendors in the claims are J. C. Shook, R. Bradshaw, D. Arnot, Leo Doiron, Con. Murphy and John Elliot.

At the same time the company has practically acquired the other claims in the group on bond being the Four Friends, Doirest, Summerseith and Dundee, papers for some of the interests having been signed. All these claims will be worked in conjunction with the Bank of England, under the managment of J. Moffat.

In purchasing the lease the company gain a strong foothold and can now work to advantage. They have in contemplation the building of a sleigh road to the property, and the employment of 35 or 40 men this winter, resulting in much ore being shipped. Five men have already been put on to work the Prince ground and later on the number will be increased. Work is still being maintained on the Bank of England. If the Pioneer Co. is successful in securing all interests in the Prince ground and the Two Friends they will have a combination second to none in the camp and one of the best in Kootenay.

HEAPS OF MONEY

Over $10,000 Paid into the City Treasury in Last Two Days

The corporation of the city of Nelson is over $10,000 richer in sound cash than it was two days ago. Yesterday, the 15th of the month, and the end of the first half of the year, a large sum of money was paid into acting city clerk Wasson's hands, keeping that official jumping until after 5 o'clock.

During Thursday and Friday over $6000 was paid into the city treasury, mostly for electric light and water rates, and yesterday the license fees for the half year were paid in. These total up at the rate of $8000 a year, and the payments made yesterday for six month figure out as follows.

One bottle and wholesale license	$ 250
One wholesale license	50
Six saloons at $225 each	1,530
Fourteen hotels at $155 each	2,170
Total fees for half year	$4,000

The electric light and water rates for the quarter ending in September, which had to be paid yesterday in order to obtain the 10 per cent rebate, amounted to something over $6000 for the two days ending last evening, so that altogether the city has just received cash in hand of over $10,000.

CANADIANS AT BISLEY

They Were Fourth at 200 Yards and First at 500 Yards.

Bisley, England, July 15—The Canadians competed today for the Kolapore challenge cup, the first big team event since the opening of the annual meeting of the National Rifle Association. Five teams competed at the 200 yards range. New Zealand led with 260 out of a possible 280. The Canadians were fourth with 242.

At 500 yards the Canadians were first with a total score of 246, Guernsey coming next with a score of 245. Private J. Perry of 6th D. C. O. R., Vancouver, scored 32 at the 200 yards and 31 at the 500 yards.

DINNER TO DUNDONALD

Montreal, July 15—Lord Dundonald has been extended and accepted a dinner from the St. James club to be held on the evening of July 27th. Already over 200 members have sent in their names as desirous of being present, but on account of limited accommodation, only 125 will be able to be present. The committee in charge of the affair consists of leading citizens of Montreal, with sir George Drummond as chairman.

NOTICE

The whereabouts of Julian H. Mathews is desired by the undersigned for the purpose of settling an estate in which the said Julian H. Mathews has an interest; anyone knowing the address of said Julian H. Mathews will confer a favor by notifying the undersigned.

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PRICE OF METALS.

New York, July 15—Bar silver, 57 5-8; amalgamated copper, 51 1-8; electrolytic copper, 12 5-8 to 12 3-4; lead, $4.20.

London, July 15—Lead, £11 11s. 3d.; silver, 26 9-16.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Miss Rhodes of Spokane, is at the Strathcona.

John Retallack, Kaslo is a guest at the Strathcona.

Ross Ham, a popular young business man of Rossland, is in the city on a business trip.

H. H. Claudet of Rossland, representing the Elmore oil process of concentration, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

A. B. Mackenzie, secretary of the Rossland board of trade, passed through the city last night on his way to East Kootenay.

W. A. Jowett has resigned his position as organist and choir master of St. Saviour's church. His successor has not yet been appointed.

Owing to the hot weather it has been decided by the officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school to hold Sunday school at 10 a.m. instead of at 2:30 as has been customary. This arrangement is to continue during July and August.

George Neelands, ex-mayor, moved to his stock farm near Wetaskiwin, Alberta, last winter, leaving his family here, not caring to take them to Alberta during the cold weather. A few days since Mrs. Neelands and children left for Alberta to join Mr. Neelands.

At a recent meeting of the officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday school it was decided to hold the annual Sunday school picnic to Procter on Tuesday, the 26th, inst. A good program of sports is being arranged, which will include a basket ball match between the senior and junior teams of the city.

W. F. Brougham, formerly in partnership with R. M. Macdonald, barrister of this city, and who left here in 1900 and subsequently entered the service of the C.P.R., has been appointed local right of way and lease agent of the company for the Pacific division, with headquarters at Vancouver.

The picnic to Procter under the auspices of the Presbyterian Sunday school, on Thursday, was very successful. It was attended by over 200 and the time was pleasantly passed in games, rowing and other pastimes. The picnickers reached the city dock on the return trip about 9 p. m.

The farmers and the curlers were out after stockholders for their new building syndicate yesterday and met with good success. Skaters and hockey players are not in the deal and will have to arrange for a rink of their own this winter. The new exhibition-curling building is to be finished in good time for the fair in September.

"This rain is our salvation," said an up the lake rancher last evening. "It should increase our holdings about $2 an acre. The rain came too late for the strawberry crop but it will help out wonderfully with what's left of the small fruit and bring on the large fruit splendidly. It would have been money and good money in all pockets if it had come three weeks sooner, but as it is it will keep down the bush fires and do a power of good.

The torpedo boat fleet did not steam up to commodore Busk's ranch as was originally intended owing to the stress of weather. Communication was established with the commodore during the afternoon by wireless telegraphy and admiral Togo Thurman caught the following message: "Busk's or bust." To which the admiral replied with official brevity "Nogo, Togo." The Associated Press correspondent was the recipient of numerous congratulations yesterday on his narrow escape. A consultation will be held today regarding the future movements of the fleet.

The excursion to Port Hill, Idaho, tomorrow on the steamer Kaslo promises to afford one of the most pleasant outings of the season. In addition to the delights of a lake voyage, the steamer will go up Kootenay river, now in flood, to Rykerts and Port Hill, at the international boundary line, affording many glimpses of the charming river scenery. The boat will leave the city wharf at 8:45 a.m. sharp and passengers will arrive back about 9 p. m. The sale of tickets is limited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ulrich, B. Ulrich, Miss F. Ulrich, and Miss Patterson, all of New Zealand, form a family party who have been at the Queens for several days. C. A. Ulrich is a mining man and has resided for several years in New Zealand. It is his intention to settle his two sons, one of whom is married and the other single, on farms in this vicinity, and he has been inspecting land around Nelson with a view to purchasing. As for himself, he will engage in the mining business.

A well attended meeting of the Nelson Wholesalers' Association was held last evening for the purpose of considering the question of Calgary being given the territory to which the association believes its members are entitled. Considerable feeling was shown at the way the city is being discriminated against. It was finally decided that a committee of seven, made up of representatives from the different interests concerned be appointed to treat with the railway company. The committee was empowered in case justice could not be obtained from the railway, to lay the matter before the Canadian railway commission.

Charlie Waterman superintended the drawing of the prize ticket to St. Louis and return at the Queen Cigar store last evening. Ten thousand coupons, duplicates of those dispensed to patrons of the store since the announcement last spring when McNichol and Smyth first opened out, were placed in an extemporised lottery wheel and young Cummins, blindfolded, drew out the coupons in turn until 100 had been reached. The 100th was No. 2477, and an owner is wanted. The 99th, the next in order, fell to "Scotty" Williamson, who will win the prize provided the owner does not turn up in a week for 2477. The coupons were remixed after every 25 had been drawn. There was plenty of fun over the performance and a good crowd in attendance. The drawing was superintended by F. Musselman and Wm. Irvine, and George McLaughlin and Otto Becker acted as scrutineers. Charlie Waterman turned the wheel and announced the numbers as master Cummins drew them.

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$1200—A well built up to date five roomed cottage on Robson street, close to car line.
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The two houses on Mines road, next to the corner of Stanley street, recently damaged by fire. Have now been put in thorough repair and are practically new. For rent at $20 per month each.
$10—4-roomed Cottage on Stanley street.
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THE STRATHCONA.

STRATHCONA—John L. Retallack, Kaslo Miss Dale, H. W. Smith, Spokane; C. B. McCuaig, Kalamazoo; H. F. Wells, New York; J. Clancy, Lethbridge; R. N. Boxen, Montreal; B. Bonthorn, Glasgow; L. P. Mason, Winnipeg; Mrs. C. C. Hussey, Miss Hussey, Mrs. J. Albree, Miss Byram, Pittsburg; A. B. Mackenzie, Rossland.

NELSON—A. D. McLean, Ferguson; R. W. Loveland, Sandon; J. McLennan, Northport.

MADDEN—J. G. Kelly, Silverton; R. F. Sullivan, Traout Lake; T. S. Carr, Poplar; Thomas Pound, Winnipeg; J. Sproat, Greenwood.

GRAND CENTRAL—H. C. Sherman, H. Sherman, W. H. Shharp, Helena; G. Schwinke, Salmo; S. O'Brian, Moyie.

LAKEVIEW—R. F. Collins, Olympia; J. F. Sweeney, R. G. Murray, Ferguson.

TREMONT—D. H. Hunt, Vancouver; A. Gray, Kokanee; E. Jordan, Poplar; J. F. de Caluive, Trout Lake; John Newman, Sandon.

QUEENS—Rev. J. O'Neill, New Westminster; William Simpson, Howser.

BARTLETT—W. H. Barbour, Toronto; W. J. Sweet, Six-Mile; W. H. Hamilton, Athabasca mill; J. D. Steer, Procter; J. Kinch, Calgary.

ROYAL—J Armstrong, Nakusp; W. Davis Cranbrook; E. Hackley, Spokane; J. Lanzon, H. E. Watson, Calgary.

DUNDONALD AT TORONTO

People of Toronto Show Their Regret at His Leaving

Toronto, July 15—Lord Dundonald was assured unmistakeably that the people of Toronto regret his departure. He arrived here this morning from Ottawa and during the day received greetings from army and navy veterans and afterwards a body of men who served in South Africa with the Strathcona Horse. He began a speech to the veterans, but half way through broke from it and went along the line exchanging a few words with each of those present. Addresses were then presented to lord Dundonald, which spoke of the great regret they felt at his departure from Canada and stated they believed he had done much to advance the interests of the Canadian militia. To the Strathcona Horse members lord Dundonald did not make a set speech, beyond telling them that lord Strathcona intended to erect at some suitable point in the Northwest, fitting buildings, where the corps could meet and discuss old times and where the dead could be commemorated.

VERY FINE CHERRIES

J. A. McDonald has imported 100 boxes of the finest cherries ever offered for sale in this city. This is a special importation and as the supply will be limited those desiring something exceptionally fine in the way of cherries should book their orders at once.

DANCE MONDAY EVENING

On Monday evening a dance will be given in Fraternity hall. Music by Millward's orchestra. All are invited to attend.

IN GREENWOOD CAMP

Bright Outlook for the Future—B. C. Copper Company's Improvements

[Special to The Daily News.]

Greenwood, July 15—A survey of the camp shows a most satisfactory condition of mining affairs. The B. C. Copper Company have their properties in better shape than ever before. New and complete equipment at mine and smelter has been recently added. Explorations by the diamond drill have more than gratified the company. The quality of the ore is improving. The new electric plant is working smoothly. The converthing works are a great success. The company is looking about for new fields to conquer and are in the market for more properties.

The completion of the mammoth merger already told in the columns of The Daily News, presages great things for the Boundary. It means the employment of a large force of men and the centering in Boundary creek valley of immense smelting interests.

The Providence and Elkhorn and E.P.U. are all looking well. They easily lead everything in the high grade belt at present, but the revelations on the Helen Barbara, Mayis and Silver Cloud indicate that some day the dividend payers will have monthly competitors.

BIG FIRE IN DULUTH

Four Hundred Dollars Worth of Property Was Destroyed

Duluth, July 15—Four hundred thousand dollars worth of property was destroyed today by fire at the docks and warehouses of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minnesota and Omaha railway company and one man, a cook, named George Smith of the tug boat Abbott, was draowned in an attempt to make his escape. It was the most disastrous fire in Duluth in years.

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Nelson, B. C., July 14, 1904.

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TODAY--SATURDAY
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