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DECLARED A DIVIDEND

Providence Shareholders Are to Receive Checks

The Company Had Previously Distributed Profits--New Crusher for the Granby Mines

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Sept. 10.—During the month of August the Granby mines shipped 40,030 tons of ore to the company's smelter at Grand Forks, which is about 8000 tons more than in the previous month. The new development done amounted to 400 feet.

Coke is beginning to arrive at the Montreal and Boston smelter at Bounary Falls, preparatory to the blowing in of these reduction works once more. This is expected to take place not long after the first of October.

The Providence Mining Co., operating the Providence mine, has declared another dividend of ten cents per share, making about $15,000 so far that this company has returned in dividends to the shareholders.

In about a month the first of the two additional ore crushers for the Granby mines will be shipped from the manufacturers in the east. It will be located at the No. 3 tunnel ore bins, the outlet from which will be over the Great Northern railway, now being constructed from Grand Forks to Phoenix.

The force of the Mother Lode mine is now larger than it has been for a long time past, there being a large amount of new work of various kinds in hand. The number runs about 130 men.

Today is the regular monthly payday for the Brooklyn and Granby mines, the amount to be disbursed today in wages being about $40,000.

O. B. Smith, Jr., mine superintendent for the Granby properties, and who has been connected with the mines here for over five years, has left for the east on a vacation. Mr. Smith will be married on the 21st of the month to an estimable young lady at Springfield, Mass., Mr. Smith's former home, and the newly married couple will arrive here on their return shortly after October 1.

A. B. Hood, acting manager of the Eastern Townships Bank here, is now in the east, and on the 14th inst will be married at Sherbrooke, Quebec, returning to Phoenix about the end of the month.

By order of the city council city clerk Matheson will send notices to all delinquents that unless unpaid taxes for the last three years are paid by the 31st of October, the lands will be sold for the taxes.

BRITISH-THIBETAN TREATY.

Its Effect Will Be to Put An End to Russian Distrust.

Paris, Sept. 10.—The foreign office officials today received a visit from consul general Francois, who has just returned here after three year's service in western China, during which he made a journe of inspection to Thibet. His observations in Thibet will give the foreign office officials timely information in connection with the new British-Thibetan treaty. The latter is considered here as chiefly advantageous in removing another source of friction between Russia and Great Britain. Despite denials, the authorities say Russia has been distrustful of the British expedition to Thibet, fearing it would eventually end in a way similar to that in Afghanistan. But the treaty just concluded is considered as removing Russian fears, for it is definitely understood that there will not be a British resident at L'hassa, nor a governor of Thibet, the people there being left to conduct their own affairs. M. Francois, and the officials generally, consider this to be a significant improvement of the Anglo-Russian relations.

FRENCH COCHIN CHINA.

Fleet Going Thither to Strengthen the Gallic Hand.

Paris, Sept. 10.—The French third class cruiser Descartes was on the point of leaving Toulon today, conveying 12 torpedo boats for the defence of French Cochin China and Tonkin, when the accidental killing of a boy on board one of the torpedo boats caused her to return to port and delayed the departure of the flotilla. The incident caused the circulation of a report that an explosion had occurred on board one of the torpedo boats and that several men had been killed. The defense of the French possessions in the far east is receiving attention owing to the activity of the Japanese operations in that part of the world, and influence is being exerted on the marine department to increase the strength of the French cruiser fleet at Shanghai.

FRENCH MANOEUVRES.

They Were Attended by Foreign Officers and Attaches.

Paris, Sept. 10.—The grand manoeuvres opened at Dijon today with officers and men engaged in an attack and defense similar to Garabaldi's operations against the Germans in 1879. The Russian military attache, who attended the manoeuvres, was received with shouts of "Long live Russia." A German attache attended for the first time since the Franco-German war. The Japanese attache and major general Baden-Powell, the defender of Mafeking, in uniform were received courteously. Capt. T. Betley, the American military attache was among the military observers. A Chinese official in a quaint uniform, attracted marked attention.

FIRE AT MIDWAY.

Store of James McNichol and Two Other Buildings Destroyed.

[Special to The Daily News]

Greenwood, Sept. 10.—A rather serious fire occurred at Midway Friday night last. The fire was discovered in the store building of James McNichol. This store and two adjoining buildings, one of which was occupied by the Midway Dispatch newspaper, were destroyed.

Another building was blown up in order to arrest the fire. The cause of the fire is a mystery, none having been left in the building when the proprietor left in the evening. Mr. McNichol's loss will be large. He had a fresh, well-selected stock of general merchandise invoicing $12,000 on which he carried $5000 insurance.

The funeral of Adolphus Ferguson took place from the undertaking rooms of T. Gully & Co., at 3 o'clock today. The remains were followed to the cemetery by a large number of those who had been the warm friends of the deceased during his life. Mr. Ferguson was a typical Englishman, warm-hearted and genial, always wearing a happy face, whether circumstances were favorable or otherwise.

THE DUNDEE GOLD MINE

A NEW COMPANY HAS BEEN FORMED TO OPERATE GROUP.

LIST OF PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS AND OTHER DATA.

From a prospectus of the new company formed to operate the Dundee property near Ymir, the following facts are gleaned:

The name of the company is the Dundee Gold Mine, Limited, the capital being $625,000 divided into 2,500,000 shares of a par value of 25 cents. One million of these shares have been set aside for the purposes of the company, and 1,500,000 shares have been issued as consideration for the property. The provisional directors are as follows:

E. B. Morgan, manager B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., Vancouver, B. C., president; John Hendry, president B. C. Mills T. & T. Co. Ltd., president of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon railway, Vancouver, B. C., vice-president: The Hon. sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., K.C.M.G., Vancouver; F. T. Walker, assistant manger Royal Bank of Canada, Vancouver; C. J. Major, financial agent New Westminster.

Bankers, Royal Bank of Canada; solicitors, Corbould & Grant, New Westminster; secretary, R. Knox Walkem.

Extracts from reports by Frank Robbins, S. S. Fowler and Bernard Macdonald are given, besides extracts from a more recent report by A. H. Gracey, which are here produced:

In reply to your inquiry re my opoinion of the Dundee, I may say that my inspection of the mine as developed by the shaft and drifts at the 200-foot level has impressed me very favorably.

The vein as exposed in the working is large, well defined, and carries what may be considered good average values. The width between walls varies from six to 18 feet, as shown along the levels for a distance of 192 feet and the results of my sampling show the average value of the concentrating ore as exposed in these levels to be from $6 to $8 per ton.

There are exposed in the shaft and at several points along both levels more or less regular streaks and bunches of what may be called clean ore composed of iron pyrites, galena and zinc blende. These avearge in value from $15 to $50 per ton, and vary in width from 4 to 24 inches.

The reports made on the property by Messrs. Robbins, Fowler and Macdonald, I believe are substantially correct, and my opinion is that with proper development the Dundee will prove a large and valuable mine.

The prospectus concludes with the following general remarks:

It is believed by installing a small compressor and driving the long tunnel referred to in Mr. Macdonald's report, it would develop a body of ore sufficiently large to insure the successful operation of a milling plant for some years.

A test shipment of 15 tons of ore recently made to the Nelson smelter gave values of $38.05 per ton, of which $21.60 was in gold and the balance in silver and lead, these figures closely confirming the returns received by the old Dundee company on the ore shipped by them.

Concentration tests have also been made by the Elmore oil process, and although these have not yet been concluded, sufficient has been done to prove that the ore is amenable to concentration by that process.

THE CREW SAVED.

Highland Light, Mass., Sept. 10—The Longfellow, loaded with dynamite, bound from Wilmington, Del., to lake Superior, sunk off here during the night and the entire crew of 16 men, after several hours in apen boats, riding a boisterous sea were saved through the assistance of three life saving crews.

APPOINTMENT WEL LRECEIVED

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10—All the newspapers this morning comment favorably on the apointment of prince Peter Sviatopol Mirsky to the ministry of interior.

BOTH THE LARGE ARMIES ARE HAVING A REST

Have Made no Movement Since Thursday in Consequence of Torrential Rain and Heavy Roads--No Official Figures on the Losses Sustained at Liao Yang Have Been Made Public--May be no More Fighting This Year

Both sides are resting. This information from the Associated Press correspondent in a despatch filed at 10:55 p.m., Saturday night, and coupled with reports received at St. Petersburg Saturday night from general Kouropatkin and lieutenant general Sakharoff, reporting inactivity in the fighting zone on Thursday and Friday indicates that since Thursday, because of the torrential rains and the heavy roads, hostilities have been reduced to a minimum. No official figures on the losses at the battle of Liao Yang have been given out.

MAY TAKE A REST.

Thought There Will Be No More Fighting in This Year.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 11.—(1.20 a.m.)—The war office is reluctantly disposed to admit that with the defeat of the Russians at Liao Yang departed practically all hope of turning the tide of the war this year. Patiently and doggedly, in spite of successive reverses by land and sea, general Kouropatkin's friends had pinned their faith in his assurances that when he accepted battle victory would crown Russian arms, but failing in his attempt to turn the scale, they accede another period of waiting and say that Kouropatkin must retire and await reinforcements and start a new campaign next year. But disappointed as they are and discouraging as the situation is, no word is heard in favor of maintaining peace. Russia will be victorious in the end. The war must continue if not this year then the next, if not then, then the next.

Military officers, who are familiar with the skill, care and arduous labor with which the positions on both sides of the Taitse river were prepared at Liao Yang, consider that this historic battle will consecrate the flanking movement in military annals. Redoubted trenches, gunpits, entanglements, ditches, tunnels and every method of protection known to military engineering skill provd useless against a single turning movement, and mobility.

Strategy throughout the campaign has vanquished fixed fortifications and positions, and flanking operations again and again have forced the abandonment of the most elaborate entrenchments, without the firing of a shot.

According to the best information from the front both armies are now tired, and resting after the hardships of fighting and marching. The general opinion is that the Japanese will again push on as soon as the rains cease and the roads are dry. Meantime Kouropatkin is enjoying the advantages of the railroad. He has sent north his baggage and the wounded, and doubtless a portion of his troops. The prevailing idea is that general Kouropatkin will not make a stand at Mukden if the Japanese come on again in earnest, but that he will retire at least to Tie pass. Once through the pass, the general impression in military circles is that the Japanese will not attempt further pursuit. Exceptional precautions have been taken to prevent the Japanese from cutting communications below the pass. Not exceeding two months remain for military operations this fall, and despite reports from Tokio of a winter campaign the most competent critics, who are familiar with the rigors of the Manchurian winters, do not think that the Japanese will attempt it unless the unexpected happens. The withdrawal of general Kouropatkin's army above Tie pass, they believe, marks the end of the campaign for this year, the Russians wintering at Harbin with their rear guard at Tie pass, and the Japanese at Liao Yang, with their advanced base at Mukden.

FEAR AN EPIDEMIC.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The Red Cross officials fear an epidemic will break out in both armies, the torrents of rain which fell after the ten days' battle at Liao Yang having compelled the worn out and hungry troops to sleep without shelter in mire by the roadside. In any case it is believed to be certain that the hardships endured by the soldiers will result in a great increase in sickness.

A FORTUNATE FIND.

Three Hundred Krupp Guns and Ammunition Found.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—Workmen attached to the St. Petersburg torpedo factory have returned from Port Arthur where they were detailed some time. They left the besieged fortress on Aug. 2, and give long and interesting accounts of the conditions there. The defences, they assert, were largely augmented by the discovery of a chance store, 19 miles from the fort. It consisted of 300 Krupp guns of large caliber, with from 300 to 3,000 rounds of ammunition for each piece. The guns and ammunition were in perfect condition: A large store of rifles found were not so good. The Japanese, it is related made arrangements with residents of a suburban Chinese village to furnish information from the fortress by means of pigeon post. The plan was divulged by a Chinaman, and the whole population, 40 villagers, were executed. Conspicuous bravery was displayed by two companies of sailors who were cut off in the hills by the Japanese and were isolated two days. Their ammunition soon ran out. Stones and boulders were hurled at the heads of the attackers. Finally, several old cannon were dismounted and rolled down the hills upon the heads of the attacking column. Ultimately 40 sailors out of 130 escaped. The workmen say that riding in cabs is almost prohibitive, the fare being $2. There are 300 cabmen at Port Arthur. They are employed in transporting the wounded free of charge.

NOGI'S NEXT ASSAULT.

Will Be Delievered on Forts on North Flank of Port Arthur.

Che Foo, Sept. 10.—General Nogi's next assault on Port Arthur will be delivered chiefly against Rihlungshan and Kikwanshan forts, whoch are the strongest forts in the northeast flank. This information is derived from an unquestionable authority. The elevation of the first is 350 feet. Three hundred yards away on the same range is another hill so much lower that Rihlungshan protects it from bombardment except from Tiz Shan and Kikwanshan. There the Japanese have strengthened two forts which they recently established. This position is the foundation for the Japanese preparation for the next assault. The work of construction on the trenches is advancing rapidly. Preparations for the assault on Kikwanshan are proceeding in a similar fashion. The Japanese have tents pitched and they are relieved every three days. Food, ammunition and supplies are brought at night, as the detachments are obliged to cross a level stretch before reaching a place of safety. The Japanese trenches, almost under the noses of the Russians now, are partially constructed. The Russian endeavor constantly to level the incline, shelling the projections, which afford shelter to the Japanese, who in turn bombard to prevent the Russians from succeeding. There seems little doubt that the assault of Rihlungshan and Kikwanshan will be the most trying one the Russians have yet resisted. Among the contrivances to be used are numerous heavy portable shields, which will be used to afford protection.

The entire Japanese force now surrounding Port Arthur is estimated at 80,000 fighting men. The Russians are now using exclusively powder evidently manufactured at Port Arthur, which gives off a smoke which enables instant detection of the source of the fire. The Russian shells are frequently discovered to be old Chinese affairs, filed down to fit the Russian guns. The informant of the Associated Press quoted is an Argentine colonel, who is with the Japanese, who says the Russian defences facing the Japanese have been made with a perfection undreamed of. With Rihlungshan and Kikwanshan captured, the Japanese will practically control an entrance along the railroad and they contemplate assaulting other forts from their weaker sides. A majority of the 54 forts surrounding Port Arthur have six-inch steel shields, loopholed, with rapid-fire guns at intervals. The shields are impervious to field artillery. The Russians also send strong electric currents through the wire entanglements surrounding the forts. The fighting since August 31 has been unimportant. The Japanese bombard only when the sun assists them in aiming. The Russians reply in the afternoon when the sun is in their favor. The Japanese losses for the last five weeks are placed at 20,000.

KOUROPATKIN'S PLANS.

Were Finely Arranged But a General Failed Him.

Tie Pass, Manchuria, Sept. 10.—The breakdown of general Kouropatkin's strategy when he withdrew his main army to the right bank of the Taitse river, after general Kuroki had crossed the stream above Liao Yang, is explained as follows:

"The movement was beautifully planned. Kouropatkin intended to engage Kuroki, push a column up the right bank and completely isolate him from general Oku and Nodzu on the other side of the river. Only an accident upset this plan. General Stalkenberg's corps, which was on the left bank of the extreme right, failed to stand up against the superior force of the Japanese. When Stalkenberg reported that he was retreating, it seemed to Kouropatkin that a portion of his army which he had faced eastward with the right resting on the river and the left unprotected might be enveloped by the Japanese in pursuing Stalkenberg. He, therefore, drew off and reformed his front and the retreat from Yentai began and continued on the night of Sept. 3, the Russians reaching Shakhe on September 4. The losses on both sides from August 26 to September 5, are estimated at from 60,000 to 70,000 killed or wounded. Many of the killed and wounded were left in the Chinese corn. The Japanese are experiencing great difficulty in bringing up supplies of ammunition.'

OYAMA HEARD FROM.

London, Sept. 10.—A despatch to the Japanese legation from Tokio says: "Field marshal Oyama reports that after the fighting of September 4 and 5, our right occupied the Yentai colliery and Yumentse hill. The enemy's main force is believed to have retired north of the Hun river. Before the evacuation of Liao Yang the enemy burned the magazines near the station, but we captured an immense amount of provisions and stores."

LOOTING IN LIAO YANG.

For the First Time Japanese Soldiers Are Beyond Control.

Liao Yang, Sept. 7, Via Tien Tsin, Sept. 10.—The Japanese officers were unable to restrain their soldiers after six days of desperate fighting and looting became general. Last night the soldiers in attempting to rob the missionary and Red Cross compound, stabbed Dr. A. M. Westaker, a well known medical missionary, in the neck and hand. This is said to be the first instance the Japanese soldiers have been known to be uncontrollable. The Japanese were welcomed by the Chinese, but they abused the good name that they established in the Chino-Japanese war. Chinese refugees are arriving from the battle ground where native fortune seekers are scouring the field for treasure. Most of the dead have been buried, but broken accoutrements are found on the field. The Japanese operate the railway frequently with Chinese for power. Japanese reinforcements are en route north by all routes. Prince Kaiyen, brother of the emperor of Japan, commander of the second brigade of cavalry, has passed Hai Cheng.

NEW MENACE TO RUSSIA

Fifteen Thousand Manchurians Worrying Kouropatkin

Chicago, Sept. 10—The Che Foo correspondent of the Daily News reports a concerted movement against the Russians of 15,000 mounted Manchurians under general D'Hzin, with seven Japanese advisors. This formidable force is crossing the Liao river and worrying Kouropatkin's right and rear below Mukden. The bandits lately intercepted a Cossack convoy bringing 2000 cattle and 500 horses from Mongolia. They ambushed two sentries and killed 19 Cossacks. Six Cossacks were captured. One of them, an officer, was decapitated.

AN IMMENSE ARMY

Japanese Had 300,000 Men and 700 Guns at Liao Yang

Mukden, Sept. 9—The Chinese reports, which are partly confirmed by information received by the Russians, are to the effect that the Japanese at Liao Yang had a total of 300,000 men and 700 guns. Their rear guard consisted of 40,000 Koreans and 30,000 Chinese, but as far as can be judged only a portion of these participated in the fighting.

RUSSIA'S CRITICAL STATE

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10—All the papers speak of the critical state of the situation and express the opinion that the selection of such a man as prince Peter will do much to relieve the internal condition.

OUT OF THE WAR.

Shanghai, Sept. 10.—The Russian protected cruiser Askold was taken from her dock today and mored alongside the Russian gunboat Mandjurat and the torpedo boat destroyer Grosovoi. It has been decided that the crews of these Russian ships will remain on board, under the supervision of the local customs authorities and a Chinese gunboat.

THE JAPANESE LOSSES.

Tsintau, Sept. 10.—A Japanese officer passed through Tsintau today, on his way to Kauchou. He says the Japanese losses at Port Arthur during the last few days were very heavy, exceeding 15,000, and that the Japanese killed or wounded at the battle of Liao Yang exceeded 20,000.

RUSSIAN ARMY DEMORALIZED

Paris, Sept. 10.—The French government authorities recently received advices from disconcerted persons who have just returned from Manchuria. One of them, though strongly favorable to Russia, recently says that Russian army is much broken and demoralized. It is added that the Siberian railroad is working perfectly, six trains running over it daily. The officials here attach importance to these statements.

MANY RUSSIANS WOUNDED.

Tokio, Sept. 10.—General Kuroki reports that after last Monday's battle the Russians moved over 10,000 wounded to Mukden, and that they left 3000 in the vicinity of Liao Yang.

KING'S VISIT POSTPONED.

Paris, Sept. 10.—King Alfonso's visit to president Loubet has been postponed.

STATUS OF KOREA

Paris, Sept. 10.—The publication of the terms of the Japanese-Korean treaty brought about a renewal of the statement from authoritative quarters that Russia and the other powers are not bound by a treaty made under duress, and it is maintained that Korea's status will be settled only when the terms of peace are arranged, the Japanese authority in the meantime being merely that of military occupation.

THE VOLGA LAUNCHED.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The torpedo transport Volga was sucessfully launched at the new admiralty yards there this afternoon. At the same time the keel of the torpedo destroyer Khevmetz was laid down. The cruiser Izmund has been commissioned, and has joined the squadron at Cronstadt which sails for Libau tomorrow.

TO PROMOTE ARBITRATION

International Union Begins Its Sessions In St. Louis

St. Louis, Sept. 10—Though the attendance will be relatively small as compared to that of some of the gatherings held in St. Louis this summer, the meeting of the International Arbitration Union here during the week beginning today, is regarded as by far the most important convention of the exposition period. Those who have arrived to attend the sessions include some 300 men of world wide reputations, among them being the most eminent statesmen from almost every country in Europe and representatives of the law making bodies of Central and South American republics. Several score of the members of the congress of the United States are expected to take part in the sessions.

As its name implies the union seeks to establish international arbitration as a means of settling disputes between nations. One of the propositions that will be discussed and which may be expected to attract universal attention is that the president of the United Stacs be requested to call a second congress of governments, similar to that held at The Hague, for the purpose of negotiating arbitration treaties between the United States and foreign governments, and between the governments of Europe, and also for the purpose of considering the reduction of armaments.

ANOTHER STEP TAKEN.

Montreal and Boston Company Will Ship From the Rawhide.

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Sept. 10.—Another step in the program of the Montreal and Boston Co. was taken this week when a gang of men was sent out to the Rawhide, adjoining the Snowshoe mine, under P. McCaskill as foreman, to get ready for making shipments of ore from that property. The Rawhide has never shipped a ton of ore, but had considerable development done under the management of the Dominion Copper Co. A long tunnel was run into the hill, and was connected with a shaft from the surface, showing up large bodies of excellent ore.

It is the intention to erect ore bunkers at once at the Rawhide, capable of holding 15 or 20 cars of ore, and to ship the same to the company's Boundary Falls smelter. At present half a dozen men are employed in the initiative work, but the force will be increased shortly.

At the Broklyn the work of enlarging and retimbering the incline shaft is proceeding steadily under foreman Callahan, and it is expected to be completed by the end of this month.

It is understood to be the intention of the management of the Montreal & Boston to blow the smelter in about the 1st of October, when some of the properties at least will be in a position to maintain regular shipments of ore.

W. R. Williams, accountant for the Dominion Copper Co., is asking for bids for the loading or the Brooklyn and Stemwinder dumps on railway cars, this ore not being included in the sale to the Montreal & Boston. It is estimated that there are 10,000 or 12,000 tons of ore on these dumps. As soon as this work is done the M. & B. will at once erect the ore bins for which the lumber has been ordered, part of which is now on the ground.

BIG DEMAND FOR COTTON

It is one of the Results of the Japanese Success in War

New York, Sept. 10—The Journal of Commerce says that one result of the Japanese success thus far in the far eastern war has been the development of what is probably an unprecedented export demand for cotton piece goods for China. The demand in this direction started suddenly in April last. It has gradually increased and during July and the latter part of August became so active that all spot supplies and early deliveries by the mills were quickly absorbed, and orders have now been issued taxing the capacity of the mills well into next year.

NEW PARTY FOR NEW JERSEY

New York, Sept. 10—Among the politicians gathered here today about the headquarters of the two national committees some curiosity was expressed as to the significance of the movement in New Jersey to form a new democratic party, to be known as the people's democratic party. According to a despatch from Atlantic City, the promoters of the movement are to meet in convention there for the purpose of choosing a state ticket and presidential electors.

Those who profess to know the details of the plan say that the men behind the party are those who labored for William R. Hearst in the democratic state convention of New Jersey and who bolted the regular party then and held on independent convention. Recently they issued a maifesto in which they took the leaders of the "regular" wing of the party bitterly to task and intimated that democratic harmony, in so far as New Jersey was concerned, was a thing of the extremely distant future.

NOBLE FIVE TO START UP

Another Sandon mine is likely to start up before long. W. J. Sutton of Victoria, accompanied by W. H. Sandiford of New Denver, has been making an examination of the Noble Five and other properties in the neighborhood. Mr. Sutton represents the Hon. James Dunsmuir and is an eminent geologist, being formerly geology professor at the Michigan school of mines. It is said that Mr. Sandiford who so successfully operated the Bosun mine will come back to Sandon and take charge of the Noble Five.

WORK ON THE B. C. RESUMED

Work on the B. C. mine in Summit camp was resumed on Monday, after being closed down for about a year. A force of twelve men is employed, and at present the work will be confined principally to stripping the vein. In the years 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903 this mine shipped a total of 102,075 tons of ore.

THE LEASING SYSTEM

It is Working to Good Advantage in Rossland Camp

A Movement on Foot to Form a Water Commission to Furnish Water for Concentrating Mills

Rossland, Sept. 10.—The merit of the leasing system in Rossland camp was again demonstrated this week. Eric Stevenson took a lease on the View mine a few days ago and within a short time of commencing work opened up in the vein a streak of ore 12 inches wide running 10 per cent copper and carrying good gold values. The vein is several feet wide, the balance carrying up to $20 in all values. He will extend the wagon road to the property and erect ore bins. Jacob Loff is making good profits on his lease also.

The railway commissioners were here during the week and went into the matter of switching charges, which the mining and business interests claim are excessive. Hopes of readjustment were held out.

A movement is on foot to form a water commission to handle the civic system and increase the supply to afford a surplus for concentrating. It is asserted that the city can secure sufficient water for all domestic purposes with a balance to mill 500 tons or ore daily. This would solve one of the vexed questions in connection with the erection of concentrators inside the city limits.

The shipments for the week ending tonight are:

Le Roi	350
Centre Star	1,0
War Eagle	
Le Roi No. 2	
Le Roi No. 2 (milled)	
Jumbo	
Cliff	
Velvet-Portland (milled)	
I. X. L. (milled)	400
White Bear (milled)	100
Total for week	6,705
Total for year to date,	245,708 tons.

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS.

For the Past Week They Aggregated 15,981 Tons of Ore.

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Sept. 10.—The Boundary shipments for the current week were as follows:

Granby mines to Granby smelter	10,440
Mother Lode to Greenwood	3,968
Emma to Nelson and Greenwood	1,507
Mountain Rose to Greenwood	66
Total for the week	15,981

Total for the year to date 550,700 tons.

The Granby smelter this week treated 12,067 tons, or 408,334 tons for the year to date.

TROUBLE AT PANAMA

People at Fever Heat Over Jurisdiction Over Harbors

New York, Sept. 10—A correspondent of the Atlanta, Georgia, Constitution in Panama has cabled the following:

"A crisis is at hand in the affairs of Panama. The most important question affecting the future of the republic will be settled during the next two weeks. Public feeling has been aroused to a fever heat. For a time so excited did the people of Panama become, that threats were made of another revolution and a return to the jurisdiction of Colombia. The issue under discussion is the vital one of control of the harbors or ports at the two ends of the canal. Panama claims that according to the article of the treaty, they are hers and must be under her jurisdiction in order to protect her evenues and foreign trade. The commission insists that Article 2 has no such meaning and it will be impossible for the United States to construct and control the canal unless it has absolute authority over the two entrances. The distrust and bitterness towards the United States grew out of the autocratic methods of the commission.

"Don Tomas Arias, the head president of Amador's cabinet, is known to have said that admiral Walker, U.S.N., and general Davis, U.S.A., although meaning well, seemed to regard him as the governor of some American colony. The situation is critical but the American minister has won his point and the confidence of the Panama government and people, while at the same time paving the way for the final negotiations, which will begin in the near future, and the nipping in the bud of a revolution."

25,000 TROOPS IN REVIEW

Wellington, Va., Sept. 10—Twenty five thousand troops drilled and marched on the sloping fields near here today in the grand review which brought to a practical close the great army manoeuvres of the past ten days. The troops from the three army camps marched towards Wellington early this morning and were in their prescribed places shotly after 10 o'clock. General Chaffee, chief of the staff of the army, was the reviewing officer. With him were assistant secretary of war Oliver, general Corbin and staff and numerous other officers representing the army posts and barracks of the entie east, the militia of a score of states and the war department at Washington. It was nearly 4 o'clock in the afternoon when the last of the troops had passed in review and returned to camp.

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at the Hudson's Bay Stores in Nelson, during the whole of next week. Come and taste the delicious buns and have a cup of fragrant coffee. Miss Milligan's recipes will be given free to all visitors.

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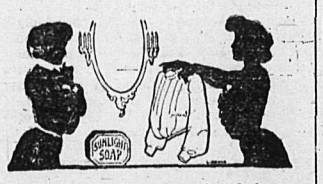
AN AUTHORITY SPEAKS.

The commendations of Professor James Mills, at present one of the railway commissioners, but who formerly was principal of the Agricultural College at Guelph, Ontario, must be gratifying to our fruit growers. Professor Mills is an expert on fruit and he declares that the garden of Canada has never produced finer fruit than that taken from the trees in this vicinity. "If apples could be made to order those I saw at Mr. Johnson's could not be improved," is strong language but coming from man of Professor Mills, known conservative chaacter, it means just what he said. Then again, he said that he had not seen the local cherries, or raspberries or gooseberries, but if they compared with the apples, pears and plums, "you have here a fruit country unsurpassed by anything in the dominion." This should convince the sceptical that we have indeed, a country here of wonderful possibilities in the way of fruit raising. It is essentially an arboreal country. Land which will produce the wealth of natural healthy trees that grow in the valley of the western arm of Kotenay lake, and, in fact, in most of the lowlands of the section, cannot fail to produce strong vigorous fruit trees which will bear the best of fruit, provided the kind suited to this section and our climate are planted. The fruit growers are learning what varieties of apples, pears, plums, etc., thrive best here, and in a few years Nelson and vicinity will be noted as much for its production of fine fruit as it is for the mines that lie around it.



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MORE LICENSES ISSUED.

The government has issued another big batch of licenses to prospect for oil and coal in southeast Kootenay. The fee for each license is $100 and the payment of this sum in advance for each license is good evidence that the parties securing the land intend to do something with them. The Flathead valley during the fall and winter and in the coming spring promises to be a scene of a great deal of activity. Some of the companies interested in this section intend to take in oil drilling plants over the snow this winter with a view to drill wells just as soon as the plants can be placed on the well sites. The sites for boring will in most cases be selected this fall before the snow begins to fall and covers the ground so that the formation cannot be seen. Oil has been found, it is claimed, on the east side of the mountains in Alberta and there seems to be a good reason why it should be found on the west side in British Columbia as the formation is the same. those who have visited the section say, on the west side that it is on the east. Should oil be found in paying quantities on the west side it would mean a great deal for the province, as it would add an important resource to the already large list. Once it is demonstrated that there is petroleum in paying quantities in the section and that there is marketable coal which can be extracted at a profit, naturally the railway which has been so much talked of lately, will be built. First, however, there will be a trail, then a wagon road and finally a railroad. A section like the Flathead valley, once it is demonstrated that it has valuable resources soon come to the front, and it does not take long until it is provided with the needed transportation and development facilities. Already two townsites are contemplated in the Flathead valley, which shows that some of those who are interested in the development of the coal and oil fields have no doubt about the future of the country, and who believe that it will soon have a large enough population to make up towns.

NO REACTION IN CANADA.

There is a tendency toward reaction in some of the other countries and, notably in the United States, which always, during a presidential year, has a business reaction until at least the result of the election is known. There is not so large a reaction in business circles this year in the United States owing to the fact that both the democratic and republican candidates have the same views on the currency question, each favoring the gold standard. There is, however, no signs of dull times in Canada. The immigrants continue to come in and while there is a slight falling off in the number coming from the United States and the continent of Europe, there is an increase in those arriving from the British Isles. Capital is coming in from other countries for the development of the natural resources, for the construction of railways, and for manufacturing and other enterprises. Never was there a greater number of railway enterprises being launched, and never was there greater building activity in middle Canada than at present. The wheat crop will probably be the largest ever harvested and the farmers are receiving from 95 cents to $1 for No. 1 hard and from 93 to 98 for No. 1 northern, against an average price of 68 cents per bushel last year. In this portion of Canada mining is on a better basis than it has been for several years. We should produce in minerals this year at least $22,500,000, which would be a considerable increase over last year. With every interest on a good footing, with a great activity in industrial enterprise, with capital seeking investment here, with a splendid crop at good prices and mining in a prosperous condition, it looks as though the reaction which has come to some of the other countries, is quite a ways off in Canada.

There is a tendency to call Japan little, and on taking a glance at the map of the world the empire does seem small. It is not so small a country after all, when it is considered that its area is 27,000 miles larger than the British Isles, without counting Formosa. Its population is 44,000,000 or 3,000,000 more than that of Great Britain. Should the struggle with Russia continue its present army of perhaps, nearly 400,000 men, could without any great effort be increased to nearly 3,000,00.0 The population of the United States taken just before the war of the Rebellion broke out in 1861) was 31,443,321. In the four years of war there were over 2,.00,000 enlistments, counting those of both sides. The Japanese, therefore, with 44,000,000 people should be able to put into the field, if necessary without any great effort 3,000,000 of men. It will, therefore, readily be seen that she has not yet began to call on her resources in the way of men even though the Russians have been defeated at every turn.

THE SULLIVAN SMELTER

IT WILL BE FINISHED AND BLOWN IN BY CHRISTMAS.

STRIKE IN THE NORTH STAR IS A VALUABLE ONE

Charles Early of Marysville, was at the Hume last night on his way to Spokane on business connected with the Sullivan smelter construction, which consists of the manufacture of the bricks used. Mr. Early manufactured the bricks used three years ago in the construction which failed and so much did the management think of his capabilities as a brickmaker that they got him to return to Marysville to make the brick for the new construction. Mr. Early says that the roasters will be finished in three weeks and the smelter blown in by Christmas. The water power is now in shape, the water is flumed from Mark creek to the bank of the St. Mary's river, where it takes a straight drop of 250 feet through a pipe gradually decreasing in size until it strikes the huge Pelton water wheels at the bottom, generating 250 horse power, which is sufficient to run all the machinery in the plant.

Mr. Early has every faith in the future of the St. Mary's district and says that the Sullivan, the North Star and later on the Great Dane will be big shippers.

Mr. Early says that the strike recently made on the North Star is turning out better than was at first expected and shipments of ore have been resumed.

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A New York syndicate is negotiating for the purchase of the Midway & Vernon railway charter. Representatives of the syndicate will be in Midway next week and a definite arrangement should be made in a very short time.

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A MULTITUDE PRESENT

PROTECTED CRUISER MILWAUKEE LAUNCHED YESTERDAY

A NEW AND WELL ARMED WAR SHIP FOR UNCLE SAM

San Francisco, Sept. 10.—The protected cruiser Milwaukee was launched today in the presence of thousands of spectators, including a distinguished delegation from the city in whose honor the vessel was named and a large number of Knights Templars from Wisconsin and other states who have been in San Francisco this week for their triennial conclave.

Long before the hour appointed for the launching the visitors crowded the yards of the Union Iron works, the adjoining house-tops and the hills. Many took places of vantage hours before the vessel slid from the ways, and they patiently waited till the ship entered the brine. Even then they were loath to depart, many remaining for hours to watch the giant hull as it floated at anchor in the bay.

The launching party was given a place upon the large platform which had been built around the prow of the vessel. Miss Janet Mitchell, of Milwaukee, to whom had been given the honor of christening the cruiser, and Miss Lilly Jeffrey of this city, who had been chosen to touch the button that started the vessel on the ways, took positions within a few feet of the ship's prow.

Brief addresses appropriate to the occasion were delivered in behalf of the city of Milwaukee, the city of San Francisco, the United States navy and the Union Iron works. Hardly had the last of these been concluded than Miss Jeffery, at the bidding of her father, who is vice-president of the Union Iron works, touched the button that freed the big ship. The massive structure responded to the touch of the button like a thing of life and without the slightest jar started down the ways.

As it trembled on the move Miss Mitchell broke the bottle of wine upon the prow and in a clear, full voice said:

"I christen thee Milwaukee."

Gaining speed every moment, the great hull glided rapidly down the ways into the water. Simultaneously the crowd gave vent to a great cheer, which was soon drowned in the din created by the booming cannon and the blowing of whistles upon the countless craft in the bay.

Meanwhile the Milwaukee glided slowly out into the bay, raising a heavy swell before her. A few yards from the ways the big hull swung around and stood motionless, with her broadside toward the crowd. The workmen who had been stationed on board quickly dropped a hawser and made fast to a buoy. Then the spectators, realizing what a graceful vessel and formidable fighter the Milwaukee will be, broke forth in another mighty cheer.

The Milwaukee is a protected cruiser of 9,700 tons displacement and is a sister ship to the Charleston and St. Louis, which were authorized by the same act of congress. Her principal data is as follows: Length, 424 feet; extreme breadth, 66 feet; trial displacement, 9,700 tons mean draught at normal displacement, 23 feet 6 inches; engine, twin screw, 21,000 horse power speed 22 knots; normal coal supply, 650 ton; coal bunker capacity, 1500 tons.

The ship's armament is to be as follows: Fourteen 6-inch rapid-fire guns; 18 14-pounder rapid-fire guns; 12 3-pounder rapid-fire guns, four 1-pounder automatic guns, two 3-inch rapid-fire field guns, two machine guns, 30 caliber, and eight automatic guns, 30 caliber.

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The kitchen of this modern palace is the largest in the world, and is controled almost entirely by automatic devices. In the wine room, three stories below the street, are to be found every variety of wine and other beverages known to the taste of the epicurean.

CONDITIONS IN ALBERTA.

There Will Be a Shortage in Crops in Some Sections.

[Special to The Daily News]

Lethbridge, Sept. 10.—The returns to the formers and ranchers can be pretty well guessed for the season and on the whole the stockman will win out against the agriculturist. Cultivation is so recent that much of the land is not yet in a good state of tillage and except where the crop has been irrigated there will be a light average. Even over the whole of the irrigated land the crop will not be what it should be, owing to there not being sufficient preparation in distributing ditches to enable farmers to utilize the water promptly. Grain is a good crop in the Spring Coulee country and deliveries in car lots to the Raymond elevator have been going on for ten days. The price is some compensation for the light yield.

Beets in the Raymond district are a uniformly good crop. There are practically no failures and the factory, it is estimated, will have a ninety-day run. A considerable portion of the beet lands are worked in five and ten acre lots and the revenue from the cops will be of general benefit.

The dryness that shortened the grain crop ripened the prairie grass early. Growth began early in the spring and the dry weather just gave the grass crop the ripeness to make the cattle finish well and early. Beef in most districts is in very good condition. Last year only about forty per cent of the beef was taken out, but this year it will nearly all go. A considerable slump in price has occurred since the opening of the shipping season, which may lead to some being held over. The beef is easily a month ahead of last year in condition and as it includes some of ages that should have gone last year it is well matured and of pretty heavy weight. The Knight Sugar Company have shipped two consignments of over a thousand each, part of a five thousand head contract with P. Burns & Co., the first lot of which averaged 1430 lbs.

In sympathy with the drop in beef, mutton is not in the strongest demand. The cheapness of stock sheep in parts of Montana owing to short grass has also affected prices some here. The seasonable demand for it, however, for the British Columbia and local markets will use up more than the local supply at satisfactory prices.

There is a treat for our people who avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Miss Grace Bonner tomorrow night at the Methodist church. The Victoria Times says: Miss Bonner is not only an elocutionist of great ability, but she is also a skilled ventriloquist and a clever impersonator.

TENDERS WANTED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF KOOTENAY, HOLDEN AT NELSON

Between: — Alexander Campbell, Josiah Stanaway, John William Ronayne, Athol Fraser, William Moir, Thomas Jardine, and Thomas Adams, all of Kaslo, in the County of Kootenay, miners, Plaintiffs, and
The Ibex Mining and Development Company of Slocan, Limited Liability, Defendants.

Pursuant to the judgment or decree dated the 17th day of November, 1897, and the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, dated the 24th June, 1904, notice is hereby given that tenders will be received by me up to noon of the 10th day of October, 1904, for the purchase of the Ibex mineral claim, lot 1428, group One (1), to satisfy the said judgment for the sum of $1,406.25 and interest and costs.

The property is reputed to be a high grade silver-lead mine and is situated on Riddle creek, about fourteen miles west of Kootenay lake, in the Ainsworth Mining Division of West Kootenay district and has been crown granted.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated 3rd September, 1904.

E. T. H. SIMPKINS, Registrar.
Nelson, B. C.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land: Situate on the west bank of the Flathead river, district of Southeast Kootenay and adjoining Hugh B. Gilmour's coal and petroleum location on the north, commencing at a post marked J W Weart's coal and petroleum location, thence running north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence, east 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 30th July, 1904.

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

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JOSEPH MARTIN, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

HOWARD G. DUNCAN, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

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

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Located 30th July, 1904.

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

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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

Located 28th day of July, 1904.

JAMES MOORE, Locator.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION.

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

Located July 29th, 1904.

THOMAS HAMMOND, Locater.
JAMES MOORE, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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Located 28th day of July, 1904.

Per JAS. MOORE, Locator.

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Located 30th July, 1904.

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

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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Located 30th July, 1904.

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, September 10—If a woman does not dress becomingly and yet in perfect harmony with prevailing fashion nowadays, it surely must be her fault. Fashion is so liberal and tolerant in its rules and postulates, there is such an endless variety of patterns in the field, all in harmony with the general principles or arbitrary laws of fashion, but leaving ample room for the assertion of individual taste, that there is practically no excuse for a woman who does not look her best.

As a rule fashion favors not all women alike. Some fashions are exceedingly becoming to tall women, but accentuate in a most distressing way the defects of form in short and stout women; other fashions decidedly favor stout women while it hides and disguises the charms of her slighter sisters. But at the present time there are no restricting lines in fashions which would prevent it from being equally acceptable and becoming to both extremes. Variety is undoubtedly the keynote of present fashion. The sumer style offered quite a large variety of styles and forms, but the former have become even more diversified by the gradual introduction of new styles, which herald the coming of the fall season and will, probably, be characteristic features of coming fall fashions.

Although there is still considerable uncertainty concerning the details of the coming fall and winter fashions, some of the distinctive features are fairly well settled and women, who care to be up to date in their attire, will do well to take notice. The changes if there will be any in more elaborate dresses, dinner party and ball gowns will probably become manifest later on but the most striking change that will apear in tailor mades can already be told with consideroble certainty.

It may be said to be a foregone conclusion, that tailor mades will be built on simpler and severer lines than for some time. The latest models imported from Paris indicate a tendency to extreme plainness and tight fit. There seems to be a decided tendency to show as much of the feminine form and beauty of outline as will follow the curves of the body closely disguising the most fascinating curves as little as possible. The same will be true of the waists, vests and coats that will be worn during the fall. High busts will be made the rule and the garments will be required to fit like a glove.

One of the most characteristic features will be the tight fitting coats to be worn with tailor made suits. They will be exceedingly plain and severe in their lines, but the severity will be relieved to some extent by some clever touch of picturesque originality or individuality in the trimming or accessories. The coats will be in various lengths and patterns, but all will conform to the general idea more or less. Among the imported models are some single breasted three quarter length coats, which are intended to fit skin tight. Some have a flat collar, others are cut plain without a collar.

The puffed, baggy or flowing sleeves, with a great deal of trimming, seem to be doomed, so far as these coats are concerned. The new sleeves are remarkably plain and only a trifle fuller than they used to be two seasons ago. The coats are fastened with buttons or frogs and are made with or without small side pockets at the waist line. Some of the coats shown have a basque which reaches just below the hip curve and have no seam at the waist line. Some of the single breasted coats have vests, which are not visible, however, if the coat is fastened, unless in the form of a narrow strip around the collar.

Hand painted gowns, the latest wrinkle in elaborate evening and dinner fashions, promise to become all the rage among the women of the wealthier classes in this country. In Paris the samples that have been introduced in fashionable society have made a decided hit and it is stated on good authority that several wealthy American women have placed orders for such gowns with Paris artists. There is no reason why American artists shoul not be patronized as well. If the wealthy women of fashion take up the fad, it would mean quite a windfall to many struggling artists There may be a diversity of opinion regarding the economic policy of decorating gowns with hand paintings, but it cannot be denied that the fashion offers almost unlimited possibilities for the display of artistic taste, individuality and orginality. Some of the handpainted gowns shown in Paris are of exquisite beauty. The decorative motifs were invariably flowers, either true to nature or to some extent conventionalized. Only in a few cases birds and butterflies were introduced.

Authorities predict that velvet and velveteen will be worn a great deal during the coming fall and winter. There is quite a demand for both materials already and the dealers have not been slow in recognizing the drift of feminine taste. The market is well supplied with a wonderful variety of velvets, much thinner in texture and much more pliable than the old material used to be, and it is said, equally durable. One of the most charming materials is the new chiffon velvet, which will be used a great deal for elaborate gowns for evening wear. Velvet coats will probably be worn a great deal. During the past season velvet enjoyed remarkable popularity in London and Paris and it is safe to say that New York will follow the lead of the great European fashion centres in that respect.

Although it is still quite warm and rather early to think of winter styles, the large houses in Paris are already showing samples of their winter goods, including furs. There is good reason to believe that beaver will be much worn this winter. Sable, ermine, Seal, chinchilla and caracul will also be great favorites. Next come the broadtail fox, skunk, mink and marten.

It seems that muffs will not be in great demand next winter. At least only a few models have been shown in Paris so far and these are mostly large and of the flat variety. In other respects there will be but little change in styles.

For decorating hats for fall wear ribbon will be used in every conceivable manner. They will be introduced in the flat form, as bows, rosettes, cockades, ruchings and every other way. Fruits and berries and even nuts will be used a great deal, accompanied by foliage in imitation of nature or in velvet. Feathers, particularly ostrich feathers and paradise plumes will also be used for trimming hats, particularly those of the large and picturesque kind.

It is stated on good authority that mitts will once more become fashionable during the coming season. Their return to favor is probably due to the Marie Antoinette sleeves, which have been worn a great deal all summer and will undoubtedly be the most fashionable sleeves for evening dresses this fall and winter. Some of the samples in white or black silk, imported from Paris are of exquisite texture and most beautifully embroidered on the back.

ESTELLE CLAIREMONT.

CHURCH SERVICES

Anglican—St. Saviour's church, corner of Ward and Silica sts. Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion 8 a.m.; morning prayer and ante-communion 11 a.m., preacher, the right reverend, the bishop of Kootenay; 2:30 p.m., address by the bishop; evensong 7:30 p.m., preacher Rev. A. Fletcher, M.A., rector of Holy Trinity church, Covena, Los Angeles county, California.

Catholic—Church of Mary Immaculate, corner of Ward and Mill streets. Low mass at 8 a.m.; high mass at 10:30 a.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m. Rev. Father Althoff, priest.

Salvation Army—Barracks on Victoria street, west of Josephine. The following services will be held today: Knee drill, 7 a.m.; holiness meeting, 11 a.m.; a praise meeting at 3 p.m.; Salvation meeting at 8 p.m.

Presbyterian Church—St. Paul's, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Rev. J. T. Ferguson, pastor.

Emmanuel Congregational Church—E. H. H. Holman, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. morning topic, "The Church and the Kingdom," evening, "Neglect."

Baptist Church—Stanley street, near Mill. Morning service at 11; evening service at 7:30; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m

Methodist—Regular morning and evening services at 11 and 7:30; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p.m. Strangers welcome. Rev. W. W. Baer Pastor, morning subject, "Faith or Belief, Which?," evening, "Things that may be Known About God a Why Men Become Infidels."

SOME MORE "ECHOES"

Editor The Daily News—In listening to the Echoes one is tempted to ask in what sense is the statement that the railway commission can have no jurisdiction over the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways to be understood?

The Great Northern, for instance, is not in Canada without the sanction of the Canadian government, and it cannot operate a mile of road in Canada without coming under the authority of the railway commission, hence it seems improbable that it can carry freight from Vancouver, Winnipeg or Toronto to Nelson without having its rates as much subject to adjustment by the commission as are those of the C.P.R.

The Great Northern, it appears, was practically unrepresented at the meeting the other day. Was this contempt or defiance of the railway commission, or was it rather an intimation that, in this district, its officers acknowledge the dominance of the C.P.R., that they know their case must stand or fall with that of the C.P.R. and that they tender in advance their submission to any ruling that the commission may see fit to make?

The C.P.R. officials, it seems, claimed that they haul freight through Nelson and on to Rossland without any additional charge under compulsion of the G.N. also that they haul freight from the main line via Rosebery to Sandon, and charge 42 cents per 100 pounds more than to Nelson, under compulsion of the Great Northern.

As one never suspects a C.P.R. official of saying anything that is puerile or childish, the wonder arises whether this can possibly be of the family of the form of expression defined by the boy as being "An abomination unto the Lord, and a very present help in time of trouble."

The law is new, the commission is new, and upon its initial tour. The point raised in Nelson:

Does the law mean what it appears to say, that theres shall be no discrimination as between localities, and none as between classes of shippers; may be new, and a decision upon it may be far reaching in its effects, but in the selection of men to st upon the commission and in the extraordinary powers with which it has been clothed, parliament has sufficiently indicated its expectation that when the commission sits there will be "something doing." Yours truly, C. D.

Kaslo, September 10th.

SKYLARK DEAL CLOSED

[Special to The Daily News]

Greenwood, Sept. 10.—An apparently well authenticated report is current here that a deal has been effected whereby O. B. Smith and associates have obtained control of the Skylark claim in Skylark camp about two miles south of Greenwood.

Mr. Smith is superintendent of the Granby mines at Phoenix.

The Skylark lies on the Cascade Power company's line to Greenwood. Several parties have tried to secure the property during the last year without success.

The Skylark was located in 1893 and several tons of ore running high in value were shipped out by wagon. The ore runs as high as $15.00 to $20.00 in gold and from 150 to 300 ounces in silver. The property was owned by the Spokane and Great Northern company and was controlled by C. E. Reuget of Butte.

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WILL TALK ELECTION.

[Special to The Daily News]

Otawa, Sept. 10.—Premier Laurier will be here on Monday and there will be a meeting of the cabinet on Tuesday. It is likely that the question of general elections wil lbe talked over then. So far it has not come before the cabinet.

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Commencing at a post marked southwest corner post of F. W. Hall's land"; thence running east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 8th day of June, 1904.
Dated June 14th, 1904.
F. W. HALL, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Commencing at a post marked "southeast corner post of Alexander F. McCrimmon's land"; thence running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 8th day of June, 1904.
Dated June 14th, 1904.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.
ALEXANDER F. McCRIMMON, Locator.

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Commencing at a post marked "southeast corner of John Raymond's land"; thence running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 8th day of June, 1904.
Dated June 14th, 1904.
JOHN RAYMOND, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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Commencing at a post marked "north west corner of John William Speed's land" thence running east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located 8th day of June, 1904.
Dated June 14th, 1904.
JOHN WILLIAM SPEED, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Grand Fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located—On Toad mountain, bounded on the north by "Great Eastern" and Crown lands, on the south by "Jessie" and "Victoria," on the east by "Bid" and on the west by "Great Eastern" mineral claim and Crown lands.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Edmund C. Wragge, as agent for the Hall Mining and Smelting Company, Limited, Free Miner's Certificate No. 81640, intend, 60 days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining the Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

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CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT

Crow Foot, Blind Canyon, Centre Star, Red Man, Johnnie and Twilight mineral claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Diision of West Kootenay district. Where located—Adjoining the Dundee mine, near Ymir.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Kenneth L. Burnet of Rossland, agent for J. S. C. Fraser, F.M.C. No. B75740; Thomas Flynn, F.M.C. No. B75488 and Thomas H. Armstrong, as administrator for Hugh Morrison, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this fourteenth day of July, 1904.
KENNETH L. BURNET, P.L.S.

LAND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I ntend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase 200 acres of land more or less in the West Kootenay District, described as follows: Commencing at a post the northwest corner of lot 1238, Group 1, which is marked Charles Scott's southeast corner and running thence west 60 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 40 chains to the west boundary of lot 1239, Group 1, thence south along said west boundary 40 chains, to place of beginning.

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of the location.

Placer Mining.—Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory.—Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee, $5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory.—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged beds or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

Coal.—Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

Quartz.—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1500x1500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end of the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2 1-2 per cent of the sales of the products

Dredging in the Yukon Territory.—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miners for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged beds or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, $100 per mile for first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory.—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days, if the claim is within ten miles of a mining recorder's office. One extra day is allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee, $10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying fee of $2. A claim may be abandoned, and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $300.

A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Petroleum.—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and within the Yukon Territory are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 640 acres. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well and such other land as may be determined, will be sold to the discoverer at the rate of $1.00 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, February, 1904.

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OSPEROUS PRAIRIES

BROCK SAYS FARMERS ARE GETTING GOOD PRICES.

PLIMENTS B. C. ON THE PRO-GRESS IT IS MAKING.

H. Brock, managing director of the West Life Assurance Co., of Win-g, is in town on his return from his al tour of the Province. Mr. Brock been in the insurance business in nipeg since 1880 when he and J. C. thers started the firm of Cruthers rock. In 1897 Mr. Brock became anaging director of the Great West has been with that company ever

r. Brock was seen by a Daily News rter in the office of his local agents, srs. Brydges, Blakemore & Cameron, gave some of his impressions of the ern Canadian country. He said: "The wheat crop this year will be ve the average though slightly less he acre than last year. It is esti-ed that 58,000,000 bushels of wheat be threshed. The average yield of at for the last ten years has been bushels to the acre; this year the rage will be 20, and when one con-rs that the farmers are getting m 95 cents to $1 a bushel for their 1 hard wheat, and 93 to 98 cents for r No. northern, the crop of 1904 l yield the farmer more money than crop of 1903 which only averaged cents per bushel. Some farmers in lying districts in Manitoba have ered somewhat from rust but as a eral rule this has been a good year. the district lying between Calgary Edmonton the oldest settlers say t this year's crop is the best in 20 years. In southern Alberta around Pincher creek the fall wheat will average 25 bushels to the acre, in fact, fall wheat is an established fact and spring wheat in that district is a thing of the past. On the ranges this has been a great year for stock. It has been dry and the grass has cured in good shape so that the winter range will be good."

Speaking of the class af settlers coming into the prairie country, Mr. Brock said: "From the states we are getting the very best of people, all with more or less capital. Some of these are buying improved farms, but the majority are buying wild land and breaking up large tracts of it. All of these people are experienced wheat growers, many of them coming from Minnesota, Nebraska, the Dakotas and Iowa.

"The main topic of conversation just now is the advent of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Work will commence next spring at Winnipeg, building west, and at Edmonton, building east, and it is quite possible that work will be begun on the (past to Edmonton section at the same time."

As to British Columbia, Mr. Brock remarked: "I am glad to see evidence of improvement in the Kootenays since I was here last year. Things look very much brighter and with the grit you people have got and have shown you are bound to forge to the front. I am glad to see such active interest displayed in the matter of fruit growing. You have a great fruit country and this natural resource should be encouraged for all it is worth. Our company does a large business in this province and your prosperity is ours."

MIGHT STRAIN FRENCH CREDIT

Paris, Sept. 10.—One of the bankers who made the recent French loans to Russia says that considerable time must necessarily elapse before Russia can safely apply again to the French market. Russian credit continues good, but the financiers of St. Petersburg and Paris recognize that it would not be wise to strain French credit and, therefore, the overtures for another loan were recently addressed to Berlin instead of Paris. The Russians bonds of 1904 made the highest record, 509, today. Several of the Balkan states are seeking French loans.

THE FALL FRUIT FAIR

ATTRACTIONS OF ALL KINDS INCLUDING BASEBALL

HOW THE EXHIBITS WILL BE ARRANGED IN THE BUILDING

Those who have been throught the new fair buildings are loud in their praise of the way in which architect Carrie has designed it. The buildings are well lighted and from the gallery the spectators will have an excellent view of the thousands of articles that will go to make up the exhibition. The north wing will be devoted to poultry and pet stock and the north side of the main building will be allotted to the merchants and manufacturers' display of their wares and merchandise. The south side will contain the fancy work, paintings and curios while the centre of the building will be devoted to fruits, vegetables, flowers and the great mineral exhibit, this latter the largest and best that has ever been shown in the Kootenays.

Among the outdoor attractions which secretary Annable is making a big feature of will be "Cyclone" in the devil's chimney. In this Cyclone climbs the chimney on his bicycle and is said to be a greater attraction than the famous "loop the loop."

Cole & Cole, the great trapeze artists. The Loyarras, with their wonderful globe. Professor Leonard with the balloon ascension and his sensational parachute drop and the Gurdells will give an up to date performance in wire walking on roller skates on a light wire.

A great baseball match has been arranged between Trail and Fernie for the championship of the Kootenays and $500 is said to have been already wagered on the result. No doubt these are the two best baseball teams in the interior and a great deal of interest will be taken in the game.

QUESTION IS ANSWERED.

Children in Rural Districts Must Go to Rural Schools.

The following communications from the superintendent of education to Dr. E. C. Arthur, secretary of the Nelson board of trustees explain themselves to a certain extent:

Victoria, August 11, 1903.

Dear Sir or Madam,—I beg to direct your attention particularly to the regulation embodied in this circular, which regulation has been approved by the Hon. the council of public instruction, in addition to those already made and established for the government of public schools in this province:

Clause 1.—All children of school age residing in the vicinity of and outside a city school district but within a rural district having a graded school, or within reach of the same, shall be required to attend such school.

Clause 2.—Senior grade pupils of a rural district with one teacher and adjacent to a city district may, with the consent of the board of school trustees of that city, be allowed to attend the senior classes of the city schols.

Clause 3.—With the exception noted in clause 2 of this article, all pupils must attend the school or schools in the district in which their parents respectively reside.

Note.—Nothing in this article is intended to conflict with the right of parents residing in a district which is without a High school to send their children elsewhere throughout the province for High school training.

I have the honor to be, your obedient servant, ALEXANDER ROBINSON, Superintendent of Education.

Victoria, September 6, 1904.

E. C. Arthur, Esq., M. D., Sec. School Board, Nelson, B.C.:

Dear Sir—It has been brought to the attention of this department that several children belonging to the Hume school district are in attendance at the Nelson city school. I beg to bring to your notice the regulation regarding this matter (copy enclosed), and to request that you instruct every teacher in the Nelson city schools that he must not receive any pupil who properly belongs to the Hume school, also that if any such children are at present attending they must be dismissed at once and instructed to return to their own district school.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant, ALEXANDER ROBINSON, Superintendent of Education.

J. A. Irwin, principal of the Hume school, was shown the above circulars, and explained that the Hume school's outbuildings are in a very unsanitary condition and the grants for expenses of rural schools are utterly inadequate for their needs. Mr. Irwin drew attention to these facts in a letter to the department, and to emphasize his statement, mentioned that children were leaving. Mr. Irwin has no complaint if children or their parents prefer the city schools, but aimed only at securing aid in ameliorating conditions at his own school.

But the school law as stated must be enforced and the Nelson teachers have been instructed to enforce it.

CITY SHORT OF WATER.

Use of the Fluid in Motors Will Have To Be Cut Down.

The city engineer stated to a reporter of The Daily News yesterday that a verbal notice had been given to all users of water motors that after the 1st of October water power may be cut off any time. Mr. McCulloch added that the present water power at the disposal of the city was hardly adequate to the demands made upon it. It might serve during the period of high water, but was certain to require retrenchment during the winter.

Speaking on the present basis, that is, with the available water supply as at present, it will be necessary for users of water motors to find other sources of power. Ample notice will be given to all and no hardship worked upon any. But the privilege of running machines by the power of water supplied by the city has been extended without any definite plan and will certainly have to be curtailed.

OBJECT TO CECILIA.

Berlin, Sept. 10.—The Protestant provincial newspapers suggest to the government that the betrothed wife of the crown prince Frederick William, the duchess Cecilia, ought not to be called Cecilia after her marriage. They regard this as an objectionable name for a Prussian queen and a German empress, because it is associated with a Catholic saint, and many Catholic churches are named after her. The subject is discussed earnestly and it is proposed that the duchess take one of her other names, Augusta for example.

LORD MINTO AT CALGARY.

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—Neil Smith, of the city, was killed at Moose Jaw yards, falling on the rails and the passenger train running over him.

Lord Minto visited Calgary yesterday and laid the corner stone of the Western Canada college and Anglican cathedral. He left in the evening for Edmonton.

Ex-premier W. H. Irvine, of Melbourne, Australia, is in the city returning home from England.

TWO PEACEFUL DAYS.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 10.—The emperor has received the following despatch from general Kouropatkin dated yesterday: "No fighting has taken place in the sphere of operations and the enemy showed no perceptible activity on Sept. 8 or 9. Heavy rains continue, which does not permit of the road drying up or of their being repaired."

WILL SEE THE SIGHTS

General Prince Fushimi to Visit the St. Louis Fair

Tokio, Septecber 10—Lieutenant-general prince Fushimi will sail for America on the steamship Manchurian in October. Prince Fushimi will visit the St. Louis fair and Washington as the special representative of the emperor of Japan. Prince Fushimi commanded the first division at the battle of Nanshan Hill. He has returned to Tokio to make this trip at the request of the emperor. He will remain in America one month and be accompanied by a numerous suite. It is probable that lieutenant-general Hastgawa, commander-in-chief of the imperial guards division, will be promoted to a generalship and be appointed military governor of that portion of Manchuria occupied by Japan.

PULLEN-CUMMINS

The marriage of Frank Pulein and Miss Gladys Cumins took place on Tuesday, September 5th at 10 a.m. in St. Jude's church, Oakville, Ont., from the house of Mrs. Pullen. The bride was attired in a white silk dress, trimmed with lace and wore a white chiffon hat and brooch of pearls and carried a shower bouquet of white roses, both gifts of the bridegroom. Miss Jean Cavers attended as maid of honor, attired in white and wearing a gold and pearl pin the gift of the bridegroom. Owing to a very recent bereavement in Mrs. Pullen's family the marriage was a very quiet one. The bride's mother attended the marriage, Mr. John Lounsborough supported the groom. The ceremony was performed by the aged canon Warrell, late rector of St. Jude's, assisted by Rev. John Wallace, the present rector of the parish. The bride and bridegroom were the recipients of many handsome presents. After cutting the cake, the happy couple left for Stony lake to spend their honeymoon.

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There will be class firing today by the R.M.R. at the range and a regular full company drill tomorrow night.

The railway commission and their party left yestreday morning for Procter to meet the houseboat on which the party spent yesterday.

Rev. J. LeRoy Sloat of Cranbrook, will preach at the Baptist church today. Morning subject, "A Great Vision", evening subject, "A Great Call."

W. W. Tuttle of Fernie, is here on his way home from Spokane. He is leaving this morning, accompanied by Mrs. Tuttle, who has been in Nelson during the illness of Mrs. Blakemore.

The fire department had a practise run at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, to box 32 on Stanley street. The run was for the purpose of trying the new horse which is now thoroughly capable, of holding down his job.

Norman C. Stewart has gone to Cascade to take charge of the public school there. Mr. Stewart has been a student of the Nelson high school since its opening and has passed the examinations entitling him to a life certificate.

F. Stock returned from the Cripple Stick mine at Slocan City yesterday. He has been there for the past few days setting a gang of men to work. Things are looking well at the mine and Mr. Stock will increase the force very shortly.

Rev. A. Fletcher, M.A., of Corvina, Los Angeles county, California, is at the Queens and will preach at St. Saviour's church this evening. Mr. Fletcher has been spending the summer at Trout Lake taking that parish during the absence of the rector.

J. J. Shea of the Kaslo & Slocan railway, at Kaslo, will be united in marriage to Miss Alice Williams at St. Saviour's church today at 5 p.m. Only the intimate friends of the contracting parties will be present. Mr. and Mrs. Shea will make their home in Kaslo

W. M. Wood of the Rossland customs house, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Kootenay Lake general hospital a few weeks ago, was able to be out on Friday and yesterday. He is making a rapid recovery and soon will be able to return to Rossland.

H. Ferry, who has been dining car conductor on the Boundary run for the past year and who has made many friends during the time, leaves for Montreal Monday morning. He has been summoned to Montreal to take another position in the dining car service of the C.P.R.

R. G. McLeod is back from Seattle and is registered at the Queens. He was very successful in placing the stock of the Spyglass Mining Company. While in Spokane he saw Dr. G. S. Armstrong, one of the directors of the Spyglass, who will visit the property in the course of a week or two.

Lance Gilchrist was at Crawford bay for the past two days and during that time killed 30 fine grouse. Included in the number were two blue grouse The birds are in fine condition and there are plenty of them. He says he did not meet another hunter over there. This is the biggest single bag made this season.

Miss Grace Bonner, a talented elocutionist from Philadelphia, will present her famous character sketch and impersonation, "Esmeralda," in the Methodist church on Monday evening. Miss Bonner has been before the public as a entertainer for six years and while she is for the first time is Kootenay, she carries unexceptionable recommendation and will no doubt delight her audience here as elsewhere. Esmeralda is a drama in four acts and affords scope for the elocutionist to exhibit her marvelous ventriloquial powers.

Rev. W. W. Baer begins this evening in the Methodist church a series of sermons which he calls "The Infidel Factory," and which deals with some of the things that may be known about the Creator. They are for young and old men too who have wandered away from the foundations of faith and have no hope in the world.

C. A. Ulrich, the New Zealand mining man has just issued a circular letter in connection with the British Columbia Mining & Industrial Investment Syndicate, Limited, anouncing the fact that the syndicate has acquired the Great Hope and Alma claims at Crawford bay, and setting forth the policy which the company will pursue.

J. G. Wilson, the well known representative of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company is at the Hume. Mr. Wilson says that the wheat crop in Manitoba and Assiniboia is over the average and that owing to the drought in northern Minnesota and the two Dakotas the demand for Manitoba No. 1 hard and No. 1 northern will greatly exced the supply.

In the police court yesterday morning William Boothie pleaded guilty to two charges of theft and police magistrate Crease sentenced him on each count to one month's hard labor. An Indian who was charged with exposing grouse for sale pleaded guilty, but explained his innocence of wilful law breaking and on promising to observe the law in the future and to warn his friends to do the same, he was dismissed by the magistrate.

W. H. Whimpster, police magistrate of Fernie, was seen at the Queens yesterday by The Daily News reporter. He is here on business and returns to Fernie on the Crow boat this morning. Mr. Whimpster said that until day before yesterday the country around Fernie had been one mass of smoke owing to the fires set out by the right of way gangs on the Great Northern, but a rain came at the beginning of the week and for the first time in three weeks the Lizard range of mountains could be seen. "The new municipality is getting along well," said Mr. Whimpster. "Of course, there are some kicks, but no town council can get along without them."

BROKEN HILL COMPANY

A New Director Elected—Gold Brick Worth $2400

The annual meeting of the Broken Hill Mining Company was held on Monday September 5th, and the old board of directors were elected with the addition of Edward A. King of Chicago, says the Ymir Herald. The board will meet shortly to decide upon a course of operation for the immediate future.

A brick valued at $2400 was shipped from the mine early this week, to the dominion assay office at Vancouver. In the meantime development work is progressing in No. 6 tunnel and there is now from 16 to 18 inches of high grade ore in the fact. The raise has been completed from No. 6 to the portal of No. 7, a distance of 52 feet, and is in good ore all the way. The mill will be fed from the stope opened up by this raise, during the present month, and as the average value is well over $15, the return for the month is expected to be above the average.

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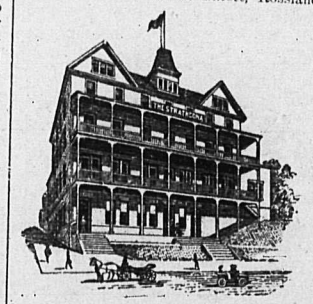

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UNIVERSITY CLUB

Interesting Paper on "Informal Creeds" Read and Debated

The University club met in the Success club building last night. In the absence of president A. L. McKillop, Rev. F. H. Graham occupied the chair. Among the visitors were his lordship, the bishop of Kootenay and Rev. A. Fletcher of Los Angeles.

A paper on "Informal Creeds" was read and an animated discussion followed, in which the clerical visitors, Rev. J. T. Ferguson, Rev. F. H. Graham and W. J. Baird, M.A., took part. The subject of the paper was felt to be too wide for close debate but very suggestive of thought, and the general substance of the comment was in agreement with the substance of the paper, which set forth as essentials of faith, belief in God, in a purpose of creation, in man's immortality and in the divinity of Christ

At the next meeting, which will occur on the 8th of October, Dr. E. C. Arthur will read a paper.

FIVE METALS PROPERTY

Wm. Blakemore, M. E., Considers it a Valuable Property

William Blakemore, M.E., returned last evening from the east side of Kootenay lake where he has spent several days inspecting the property of the Five Metals Mining Company. The property consists of nine claims situate northeast of Crawford bay and near the divide between the waters of Kootenay lake and St. Mary's river. The property consists of a very wide ledge of highly mineralized rock between the country rock, which is lime stone. and a porphyry dyke. The surface shows galena, with high values in silver. Three tunnels have been driven on the property and a shaft has been sunk. Mr. Blakemore thiks that eventually the highest values in the mine will be found in the grey copper which occurrs some distance below the surface.

Three samples have been assayed with very satisfactory results and Mr. Blakemore says that while practically only the surface is yet touched, the property promises as well as anything in British Columbia. The property was located by Jas. P. Redding of this city, who has organized a company to operate it, consisting largely of his old associates of the Coeur d'Alenes. One of the directors, Dr. Brockman of Spokane, accompanied Mr. Blakemore on his trip of inspection.

BARTLETT—W. Tighe. D. R. Jones, A. Todd, Venus mine; J. S. Napier, Port Hill; E. Hitchins, Black Prince mine.

LAKEVIEW—S. Whitford, J. Jones, R. L. McDonald, Venus mine; J. R. Starr, Spokane; L. B. Johnson, Erie.

ROYAL—K. E. Lanyon, Ymir; Miss Williamms, Michel; H. Williams, Robson; W. F. Spencer, A. H. Howays, Spokane.

MADDEN—R. R. Dougan, 49 creek; R. B. Hulmore, Sandon; M. P. Andrew, Kaslo; J. Kilray, Slocan.

NELSON—L. B. Smith, Winnipeg; J. B. McDonald, Ymir; L B Johnson, Vancouver.

THE KAMLOOPS FAIR

Kamloops, Sept 10—An enthusiastic meeting of the directors of the Kamloops Agricultural Association was held today, when final arrangements were made for the fall fair, September 27th to 30th, besides two days' horse racing, a polo match, the engagement o the Fith regiment Canadian artillery band and the Harold Nelson dramatic company, as special attractions, the directors decided to have championship lacrosse matches and gun club tournament. One hundred and twenty entries by exhibitors was received today and indications point to the present building accommodations being inadequate and arrangements were made to erect further buildings.

Twenty horses are in training here now and additional strings are coming from Indian Head, Calgary, Armstrong, Vernon and Vancouver. The stock exhibit promises to be the largest and the best ever seen in the interior.

IS AGAIN MANAGER

Paul S. Coudrey is again manager of the Le Roi No. 2 at Rossland. He will retain the manangement until about Christmas, when he leaves to go to New South Wales and West Australia in the interests of Alxander, Hill & Sewart, the great firm of consulting engineers, who were responsible for his coming to Rossland in the first place.

STEAMER SINKING

Washington, Sept. 10 — The exposition steamer River Queen, which left her dock this evening for a trip to Indian Head, collided with a lumber scow near Alexandria, Va., and is reported to be slowly sinking. She had on board a number of excursionists. It is not known whether any lives were lost. Assistance has been sent to the scene.

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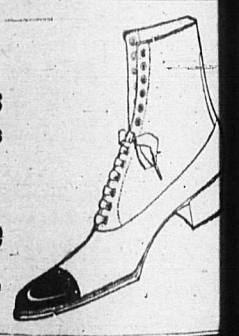

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