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CANADA EXPECTS KOOTENAY TO DO ITS DUTY TO GALLIHER AND THE GREAT LIBERAL PARTY THIS DAY

LAST SHOT WAS FIRED

Galliher Makes a Great Speech on Liberal Government's Record

Policy Wise and Good, Leader Progressive and Patriotic, Party United and Faithful--Combination Deserves Support

W. A. Galliher surprised even his warmest friends and admirers last night by his masterly presentation of the case for his party and himself at the final meeting of the campaign held at the opera house. He spoke for about an hour and twenty minutes and held the close attention of a large audience for all that time. The enthusiasm of the meeting augured well for success today.

Mr. Galliher received a great ovation as he and Dr. E. C. Arthur, president of the Nelson liberal association, took their seats on the platform. Shortly after the hour announced for the opening of the meeting Arthur rose and welcomed the ladies and gentlemen whom the disagreeable weather had not prevented from turning out to hear "the most popular man in Kootenay." He explained that the invitations extended through the press to the conservatives and socialists to be represented had definitely declined by the conservatives. He understood that Rev. Mr. Holman would appear in Mr. Baker's interests, and with the permission of the audience a short delay would be granted. About ten minutes later, as Mr. Holman had not appeared, the chairman briefly called upon Mr. Galliher, remarking that introduction would be superfluous.

Another ovation greeted the candidate as he stepped forward. He greeted the audience with the statement that he would be pleased to make the acquaintance of the very few people in Nelson whom he did not already know. He expressed his regret that the other candidates were not present, as he would have been pleased to meet and answer their arguments. He said that he hardly felt it necessary to address the electors of Nelson to ask for their support, but was pleased at the opportunity of giving an account of his stewardship. He referred to his candidature four years ago, when he was without experience as a public man, but "not as a politician. I have been in politics since I was old enough to vote." He reminded his hearers that he had closed his campaign of 1900 with a public meeting in this city. "Nelson was my stronghold then, and I have every reason to believe it will be the same tomorrow."

Mr. Galliher spoke of the general contest on the 3rd of November and the result. "Canadians irrespective of race, creed or locality, have decided for sir Wilfrid Laurier." He described the premier as the greatest living Canadian statesman, the greatest statesman in the British colonies, the unifier of Canada's provinces and diverse races, who has devoted his whole life to creating a united Canada and developing her resources. He described the cabinet as a band of able, upright men, worthy colleagues of such a leader. The aim of the government for the last eight years had been to bring forth progressive measures. This introduced the subject of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Mr. Galliher then went into the whole question of transportation that faced the government. The west was filling up very rapidly since the inauguration of the new immigration policy. These were of the best class, Canadians returning to their own land and the most successful and enterprising of the Americans coming with them. The great west was being rapidly settled and another transcontinental railway became a necessity. It was not considered expedient that the whole country should depend upon one railway; therefore it was decided to aid in the construction of a new road to afford competition. He compared the terms of the G.T.P. contract with that made with the C.P.R. and emphasized the fact that no land was given to the company, no exemption from taxation and no money grant. The government simply guaranteed the company's bonds to the extent of 75 per cent of the cost of construction, receiving in return a first mortgage on the road bed and rolling stock; the government through the railway commission, will have absolute control of the rates, have made sure that all claims for wages, material and supplies will be paid, that workmen shall receive fair wages and Canadians be preferred in all departments.

Mr. Galliher described the general condition of the country with the revenue increasing each year and surpluses accumulating in spite of generous expenditures, and asked: "Under these circumstances and knowing the immense resources of the country, should the government rest on its oars or go forward by wise, progressive measures make Canada greater still?"

He discussed the chances of the country being called upon to redeem the bonds, and compared the new territory to be traversed with that now served by the C.P.R., and the terms of the two charters and showed that the government's liability was really a fiction.

He referred to the factious opposition of the conservative party to the measure in the house and in the press, and criticized the various alternative schemes proposed, which, he claimed proved that the opposition had no real grasp of the situation nor the needs of the country. He closed his defence of the government's policy by urging his audience to endorse the verdict already rendered by a majority of the voters of Canada, unprecedented in the history of Canadian elections.

Referring to his own parliamentary career and the sevices performed by him for his own constituents, he appealed to the boards of trade throughout Kootenay to say whether any interest of theirs had been neglected by him. He told of improved mail service, of post office buildings in Nelson and Rossland, of drill halls and increased appropriations for his constituency. He considered a member of parliament's duty to be two fold, he should take part in framing wise legislation as a member of the house, and, as the representative of his own constituents, to get all he could from the public treasury for improvements. He had tried to perform both duties.

He went into the question of the lead bounty and his share of the credit for it. He justified it against a duty by stating that the best judges, the lead-mine owners, preferred the bounty. He told of his speech in support of it and said the result had been an unusual one in the history of petitions of that kind, that the government had granted exactly what was asked, in amount, in time and in terms. He showed the splendid effects of the bounty in the creation of a lead refining industry and in transforming many mines from a condition of idleness to profitable activity. He instanced the St. Eugene and its recent output as a proof of the stimulating effect the lead bounty had had upon the industry throughout the district.

Mr. Galliher also told of his success in securing subsidies for the Kootenay Central railway and the Vernon & Midway railway, both of which would probably be built at an early date.

He told of his urging upon the premier the creation of a portfolio of mines and said: "I have reason to believe that during the coming session of parliament a portfolio of mines may be created. If so the new minister will be a representative from this province. It may be the speaker."

He then read a letter which he wrote to the premier as requested, setting forth the reasons for the creation of such a portfolio. The letter recounts the great progress in late years of the mining industry in Canada, specially in British Columbia; it tells of the expressed wishes for such a department, of boards of trade, mining associations and liberal associations, sets forth the benefits that would be derived from it, in the way of getting accurate information, geological, economic and commerical, required by the industry. The closing paragraph reads: "If the government cannot see its way clear to create such a portfolio in the near future, it has been suggested that a bureau of mines be established, presided over by a commissioner of mines, assisted by a competent, practical staff, and, in either event, I would respectfully suggest and urge that the head of the department be chosen from British Columbia."

He also described the steps taken by Senator Templeman and himself by which the construction of the G.T.P. in British Columbia is assured to be begun at the west coast.

Mr. Galiher then reluctantly took up the question of personalities in the campaign, explained away what was represented as reflecting upon Mr. Mackintosh's connection with the British America corporation, and censured Mr. Mackintosh for his personal campaign.

In conclusion Mr. Galliher expressed his great pleasure at the large audience, especially at the presence of ladies. He disclaimed any intention of making a personal appeal for support and said: "I stand upon the record of the liberal party and government. I appeal to every intelligent voter to say if it be not a record of progress, prosperity and clean government. I stand, too, upon my record as your representative; does it entitle me to your confidence for another term? I make no promises. I think I know my duty. I will try always to do it."

Mr. Galliher sat down the cheering was so hearty and so long continued that no doubt could be entertained of the feeling of the audience.

Rev. E. H. H. Holman, who had entered while Mr. Galliher was speaking, then took the floor for half an hour. He was interrupted frequently until Mr. Galliher asked that he be given a fair hearing.

Mr. Holman defended his rights as a minister to discuss in public or private a system of society which he could only characterize as robbery. He claimed for socialists absolute freedom from personalities. He said: "We don't care a continental about Jim Baker; its our principles that we support."

According to the Encyclopedia Brittanica the ethics of socialism and those of Christianity, are identical. What are the old parties doing about the trusts? As a fact neither grit nor tory has a remedy. The influx of workers from abroad that are hunted up and sent into this country in ever increasing numbers, will lower the wage scale and keep it down. Child labor was another problem that neither of the old parties cared to talk about. What is to be done with the children in the streets, in the factories and in the mines? (A voice--Open up the country and put them on the Grand Trunk Pacific. Applause.) The socialists believe in every man owning his own home, something that is not possible now. "We mean to make it possible for a man to marry the girl he loves and for them to live in a home of their own." The social evil could only be done away with when women were made economically independent of men, as socialists intend to make them. Mr. Holman wound up his address with a fervent appeal to those present to support Mr. Baker today.

The meeting closed with hearty cheers for the king and for W. A. Galliher, the liberal candidate.

IDENTITY IS IN DOUBT

OWNERS OF MAKAWELI THINK BARKENTINE NOT WRECKED.

ANOTHER VESSEL IN TROUBLE—MRS JUDGE NEWLANDS DEAD.

Victoria, Nov. 21.—Lloyd's agent has received a telegram from Hind, Rolph & Co., San Francisco, owners of the barkentine Makaweli asking for further particulars about the wreckage found on the west coast, which throws doubt on the identity of the vessel which recently met with disaster. The company says that the Makalweli did not load lumber as reported but carried coal and if shipping papers can be accepted as an authority, she sailed for Mazaltan on October 31st. There seems no question but that a life buoy bearing the name of the barkentine has been found.

Captain Corbenais of the French ship Guerveur stated today that on Wednesday last, during a gale off cape Flattery, he saw a four masted ship a considerable distance to the northward suddenly disappear and he is of the opinion that the vessel foundered. Captain Corbenais says the distance between his vessel and the four master was too great to render assistance although he says she seemed to be in trouble.

Mrs. Mary P. Newlands, wife of Mr. justice Newlands of Regina, N. W. T., died here this morning. Judge Newlands is expected here on Thursday.

WILHELMINA AGREEABLE.

The Hague, Nov. 21.—The government has notified the American charge d' affaires here that queen Wilhelmina will be glad to see the second peace conference meet at The Hague and that the United States may count on the co-operation of the Netherlands, so soon as emperor Nicholas the originator of the work, begun in 1899, and the other powers have given their adhesion to the proposal.

SMALL BUT HOT FIGHTS

Japs Drive Russians From Dia Pass--An Advance Reported

Reconnaisance, Which if Successful, Meant General Attack--Only Few Paces From Slav Lines When Repulsed

Mukden, Nov. 21.—The Russian detachment occupying Dia pass has retired before a Japanese column 1,000 strong. The Japanese are reported to be advancing towards Sintsinsin.

Berlin, Nov. 21.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anziger from Mukden under today's date says: The reconnaisance fights have assumed a more violent character during the past few days. There was particularly hot fighting on Pouliloff Hill (bone Tree Hill), where the Japanese were repulsed with the loss of 100 killed. All signs indicate that great events are imminent.

The road to Simintin, owing to the excellent patrol service, is quite safe from Chinese bandits, thus guaranteeing unhindered communication with Tien Tsin, and establishing a second line of intercourse with the outside world. The health of the troops is excellent. The Russians admire the cleanliness, perfect order and equipment of the Japanese. One does not see any trace of race hatred. It is a fact that the Japanese return through French intermediation all valuables found on dead Russians. This has made a deep impression here and is reciprocated.

Mukden, Nov. 21.—Via Tien Tsin, Nov. 21.—Since the Japanese failed in the attack which they made on Pouliloff Hill on November 18th, the old order of affairs was resumed. There are frequent skirmishes, particularly in the vicinity of the Russian center where both sides have daily clashed. There was an exchange of artillery fire during the greater part of November 20th. It appears that the affair of November 18th, was a reconnaissance in force and that had it been successful, it was to be followed by a general attack. The Japanese got within thirty paces of the Russian outer positions, before being sent back. They left over a hundred dead on the field.

The Russian soldiers are quite comfortable in their dugouts. The weather continues extremely cold, the thermometer recording thirty-five degrees of frost. The frost is accompanied by high winds which carry clouds of dust.

MINING WAS SUCCESSFUL.

Japs Occupied Counterscarp on Sungshue Mountain.

Tokio, Nov. 21.—Reliable sources report that the Japanese mined and occupied a counterscarp on Rihlung mountain on November 19th. A dispatch received early today announced that the Japanese after successfully mining had occupied a counterscarp on Sungshue mountain on Friday, November 18th. Rihlung mountain is east of Sungshue mountain. The latter is due north of Port Arthur. Rihlung mountain forms part of the northeastern fortifications.

CAPTURED BLOCKADE RUNNER.

Japs Take Vessel Headed for Port Arthur With Supplies.

Shanghai, Nov. 21.—A former British steamer, the Thalesa, which was sold to Germans, has been captured while attempting to run the Port Arthur blockade and has been taken to Sasebo. She had on board a cargo of clothes, blankets, medicine and an enormous quantity of salt beef.

Russians captured near Port Arthur state that five men-of-war in the harbor have been rendered helpless by the fire of the Japanese.

The Thalesa is undoubtedly the German steamer Batelan referred to in a dispatch to the Associated Press from Tokio today, as having been captured by the Japanese while attempting to run the Port Arthur blockade. There was no record of the Batelan in the maritime registers available here.

The Thalesa was owned by the Douglas Steamship Co. of Hong Kong.

U. S.-GERMANY TREATY.

Signatures Agreeing to Arbitration to be Fixed Today.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The United States-German arbitration treaty will be signed tomorrow at the state department by secretary of state Hay and baron Sternberg.

PROBABLY THE FACTS.

New Version of Dogger Bank Affair—Doubtless True One.

London, Nov. 21.—The Daily Mail's Copenhagen correspondent recounts a story from a member of the crew of the Russian cruiser Aurora to the effect that vice-admiral Rojestvensky's flagship in the fog off Dogger bank, bombarded the Aurora, whereupon the latter signalled." We are being fired at," and fired three shells at the British trawler and the Russian fleet. This information avers that there were two Russian torpedo boats with the first division of the second Pacific squadron to which the Aurora belonged.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

[Special to The Daily News]

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—In the supreme court today judgment was rendered in the following appeals from British Columbia: Coote vs. Burland, appeal dismissed with costs; Killam dissenting. Sandon water works vs. Byron N. White Company judgment appealed from varied by refusing injunction. No costs allowed. Spencer vs. Alaska Packers' association, appeal dismissed with costs, Davies dissenting. Giegerich vs. Fleutot, appeal dismissed with costs. In the case of the North British Investment Co. vs. the trustees of St. John school district in the northwest territories, the appeal was allowed with costs. Sedgwick and Killam dissenting.

PLEASED GERMANS.

Roosevelt's Utterances Met With Approval at Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 21.—President Roosevelt's speech at Washington Saturday on the occasion of the unveiling of the bronze statute of Frederick the Great, and the attendant ceremonies have pleased Germany. Reports of extraordinary length for the German press were cebled, including the speeches of the president and of ambassador Von Sternberg. Leading articles expressing appreciation of Mr. Roosevelt's utterances appear in most of the newspapers today.

PLAN BIG AFFAIR.

Templeman Banquet to be Important Demonstration.

Victoria, Nov. 21.—(Special to The Daily News.)—The banquet to senator Templeman, which is to take place here about December 1st, promises to be a monster affair. All B. C. members, provincial leader Macdonald, members of the Dominion cabinet, etc., are being invited. Laurier will be unable to come, a dispatch to that effect having been received from him today.

FOUND WATERY GRAVES

SPANISH BARK TAFALLA FOUNDERED IN RECENT STORM.

ENGLISH SHIP TRIED HARD TO RESCUE BUT WITHOUT AVAIL.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—The British steamer Aros Castle, captain Ray, 50 days out from Java, with a cargo of sugar, arrived here today and reported the probable foundering, on November 15th of the Spanish bark Tafalla, with her crew of 15 men during the recent storm. After he stood by the bark for two days and on the second night the Spanish vessel disappeared.

Captain Ray reports that shortly before daybreak on Sunday, November 13th during a terrific gale rockets were sighted about 220 miles east of the Bermudas and the steamer's course was changed in the direction of the rockets. With the sea running so high that the steamer could not safely go towards the vessel, she lay waiting for daylight. In the meantime flashlights were kept burning to encourage the crew on the unknown vessel.

After daybreak it was learned that the distressed vessel was the Tafalla, with a cargo of pitch pine from New Brunswick for Valencia. The storm was so great that no small boat could be launched. Captain Royge of the Tafalla hoisted the following signal: "Leaking six inches an hour. Main pump broken and smaller pumps clogged. Men worn out.

Captain Ray signalled that he would lay by until the storm abated. Toward noon the captain of the British steamer decided to shoot a line to the bark, which he succeeded in doing. Late in the afternoon the hawser snapped and the Spanish vessel again drifted helplessly. Night came and captain Ray decided to stand by until morning, but during the night the storm did not abate and lights were burned. With daylight on Monday the Spanish ship was low in the water but the British crew could do nothing. Monday night the vessels were still together. After 4 a. m. Tuesday the crew of the Castle saw no more rockets and all was darkness. When daylight came not a sign of the Spanish bark could be seen. The fury of the storm was still so great, captain Ray reports, that no small boat could have safely ridden the waves.

ARBITRATION COURT SITS.

The Hague, Nov. 21.—The first sitting of the arbitration court on the Japanese house tax question was held today. The point at issue is the contention of Great Britain, France and Germany that Japan imposed taxes on buildings in the old foreign concessions, which being perpetual leases, are exempt from taxation. The United States and other powers having similar concessions will accept the award.

M. Grem, president of the court, is one of the provincial governors of Norway.

IT MAY MEAN NEW RUSSIA

Movement for Representative Government May Revolutionize Empire

People Demand Reforms and Marvelously Enough, Are not Exiled--Ask a Part in National Administration

St. Petersburg, Nov. 21.—"In order to secure the proper development of the life, the state and the people, it is imperatively necessary that there be regular participation of national representatives sitting as an especially elected body to make laws, regulate the revenue and expenditure and control the legality of the actions of the administration."

The above is the final form of the declaration of the Zemstvo representatives in favor of the election of a body, not merely to participate in legislation, as at first reported, but to be entrusted with the framing of the laws of the empire. The meeting today also adopted the declaration in favor of granting general amnesty to political offenders imprisoned or exiled by administrative orders. This completed program declaring the necessity of the participation by the people in the government was signed by 102 Zemstvo presidents, including thirty presidents of provincial Zemstvos of thirty-two who attended the meeting. Two other provincial Zemstvo committees were unable to be present because of the remoteness of the provinces and of their having no communication with St. Petersburg. The two who did not sign the memorial were not present when the signatures were called for. Thy represented the provinces of St. Petersburg and Kehrnesn. This document sitting forth the necessity of reform is all the more striking and impressive because the Zemstvo presidents who signed it, while elected by Zemstvo organizations, are confirmed by the government.

The Zemstvo will now proceed with the discussion of the remainder of the program which although it directly concerns Zemstvo work is of minor importance.

The interest in the meetings of the Zemstvo representatives is intense. The war and all other questions are temporarily forgotten. Nothing else is talked of. Liberals from all parts of the empire are flocking hither, including many from Poland and Finland and the hotels are crowded. The permission granted by the minister of the interior, Mirsky, was for an assembly of three hundred. The participants' friends display complete confidence in the protection afforded by the minister and his most outspoken sentiments. The situation altogether is unparalleled. Nothing approaching a gathering has ever been permitted in Russia before. As evidene of the remarkable state of affairs it is sufficient to mention that one of the most prominent speakers yesterday was M. Petrunkeivitch, who spent twenty years in exile and who has only been allowed to return since prince Sviatopolk Mirsky's advent, to come to the capital. Nevertheless the most able men in the assembly are counseling moderation and are doing everything possible to prevent demonstrations which might compel interference.

FRENCHMEN FOR CANADA.

French Government's Differences With Vatican Promotes Emigration.

[Special to The Daily News]

Victoria, Nov. 21.—A big influx of Frenchmen to British Columbia and Washington state is predicted by A. Fox of Montreal, who is now in Victoria spying out land. He says twenty-five thousand of these will come to Canada as soon as preparations which he is now carrying out are completed. This emigration which is being operated through some big agencies in France is being stimulated by recent differences between the government of France and the vatican which devout Catholics regard as persecution. Fox says most of the emigrants are agriculturalists and vine dressers and he has opened negotiations for a big tract of land in Okanagon valley which will be devoted to vineyards, and where he estimates six thousand of them will settle. The agriculturalists will be settled throughout the ranching country of the Crow's Nest. If suitable arrangements cannot be made there they will try and secure land in Yakima, Washington. He says twelve thousand are already to come.

FAREWELL TO EARL GREY.

Function in Honor of Canada's New Governor General.

London, Nov. 21.—Lord Strathcona presided at a farewell banquet tonight to earl Grey on the eve of the latter's departure to assume the governor generalship of Canada. There were 200 guests, including the archbishop of Canterbury, earl of Aberdeen, Mr. Broderick, secretary for India, and a number of other prominent gentlemen.

Lord Strathcona proposed the toast, "The Dominion of Canada and the Governor General elect."

Earl Grey responded to the toast and paid a tribute to the great loyalty of the Canadians and said he looked forward with the greatest zest to five years residence in Canada, whose population, he said there was every reason to expect, in a few years would equal that of the United Kingdom.

PASSENGERS AND CARGO SAFE.

Steamship Sicilian Prince Ashore at Long Beach.

New York, Nov. 21.—With her nose poked fast into the sand off Long Beach, the steamship Sicilian Prince tonight is being lightered so that at the flood tide tomorrow morning she may be moved into deep water and brought to her dock in this city. Efforts to take the big liner off today were futile. After several attempts the Prince line officials realizing the impossibility of getting their vessel off today sent down barges and tugs for the passengers.

At the first high tide efforts were made to get the steamer off, but they failed, and it was thought that she would be seriously damaged, as the sea seemed to be increasing and the wind was in the northwest, but tonight the reports from Long Beach say there is no sea. Captain Hanks and his crew are still on board the ship.

MOODY TO STAY.

Washington, Nov. 21.—It was announced at the White House today that United States attorney-general Moody has decided to remain in president Roosevelt's new cabinet.

CHICAGO FIT TO LIVE IN

CAN NOW CROSS A STREET WITHOUT BEING KILLED.

BIG TUNNEL SCHEME RELIEVES STREETS OF HEAVY TRAFFIC.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—The Chicago subway company, capitalized at $50,000,000 and composed of men who represent 90 per cent of the railroads having Chicago terminals, was organized today, and took over the $20,000,000 company here which has built 15 miles of freight tunnels. The vast tonnage of the railroads represented in the new corporation will be diverted into the company's tunnels, which already are under every street in the business district.

The deal guarantees the immediate use of the tunnel by the railroad companies concerned and promises speedy relief for Chicago from the present congested streets. At present the bores are six and one-half feet wide by seven and one-half feet high, although in places the dimensions are ten by twelve feet. This will mean the immediate diversion of traffic and freight from the streets to the tunnels, the transferring of all newspapers for out of town circulation to the early trains through the tunnels and for the transferring of mail between the main postoffice and the railroad stations. It provides a means for the transportation of freight and of handling it quickly without compelling the railroads to absorb high priced property for freight purposes and freight yards can be moved out over fifteen miles and the freight transferred.

With these representative interests in control, space can be rented to the other public utilities corporations, which will do away with the necessity of tearing up the streets for repairs and thus bring about pavement with asphalt, which can be cleaned with water. Belief is expressed that the enterprise will be greatly beneficial to the future growth of, and beauty of Chicago.

ACTRESS' TRIAL BEGINS

NAN PATTERSON CHARGED WITH MURDER OF CEASAR YOUNG.

IMPORTANT EVIDENCE GIVEN IN FAVOR OF THE WOMAN.

New York, Nov. 21.—The trial of Nan Patterson, the actress, for the murder of bookmaker "Ceasar" Young, was fairly begun before justice Davis in the supreme court today, and when court adjourned at 4 o'clock this afternoon assistant district attorney Rand had concluded his outline of the state's case and examined several witnesses for the prosecution.

The stories that there would be further delays in the trial were early disposed of by the announcement from the court that foreman Hendricks, one of the jurymen who had asked to be relieved would not be excused.

Then came Mr. Rand's opening, in which he said the state's witnesses would prove that Nan Patterson killed Young and that the killing was planned several hours before the morning on which Young met his death.

William Junior, the policeman, who was first to reach the cab after the shooting, testified that Miss Patterson was hysterical and crying: "Oh, Ceasar, why did you do it?"

There was other interesting testimony, particularly that of detective Quinn, who took Miss Patterson from the hospital where Young died, to the police station. He testified that the woman said to him:

"I don't want to live now; why should he have killed himself?"

The officer said she fainted several times in the station house and that several times she asked him to kill her as she had nothing to live for now that Ceasar was dead.

KEEP THE JAPS OUT

Federation of Labor to Ask Congress for Exclusion Act

Will Send Monster Petition to Washington--Chicago Federation Matter Settled by Temporary Compromise

San Francisco, Nov 21.—The American Federation of Labor today took up the annual report of president Samuel Gompers and concurred in every recommendation made by Mr. Gompers. A measure looking to Japanese exclusion was unanimously favored by the convention after much discussion by the western delegates.

The measure provides for the exclusion of Japanese on lines similar to the exclusion of Chinese, under the existing laws, and excludes them from every insular possession.

The convention voted to call upon president Gompers to appoint a committee of three to draw up a petition to the end that the question might be presented to congress at an early date. The plan adopted also called for the circulation of this petition in all organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, that signatures might be obtained. These signed papers are then to be returned to the executive council and combined into one petition to congress.

The convention also went on record as in favor of the universal adoption of the advisory initiative and the advisory referendum. It was agreed to secure a signed petition to be presented to congress on this question. It was also decided to question all legislative and congressional candidates upon their stand upon the question that labor might know where to place its support.

There was a debate between delegate Brown of the New York general labor body and president Gompers, over the matter of accepting advertisements of non-union firms in the American Federation official organ of the national body.

The trouble between the Chicago Federation of Labor and the American Federation of Labor was settled, the decision of the legislative board of the latter organization being upheld, with the provision that William Schardt, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor and delegate to the American Federation of Labor be seated and thirty days be allowed, during which time president Gompers is directed to go to Chicago and confer with the leaders of the federation there, in an endeavor to adjust the difficulty. If no agreement can be reached, the suspension of the Chicago federation will then become permanent. This ruling seats delegate Schardt, but it upholds the action of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor.

Delegate Fitzpatrick of Chicago flatly denied the statements of president Gompers regarding certain fair and unfair houses. Mr. Gompers replied that the attacker of the policy of official organization of the federation virtually accused the leaders of selling out to the enemy, and that in doing so they were playing into their hands. The matter finally was put before the convention, which voted to support the managers of the paper.

HAVE PLENTY HERE.

Herring, Nevertheless, are Shipped to B. C. by the Carload.

[Special to The Daily News]

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—J. J. Cowie, the fishing expert, has just returned from the Pacific coast where he inspected the herring industry. Herring are sent from the Maritime provinces to Vancouver by the carload, notwithstanding that British Columbia waters are as productive of herring as any in the world. There is a large market in Japan and China for herring. He is going to report on the British Columbia industry.

MINTO'S WIRELESS FAREWELL.

Chief Justice Will Act Pending Arrival of Earl Grey.

[Special to The Daily News]

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—The secretary of state received the following from lord Minto, on board the Tunisan, via Marconi station, Cape Race, New Foundland, November 21st: "We wish the whole of Canada an affectionate farewell and assure them that the interests of the dominion will always be very dear to us. (Signed) Minto."

At four o'clock this afternoon sir Elzear Taschereau was sworn in administrator of the dominion. He will act in that capacity until the arrival of earl Grey.

Cabinet was sitting today, disposing of business before sir Wilfrid leaves. The premier goes tomorrow.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

Boston, Nov. 21.—The local copper market opened weak but active. Prices improved later and the close was fairly strong.

Men's Underwear Overalls Shirts

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY INCORPORATED 1670

Gloves and Rubbers of All Kinds

Special Prices on Linens
Bed Spreads, Blankets, Etc.

Fine Table Damask, very choice patterns, 56-in wide, per yd.... 60c
Extra heavy fine Linen, the designs unusually attractive, 66-in. wide, per yd 75c
Heavy all Linen unbleached Table Linen, 60-in. wide, per yd 45c
Table Napkins, 5-8 size, per doz..$1.25
Full Dinner size, all Linen Napkins, per doz .....$2 and $2.50
Fringed Bed Spreads, 90x66, each..$4.50
Heavy Honeycomb Spreads, each ..$2.00
Full size, fine Honeycomb Spread 100x80, each $2.50
Extra large, elegant Patterns, Marseilles Bed Spreads, 108x86..$3.50
A snap in Turkish Towels .....2 for 35c
Large size, Turkish Towels, each.. 30c
Grey Blankets from.....$2.50 pr
White Wool Blankets from ....$3.75 pr
Flannelette Blankets .....$1.50 pr

A Large Stock of Comforts, Pillows, Etc.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce

With which is Amalgamated

The Bank of British Columbia

Paid up Capital, $8,700,000 Reserve Fund, $3,000,000
Aggregate Resources Exceeding $83,000,000

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

HON. GEO. A. COX, President. B. E. WALKER, General Manager.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT—Deposits Received and Interest Allowed

Branches at Greenwood, Cranbrook and Fernie.
NELSON BRANCH—J. L. BUCHAN, Manager.

Imperial Bank of Canada

Head Office: Toronto.

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TODAY'S ELECTIONS.

The elections today in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo should have but one result, the return of W. A. Galliher and Duncan Ross by substantial majorities. That this desirable end will be obtained there is but little doubt, provided the vote is brought out and recorded.

The conservatives have been fighting a losing battle ever since November 3rd, when the dominion at large pronounced so decidedly in favor of the liberal administration. There is a general feeling, that it would be a great mistake for either of the constituencies in which voting will take place today, to do anything else than fall in line and make the British Columbia contingent a solidly liberal one. It is difficult perhaps for old time tories to realize the situation, but were the party positions reversed they would be the first to urge what their liberal opponents now do. There are many urgent business matters in these two ridings that require an advocate at Ottawa, thoroughly conversant with the situation here and in close party touch with the administration. No one will seriously dispute the fact that Messrs Galliher and Ross can obtain more for us than Messrs. Mackintosh and Burrell could by any possibility hope to do, and if for no other reason it is to be confidently hoped that the electors today will return both liberal candidates

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

The Wilmer Outcrop urges editorially that capital punishment should never be inflicted in murder cases where the evidence convicting the prisoner is only circumstantial, the recent conviction of Kay the sixteen year old boy at Vancouver, being used as a text. It has been said by high judicial authority that circumstantial evidence as a rule is the best that can be obtained since circumstances will not lie, while personally direct testimony may either be mistaken or deliberately false. Without going this length however, it would be safe to say that if circumstantial evidence was practically barred out in murder trials few criminals would ever be convicted, since murderers do not as a rule, slay their victims in the open, but with the utmost secrecy. Some of the most cold-blooded and atrocious murders are committed with a devilish ingenuity and without circumstantial evidence detection would be impossible. Kind hearted people who worry over convicted murderers' fate, some times quite forget the victim and the original tragedy. In exceptional cases the executive clemency is always appealed to and all the circumstances are carefully reviewed, so that a "mistake" is as nearly impossible as anything human can be.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is reported that there is no check in the flow of settlers from the United States into Canada. An American consul-general says they are coming over in droves, treating the boundary line as if it did not exist. They are described as well-to-do, and acquainted with the conditions of the country. There will be fluctuations in the volume of this migration, but, on the whole, it may be expected that it will increase with the will be a greater overflow from 100,000,000 than from 80,000,000, and so on. Canadians do not seem much afraid of the "invasion," and the general verdict is that the new comers make good citizens.

The London lead quotations closed at £13 last evening after going down several points during the week previous. One aspect of the lead market that has greatly pleased mining men has been its unusual steadiness, and although slight fluctuations happen every now and then, the tone of the market remains satisfactorily strong, and still higher prices may be confidently looked for.

The sudden conversion of the Russian authorities to liberty of the press and other progressive ideas may give rise to sarcastic comment; nevertheless some real gain to liberty may result from Russia's difficulties. It is certainly amazing to hear the Novoe Vermya quoted as saying that the freedom of the press is the rock of a nation's safety, and it is believed that the article is inspired. At the same time the older Russian methods are seen in a demand made upon Sweden to refuse the right of asylum to Finns, and to allow Russian officials to search for Finnish refugees. The weaker European countries are continually feeling the influence of Russian despotism in this way, and a reform in Russia would mean an advance in liberalism all over the continent.

VOTING TODAY.

Time and Place of Balloting—Polls Close at 5 p. m.

The polls open this morning at 9 o'clock sharp in the armory, voters will enter by the main doors on Victoria street.

The lists are arranged alphabetically into five divisions, with a separate polling booth for each. The booths are constructed along one side of the building with a passage between them and the wall. The voter goes through the booth receiving his ballot as he goes, and passes into a smaller space against the wall. This insures absolute privacy for the voter while marking his ballot.

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FOR KASLO HOSPITAL.

Children's Entertainment Next Friday Evening at Kaslo.

Kaslo, Nov. 21.—As previously announced, the concert to be given by the Kaslo children for the benefit of the Victorian hospital, will take place in the Eagles' opera house on the evening of November 25th. The living pictures will be a most attractive feature of the program, many old favorites from fairy land appearing in dainty costumes, and queens and courtiers of long ago in characteristic attire. Other numbers on the program will be equally good. The musical ability of a number of the young people is well known, and they will no doubt fully sustain their reputation along that line in the difficult chorouses, quartetts, solos, etc., for which they have been most carefully trained. There will not be a dull moment from beginning to end of the program. The doors open at 7:30 o'clock. Curtain rises promptly at 8 o'clock.

BACK FROM SOUTH AFRICA.

Former Nelson Fire Chief Finds Three Years Long Enough.

William J. Thompson, formerly chief of the Nelson fire department, arrived in the city Sunday evening after nearly four years absence.

Early in the spring of 1901 he went to South Africa with the British Columbia contingent for general Baden-Powell's mounted police.

Mr. Thompson served in that force for two years. Although the war lasted a few months after his arrival, he took no part in any general engagement. The mounted police were employed in pursuing scattered bands of Boer irreconcilables. Their fighting was always at long range and seldom of long duration.

After the war ended they were en-

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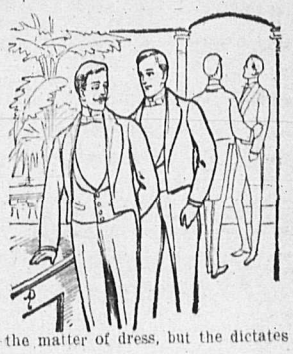

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Mr. Thompson left the force at the end of the two years' term for which he had enlisted. He settled in Johannesburg and worked at his trade there. But his desire for Canada and the west grew upon him and last summer he left South Africa.

He said yesterday that while his plans were not definite yet that he is back in Nelson to stay.

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DAWSON NEWS

Police to Patrol the Trails in the Yukon Territory

The Northwest Mounted Police are preparing the most extensive system of patrols for the Yukon territory the coming winter that ever have been maintained in the north. A patrol will be made from Dawson to Fort McPherson at the mouth of the Mackenzie river by way of a pass in the Rock mountains, west of Dawson, and patrols maintained regularly all winter between Dawson and Duncan, Dawson and White Horse, Dawson and Forty-mile, and Forty-mile and Glacier creek, White Horse and the Alsek and other places.

Between Dawson and White Horse a patrol will be maintained in such a fashoin that the entire length of the trail will be covered one way each week.

On the Yukon river a patrol will be given each week between Dawson and Selkirk. Above Selkirk to Minto the overland trail tparol will cover the river, and beyond Minto the trail runs so close to the Yukon that it is not considered necessary to have a winter patrol on the Yukon.

Beyond Selkirk and Dawson the same posts will be open along the river in winter as were maintained in summer, and on the winter trail posts will be maintained at Grand Forks, Wounded Moose, Stewart's Crossing, Grand Valley, Selkirk and Minto.

The patrol for Fort McPherson will leave Dawson in January, make a trip to McPherson and return before spring. Only one round trip will be made during the winter. This patrol will cover perhaps 500 miles actual travelling distance.

One of the last arrivals from Fairbanks states that the big companies were doing a splendid service in the camp at the close of the season to prevent speculators from cornering goods and forcing the fellows who are developing the country into paying high prices to exist.

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SUPREME COURT CASES

TWO JUDGMENTS RENDERED AT OTTAWA YESTERDAY.

BOTH APPEALS DISMISSED BUT ONE ORDER VARIED.

The supreme court of Canada, yesterday delivered judgment in two cases of local interest, Briggs vs. Fleutot, and White vs. Sandon water works. Both appeals were dismissed, the former with, and the latter, without costs. In the latter appeal also, the judgment appealed against was varied.

Briggs vs. Fleutot has been before the courts in one way and another for several years. The litigation originally started with the suit of Briggs vs. Newswander, which after going through all the courts in this country was finally decided by the privy council. The final judgment held Briggs entitled to a quarter interest in the Cork and Doublin mineral claims in the Slocan, upon which a large sum had been expended in development. In order to work out the judgment the suit of Briggs and Giegerich vs. Fleutot was commenced, Giegerich claiming nine-tenths of a quarter interest in the claims in question under an agreement and one-tenth under a cash purchase. At the trial Martin, J., held that Giegerich was entitled to a quarter interest but the full supreme court of the province held that the agreement between Briggs and Giegerich, as to a nine-tenth quarter interest was void, and that Giegerich was only the holder of a fortieth interest. From this decision Giegerich appealed to the supreme court of Canada, and the judgment rendered yesterday now dismisses this with costs. Fleutot cross appealed to the supreme court of Canada as to Giegerich's fortieth interest, but this cross appeal was also dismissed with costs, leaving Giegerich with his fortieth interest, and Fleutot with a thirty-ninth fortieth interest. R. M. Macdonald appeared for the respondent Fleutot and S. S. Taylor, K. C., for the appellant Giegerich.

In White vs. Sandon water works, the defendants under certain statutory powers went on the plaintiff's ground and appropriated a portion of it for water works purposes. The plaintiff brought action for damages, and for an injunction against the defendants from going or remaining on their lands. The full court of British Columbia granted the injunction, but the supreme court of Canada has varied this order, without allowing costs to either party, and now the defendants will be able to expropriate ground paying therefor whatever amount is found due by arbitration. R. S. Lennie appeared for Byron White, the respondent and S. S. Taylor, K. C., for the appellant.

SIMILKAMEEN MINES

Railway the One Thing Needed to Encourage Development

Information recently received from Similkameen indicates that mining operations in Aspen Grove and Ten-Mile districts are developing some very favorable showings.

R. J. Armstrong of Aspen Grove, speaks in most favorable terms of the mineral resources of Aspen Grove and Ten-Mile creek, and states that those camps possess the highest grade ore of any properties in the Boundary and Similkameen districts.

The Cousin's property on Ten-Mile at a depth of 25 feet is almost 50 per cent native copper in nuggets and wires running all through the rock. A railway to open the district is the ont thing needed and now that the Laurier government has been sustained, this means a fair field and no favors to railway builders, J. J. Hill will not be hampered in his plans for reaching the district. The difficulties under which mining is carried on in the district under existing conditions is illustrated by the Nickel Plate mine at Hedley. Forty stamps are now running and the concentrates are actually sent by wagon road to Penticton, at a cost of about $10 a ton, and thence shipped by boat and rail to the smelter. The company operating the mine intend increasing the battery to 100 stamps in the near future in order to cope with the output of ore.

This is, however, mining under a disadvantage and none but a strong company with good grade ore can stand it. The less wealthy owners of lower grade properties are compelled, for lack of means from getting their ores economically treated, to remain comparatively idle until the much talked of railway comes to relieve the situation.

The Olalla property is a huge low grade proposition which has now been proved to a depth of 1000 feet but like most of the others the advent of the railway is the one missing link in the chain. There will be no lack of tonnage and the railway that gets into the district will be kept busy hauling ore from a score of mines.

SNOW AT PHOENIX

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Nov. 21—The first considerable snowstorm of the season started here Saturday and snow fell steadily all day. There is now several inches of it. It is the general opinion that the snow has now come to stay, after the most open and dry summer ever seen in this section for the last ten years or more.

So far the snow has not impeded progress on the Great Northern railway construction to any extent, but from now on the contractors are likely to have their troubles along this line, in the effort to get the rails laid to Phoenix by the first of the new year. The local mines have also not been troubled up to the present with weather conditions for surface work, and latterly all outside work has been rushed to take advantage of the good weather.

PHOENIX WATER SUPPLY

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Nov. 21—The past summer and fall the C.P.R. has had a good deal of trouble in getting water enough conveniently to supply the engines in this part of the Boundary, most of the ordinary supplies having failed entirely. As a consequence the company has been hauling water for some time from Greenwood to Eholt.

Now, however, it is proposed to take steps that will prevent any shortage in the future. The proposition is to tap Loon or Bear lake, in Summit camp, as it is called, and bring the water to the large tank at Eholt, a distance of between two and three miles, by the route taken. If a tunnel is built it will cost the railway company about $15,000, the alternate plan being to ditch or flume the water around the hill from the lake to Eholt, a distance of some three miles or more. Whichever route is taken it is expected to afford the railway company a constant supply of the much needed water for all time to come.

BIG LUMBER PLANT.

Fernie Free Press: The plant for the Elk Lumber and Manufacturing company's mill has been purchased, and it is considerably larger than was at first planned. The capacity of the new plant will be 125-000 feet per ten hours. The machinery, which was purchased at St. Paul, will amount to twenty-five carloads.

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ABERDEEN HIVE, No. 2, L. O. T. M.—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. of each month in K. of P. Hall, Vernon Street, next to post office. Visiting members cordially invited.
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MINNIE RITCHIE, Record Keeper

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NOTICE

The Electric Despatch Messenger Co., Ltd., will, until further notice close their office at 2 a.m. and re-open at 7 a.m.
Nov. 16th, 1904.

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that at the meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners of the Ymir District, to be held at the City of Nelson, 15th December, 1904, I shall apply for a transfer of the licence for the Kootenay Falls Hotel at Slocan Junction, to J. H. Smith.
(Sgd.) W. H. LAMBERT,
14th November, 1904.

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New York, Nov. 21—Bar silver, 58 3-4; electrolytic copper, 14 1-4-15, firm; casting copper, 13 3-8; amalgamated copper, 80 5-8, lead, $4.20; spelter, domestic, $5.75 to $5.90; firm.

London, Nov. 21—Lead, £13; silver, 25-16d.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The bishop of Niagara and Mrs. Dumoulin, Hamilton, are guests at the Strathcona.

Today being election day, the Hudson's Bay Company's labor department will be closed.

The body of Mrs. Harmon, who died at Kootenay Lake general hospital early on Sunday morning, was sent to D. McArthur & Co. to Ainsworth for interment there.

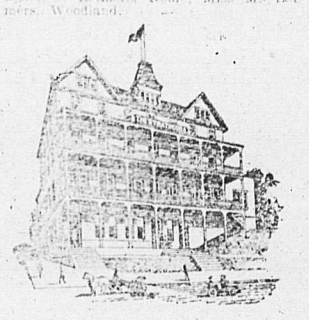
Mrs. Clark of Ainsworth died on Saturday. Her body was embalmed and brought to Nelson by D. McArthur & Co. It will be sent to Ogden, Utah, this morning.

The funeral of the late Alfred Rowe took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. W. Baer conducted the services, which were attended by the Nelson Miners' Union in a body.

Alderman Harold Selous was busy shaking hands yesterday and saying good by to his many friends prior to his departure for England. He left last night and expects to return to this city in the spring.

A special jail service was held in the provincial jail Sunday morning. The Methodist orchestra, under the direction of W. Hatch, rendered several sacred selections and Rev. J. T. Ferguson gave an address.

HUME—A. H. Buckworth, Ymir; A. Leamy, Mrs. J. H. Hodson, Mrs. J. Newby and child, Grand Forks; H. M. Burritt, J. A. Damer, T. J. Gray, C. J. Thurston, J. Wilson, R. A. Phelps, Miss Smith, H. A. Small, J. Fleishman, Vancouver; J. Robertson, J. Sinclair, Medicine Hat; G. J. Cook, A. Poole, C. M. Tomkins, Trail; J. H. Smeaton, Bonnington; T. Jones, O. V. Waite, Sandon; H. H. Whitney, Victoria; F. Kiffer and wife, R. Kiffer, Greenwood; H. E. Forster, Golden; W. H. Greene, Trout Lake; G. Duruph, E. J. Mackay, Kaslo; G. Harrison, Slocan; C. Estmers, Nome; Miss M. Estmers, Woodland.



STRATHCONA—I. VanPaine, Portland; Bishop of Niagara and Mrs. Dumoulin, Hamilton; C. A. Prosser and wife, Robson; A. Campbell, G. A. Mitchell, Rossland; G. W. Hughes, Sandon; T. H. Trethewey, Molly Gibson mine; W. L. Gazzan, Chrystal Springs.

ROYAL—D. Fraser, Spokane; G. Doherty, Trout Lake; G. Birtsch, Salmo.

BARTLETT—W. Thompson, W. Robinson, Winnipeg; J. Angove, Silver King; J. Chism, Lardeau; G. Arscott, Juno mine; W. H. Moore, Chapleau mine; C. Harrison, May and Jennie; J. Menott, J. H. Lozell, Seattle; W. Reoch, Cranbrook.

GRAND CENTRAL—J. Harrigan, C. W. Harrigan, Grand Forks; J. H. Bain, Webster; C. Pedersen, Strathcona; D. McMillan, Kokanee; P. Murphy, C. J. Farnell, Ymir; C. Stevens, Sandon; W. Harkness, Trail; B. Kirk, Erie; Mrs. T. Folkhard, Miss Dent, Kaslo; W. J. Daniel, Slocan; T. L. Glenn, Spokane; A. McDonald, J. Patton, J. Haggarty, Moyie.

NELSON—C. Lapier, G. McKeowh, J. Cleary, Rossland; R. McIlmoyle, Spokane.

TREMONT—B. McDonald, New Denver; E. Stopher, Marcus; D. Munroe, Venus mine; C. G. McAdams and family, Lind; W. Steele, Moyie; F. Collins, Salmo; W. Ginet, Sanca; J. Hume, B. Moore, Slocan Junction; T. H. Mitchell, Hall Siding; J. J. Jaffery, Cascade; J. M. Miller, Ymir.

MADDEN—J. McGee, D. Quigley, Meleod; D. W. Clark, J. B. Clark, Ainsworth; D. H. McKinnon, Slocan; A. Shelung, J. Gasper, Rospeler; J. Gillon, Moyie; C. J. Utter, Cranbrook; W. A. Philpott, A. Hodges, Slocan Junction; E. W. Scott and wife, Grand Forks.

QUEENS—H. C. Smith, Clubb range; H. W. Teague, Bayonne mine; G. Perne, H. M. Larty, D. J. Mackenzie, D. A. Cameron, Ymir; J. R. Young, A. H. Betram, Victoria; J. A. Desmond, Kaslo; H. J. Stewart, Trout Lake; J. Wilson, Creston; A. W. Clark and wife, Revelstoke.

LAKEVIEW—W. Kelly, St. Louis; J. Berry, Sandon; T. F. Sloggett, J. Ellis, Slocan; A. Fleck, Granite mine.

CHAMBER APPLICATIONS.

Cases Heard Before His Honor Judge Leamy Yesterday.

The following applications were disposed of yesterday in chambers before his honor judge Leamy:

Parnell vs. Kootenay Shingle Co., R. M. Macdonald for plaintiff applied for discovery. W. A. Macdonald, K. C., contra. Order granted.

Bank of Montreal vs. Arlington Mines, et al, three applications. Lennie for plaintiffs, W. A. Macdonald, K. C., for defendants. Order made for commission returnable December 6th. Order made for intertogatories and special leave given to issue summonses for order for discovery of documents returnable on December 6th.

Shatford vs. Benedum, Macdonald, K. C., for plaintiff obtained an order for service of writ ex juris.

Langon Zinc Co. vs. Payne Consolidated Mining Co., W. A. Macdonald, K. C., for plaintiffs applied for discovery O'Shea for defendants. Joint order made returnable within twenty days.

Beer vs. Carrie, et al, Hannington for plaintiff obtained order for service of writ ex juris.

Seaman vs. Ernst, et al, Hannington for plaintiff obtained an order for service of writ ex juris.

McLeod vs. Newling, Hannington for plaintiff obtained an order for examination of witnesses at Victoria.

CHILIAN OFFICER SARCASTIC.

Pointed Remarks Relative to Russia's Alleged Ship Purchase.

New York, Nov. 21.—A Valparaiso, Chile, dispatch to the Herald, dated November 20th says: In discussing the published dispatch from London relative to the alleged sale of Chilian warships to Russia through Colombia, a high government official said today: "This news is absurd. It is unworthy of the slightest consideration. Chile is a small power, considering her strength in respect for international law she occupies the same if not a higher level, than some of the greater world powers. It is quite as absurd to believe that Chile would sell battleships to belligerent power as to suppose that the United States would sell some of her ships to Russia or Japan. Because Chile is placed on the South American continent is no reason to imply that she is a savage and uncivilized country, just as on the other hand there would be no reason to assume that she was a civilized country because she happened to be located in Europe.

"Japanese diplomats in Europe show amazing ignorance of conditions they ought to know about certain American national issues."

MINING RECORDS.

At the mining recorder's office on Monday two placer claims were filed.

C. L. Irvine recorded the Black Dog at the mouth of 15-Mile creek on the north side of the Pend d'Oreille river.

Frank Nibbling recorded the Pen Deray, also on 15-mile creek on the north side of the Pend d'Oreille river.

ANXIOUS FOR A SLICE.

London, Nov. 21.—A meeting of the Colombian corporation has been called to consider the best means of recovering from Panama a portion of the $10,000,000 paid by the United States in connection with the canal, and it is proposed to call a public meeting of the Colombian bondholders for the purpose of requesting president Roosevelt to arbitrate as to the proportion of this amount the new republic ought to pay towards the liquidation of Colombia's debt.

ONE TREATY SIGNED.

Washington, Nov. 21.—United States secretary of state Hay and Mr. Probst, the Swiss charge d' affaires today signed an arbitration treaty on behalf of the United States and Switzerland. The treaty follows the line of the American-French arbitration treaty.

AS OTHERS SEE US

Glasgow Editor Glad at Friendship of Whites and Indians

L. G. Nelson of D. McArthur and Co., has received a copy of the Evening Times of Glasgow, Scotland, which contains a long article commenting on the very friendly relations that exist between whites and Indians in British Columbia. The article was inspired by the account in The Daily News of July 3rd, part of which is quoted, of the Indian baby show in connection with the dominion day celebration. The prize was a baby carriage offered by McArthur & Co. Melville Parry was one of the judges and when the most beautiful papoose had been selected the baby carriage was produced and Mr. Parry waceled the winner along Baker street.

The editor of the Evening Times is quite pleased at this evidence of harmony and mutual good will among British subjects in this far away corner of the empire. The Glasgow paper is dated September 3, just two months later than the account in The Daily News. It has taken a little over two months to get back to Nelson.

STRICTLY ENFORCED

Dominion Fruit Inspector Finds Standard Improving

Maxwell Smith of Vancouver, dominion government fruit inspector for the west, has been paying one of his regular official visits to Nelson and reports a very satisfactory improvement in the fruit packages found on the market here at present, as compared with those of last year. The inspector also reports a large increase in the importations of Ontario apples into Alberta, where he has been spending the past two weeks, and of a better grade than last year, although there is much to be desired in the grading of both Ontario and British Columbia apples, and a still higher standard will be expected next year.

Mr. Smith says that the provincial fruit pest inspectors are to be congratulated on the rigid enforcement of the law against the importation of infected fruit from the south, and the wholesale importers in the district are now giving careful attention to the grading and marking of foreign fruit in accordance with the provisions of the dominion Fruit Marks Act.

Mr. Smith admitted that he had found several cases of false marking and improper packing on his present tour that would probably result in the prosecution of both the Ontario and British Columbia shippers, but declined to give any particulars pending investigation. It is evident, however, that the inspector intends to steadily and relentlessly tighten the grip of the law on offenders against the dominion regulations until a dishonest or slovenly package of fruit will be the exception west of Medicine Hat, and north of the international boundary line.

"When here last August," said Mr. Smith "I was pleased to find such a lively interest taken in the development of the fruit growing industry in the lower Kootenay, and I hope those starting out as orchardists have not forgotten the advice offered on that occasion, viz., to restrict their planting to a very few well known and tried commercial varieties. Too many varieties are always a hindrance to success in any locality. Make a reputation for two or three popular commerical apples, put them up strictly in accordance with the provisions of the Fruit Marks Act and there will be no difficulty about selling all you can produce at paying prices."

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SWIFT'S
FANCY SUGAR CURED
PREMIUM
Ham and Bacon
Nice and Fresh and
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We have instructions to offer the 7-roomed cottge on Mill street, west of Stanley, with two lots—a bargain to an immediate purchaser. As it must be sold, we assure a favorable consideration to any reasonable offer.

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COAL HODS, COAL SHOVELS, STOVE BOARDS, STOVE PIPES, and ELBOWS.

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Have you seen our latest arrivals in

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They are most artistic in design and of fine quality.

We have also just opened up some beautiful Stag Horn pieces for desk use and for smokers—just the things you will want for gifts.

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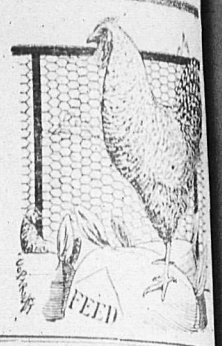

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Belts! Belts! Belts!

We have received a consignment of the latest hand-painted Kid Belts, the newest things just out from Paris. We have also an assortment of the latest Gun Metal Girdles. Our gold filled bead Necklaces are selling fast; there are only a few left in stock which we will sell at cut prices. We are stilling giving reductions on all goods in stock. Our expert optician has arrived and he is prepared to test the eyes free of charge. We make a specialty of watch repairing and we pay prompt attention to mail orders. Give us a trial. All work is guaranteed.

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Clearance Sale

WE have decided to clear out the balance of our stock of Ladies' Jackets, also Misses' and Children's Coats BELOW COST. See window for Millinery.

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$18.50 Jacket for $12.50 $12.50 Jacket for $8.50
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Millinery Reduced Below Cost
SEE WINDOW
Hats for all occasions going for half less than Reg. Price

THE ENFIELD CO.
BAKER STREET.

NOTICE

Take notice that it is my intention to apply to the Board of License Commissioners of Ymir District at their next regular meeting on December 15th, 1904, for a transfer from myself to John M. Richardson of Sirdar, B. C. of the hotel license for the Sirdar Hotel, situate at Sirdar, B. C.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 14th day of November, 1904.

GEORGE W. BARTLETT
Witness, HARRY WRIGHT.

On Nov. 21 and 22 the Canadian Pacific railway will sell at all stations, Vancouver to Laggan and Crow's Nest, including all branch rail and steamboat lines, round trip tickets at single fare, good to return till Nov. 24.

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The quality and flavor of our Tea Garden Preserves cannot be surpassed.
Strawberry, Raspberry, Blackberry, 35c per Jar.
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5000	Rambler-Cariboo	.14½
2000	St. Eugene	.42½

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