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ALL EYES ON LIAO YANG

Where Gen. Kouropatkin Will Make His Last Stand

Russians Have 200,000 Men, and Many of Them Are From Europe-Japanese Will Soon Strike

St. Petersburg, Aug. 6.—General Kouropatkin's report of the small shifting of Japanese, with unimportant skirmishing, bringing the military situation up to August 4, is just about what was expected by the authorities here.

It is believed, however, that the lull in the fighting has lasted about as long as possible and that the forces around Liao Yang are now on the eve of a desperate and decisive engagement. The pause of the past few days is believed to have been long enough to enable the Japanese to assume their formation, bringing up supplies and make ready for a grand assault upon the powerful positions girding Liao Yang, and the battle of the war is hourly expected to occur. The issue of such importance momentarily eclipses the fate of Port Arthur. The fall of that place is not expected to affect the immediate destinies of the campaign, but Liao Yang is closely tied up with the fortunes of the whole war. The loss of such a position, with its vast accumulations of stores, would immediately and perhaps irreparably endanger the Russian position in Manchuria. The military authorities do not entertain the slightest doubt of general Kouropatkin's ability to repulse an attempt to capture and cut off Liao Yang. The defense there has an immense advantage, operating within the small radius of 20 miles, thus enabling general Kouropatkin to reinforce promptly any weak point. The army at his disposal is estimated at 150 battalions, besides cavalry and artillery, altogether not far short of 200,000 men. The picked of general Kouropatkin's troops, the newly arrived European regiments, are stationed at Anping. Experts at the war office are discussing the probable course of the impending operations. They say that the Japanese will try to capture either Anping or Anshanshan, whence they will be able to strike Liao Yang; and think it more likely that Anshanshan will be selected because that place is in the line of advance of generals Oku and Nodzu's armies and must be captured before an attempt is made to flank Liao Yang from the westward. The diminished interest in the Port Arthur situation, in view of the vast importance of Liao Yang, is due in some measure to the complete absence of official news from lieutenant general Stoessel, commander of the Russian military forces at Port Arthur, and rear admiral Withoft, in command of the Port Arthur naval force.

PORT ARTHUR DOOMED.

Russian Authority Says It Cannot Last Very Long.

Che Foo, Aug. 6.—"Port Arthur will certainly fall inside of one or two months, depending on how fast the Japanese move," was an opinion expressed today by an educated Russian, who has just arrived from Port Arthur by junk. The Russian who voiced the foregoing opinion occupied an important semi-official position at Port Arthur, and his view was regarded as valuable. He says that while the Japanese constantly receive reinforcements, every Russian casualty decreases the defensive strength of the garrison, as the Russians cannot be reinforced. The Russians are compelled to husband their ammunition. They can manufacture shells but it is impossible to make proper explosives. The necessity of protecting the men for the final stand explains the retreat of the Russians from the strong outpost positions where their losses were far less serious than those sustained by the assailants.

JAPANESE ARE SUPERIOR.

Proved Themselves the Better Soldiers at Mo Tien Pass.

Mo Tien Pass, July 5, via San Francisco, Aug. 6.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—"Night fighting is the test of soldiers," remarked one of the foreign attaches when he visited the scene of yesterday's bloody affair. "And the Japanese certainly have proved their quality this time." Probably no incident of the war has placed the Japanese soldiers in a more trying situation than the night attack at Mo Tien pass, and nowhere have they gained a more complete victory against disadvantages. This was the first occasion when a correspondent of the Associated Press was able to see the conduct of the soldiers on the field and their treatment of wounded and captured enemies during the heat of fighting. Whatever reasons of military policy may render it desirable, there certainly is nothing in the actions of its soldiers that need make the Japanese government want to keep spectators to the rear.

The Japanese soldiers are heavier men than the average of most European armies, but the Russians in the 10th and 24th east Siberian regiments are larger and the beards which most of them wear, after a season of campaigning, give them a particularly fierce appearance.

The attack appears to have been another of those blunders which like the incomplete defence of the Yalu wasted lives without result. Had the Russians been informed of the positions and strength of the Japanese they must have known that they never had a chance of success. The engagement was merely an outpost affair, but it was typical of the modes and abilities of the two armies.

MESSAGE FROM RUSSIA.

Informs U. S. of Action in Regard to the Arabia.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 6.—Russia has communicated to the United States the decision of the Vladivostock prize court on August 4th, in the case of the Portland and Asiatic line steamer Arabia, captured by the armored cruiser Gromoboi, of the Vladivostock squadron on July 22, confiscating such part of the cargo as was consigned to Japanese ports. Russia's position as to contraband as stated to the Associated Press by an official, who speaks by authority, is as follows:

"Foodstuffs consigned to an enemy's port in sufficient quantity to create the presumption that it is intended for the use of the government's military or naval forces, is prima facie contraband and sufficient to warrant holding it for the decision of a prize court. Even if consigned to private firms the burden of proof that it is not intended for the government rests upon the consignor and consignee. If it can be proved that it is intended for non-combatants it will not be confiscated. Small consignments of foodstuffs in mixed cargoes will be considered presumptively to be regular trade shipments and will not be seized as contraband."

Russia has not yet replied to Great Britain, regarding the latter's protest on the subject.

PASSAGE OF DARDANELLES.

Believed That Turkey Will Allow Russain Boats to Pass.

Constantinople, Aug. 6.—Russia's notification to the Porte of the impending passage of the Dardanelles by some vessels of the volunteer fleet, laden with coal, accompanied by assurances that the vessels would preserve the character of merchantmen throughout the voyage, was communicated verbally by the Russian ambassador here, M. Zinoveff, to the Turkish government and by foreign minister Lamsdorff to the Ottoman ambassador at St. Petersburg. The Porte asks for a declaration in writing to which Russia objects. It is believed that Turkey ultimately will accept the verbal assurances.

ONE WAS A GENERAL.

Seven Officers Killed and 40 Wounded During Recent Battle.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 5.—The Army Organ today published the names of the officers killed or wounded on July 31 and August 1, showing that seven were killed and 40 wounded, including general Dekenlein, commanding the 31st artillery brigade, in addition to eight officers missing and one officer who died from sunstroke. The paper does not say this is a complete list. The officers are from the 13th infantry regiments, of which four are east Siberian regiments belonging to the late general Keller's corps, five European regiments, belonging to the 10th corps, and four regiments, in all 48 battalions.

IMPORTANT BATTLE FOUGHT.

Japanese Losses Said to Be Between 10,000 and 13,000.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 6.—A despatch to the Bourse Gazette from Liao Yang says that another great battle has been fought in the neighborhood of Routsiatze, on the railroad 14 miles west of Liao Yang, in which the Japanese losses are estimated to have been from 10,000 to 13,000 and the Russian losses insignificant.

The Liao Yang despatch to the Bourse Gazette is believed to refer to the fighting of July 30, 31st, and August 1. The war office has not received any reports of later fighting and points out that Houtsiatze is a couple of miles westward of Yushu pass from whence the Russians fell back on Anping after the battle of July 31.

NEED THE POWDER AND CAPS

Russian Cruisers Chasing a Steamer With Ammunition

London, Aug. 6.—The Daily Illustrated Mirror says that two Russian cruisers have left the Baltic sea and are chasing a steamer which left England on July 30 for Canada, carrying ammunition destined for Yokohama by way of the Canadian Pacific railway.

ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

The Japanese Finally Captured Wolf's Mountain.

Che Foo Aug. 6.—A newspaper published at Port Arthur, and which was brought in here today, gives fragmentary details of the recent heavy fighting.

The Japanese artillery opened a desultory fire on the afternoon of July 25th. That night the Russians slept on their arms in the trenches. They occupied a line 16 miles long. The next morning, July 26, the fog cleared away, at 8 o'clock the Japanese began to fire along the entire line. This fire was kept up until dark. The Japanese marksmanship was most accurate, showing that they had derived benefit from the practice of the preceding day. Their heaviest fire was directed against the batteries which included the 12-inch naval guns commanded by prince Tscheidse and captain Skrydloff. A perfect shower of shells hit the earthworks or went screeching into the valley behind. The hottest fighting began at daybreak of July 27. The battle commenced under the rays of a scorching sun. The Russian right wing was commanded by major general Kondratenko, who was compelled to undergo the brunt of the terific cannonading. To this fierce fire the Russians replied with deliberation. The naval battery was again made the target for the heaviest fire and it was evident that the Japanese were trying to silence the most dangerous Russian position. A perfect shower of shrapnel was thrown into the valley behind the Russian batteries, when major general Kondratenko remarked that the Japanese evidently believed that the Russian reserves were in the valley. From the naval guns, observers occasionally saw shells bursting near the other batteries. As the day wore on, the activity of the Japanese fire increased. In the meanwhile the Russian infantry, passive witnesses of the artillery duel, lay in their trenches, awaiting an attack. They were well protected, but a few shells fell among them. At 9 o'clock volley firing gave warning of the Japanese assault, and as the Japanese infantrymen advanced the Japanese artillery fire slackened somewhat, but the Russian batteries replied with increased vigor while the Russian riflemen volleyed rapidly aid with great animation. For an hour the Japanese advanced intrepidly in the face of a fire which is described as a thousand volleys in simultaneous action. The Japanese advance against the Russian right wing ceased and the Russians cheered, but at this moment news arrived from general Stoessel, the commander in chief at Port Arthur, announcing that the terrific pounding to which the Russian right wing had been subjected was nothing more than a mask to cover the concentration of the Japanese troops preparatory to an attack upon the Russian left wing, of which Wolf's mountain was the key.

General Stoessel commended the presence of major general Kondratenko who, with his staff, mounted his horse, and at once started to join the commander in chief. After having ridden a short distance major general Kondratenko was compelled to choose between two roads, one long and safe from the fire of the enemy, and the other a short one and leading through a shell swept valley. "God favors the brave," remarked the general, and he and his staff galloped safely over the dangerous road. At noon on July 27, the Japanese, who had been attacking, suddenly ceased fire and as was presently observed, with the aid of field glasses the enemy began quietly eating rice. After this the right wing was reminded of the presence of the Japanese by the descent of a huge shell, but the worst was over. In the meanwhile the main attack which resulted in the capture of Wolf's mountain had been develoned. During the fighting of these three days the Russians used telephones for communication with all parts of the field.

ON SLAUGHT ON BRITAIN.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 6.—The Sviet, which formerly was extremely anglophobe, but which latterly has shown a tendency to avoid the subject of Russo-British relations this morning prints a bitter onslaught against Great Britain on the subject of the steamer Malacca and other recent incidents, charging Great Britain again with seeking to balk Russia, saying that she is taking advantage of Russia's situation to irritate her as much as possible and also to press forward in Thibet, Persia and Afghanistan.

JAPANESE MARCHING ON.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 6—General Kouropatkin reports that the Japanese advanced 10 miles north of Hai Cheng on Thursday and that they are also advancing in considerable force from Kutsia on the Russian east flank. The Japanese were concentrated in the neighborhood of Hulungou, and a considerable force of Japanese at Poutsiatze and Sikseyan crossed to the right bank of the Taitse river, but were driven back.

REPORTED JAPANESE REPULSE

Mukden, Aug. 6.—It is reported here that the Japanese attacked the Russian position at Anshang, midway between Hai Cheng and Liao Yang, on August 2 and were repulsed with heavy loss.

The Russian casualties are not known.

FRUSTRATED BY CHINESE.

New Chwang, Aug. 6.—Russian spies made an attempt to destroy the railroad bridge near Yin Kow. They were frustrated by Chinese railway employees. General Fukushima was supposed to be on a train about to cross the bridge.

BATTLESHIP TORPEDOED.

London, Aug. 6.—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says the Russian battleship Slava was accidentally torpedoed today at Cronstadt, but sustained no serious damage.

PREFONTAINE'S VISIT.

Probable That Prorogation Will Not Occur Till Tuesday.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Hon. Raymond Prefontaine intended leaving Monday for the Pacific coast, but on account of his parliamentary duties has been obliged to postpone his departure until Tuesday.

Parliament will not likely prorogue until Tuesday.

Mr. Borden has gone home and Messrs. Taylor and Sproule are running affairs so it is difficult to say when the closing will take place.

THE CLIFF IS A WONDER

Remarkable Surface Showings Attracts Many Visitors

Velvet-Portland Ore Proves Amenable to Water Concentration--Rossland Shipments for Week

Rossland, August 6—Initial shipments of concentrates have been made from the War Eagle and Centre Star mill to the Trail smelter. These were in a sense experimental, but in a few days the mill will be running at full capacity and tunring out a full quota of products. The cyanide department is the only section requiring finishing touches.

It is now almost assured that the White Bear Company will have water concentration under way before the end of the month with the oil process to be completed a few weeks later. A large quantity of machinery is now on hand and work on the building is progressing rapidly.

The Velvet-Portland concentrator it is claimed has accomplished results, making the future of the property a certain success. The ore has proved amenable to simple and cheap water concentration, while new bodies of high grade ore have been opened up in the mine. A community of 75 people has already grown up around the mine.

The remarkable surface showing on the Cliff mine attracts constant attention and has created wide spread interest. Among this week's visitors were Louis W. Hill, first vice-president of the Great Northern, and John C. Eden, assistant general traffic manager. Mr. Eden expressed surprise and satisfaction at the Cliff showing and this opinion was concured in by Mr. Hill. The mine has jumped into front rank of ore producers, and is the scene of marked mining activity.

The shipments for the week were as follows:

Le Roi	1,500
Centre Star	1,200
Centre Star ,milled	480
War Eagle	990
War Eagle, milled	390
Le Roi No. 2	450
Le Roi No. 2, milled	300
Spitzee	30
Jumbo	200
Cliff	380
Velvet-Portland, milled	250

Total for the week, 6,160 tons, and for the year to date 213,113 tons.

A PLAGUE OF FLIES.

Millions of Them Overwhelm a Town in New York.

Silver Creek, N. Y., Aug. 6.—With huge flies lying four inches deep in the streets and a stench like that arising from dead fish, this village faces a very peculiar problem. A few days ago these insects began to appear and from their size and strange form began to attract attention. Very little was thought of them until they became so numerous that householders began to suffer. They covered carpets, perched on pictures and ruined oil paintings. It became necessary to cover everything of value in the houses and the citizens have been fighting the flies ever since.

The insects are short lived, 24 hours being the duration of their time on earth. Now they are dying by the millions and the citizens are sweeping them from the sidewalks as they would sweep snow in winter. Meanwhile the stench has become unbearable, and the people are at a loss to know how to get rid of the pest.

The flies are harmless save the ruin they wreak on pictures and other property. No one seems to know anything of their species. It was thought that they resembled sand flies, but it is now said that they differ in many respects. Instead of diminishing in number they are increasing daily and other towns are becoming afflicted with the pests.

CONTRABAND OF WAR.

Britain Insists On Russia Giving a Clear Definition.

London, Aug. 6.—In the discussion between Russia and Great Britain with respect to a revision of the Russian regulations affecting neutral shipping and commerce the British government is laying special stress on the advisability of a clear definition of contraband, more in accord with the practice of other maritime nations. Russia is disposed to meet Great Britain in the most friendly fashion, insisting, however, that her special geographical situation, which makes it difficult to send prizes to her ports, should be taken account of and that any modifications of her list of contraband shall apply not only during the Russo-Japanese war but in future wars. Foreign secreary Lansdowne is giving the matter urgent attention, particularly owing to the interruption of British far eastern commerce and the effect on public opinion.

YMIR HAPPENINGS.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, Aug. 6.—Alfred Parr leaves this morning for the Pathfinder group, of which he is the owner. The claims are located on Clearwater creek and considerable has been spent on them. The mineral showing is exceptionally good. It is the intention of the owner to perform at least $500 in work.

Owen Boyer, of the hotel Vancouver here, leaves for Nelson where he meets Mrs. Owen Boyer and daughter, who for the past three months have been visiting her parents in Quebec.

Bob McDougall, accountant for the Porto Rico Lumber Co., leaves for Sarnia, Ontario, his old home, which he has not visited for the past 15 years, returning via St. Louis.

TONQUIN IS TROUBLED

FRANCE HAS DECIDED TO SEND REINFORCEMENTS THERE

THE SOLIDERS ARE INTENDED TO OVERAWE BOXERS

Paris, August 6—The general commanding the French forces in Tonquin, French Indo China, having represented that the frontier posts are insufficiently guarded and asked for 6000 men, the government has decided to send reinforcements, of which a contingent sails for Marseilles tomorrow. A thousand men will depart on the next steamer and further reinforcements are expected to leave France later. The reinforcements are intended to overawe the Boxers, who are contemplating a rising.

Tonquin, Tonkin, or Tongking, is the northern division of the Kingdom of Annam, forming an integral part of French Indo China. It borders on the two southernmost provinces of China, namely Kwangsi and Kwang Tung.

It was announced early in June that the French were mobilizing 10,000 troops on the borders of Kwangsi and that the Chinese viceroy of that province had telegraphed to Pekin for instructions. The government at the Chinese capital, it was added, replied that he was to take all possible precautions against a French invasion, but to make no trouble. The French officials asserted that this concentration of troops was imperatively necessary to protect the overland trade against raids by Chinese outlaws, owing to the rebellion and pillaging that prevailed throughout southern China, which the Chinese authorities were unable to check. Later it was said that unless China suppressed the rebellion in the province of Kwangsi, the French government would send troops across the border and put it down.

This report, however, was subsequently denied from Pekin. The French legation emphatically repudiated the idea. It was pointed out that the trouble in Kwangsi though serious from a Chinese point of view, caused no uneasiness to the French, the disturbances being in the northern part of Kwangsi and not near French territory. This was the situation early in July. On July 27th, however, it was announced from Pekin that the Chinese were for once alarmed at the extension of the rebellion of Kwangsi, which for years had been the scene of famine and disaffection. Orders had then recently been issued for the arrest of one of the imprompt ly went over to the rebels. Tsu Shen Wu, but he got wind of the intention of the government authorities and promptly went over to the rebels. Tsu Shen Wu is a graduate of Tien Tsin military college and was trained by foreign sign instructors, and his defection added to the anxiety of the Chinese government.

When questioned on the subject of the threatening situation in southern China, the authorities at Pekin declared that they were competent to check the rebellion ad added that the reports that France had again threatened armed intervention unless the rebellion was quickly suppressed, were baseless. The Chinese government further pointed out that the attitude of the French government towards China in her recent and present difficulties in the provinces bordering on French Indo China were both sympathetic and friendly.

GOTCH IS THE WINNER

DEFEATS D. S. McLEOD AFTER A MOST STRENUOUS STRUGGLE.

IT WAS A CASE OF YOUTH VS. AGE —AND THE FORMER WON.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 6.—Frank A. Gotch, of Humboldt, Iowa, catch-as-catch-can champion wrestler of America, successfuly defended his title at the Brockton Point athletic grounds in this city today before a crowd of 4,000 people, against Dan S. McLeod, ex-champion. The match was fiercely, and even viciously, fought from the start, and the old adage that youth must be served was proved to the hilt. For the full 30 minutes and over of the first fall, there was never a moment of idleness. The men were at each other all the time, fighting and struggling to the end. It was this fierce pace and subsequent heart-breaking effort to stall off the inevitable from a scissors lock and arm hold that Gotch secured on him in the second fall, that killed McLeod.

McLeod never showed the speed again that he showed in the first fall which he honestly earned by superior work all through. McLeod showed greatly while the men were up in his leg dives, twice lifting Gotch and bringing him down heavily. He also successfully countered Gotch's attempts at the same trick on himself and was the first man to have the advantage on the mat. Once or twice in the struggle on the floor Gotch had the advantage but McLeod never seemed to be really in danger and when underneath invariably got on the attack, after coming out of defensive work. The end came in the wildest kind of excitement. Both men were on their feet after Gotch had attempted a strangle hold and been warned by the referee. They fiddled and Gotch went for McLeod's leg. McLeod countered and then turned and went to the mat on all fours with Gotch behind. It looked serious for McLeod as Gotch worked for a half Nelson, but McLeod spun out. Gotch was still after him when McLeod came back and with a double leg hold, lifted Gotch and stood him feet up, on his head. Gotch's strong neck saved him and McLeod suddenly threw his man to the floor and falling on him held with a crotch hold. He worked to a half-Nelson and with this and the crotch hold won the first fall in 31 minutes, 44 seconds.

The pace had told on both men and the wrestling was not so fast in the second time up. Gotch was on the aggressive most of the time, although there were moments when the rallies were as fierce as before. At length Gotch got McLeod with a scissors and arm lock and began to put him down. It was apparent that, barring a slip, Gotch would win this fall, but McLeod bridged, turned and squirmed for fully four minutes before his shoulders touched. Time 23:30.

It was this last effort that finished McLeod. In his dressing room he looked plainly distressed and though he put up a game fight in the third fall, Gotch's lead in strength was easily seen. Gotch himself was tired or he would have put his man down in less time than he did. The fall was won by Gotch, who was on the aggressive all through, in 20:38.

The match was under Police Gazette rules, only pin falls to count. J. Thomas, of Bellingham, Wash., was referee. The betting started 2 to 1 on Gotch. It went to even money when McLeod secured the first fall, but switched back to odds on Gotch when the latter threw McLeod in the second fall.

MINES OF THE BOUNDARY

Gem Ships a Carload of High Grade Ore —The Defiance

[Special to The Daily News.]

Phoenix, August 6—The Gem mine, Long Lake camp, which is under bond to Robert Wood and associates, shipped a car of high grade ore this week.

E. H. Thurston, who is developing the Carmi, on the west fork of the Kettle river, one of the best properties in the section, has purchased most of the machinery of the Defiance from William Fowler, and is now transporting it to the mine over the long wagon road haul. Mr. Thurston has a small force of men employed, and expects to send out some ore this summer.

A force of eight men is at work on the Reliance group in Summit camp, owned by Coot & Lauder, but bonded to the Rathmullen Mining Co. In the shaft being sunk a depth of about 50 feet has been obtained, and a couple of cars of ore are on the dump. A shipment is to be made shortly for testing purposes.

A trial shipment of two cars of ore to the Greenwood smelter has been made by the Lead King, a property near Anaconda, which was recently bonded to T. A. Garland for $12,000, and who afterwards turned over the bond to the British Columbia Copper Co. The ore is said to be an excellesnt flux.

A working bond has been taken on the Electric claim in Long Lake camp, close to the Roderick Dhu, by George W. Cornish. Average assays of nearly $100 have been obtained by Mr. Cornish, who will start a force of men at work on the property next week. The bond was from the Vancouver & Boundarp Creek Mining & Development Co.

Superintendent Collins has started work on retimbering the snaft of the Brooklyn mine, the most important mine of the Montreal & Boston merger groups, and expects to employ three shifts until the timbering is completed to the 250 foot level.

BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS

For the Past Week They Aggregated 12,387 Tons.

Phoenix, Aug. 6.—Boundary ore shipments for the year were.

Granby mines to Granby smelter	9,000
Mother Lode to Greenwood	2,496
Emma to Greenwood smelter	792
Oro Denoro to Granby smelter	66
Mountain Rose to Greenwood	33
Total for the week	12,387

The Granby smelter treated 11,031 tons, or 352,445 tons for the year to date.

THE WHITE BEAR WON.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—The second race for possession of the Seawanhaka cup held by the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club, was won today by the challenger, The White Bear, of the White Bear Yacht club of St. Paul, Minn., by one minute and fifteen seconds. The race was triangular, one and one-third miles to each leg, or a total distance of 12 miles. The wind blew from 10 to 15 knots.

The yachts crossed the finish line as follows: White Bear, 3.49; Neorna, 3.50 15.

AN INSANE FARMER.

Winnipeg, Aug. 6.—A farmer named Lawton, who lives ten miles south of Browview mountain has gone suddenly insane. He threatened to kill his whole family, who are at a neighbor's place and are in terror of their lives. The son took a revolver from his father at the point of a loaded rifle, but was unable to secure the other guns. Corporal Fife, of Whitewood, with a constable from Grenfell, and a posse of civilians has gone to arrest Lawton.

STRIKE OF BUILDING TRADES

New York, Aug. 6.—The building trades lockout declared yesterday which goes into effect on Monday, was practically in effect today. When all the orders have been carried out, it is estimated that nearly 40,000 union men will have been forced out of employment.

ALIEN BILL PASSED.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—The alien labor bill was read a third time and passed this forenoon, nothwithstanding all opposition that it got from the conservative side of the house.

WANT TO FLOAT A LOAN.

Toronto, Aug. 6.—An effort is being made to float half a million dollar loan in France and Belgium for the purpose of continuing the extension of the Canadian Northern railway.

RECIPROCITY AN ISSUE

Is to be Made a Leading Feature of United States Campaign

Lodge Declares That Republican Party is in Favor of Better Trade Relations With Canada

Boston, Aug. 6.—The opening of the presidential campaign in the North Dorchester Republican club of this city took place at Point Shirley, today with senator Henry Cabot Lodge and Herbert Parker, attorney general of Massachusetts, as speakers.

Senator Lodge's address was his first public utterance in the campaign. He was given a cordial reception. The senator devoted his time principally to defining the attitude of the republicans on the question of reciprocity with Canada. He said in part:

"The republican national convention at Chicago declared as follows:

"We believed in commercial reciprocity wherever reciprocal arrangements can be affected, consistent with the priciples of protection and without injury to American labor, American manufactures or any American industry.

"The president of the United States in his reply to the commitee of notification, spoke as follows:

"We believe in reciprocity with foreign nations on the terms outlined in president McKinley's last speech, which urged the extension of our foreign commerce by reciprocal arrangements wherever they could be made without injury to American industry and labor.

"With this utterance of president Roosevelt, I agree absolutely and entirely and I know no republicans who do not agree with him precisely as I do. The petition which is being widely circulated in this state by well paid canvassers and which is understood to have been signed by many republicans, as well, as many democrats, who I fancy have no intention of adhering too strictly to the first proposition, which demands a vote for Roosevelt and Fairbanks, says that the establishment of reciprocal trade relations with other countries and especially with Canada and Newfoundland, our nearest neighbors, is of vital importance to the commercial welfare of the United States and especially that of Massachusetts. With that proposition except the exaggerated adjective 'vital' I am also in full agreement. I have never anywhere or at any time stated or made any opposition to it and I know in this I am in entire accord with those who represent our state in national affairs, with my reversed colleague, Mr. Hoar and with all the republican members of the house of representatives from Massachusetts. Such being the case the question naturally arises why spend so much money and take so much pains to induce republicans to sign a statement in favor of a policy to which they already all agree.

"The answer is the second paragraph of the petition, which invites the signers to attend the caucuses and also to urge republican voters not to nominate any person as a candidate for the seat or national legislature who is unwilling to commit himself clearly in favor of such reciprocal trade relations."

SEVENTY MILLION DOLLARS.

Northwestern Farmers Will Have Money to Burn.

Winnipeg, Aug. 6.—Premier Roblin on his return from the country yesterday expressed himself as delighted with the appearance of the crops. "In Carman district the crops look better than any other time for perhaps the last ten years. The straw is good and the appearance of the heads is most promising. By the way," he said, "I see that the estimate sent by Mr. Clark of the Chicago grain dealers' journal, gives us seventy bushels of wheat this year. I believe that is a conservative estimate. But even taking it at that, it means at present prices that the total value of the grain, cattle and other products of the farmers this year, will amount to some $70,000,000."

SLAVERY EXISTS.

A Wealthy Georgian Who Works Negroes in Chains.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—A special to the Tribune from Savannah, Ga., says state senator Foye, of Egypt, Ga., has been brought here under arrest by federal officers on a charge of holding negroes in bondage. Foye is one of the wealthiest men in south Georgia and is a democratic leader. He conducts several large turpentine farms near Egypt and the Federal officers assert that he is holding many negroes as slaves. The negroes are confined at night in stockades and are worked in chains during the day.

LIBERAL WON SEAT

London, August 6—The bye-election held today for a successor to the seat in the house of commons for Reading, made vacant by the retirement of George W. Palmer, liberal, resulted in the choice of Rufus Isaacs, the liberal candidate, who received 4470 votes against 4325 cast for his opponent.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY'S COFFEES

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Whilst we always have handled the best procurable values in Coffees, we thought that we could serve our customers still better by importing the bean in its green state and doing the roasting, grinding and canning ourselves. To obtain the best results we have started a special Coffee Department in Winnipeg, under the supervision of a skilled expert. This enables us to guarantee unchanging superior quality, superior to that supplied in the past. These coffees are very attractively packed and each tin bears our own new label.

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

H. B. C. MOCHA AND JAVA

1 lb tins, 45c; 2 lb tins, 85c; 5 lb tins, $2.00

H. B. C. TURKISH

1 lb tin, 35c; 2 lb tins, 65c; 5 lb tins, $1.50

GIVE IT A TRIAL

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With which is Amalgamated
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A LACK OF HARMONY.

There is evidently considerable lack of harmony among the local conservatives, which was most emphatically shown in the selection of the Nelson representative on the campaign executive committee. There are two factions of the conservative party in this city and they mix about as well as oil and water, as both evidently want to play the oil part and remain on top. Each of these factions has an organization and each of them named a favorite son for membership on the campaign executive committee. The Liberal-Conservative Association, the elder organization, put forward William Blakemore for the place. The Liberal-Conservative Union named Dr. W. O. Rose as its candidate. As both could not be seated, after considerable deliberation, it was decided in the interests of harmony, that neither should be. Instead it was decided that Fred Starkey should be made a member of the committee. The selection was made by those members of the executive committee who are in attendance on the meeting. As a matter of fact only four out of nine of the members of the executive committee are in attendance. The local members of the party are not pleased to have the matter of the naming of the member of the executive committee taken out of their hands. Whether the appointment will result in the expected "harmony" will not be fully and definitely known until the ballots for the forthcoming parliamentary election are counted. It seems a pity that our conservative brethren should not dwell together in harmony.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Now is the time of the year when the shadows of the maple, pine and other trees are sought for and enjoyed, when the picturesque country, with its massive, shadow-casting mountains, its calm stretches of mirrow-like lake, its cool, tumultous mountain streams, its seemingly limitless areas of evergreen forest, lie above and around us beautiful as a dream in the noontide heat; when the perfect nights with their grateful coolness, and when Ursus Major and the other constellations of the "valuted heavens, so high above our heads," appear clear and bright in the sky; when days and nights are simply the perfection of climatic conditions, and it is no wonder that we fairly revel in climate and are glad that we live in a country that is so favored. Even while we are enjoying the situation we hear Tom, Dick or Harry telling their friends that they wished they were in Italy, the south of France, Florida, or southern California. Such fault-finders as these should be sent to Jerico.

Russel Sage, the New York financier, who a short time since declared that he never took a vacation, has entered his 89th year. The New York papers declare that the old financier rarely of late visits his office and that almost all of his time is spelt in his Long Island home. It is probable that the ailments that come with old age have compelled him to quit his money-grubbing and he is taking an enforced vacation which will probably last for the remainder of his existence. While there are many men who would like to have the immense wealth that he has accumulated there are few who would care to go through the same joyless, vacationless existence that he has in order to secure it.

Japan, the little empire at war with Russia, is a wonderful country. Its area, says Everybody's Magazine, is about 161,000 square miles, less than 3,000 square miles larger than California. Japan consists of four large islands, of Formosa and the Pescadores, and some four thousand small islands. The coast line in 18,000 miles long. In 1900 the population was 47,646,000, the males exceeding the females by 600,000. As the average annual increase is 500,000, the present population must be close to 50,000,000. In 1900 there were 12,000 foreigners in Japan, of whom a quarter were British and American and more than a half Chinese. Farming is the chief occupation. The average farm is of two acres. Hearn says: "The vast rice crop is raised on millions of tiny farms; the silk crop in millions of small, poor homes; the tea crop on countless little patches of soil." The exports of silk amount to about one-fifth the entire export trade. There are rich oil and coal fields in northern Japan. Formosa has valuable gold mines. A greater wealth is 1500 miles of camphor trees. In 1902, Japanese exports were $130,000,000; imports, $135,000,000. There are more than 4000 miles of railway. Over a thousand newspapers and magizines are published.

CHURCH SERVICES

Anglican—St. Saviour's church, corner of Ward and Silica streets. Tenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion 8 a. m.; morning prayer and holy communion, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; evensong, 7:30 p.m. Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

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 12:30 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 Holy Spirit," evening, "God With us."

Baptist Church—Stanley street, near Mill. Morning service at 11; evening service at 7:30; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Rev. G. Morton Walker, will conduct both services.

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NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

New York, August 6—One of the best places for studying midsummer fashions is the race track. There, and especially on the lawn and verandah of the club house as fine a display of handsome and elegant toilets may be seen on fine afternoons as at any of the most aristocratic summer resorts on the beach or in the mountains. The race track seems to have a greater fascination than ever for fashionable women and many of them have acquired the habit of attending the races nearly every day if the weather permits. In the regular course of evolution this habit has led to a new departure in dress and caused new kinds of gowns, the casino gowns, to be invented.

Probably the most remarkable feature of these casino gowns is their graceful utility and adaptibility. Of course, they are just the proper thing to be worn in the club house verandah or on the well-kept lawn in front of the casino; but this is by no means all; they may be taken along to the seashore or mountains and may be worn on the pier or board walk on fine afternoons, and are equally suitable for garden parties, lawn teas or even for carriage drives. But even that does not exhaust the possibilities of that useful gown. With a few changes and additions it can easily be used as a reception gown or a gown for calling purposes.

It goes without saying that one and the same gown cannot be put to so many uses without undergoing some slight modifications. But the beauty of this gown is, that it lends itself remarkably well to such changes and adaptations, which, although they change its apearance, do not materially affect its character. To give a better idea of the marvelous gown, it will be best to give a brief description of one of the handsomest recently seen at Brighton Beach. It was of silver grey canvas. The skirt was tucked around the waist and very full. Around the lower part there were three little tucks. It had a yoke of Irish crochet, dyed the same color as the gown. The yoke was adjustable and fastened around the waist by a handsome belt.

Now, that lace hip yoke may be left off altogether or it may be replaced by one of black lace. Another method for the changing of the yoke is by threading ribbons through it, which may be velvet or some other material, of the same color as the gown or of some harmonious or contrasting colors. Black velvet ribbon, not too wide, would be particularly handsome. The waist of that gown had a round blouse with heavy rope shirrings across the yoke, which was of Irish crochet, trimmed with lace. A row of dainty lace rosettes, with tourquoise centres formed the decorative motive of the front.

The latest importations from Paris indicate that the prevailing style for late summer and fall will be three piece costumes. It seems, however, that coats will not be as popular as in former years and that their place will be taken by handsome and decidedly graceful shoulder wraps, made of the same material as the rest of the costume. These wraps will be made in a great variety of patterns some being in the form of round shoulder capes, reaching down to the belt line, others will assume the form of a fichu, while others still will be nothing more than a little extravagant stole. Silk, mohair, linen, Sicilienne and other fabrics are used in making these capes.

Lingerie styles have undergone a radical change during the past few months. Excessively elaborate chemise, petticoats, corset covers or other intimate garments are no longer fashionable, but it must not be imagined that the return to simpler forms and lines means tasteless simplicity and offensive cheapness. Not at all. There is nothing cheap about these dainty undergarments. They are of the finest and most delicate materials and, though devoid of the elaborate trimmings and furbelows of past seasons, are decorated with the most expensive handwork which fully makes up for the absence of other ornamentations.

The lingerie of the present day is remarkable for its daintiness. Lace is still used, but with discretion and only real or imitation Valenciennes, Canary island, or East India laces are employed, or in rarer cases Point d'Esprit and the finer grades of Irish Point lace. Hand embroidery is the principal material for trimming or ornamenting. Machine embroidery is sometimes used, but only the best grades of it and only on cheap garments.

Only the thinnest and most delicate materials are used for the best grades of undergarments. Persian lawn, silk batalline, the thinnest kinds of crepe de Chine, India lawns and soft organdies are also used.

Although the skirts are increasing in fulness, fashion demands that petticoats should be rather tight fitting and of the thinnest material. To obtain as snug a fit as possible many underskirts are buttoned from the waist line to the knees. The part below the knees, of course, is flaring, like the skirts worn over these petticoats. One or more ruffles and ruchings contribute to make the lower part of the petticoats flare out and support the skirts.

One of the prettiest revivals of old time styles is that of the velvet throat band. These throat bands are gaining rapidly in favor and there are really few innovations or rather revivals that deserve their popularity as much as they. These throat bands are used in a great variety of styles. Sometimes a wide ribbon is used with the ends crossed in front and fastened with a cameo pin. Sometimes they are crossed in the back and fastened with a pin, while in front a locket is attached. In some cases a chou of black or white tulle or of velvet ribbon takes the place of the pin. These throat bands are highly ornamental and enhance the effect of a beautiful neck, while they hide the defects of a neck not perfectly formed.

Rather a pretty novelty in the line of trimmings is the ruffle of frayed silk. It is easily made and gives a very pretty effect if properly used. The strips of silk are first made into a ruffle and then the edges are frayed with the assistance of a dull knife. These ruffles may be used to advantage in trimming waists and even skirts and in some cases they have been used to excellent advantage in trimming summer hats. Silk in plain colors and also stripedsilks may be used for that purpose.

Taffeta has not proved a great success as a summer material in this country and is not much worn this summer. Tailor made costumes of black taffeta were all the rage in Paris earlier in the season ad an effort was made to introduce them here, but the experiment failed of success. It seems that the fashionable women in this country have a little more regard for comfort than their sisters of the Rhine river. The American women of fashion are willing to make sacrifices of comfort for the purpose of being in the swim, but there is a limit to their stoicism. They will endure tortures, if by so doing they can improve their figure or gain some point of actual or imaginary beauty, but when it comes to suffering with heat simply to wear a costume made of a fashionable material, they draw a line. Taffeta is not a suitable material for the hot season, neither unlined nor lined and, besides that, there is really no need to submit to the torture. There are so many materials just as handsome and even handsomer, to chose from, that there is no actual necessity for wearing that undesirable material during the summer season.

ESTELLE CLAIREMONT.

Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory,

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.

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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 $200.

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.

JAMES A. SMART,
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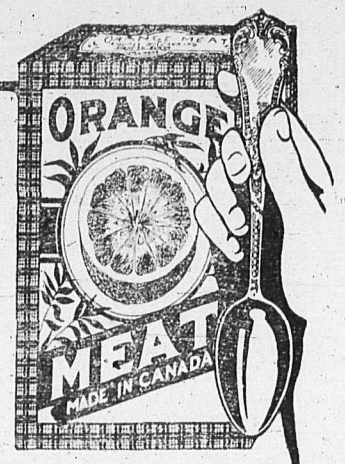

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ARE SHORT ON HARMONY

LOCAL CONSERVATIVES FAIL TO AGREE ON A REPRESENTATIVE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TAKES MATTER OUT OF THEIR HANDS

An air of suppressed excitement pervaded the city yesterday. Towards 11 o'clock in the forenoon prominent conservatives were seen gathering towards the board of trade rooms. When the meeting was called to order its object was stated to be that of uniting the two local conservative organizations if possible, and generally to promote harmony in the party ranks as an essential condition of victory. Incidentally the question of choosing a representative for Nelson riding on the campaign executive committee. That committee was formed at the last convention held in Nelson and contained one representative for each provincial electoral division contained in the dominion riding of Kootenay and John Houston, M.L.A., was chosen to represent Nelson. Sometime ago Mr. Houston resigned from that committee and Nelson conservatives were invited to nominate his successor. That was the beginning of the trouble. The conservative union promptly nominated Dr. Rose; a little later the conservative association nominated William Blakemore. Both of these gentlemen attended as told yesterday. At the meeting in the morning these rival claims were presented more or less forcibly, and it cannot be said to have produced harmony. About 1 o'clock the four members of the executive present, Taylor, of Revelstoke, Hunter, of Slocan, Wright, of Ymir, and McNeill, of Rossland, chairman, decided to reserve decision until the afternoon.

At half past 2 o'clock the executive met again at the Strathcona, Mr. Blakemore and Dr. Rose still attending. After a long discussion the following resolution was put:

Resolved: "That in the opinion of this committee appointments to fill vacancies on this board do not rest with any organization, but that this committee has itself the power to fill such vacancies, and that Fred Starkey be appointed to represent Nelson riding on this committee; and that the appointment of a member of the board to represent Fernie riding is not a precedent for the present case inasmuch as the convention at which this committee was created specially dealt with such case."

Messrs. Taylor, Hunter, Wright and McNeill agreed to this. Dr. Rose did not offer to vote. Mr. Blakemore opposed, and it was declared adopted. Dr. Rose and Mr. Blakemore then withdrew, and the campaign executive committee settled down to work.

KILO ORE TOO RICH.

For some time it has been an open secret that Montana people were seeking to purchase the Kilo group of gold claims, on Lemon creek, says the Slocan Drill. It was thought the recent test of ore from the mine made at the Cleopleau mill would conclude the negotiations and the transfer be made. However, the returns obtained from the mill run had a much different effect than anticipated. A telegram was received last week by N. F. McNaught, of Silverton, from his brother in New York, stating that the returns obtained were too rich to sell the mine at the figures involved, and that the owners would keep the property and work it themselves, a party coming out with plans for a mill and instructions. It is not often that a deal is called off because the ore is too rich, and the Kilo case stands as a record for this division.

COLORADO RETURNS GOOD.

Ralph Gillette received his returns Wednesday on the shipment of ore he made recently from the Colorado on Twelve Mile. There was a little over seven tons in the lot, one ton being from another claim. The Colorado stuff gave 113 oz. to the ton, being about the best ore coming from the creek. It is the intention of the owners to return at once to the property and make up another shipment, as the showing of ore is sufficient to guarantee them much better than wages.—Slocan Drill.

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First Prize ..... 15 lbs Coffee, Value $7.50
Second Prize ..... Box Cigars, Value $5.00
Best Collection of Canary Birds—Special Prize by A. H. Clements—
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Second Prize $2.00
Best Collection of Coins ..... Box Assorted Biscuits, Value $3.00
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Second Prize 1.50
Third Prize 1.00
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Best Collection of Stuffed Animals, Birds, Etc.—Special Prize by Ewart Bors., Nelson ..... Silver Water Pitcher, Value $8.00
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Another feature will be the Grand Midway Plaisance, which will be stocked with novelties of every description. There will also be a rock drilling contest for a purse of $200. in which the best teams in the surrounding country will meet in competition.

The Gala Attraction will be the Mardi-Gras night; when everyone is invited to mask from 7 to 11.30 p.m. For further particulars see posters. There will be SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILWAYS during Carnival Week.

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The water stretch between the city and C. P. R. wharves presented a very pretty scene yesterday afternoon. There were all sorts of boats in evidence, filled with people in summer attire and the verandah of the club house was crowded with guests, many of whom were ladies, while the city wharf and other points of vantage were crowded with spectators who watched the events with keen interest.

All the races were well contested and the Victoria Cross race and tilting contest provided plenty of amusement for the onlookers.

In the four oared race three crews entered and in the first heat the winners were Mason stroke, Robertson, Netherby, and Winsby bow, they defeating Wragge, stroke, McMurrie, Smith, Bishop, bow.

In the second heat, Mason, who was suffering from a strained back, was replaced by Wragge, and this four was again victorious, defeating Gibbs, stroke, Gillan, Bamfield and Povah.

The mens' double sculls, resulted as follows: Robertson and Gibbs, Miss G. Blakemore, coxswain; Wragge and Bishop, Mrs. Bird, coxswain; Wilby and Smith, Miss Cummins, coxswain.

Mixed doubles—Robertson and Miss Macdonald; Wilby and Mrs. Bird.

Mixed canoes—Dowker and Mrs. Graham; Gibbs and Miss King; Wilby and Miss Cummins; Robertson and Miss G. Blakemore.

Single canoe—Hugh Gallon, Black, Cummins.

Double canoe—McMurrie and Wolverton, Robertson and Gillan, Hodge and Wilby, Dowker and Johnstone; Praeger and Kydd.

The Victoria Cross race caused lots of fun. Five men in canoes were stationed in line at the city wharf and at the word five others dived off the club float and swam to meet their respective canoes, which were paddled furiously towards them. The swimmers clambered on board and then each pair made for the winning line. Hodge capsized and the man swimming for his boat had to turn back. Some of the swimmers found it hard work to climb on board without upsetting the canoe, but finally the lot passed the winning line as follows: McMurrie and Galton, Wolverton and Gillan, Robertson and Gibbs, Johnstone and Dowker, Hodge and Wilby did not finish.

The tilting of canoes was another mirth producer. There were five pairs of contestants but in the end Gibbs and McMurrie won out.

Charlie Waterman, with the aid of a megaphone, announced the events and kept the course clear. H. Selous made an efficiet starter and Whealler and Stewart were judges, while Norman Fraser, the club's secretary looked after everything and everybody and did it very well.

In the evening the club held a dance at the tramway park which passed off very pleasantly, about 50 couples being present.

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Located 30th July, 1904.
DAVID BLACK, Locator.

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HUGH B. GILMOUR, Locator
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J. W. WEART, Locator.
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DAVID G. WILLIAMS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

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

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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Located 30th July, 1904.
ALBERT E. WOODS, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

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Located 30th July, 1904.
JOHN HENDRY, Locator.
DAVID BLACK, Agent.

COAL AND PETROLEUM LOCATION

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described land: Situate in district of Southeast Kootenay, on what is known as Middle Fork Pass Creek, and adjoining John Hendry's coal and petroleum location on the north, commencing at a post marked Thomas Mathews' coal and petroleu 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.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

John McVicar, mining engineer of Ymir, is in the city on business.

In this city on Saturday, August 6, the wife of George A. Brown, Silica street, of a son.

Jas. S. Rear, insurance agent of Vancouver, is spending a few days in the city visiting friends.

Miss Susie Gardner leaves this morning for Edmonton and from there east via Chicago to visit her parents.

Marguerite Elizabeth, the five months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Fowler, died yesterday morning.

E. F. Gigot, manager of the Hudson's Bay stores, and his family leave tomorrow for a weeks' camping up the lake.

W. A. Jowett and the boys of St. Saviour's church choir leave for Balfour on Monday morning to go into camp for a while.

The next assizes and civil sittings will be held in this city on Monday, October 3rd. Rossland will have a civil sittings on October 11th.

E. J. Coyle, passenger agent of the western division of the C. P. R., arrived from Vancouver last night and is registered at the Strathcona.

C. W. McAnn, K. C. of Kaslo, has been gazetted a court of revision and appeal for the Rossland assessment district in the place of C. R. Hamilton, resigned.

The bunkers at the Athabasca-Venus mines are so full of ore at present that there is no room for more. Manager A. H. Gracey says that there is no scarcity of good ore, present or prospective.

Captain P. McL. Forin, brother of judge Forin, has come out from the east and will be in the city for some time visiting his brother. He is accompanied by J. F. Templeman, of the Royal Military College.

G. O. Buchanan, lead bounty commissioner, has nearly finished the task of making the annual payments of the deferred 40 per cent. A few claims will probably come in tomorrow or Tuesday.

As a result of the recent examinations held in Spokane Dr. Hamilton of this city is now qualified to practise as physician and surgeon in the state of Washington as well as in British Columbia.

W. M. Wood, customs officer of Rossland, arrived in the city last evening and was taken to the Kootenay Lake general hospital, suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis. Dr. LaBau is in charge of the case.

Dr. E. C. Arthur, secretary of the board of school trustees, has written the education department for permission to extend the summer holidays for the public schools if the weather continues as warm as at present. As yet he has received no reply.

J. M. Lay, manager of the Imperial bank and president of the board of trade, received a wire from Fred Starkey yesterday dated Winnipeg, in which Mr. Starkey says he is satisfied that the C.P.R. will in time arrange freight matters here to the satisfaction of the wholesalers.

The Wallace family have achieved a double distinction in school examinations this summer. It has already been announced that Bert Wallace led the British Columbia matriculants for Toronto university. It is now learned that Eddie Wallace has made the highest marks in the province in the intermediate division in the recent high school examinations.

R. M. Hood, former manager of J. Y. Griffin & Co.'s branch here has gone to the coast where he will remain for a few days prior to commencing his duties with the G. F. & J. Galt Co. Before leaving he was presented with a handsome travelling bag by the staff of J. Y. Griffin & Co., as a slight token of the esteem in which he was held by his fellows. "Bob" is a good fellow and his many friends wish him all kinds of success in his new undertaking.

The tennis tournament at Victoria this week is developing some good play. Some of the players are known here. F. A. Macrae, formerly teller in the Nelson branch of the bank of Montreal, has made a record for himself. Although this is his first year in really fast company, he lasted to the semi-finals in all events. W. P. Dickson, Nelson's only representative, went through several rounds but succumbed on the fourth day.

MORE LEAD BOUNTY

Fourteen Cheques Arrived here Aggregating Upwards of $11,000

G. O. Buchanan, administrator of the dominion lead bounty fund, yesterday received a third batch of cheques, since July 1st for distribution amongst the fortunate claimants.

The fourteen cheques aggregated upwards of $11,000.

The mines entitled to share in this last amount are as follows: The Monitor Majestic, North Star, Paradise, Sunset, Ymir (two cheques), Rambler-Cariboo, Payne, Wakefield, Last Chance, Hewitt, Enterprise and the Athabasca-Venus.

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STRIKE ON HIGHLAND LIGHT

Fourteen Inches of Ore Carrying Native and Ruby Silver.

One of the richest and best strikes of the year was made last week by Pete Swan and S. Lauderbach on the Highland Light group, Ten Mile, says the Slocan Drill. The men came down Thursday evening, for more ore sacks and confirmed the report. The strike was made in the No. 2 tunnel and consists of 14 inches of ore, carrying native silver and much ruby silver, making it the prettiest specimen stuff seen in the camp for a long while. The men filled all the sacks they had and then came down here for more. Last year in the same drift a barren streak appeared and it looked as if the ore had been cut off, but the first shot this year opened it up bigger than ever.

The Highland Light group consists of four claims, of which the Victor is the bottom one. They are located two miles back from the half way, on the north side of the creek, being six miles by road and trail from the lake. Two ledges have been proven on the ground, each containing high grade shipping ore. The vein now being worked has been more fully developed, as besides open cuts it has two tunnels, in 26 and 25 feet respectively, and a crosscut to the vein of 40 feet. Where cut in the No. 2 tunnel the vein has a depth of 50 feet, and at the crosscut 90 feet. There the ore body is wider and carries more ruby silver, the chute indicating great depth.

Each year enough ore is taken out to pay for development. Last year 41 sacks of ore were shipped. Thirty of these came from the No. 1 vein, but the ore was not so rich as that now struck, yet it gave smelter returns of 480.50 ozs. in silver; 11 sacks of ore obtained from the No. 2 vein returned 672.20 ozs. in silver. Specimens of the ore may be obtained running into the thousands of ounces. The ore contains as by-products about 9 per cent. lime, 40 to 70 per cent silica, and 2 to 5 per cent iron, making a splendid flux. The men went back again on Monday, with more sacks and will prepare a small shipment to go forward at once.

The usual weekly assembly will be held in Fraternity hall on Monday evening. Irwin's orchestra.

VERY RICH FIND MADE

FOURTEEN INCHES OF HIGH GRADE ORE FOUND IN WILCOX

TUNNEL NOW BEING DRIVEN TO STRIKE SHOOT AT DEPTH

A. H. Tuttle, secretary-treasurer and manager of the Broken Hill Mining & Development Company, which is operating the Wilcox mine, is at the Hume. In speaking about the recent rich find on the property yesterday he said: "In a tunnel, 12 feet from the portal, we have struck a ledge that is five feet two inches in width. Two feet of this carries ore that goes $11.20 to the ton, two feet that goes $24 and fourteen inches that runs $309.80. We are driving another tunnel 135 feet below where the rich find was made. We will have to extend this tunnel about 30 feet before we get underneath where the rich shoot is. If we find it here, and we expect to reach the point in about ten days, then we will have a big thing, as it will give us 135 feet of backs for stoping ground. Besides, there is a chance for the shoot extendig down. It is in so far as to be beyond the range of surface disturbances. We are naturally very much pleased with the find.

"We are driving the tunnel at the rate of about four and a half feet a day and are taking enough of the $24 ore out to keep the mill in continual operation. We have ore enough in sight of a good quality to keep the mill in operation for a long time. The Wilcox never in its history looked better nor had a more prosperous outlook than at the present time.

SATOLLI ON WAY HOME.

Nature of His Mission to United States is Unknown.

New York, Aug. 6.—Among the passengers booked on the outgoing steamships for Europe today is cardinal Satolli, formerly the apostolic delegate at Washington and now the prefect of the congregation of studies.

Cardinal Satolli arrived in this country some five or six weeks ago, his visit it is said, being due to a special mission with which he was entrusted by the pope. The nature of this mission remains unknown to the general public. If the cardinal came to America to investigate or settle the various church questions which have divided the American heirarchy for some years the fact has not become publicly known. It is certain, however, that he returns to the vatican with a thorough knowledge of the situaton here as a result of his interviews with cardinal Gibbons, archbishop Quigley, archbishop Ireland and other leading prelates of the Roman Catholic church in America.

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The college corporation have recently acquired 20 acres of land from the C.P.R. The property is situated in the west end of Calgary and is admirably situated for college grounds. Arrangements are now being made to erect a large building. The college will be more than a residential and day school next year. In addition courses will be offered to teachers, intending ranchers and others, desirous of furthering their education. Junior matriculation work for Manitoba, Toronto and McGill universities and senior matriculation for Manitoba university will be done also.

These universities will annually hold these matriculation examinations in the Western Canada college at Calgary.

The music department of the college is in affiliation with Toronto university and under the able direction of Mrs. Broder, a noted graduate of the London, England College of Music.

In order to afford commercial education to its students, the college has arranged to have the instructors of the Calgary Business College undertake this work.

TO COERCE THE SULTAN.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The United States European squadron, consisting of the Olympia, Baltimore and Cleveland, has been ordered to Turkish waters.

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