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Premier and Attorney General in Vancouver

HEIGHT OF ENTHUSIASM

TWO OF LARGEST HALLS PACKED TO OVERFLOWING — PREMIER DISCUSSES SIR HIBBERT TUPPER'S RECORD — GREATEST EVER HELD AT COAST

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, Nov. 19—In two of the greatest political meetings in the history of the conservative party in Vancouver, premier McBride and attorney general Bowser reviewed the issues of the campaign tonight. Both the Dominion and O'Brien halls, the largest available halls in the city were packed to the doors, Messrs. McBride and Bowser each opening and closing the meetings which were also addressed by the other four conservative candidates. Both the premier and the attorney general received most remarkable receptions. Cheering and singing preceded and followed the first appearance and the opening and closing addresses of each, particularly the premier. In the overflow meeting at the O'Brien hall which the premier closed, women stood on chairs outside the open door to hear his last word. It was the climax of a tour which the premier said was a remarkable succession of campaign successes.

Preceding a lucid explanation of the railway policy, the premier took sir Charles Hibbert Tupper to task on his Revelstoke speech. There sir Hibbert had professed loyalty and allegiance to the conservative party in British Columbia up to the announcement of the railway policy. But the premier could recall when a few years ago the services of all men in the party were required and where was Tupper? Nowhere to be found. In a bye-election in Lillooet some few years ago liberal papers had been distributed with columns of Tupper who then, added the premier, called this a star chamber government. But nevertheless we won that bye-election.

"Why," continued the premier, "sir Hibbert talks as though we wanted him. Yes and he talks as though his heart bleeds for better terms. Why, if the man was worth a button, may I say, he could have in Pictou in Nova Scotia started a campaign to inform the people at the other end of the dominion, upon this great question of better terms for the provinces, particularly British Columbia. Yet today Messrs. Tupper, Wade and Oliver—a remarkable trio—were together in their effort to mislead the people upon the issues and particularly on the railway policy. It is this misrepresentation and mis-statement of fact which has all but ruined the liberal party in British Columbia, defeated Templeman in Victoria and Ross and other liberal candidates."

The premier in reviewing the administration and railway policy spoke in all three hours in the two halls, giving details of both railway agreements. Speaking on the question of finances, he once paused to observe that neither Manitoba nor Alberta nor Saskatchewan own their crown lands as we do, the terms of union with the Domion being different to ours. Today if we chose to do it we could sell to one of the many colonization companies from whom letters have been received at Victoria containing offers for 50,000,000 acres of crown lands for $1 an acre, and within 14 days have $50,000,000. Yet Tupper, Oliver and Wade would have the people believe this railway bargain will ruin our credits Cries of No! No! and applause.)

The premier reiterated that the government would have control of freight rates on the Canadian Northern and by competition those of the C. P. R., and he declared that on terminals in Vancouver $5,000,000 would be spent, while in all $40,000,000 would be expended in British Columbia in four years on the two railways.

Hon. W. J. Bowser, after an able review of the issues, stated that he had sent out a challenge to Duncan Ross, who at that moment was speaking in a city hall, to meet him on the public platform in Vancouver on Monday or Tuesday nights at meetings. Mr. Bowser will attend and "there," added Mr. Bowser, "I hope he will say to my face what he has been bold enough to say behind my back in regard to the Goto contract."

NO ENTANGLING ALLIANCES.

Great Britain and United States Only Ask Mutual Good Will.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The Pilgrims' societyof London gave a farewell dinner tonight to John Ridgely Carter, former secretary to the United States embassy here, on the occasion of his departure for his new post as minister to Roumania, Servia and Bulgaria. Many prominent Englishmen and Americans attended the function. Sir Mortimer Durand, former British ambassador to the United States, presided, and proposed the toast to King Edward and President Taft, during which he paid a high tribute to the American executive. In addressing the banquetters, Sir Mortimer said:

"We in England know that if there is one principle dear to the American heart, it is the principal laid down by Washington, no entangling alliances. It is the best possible principle for a country so situated. We know we have no right ever to expect your help in our quarrels, or even to take it for granted that we must always have your sympathy. Neither nation needs to ask more of the other than good will. The American republic and the British empire are strong enough to fight their own battles. As long as union endures there is no power on earth that can seriously trouble your peace of mind."

MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

HOUSE OF COMMONS DISPOSING OF ESTIMATES.

NO MORE INFORMATION ON DEFENSE CONFERENCE.

(Western Associated Press.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—The Canada Gazette contains notice that an application will be made to parliament at its present session for an act to incorporate the congregational ulion of Canada as a religious body corporate, with the usual corporate powers. The Gazette also contains notice that the name of "The Mergenthaler Company, Limited," is changed to the "Canadian Linotype, Limited." The house made an early start today on consideration of the estimates for the next fiscal year by disposing of the civil government votes for the departments of agriculture, public works and labor before adjournment at 9.30 on Friday night. The total amount voted was $1,320,098, which is a pretty good record for a first day on the estimates.

Previous to going into supply Hon. G. E. Foster made a general criticism of the expenditures of the government, which he said were growing at such a rate as to be alarming. Hon. W. S. Fielding, in reply, said the expenditures, if measured by growth in trade and revenue, would stand favorable comparison with the period when the Conservatives were in power.

Early in the session Mr. Foster made inquiry as to the possibility of getting more information in respect to the imperial defence conference, and was told by Sir Wilfrid Laurier that everything had been produced which the imperial authorities were willing to have made public.

Hon. Mr. Fisher introduced the government bill to deal with pests and diseases which affect vegetation.

Hon. Mr. Graham introduced his bill to provide for the taking over of branch lines by the Intercolonial railway, subject to approval of parliament. Both bills got a first reading. The only other business was the introduction of bills of private members.

VORACIOUS BOARDER.

Eats Pork and Apple Sauce and is Shot by His Landlady.

CHICAGO, Nov. 19.—Mrs. Annie Van Eick who shot and instantly killed Phillip Hardy, acrobat, from Toronto, Ont., in her home, west 24th street, a month ago, was indicted on a charge of murder by the grand jury yesterday. The shooting was indirectly caused by a quarrel over a dish of apple saure and roast pork. Hardy, who was a boarder at the Van Eick home, according to Mrs. Van Eick's story, entered the home while she was asleep and devoured the contents, which she had prepared for her husband and the other boarders. Mrs. Van Eick remonstrated with Hardy who, it is alleged, struck her. While lying on the floor she alleges Hardy drew a revolver and threatened to shoot her. She claims she sprang to seize the weapon from his hand when it was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering Hardy's heart.

Fish Will Be Protected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—According to announcement made in New York tonight, the agreement between Canada and the United States for the protection of the waters lying between the two countries from conditions endangering the fisheries, has been signed, and will probably become operative within a fortnight. The announcement was made by Dr. David Starr Jordan, the American member of the fisheries commission, which has been engaged for more than a year in drawing up the statutes. Dr. Jordan sain that the terms would furnish adequate protection to the fish in the waters affected.

Will Lose Wager.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 19.—Alphonse Vergonjeanne, a young Frenchman who arrived on the steamer Manchuria from Yokohama as a stowaway, and claimed that he was on his way around the world on a wager, will be deported. The department of commerce and labor has telegraphed to commissioner North that he will be treated as a regular stowaway. His application for permission to go through to Mexico on his way back to Paris has been denied.

Police Will Collect Taxes.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 19.—A special despatch from Harbin, Manchuria, states that the authorities in that city have adopted a more energetic policy in the matter of municipal taxation since the visit of Finance Minister Kokokysoff. The police have been instructed to begin immediately the collection of taxes from foreigners who have established themselves there.

Sues Cities and Mayor.

QUEBEC, Nov. 19.—Lieut.-Col. Roy has taken an action for $100,000 against Quebec, Levis, and Mayor Bernier of the latter place, to have set aside the contract for the Quebec-Levis ferry, recently awarded to a new company, of which Mayor Bernier is one of the principal promoters.

Victim of Hestia Wreck.

DIGBY, N. S., Nov. 19.—The body of a man came ashore today one mile west of Milleghan, St. Mary's bay, and it is thought to be the second steward of the ill-fated Donaldson liner Hestia, who left the steamer in the captain's gig.

Intercolonial Dismissals.

HALIFAX, Nov. 19.—Judge Barron and Messrs. Gilmour and Donohue, the board of conciliation appointed by the Dominion government, opened an inquiry here this afternoon into the dismissal of Intercolonial railway employees.

Winter Service to Halifax.

HALIFAX, Nov. 19.—The Allan liner Virginian, the first of the winter mail steamers, arrived here this morning after an ordinary passage.

WRIGHT'S ROUSING RALLY

Successful Meeting in Interests of Conservative Candidate for Nelson Held Last Evening in Eagles' Hall at Which Issues of Day Are Discussed —Public Meeting in Same Place This Evening

If in any mind a doubt lingered as to the universal popularity of Harry Wright, the conservative candidate in Nelson, or as to the prospects of his securing an overwhelming majority on Nov. 25, it must have been effectually dispelled last night by a glimpse of the conservative rally that was held in the Eagles' hall. There enthusiasm and good spirits reigned supreme and the gathering which filled the spacious hall, listened with attention and evident interest to remarkably effective and stirring speeches by W. A. Macdonald, K.C. of Vancouver, who is well known and highly acceptable to Nelson audiences, by Harry Wright, Nelson's next representative in the legislature and by W. A. Chesley, another staunch supporter of the McBride government. Hearty and spontaneous was the applause which greeted the speakers and which punctuated the addresses. The gathering was unmistakably in complete accord with the sentiments expressed and determined to leave no stone unturned to secure an overwhelming triumph on election day for Harry Wright and the cause that he represents. Throughout, the meeting gave unmistakeable evidence of the vitality of the conservative party in Nelson and of public appreciation of the issues at stake.

Owing to delay in the arrival of the Crow boat, on which W. A. Macdonald was travelling to Nelson, the meeting began later than the time originally intended, but the unfortunate occurrence was powerless to dampen the ardor of the meeting and the commencement of the speaking was patiently awaited.

The chair was taken by W. Irvine, who introduced W. A. Chesley as the first speaker. Mr. Chesley gave an admirable address. He pointed out the specially favorable terms of the McBride railway agreement by which the C.N.R. line would be secured without the cost of a single dollar of public funds, and showed the illogical attitude of liberals who contended that the guarantee of bonds would be a burden to the province and also that the construction of the line was inevitable without provincial aid. He showed how the McBride government had placed the finances of the province on a sound foundation, and alluded to the anxiety of the opposition to be in a position to handle the funds that the government had husbanded. He sketched the history of the construction of the Central railway by liberals in New Brunswick, where a royal commission found that $140,000 was unaccounted for and that another $100,000 had been spent for purposes other than the railway. That was the way liberals built railways. The McBride government was asking the people to endorse a businesslike scheme to develop the resources of the province. Mr. Chesley referred to the lack of faith in the west that has been shown by liberals. When the C.P.R. was built they said the west was a howling wilderness and that the line would not pay for axle grease, and only the other day a liberal speaker had declared that the C.N.R. would pass for 200 miles through an unknown wilderness. It was more than ever important that the government should be live and progressive. Liberals had condemned the purchase of the Hudson's Bay lands and the national policy, but the Laurier government had found that the people wanted the national policy and it had been continued. He showed how the liberals had said that railways could not be constructed without oriental labor, while the McBride government was securing the construction of 600 miles in four years, by white labor and at fair wages. Other provinces had guaranteed the bonds of the C.N.R. and had never been called upon to pay a dollar, and British Columbia would not either. Mr. Oliver would leave nature to take its course, while Mr. McBride offers a policy that will make British Columbia great. It behooves every intelligent man to cast his ballot for British Columbia. The electors should support Harry Wright and aid Mr. McBride in his great work. The city would not lose anything by doing so. He had never known anyone more energetic, determined and persevering than Mr. Wright and if elected he would see that the city got its fair share of all public monies. No one would be able to take advantage of him. He hoped that Mr. Wright would not only be elected but by an overwhelming majority and that Mr. McBride would be shown that Nelson contained an overwhelming number of intelligent people. He urged that conservatives be not over confident. They should work until the last and on election day should vote early and see that others cast their votes also If they did this Harry Wright would poll a vote greater than that of both of his opponents combined.

The popularity of Harry Wright, the conservative candidate for Nelson, was amply indicated by the hearty reception he received as he was introduced by the chairman as the next speaker. Loud and prolonged applause greeted his rising, and it was only after an appreciable interval that he was enabled to proceed. His speech throughout was interrupted by hearty applause, and it was very clear that the sentiments he expressed met with the complete approval of the audience. It was a splendid fighting speech and was delivered with fluency and appropriate emphasis.

Mr. Wright commenced by expressing the pleasure which he felt at seeing so large an audience present, and his regret that the lateness of the arrival of the Crow boat had delayed the appearance of W. A. Macdonald. He then briefly sketched his own career in Nelson. He came here thirteen years ago, on Jun 17, 1897, and worked in the postoffice for J. A. Gilker. On October 1, 1898, he received an appointment under the Semlin Cotton government, which he held until 1899, when he was appointed mining recorder. This position he held until he became candidate for the legislature for Ymir constituency. He left it to the miners to say whether he had not as mining recorder treated them fairly. He had treated all classes alike, and had not favored any section. That his work had been appreciated was shown at the election. His opponent had been secretary of the Miners' union, yet he had beaten him in every polling place but two. This was due to the support that he had from the miners themselves, and he was confident that on November 25 he would once more be placed at the head of the poll.

He had nothing to say against Mr. Crease, his opponent on the present occasion. He was a good citizen and a fine, quiet gentleman. But this was a young and energetic province. Nelson was the queen city of the Kootenays and the third business city in the province. What was wanted as the city's representative was a man with vim and life and snap. Nelson did not want a representative that would go to Victoria to take a rest, as Dr. Hall had done. Mr. Crease should be allowed to take a rest at home, instead of the province paying him to go to take a rest at Victoria, and he believed that it would be the privilege of doing the former tnat he would be given on November 25.

His opponents had been saying that they could not see why he gave up a position with $1,800 a year to go to Victoria at a salary of $1,200. He acknowledged that the position he had resigned was an honorable and dignified one, but the problem was not as difficult as his opponents made out. Mileage allowance would increase the $1,200 to $1521.50 and he would have ten months of the year in which to earn the $278.50 needed to make his salary equal to the one he had resigned. Surely he could do that.

Mr. Wright then dealt with the McBride government's railway and financial policy. The opening of the country was what is required. The government had guaranteed the bonds of the C. N. R. for $21,000,000. Alberta had already guaranteed bonds for $36,000,000 and British Columbia was head and shoulders above Alberta in the extent of its resources in lands, fisheries and minerals. There were no lands in Alberta belonging to the province. In 1903, when the legislature assembled after the election of the McBride government, the bank told the government arrangments must be made to meet the heavy overdraft. This could only be done by an increase of taxes. The government accordingly increased the taxation on railways from $18 to $90 a mile, and the tax on wild lands from 2 per cent to 4 per cent. It did not lay additional burdens on the wage earner, but taxed those who were best able to pay. The income tax and the personal tax were not increased, but the railways and the speculator were called upon. At that time there was a provincial debt of $11,500,000 and another $1,000,000 had to be borrowed to meet the overdraft. This million had now been paid off and another two millions as well, so that the debt had been reduced to $9,200,000. Against this the government had $4,000,000 in the bank. In addition nearly $3,000,000 had been realized from the sale of lands at Point Grey, near Vancouver, the other day, and the government was in a position to pay off the provincial debt by a sale of lands it owned several times over. The lands had not been given to grafters as in the case of the Dominion government. The government had kept them for the benefit of the people. In dealing with the G. T. P. the McBride government had kept a quarter interest in townsites, whereas Ottawa had given the company everything it asked for. The G. T. P. had lobbied for two sessions to get a cash and land subsidy from the McBride government, but without avail. The policy of the McBride government was opposed to land and cash subsidies. They had been all right in the case of the C. P. R. years ago. If the C. P. R. had not been secured he did not suppose that many of his hearers would be in Nelson today. The liberals had said that the C. P. R. would not pay for axle grease, but he was proud of the C. P. R. and his experience in crossing the continent was that the C. P. R. service was ahead of the American lines.

There would be stagnation if the McBride policy were not enforced. Many would remember the good times when the Crow's Nest line was building. Every one then had plenty of money. He remembered when he worked for Mr. Gilker that they were not satisfied if they did not take in from $100 to $150 a day.

Premier McBride's policy would entail the expenditure of millions in the country. The road would be built by white labor. There would be no Japanese or Chinamen. Collingwood Schreiber, chief engineer of the Dominion government, had said that railways could not be built without Oriental labor, but the McBride government was determined to protect white labor, and it had also put a fair wage clause in the contract.

Mr. Crease had come out as a liberal, but in his canvass he said that he was a McCarthy conservative in 1896 and that he would support the McBride government in anything that he believed to be right. He liked a man to be a man or a mouse, one thing or the other. Mr. McBride did not want Mr. Crease's vote in the legislature and Mr. Crease would not have the privilege of voting for or against him. There was only one McBride supporter in the field in Nelson, and that was himself. The province should be proud of such a premier as Mr. McBride and of such a business like government. It would not be good policy when on the eve of prosperity to give the government to Mr. Oliver. Mr. Oliver was a good, bright old fellow, but he was not the man for the position of premier. And the same of Mr. Crease.

Mr. Wright asked his hearers to support the McBride government if they thought it had given good, fair government in a business like way by voting for him and by working for him if they thought him a fit and proper person to represent them in the legislature. They owed it to him to do so and they owed it to themselves. Nelson had been in opposition for six or seven years and it was time it changed. If elected he would endeavor to do his duty. He would play no favorites. He had made a good mining recorder, a fairly good representative and a good government agent, and if elected he would do his business in a business like way. He defied anyone to point a finger at his integrity. The people of Nelson would do best for themselves and best for Nelson by voting for him.

Mr. Wright sat down amid hearty applause, and just as the chairman again arose W. A. Macdonald arrived and passed through the audience to the platform amid welcoming cheers. Mr. Macdonald was immediately introduced. He said that it gave him great pleasure to be present with a Nelson audience and that in order to do so he had broken away from East Kootenay. He was glad to report that there everything was all right. Their opponents dare not attack them on any public issue, but chose side issues, and tried to stir up jealousy in their ranks. On public issues they had not a foothold to stand upon. They dare not attack the government upon any point of its policy for the past seven years. On that they had to acknowledge that the government was unassailable. It had brought the province from chaos to prosperity so that now it could write its check for $4,000,000.

The land laws alone ought to be sufficient to insure the return of the government to power. Every government office was a land office and the intending settler had every assistance, and all information was at his disposal, and no difference was made between men of different nationality or political stripe. This policy was resulting in splendid development of the land resources of the province and it was a policy for British Columbia to be proud of.

Turning to the matter of finances, Mr. Macdonald pointed out that the government had levied heavy taxes, and had brought the finances of the province into good shape, and now the time had arrived when a reduction in taxes could be effected. As a result of the policy of the past, the work of administration could now be efficiently carried on, while returning to the people in the shape of roads and similar improvements a large share of the moneys contributed by them to the purposes of government.

If a man had a faithful employe, said Mr. Macdonald, and another man applied for the job, would the employer not be apt to give the efficient employe the preference rather than turning toward the interloper? That was what would happen on November 25. (Applause.)

The liberals leveled their criticisms at the government's railway policy; but on this matter they were eleventh-hour interlopers. The government had not taken up the railway question "in a wild and unconsidered way," as charged by Sir Hibert Tupper, but they had spent months and years in studying it. But this did not matter in the opinion of those irresponsibles whose only efforts were put forth to unsettle the minds of the people. What was the cry of the liberals at the last election? That the Kaien island deal was giving away the interests of the province to the G. T. P. Prince Rupert was the sequel of Kaien island, and did the liberals have a syllable to utter on that subject now? Similarly, the liberals would rue the day they opposed the bringing of the C. N. R. to British Columbia.

Alluding to the teaching of history, the speaker pointed out that in the early days of confederation, there was a national policy that had two main branches, one was a tariff, and the other was the uniting of the provinces by bands of steel. From 1874 to 1878 the liberals were in power, and they had no faith in British Columbia. Instead of keeping the solemn promise which brought British Columbia into confederation, the liberal government trifled, and trifled, till the anger of the people of British Columbia was aroused, and some hotheads almost talked treason. But wiser counsels prevailed, and the province went instead to the foot of the throne. "We are only a small province," was the plea entered, "but we are entitled to justice." The result was the Carnarvon terms, which required that the railroad be built, and built quickly.

But instead of building quickly, the liberals built exceeding slow, and the conservatives came into power and built the road. By their delay in this matter the liberals so firmly imbedded distrust of themselves in the minds of the people of British Columbia that for years and years liberal candidates lost their deposits as regularly as they came to the polls. The liberals said the C. P. R. would rust, and that the traffic would not pay for the axle grease. Hon. Edward Blake called British Columbia "a sea of mountains," and another orator said that the great prairie was only good for buffalo. Here were these men pulling back on the wheels, and doing all they could to make harder the task of those who were doing things. At one period the directors of the C. P. R. had practically to give chattel mortgages on their houses to raise money for the payroll. So insistently did the liberals hammer away on this doctrine that the people of British Columbia almost got to believe they were interlopers.

But the conservatives built the C. P. R., a great commerce sprang up for exchange, population flowed in, and British Columbia was now proud to be a part of the great Dominion. Applause.)

Having one great road, the west wanted more, for if one was good, two were better. On the prairie, Manitoba wanted another. The Northern Pacific started to build in from the south in a half-hearted manner, but what Manitoba wanted was another railway east and west. Presently along came Mackenzie and Mann, who said: "We will not only buy the N. P. R., but we will build branch lines, and we will parallel the C. P. R." The government of Manitoba said: "We have only a revenue of $700,000 a year, and we have no timber, and no lands, as the other provinces have, and no resources. But we want the railway." And they bonused the C. N. R. $10,000 a mile, and what was more, they aided it to build a line that went out of the province, down to the lake front, and also ran for some distance in the state of Minnesota.

"Of course," said the speaker, "there were hesitators, and opposers, there, as we have them here now, but the C. N. R. went forward, and in two years $400,000 a year went into the farmers' pockets through saving in freight rates, and not a single dollar was paid out by the province of Manitoba for the railroad." (Great applause.) If that little province, with such a meager revenue, and in times when money was not flush, but was scarce, was able to carry out such a policy, what had the great province of British Columbia to be afraid of? If the people of British Columbia were the kind that were afraid, they would not be here. Yet the liberals professed to be afraid of a guarantee of $35,000 a mile for a transcontinental road that was waiting to come in.

Alberta had a progressive government, and that province had hanging over it an obligation of $36,000,000 for railways. Yet the Rutherford government was returned to power, and the opposition in the house was reduced to about three members. Saskatchewan likewise believed in the encouragement of railways.

The finance minister of British Col-

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CONSERVATIVE MEETING

A public meeting in the interests of Harry Wright, the conservative candidate for Nelson, will be held THIS EVENING in the EAGLE HALL. The speakers of the evening will be G. H. Barnard, M. P. for Victoria, James H. Schofield and Neil F. Mackay, who are seeking re-election, respectively, in Ymir and Kaslo, and Mr. Wright. The chair will be taken at 8:15 o'clock.

SNOWED UNDER BADLY

To the Editor of The Daily News, Nelson, B. C.:

Our trip through to the coast has been most successful; every constituency visited being enthusiastically favorable to the conservative cause and promising an unbroken line of victories all along the line. Meetings in the coast cities are the biggest on record and the liberals will be snowed under badly.

R. M'BRIDE.

Vancouver, Nov. 19, 1909.

PRIZE WINNER

Kootenay Apples [illegible] at [illegible]ane

GETS FOURTEEN AWARDS

BRITISH COLUMBIA TAKES 18 PER CENT OF ALL PRIZES FOR PLATE FRUIT—BOX OF F. G. FAUQUIER'S APPLES FOR THE PRESIDENT OF UNITED STATES

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KOOTENAY APPLES FOR TAFT.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 19.—Kootenay secured fourteen prizes on plate exhibits. British Columbia secured 18 per cent of the plate awards. A box of Fauquier's Baldwins was selected for presentation to President Taft.

J. E. ANNABLE.

(Special to The Daily News.)

SPOKANE, Nov. 19—British Columbia won a great share of the apple awards for plate displays when the judges' decision was announced at the National Apple show this afternoon.

Prizes for the collection of 50 apples arranged in a pyramid on a platform were awarded by the judges this afternoon as follows: L. H. Spader, Chelan, Wash, first, $100 in cash; Lirr & Ball, Methow, Wash., second, $25 in cash; H. W. Collins, Carson, B.C., third, National Apple Show diploma.

The awards for fine apples at the National Apple show are distributed over a large territory. Early this morning the judges were busily engaged in their task of picking the prize winners and the plate displays were the first to receive tags. Among the earliest awards made were the following in British Columbia.

Blenheim Orange—First, James Johnson, Nelson; second, R. Shiell, Needles;

Belle de Boskoope—Second, C. W. West, Nelson.

Cox Orange Pippin—First, Gordon Hallett, Harrop; second J. W. Cockle, Kaslo.

Golden Russet—First, R. E. Harris, Kelowna; second, Coldstream ranch, Vernon.

New York Wins—First, J. L. Webster, Vernon.

Ontario—First, C. E. Weews, Kelowna; second, J. J. Campbell, Willow point.

Ribstone Pippin— First, J. T. Bealby, Nelson.

Red Cheek Pippin or Mammoth—First, Fleming Bros., Vernon.

Alexander—Second, Fleming Bros., Vernon.

Baldwins—Second, H. Baillie, Kelowna.

Gano—Second, Kenyon ranch, Vernon.

Gravenstein—First, J. W. Cockle, Kaslo; second, F. G. Fauquier, Needles.

McMahon White — Second, James Johnstone, Nelson.

Roxbury Russett — Second A. Leet, Kaslo.

St. Lawrence—Second, Geo. Thompson, Kelowna.

Snows—Second, R. Sweeney, Kelowna, B.C.

Tolman Sweet—W. J. Cockle, Kaslo.

Wealthy—Second, J. Farran, Harrop.

Whitney Russett—First, Mrs. John Smith, Spence's Bridge.

Sawed Down the Poles.

WELLAND, Ont., Nov. 19—Pelham township council has again brought the hydro-electric commission to time. A stretch of telephone poles for power line, which were placed 12 feet out in the roadway instead of on the fence line where the agreement with the council required them to be placed, were sawed down by order of the council. This action was taken after due notice had been given the commission to have them removed.

Adopt Anglo-Saxon System.

PARIS, Nov. 19.—For the first time in a French assize court a trial was conducted today after the Anglo Saxon fashion. This was in fulfilment of the wish of Minister of Justice Barthou that certain reforms be instituted, including the doing away of the judge's interrogation of the prisoner. Deputy Mouquillet introduced in the chamber of deputies today a bill providing that witness in court trials may have a lawyer present when they are examined.

Outlaw is Shot.

BOISE, Idaho, Nov. 19.—After an all-night stand against a posse, an unknown outlaw, who was wanted for the shooting Officer George Flening at Nampa, on Tuesday, and who sought refuge yesterday at the Garrett farm, was shot and killed today. Harry Garrett, whom he had carried into his garret retreat previously, had escaped by jumping from a window.

Discharging Employes.

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—Since the appointment of the board of Intercolonial railway management 503 employees have been discharged and 22 superannuated. The national transcontinental railway commission to date has paid $18,118,133 exclusive of sums paid to contractors having construction of roadbed under contract.

Deep Snow in Ontario.

TORONTO, Nov. 19—The Canadian Northern trains arrived this morning covered with snow. The crew report that the snow in Parry Sound is over three feet deep and in several places there are drifts six and seven feet deep. The snow plow was used for part of the journey.

Northern British Columbia, the Mecca of the Farmer, Stockman, and Homebuilder

(Letter from Mr. George L. Brown.)

I felt Seattle Wednesday, August 4th, 1909, for the northern British Columbia country, went by way of Vancouver in order to take up some parties there and arrived in Ashcroft Aug. 6. From there I drove with my own teams to Soda creek, 165 miles. At Soda creek I embarked for Quesnel on the river steamer Charlotte, owned by James Reid, Ltd., of Quesnel. At Quesnel took saddle horses and went to the Blackwater country, from which point I rode south and examined the country thoroughly.

The best farming country begins at Soda creek and follows the windings of the Fraser river clear to Fort George on both sides of the river. Everywhere the growth of vegetation was of the rankest kind. I had been told of the luxuriance of the vegetation in that northern country, but was not prepared to see such a superabundant growth extending over such a broad extent of territory. Wild pea vine, vetch, red top, clover and timothy, and other kinds of grasses the names of which I am not familiar with grew everywhere. This wild growth would reach to my saddle stirrups and it affords the most nutritious food for live stock imaginable. Stock everywhere in evidence was rolling fat and as a stock grazing country it has no superior. For reasons that may be quite obvious to the reader that country has never been cultivated to any great extent. Its remoteness from markets and the lack of transportation facilities have placed an embargo on production that could not be overcome except by the building of railways, but now since the Grand Trunk Pacific railway is assured, the world is beginning to comprehend its enormous capabilities and possibilities and a rush of settlers will begin that will eclipse anything known in the history of the Great Canadian west. Why? Because no finer farm land lies out of doors than that in the great valleys and plateaus of northern British Columbia, tributary to the Grand Trunk Pacific road across the continent. Because that magnificent region offers inducements to the farmer and stock raiser not possessed by any of the prairie provinces. It is, at, once, pre-eminently a grain growing, a stock raising, a fruit, a dairy and a mining country all in one. In fact, its resources are as varied as they are enormous and incomparable. In short, for mixed farming which pays better than any one line, there is none better. As a mineral country it possesess untold wealth, and, climatically, it has no superior. Its rainfall is not excessive, yet enough precipitation occurs to keep the ground moist and produce good and never failing crops. It is subject to no blizzards and no such low temperatures prevail as are common to the prairie provinces and which make living a hardship. Its beautiful mountains, valleys, rivers, lakes and streams combine to produce the most beautiful landscape effects. It is one vast game preserve. Deer, caribou, moose, mountain sheep, and goats, bear, black, brown and grizzly, feathered game, both water fowl and upland birds, salmon, trout and white fish in marvellous abundance in the lakes, rivers, and creeks make it the sportsman's paradise.

Hitherto, except to the hardy mountaineer, trapper and prospector, that country of mighty distances has been comparatively unknown. Forty to fifty years ago the miner and prospector was beguiled by the thirst for gold and by laborious marches trekked over pathless mountain ranges, forded dangerous mountain torrents at the risk of his life and underwent hardships and privations that taxed the strength, endurance and hardihood of the stoutest hearts for the lure of gold. Cariboo and Cassiar, then considered as remote from the haunts of men as Dawson and the Tanana in these latter days, drew thousands to their wilds. Many filled their pockets with gold. Some came back poorer than they went. Now the wilderness is being linked with the marts of commerce by bands of steel and the boundless hills and vales, will, within a few short years, yield their wealth to the undaunted empire builder in the form of golden grain and fruit; and stock will roam over its limitless hills green with the grasses that nature put there for the countless herds and flocks of the future. Prosperous farms and flourishing towns and cities will spring up as if touched by the magic wand of some mighty magician and where the vast and silent wilderness existed as an unknown quantity the hand of man will have transformed it into cultivated fields, 'neath smiling skies and the whistle of the locomotive and river and lake steamer and the sound of the hammer and saw will succeed the whistle of the curlew and the barking of the coyote.

In that great domain where the wilderness will be made to blossom as the rose in the next few years, there are 200,000 farms simply waiting the hand of the husbandman to develop their rich areas and make their possessors rich men. Here is wealth and health for the man of thrift, energy, determination and ambition. Thousands and tens of thousands of good, industrious, sterling men are struggling for an existence in the world—able men—capable men. Is it necessary? No! Not for all. It is rendered necessary, seemingly by an immutable law of nature for some men to toil and for others to thrive and succeed on the fruits of that toil just as beasts, birds and fishes of prey thrive and fatten and gorge on the weaker and resistless parts of animate nature, but to the fearless, brave and ambitious man success lies just beyond seemingly insurmountable impediments to human effort and success lies in the broad, fertile and resourceful areas of northern British Columbia for thousands of sturdy and dauntless men and women and what is more precious than all, health as well as wealth is to be found in its valleys among its mountains and along its beautiful lakes, rivers and streams.

British Columbia will undergo a much more rapid growth than Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta ever did because it is a country of vaster and more varied resources and because its climatic conditions are not subject to such extreme and rigorous alterations. The valleys of the Fraser, Bulkeley, Stewart lake, Francois lake, Ootsabunket, Nechaco, Kisplox, Chilcotin and many others will be speedily transformed from rolling hills, billowy with luxuriant wild grasses into smiling farms dotted with innumerable happy and contented homes.

Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the fact that the country from Soda creek to Quesnel is the only natural, logical and feasible route for the building of the Vancouver extension of the Grand Trunk Pacific line from Fort George south. That, with its natural resources and the advantage of water transportation in addition to rail, the country will grow by leaps and bounds. That the present and future travel to the interior of British Columbia to reach the Grand Trunk Pacific line and the valley through which it will extend will be by the way of Soda creek and Quesnel and on to Fort George, that being the shortest, quickest and cheapest route. Therefore as a logical sequence the first, most rapid and permanent development will naturally begin and continue along that line of least resistance.

The above is another sample of letters by men of large experience who have lately examined the land tributary to Fort George.

Every man man who has seen this magnificent country unanimously proclaims Fort George the natural distributing center and the next large city of the west.

Prince Rupert lots have nearly all doubled in value since the sale a few months ago. About five million dollars has been invested. Single lots sold as high as $18,000. Prince Rupert has so far only one railway in sight. Fort George has lines projected in every direction.

Great stretches of agricultural land make the most solid foundation for a city. In this respect Fort George stands pre-eminent.

Buy before the rush. Have a few lots to offer the eager thousands who will soon be rushing to the coming great city.

Send in your order and trust us to make a selection for you.

The Wright Investment Company

Baker Street - - - - Nelson, B. C.

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MOTOR OVER-COATS — Sovereign Brand CLOTHING — MOTOR OVER-COATS

Their cost is extremely low when compared with the materials of which they are made, their style and superior workmanship.

Ask your dealer for Sovereign Brand

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POLICE ARE EXONERATED

M'PHERSON CHARGE FALLS TO THE GROUND

COMMISSION SITS FOR OVER THREE HOURS ON CASE

For three hours yesterday the police commission of Nelson sat as a court of inquiry, investigating the charge made against the city police by a ticket-of-leave prisoner, Carlisle McPherson, and also made some general inquiry into vague rumors or inuendoes, at the end of which time a complete certificate of exoneration was awarded to the police force. The general opinion is that McPherson was more or less irresponsible at the time he made his charge.

The commissioners constituting the court were Harold Selous, W. B. Stead, and William Irvine. A. M. Johnson, city solicitor, was present as the advisor of the commission, and R. S. Lennie, as counsel for chief of police C. W. Young, conducted the inquiry, calling and examining various witnesses.

The charge which gave rise to the official investigation which has been adjourned from time to time to allow of McPherson being found, was contained in a declaration made by McPherson on Oct. 26 last, before James O'Shea, to the effect that on being released from the city jail on a certain occasion he had not been given back all the money he had on him at the time of his arrest.

AWAY GOES BACKACHE

JUST A FEW DOSES MAKE KIDNEYS ACT FINE

MOST SEVERE BLADDER AND URINARY MISERY VANISHES

The most effective and harmless way to cure backache and regulate out-of-order kidneys, or end bladder trouble, is to take several doses of Pape's Diuretic.

You will distinctly feel that your kidneys and urinary organs are being cleaned, healed and vitalized, and all the miserable symptoms, such as backache, headache, nervousness, rheumatism and darting pains, inflamed or swollen eyelids, irritability, sleeplessness, or suppressed, painful or frequent urination (especially at night) and other distress, leaving after taking the first few doses.

The moment you suspect any kidney or urinary disorder, or rheumatism, begin taking this harmless preparation as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, at any price, made anywhere else in the world, which will effect so thorough and prompt a cure as a 50-cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic, which any druggist can supply.

Your physician, pharmacist, banker or any mercantile agency will tell you that Pape, Thompson & Pape, of Cincinnati, is a large and responsible medicine concern, thoroughly worthy of your confidence.

Don't be miserable or worried another moment with a lame back or clogged, inactive kidneys or bladder misery. All this goes after you start taking Pape's Diuretic, and in a few days you feel and know that your kidneys, liver und urinary system are healthy, clean and normal, and all danger passed.

Accept only Pape's Diuretic—fifty-cent treatment—from any drug store—anywhere in the world.

Ymir News Notes

(Special to The Daily News.)

YMIR, Nov. 19—The Ladies Guild are making preparations to hold a handkerchief bazaar on Dec. 1. Refreshments will be served afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Wright of Toronto and Mrs. George Motion, Sr., of Nelson, are visiting friends and relatives in town this week.

A young gentleman gave himself up to policeman Fraser last Wednesday. As he is very young and unable to take care of himself, Jack will no doubt induce him to remain in the family indefinitely.

F. L. Churchill is in town loading four cars of poles for the eastern market.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tuttle spent a few days in Nelson this week.

The condition of the roads have made it impossible to continue hauling ore from the Yankee Girl mine to the cars and business in that line is temporarily shut down.

A new sidewalk is being put in on Front street by the government, J. T. Price being foreman. This has been badly needed for a long time and is fully appreciated by all.

Mr. Gribble of Toronto, an advocate of socialism, addressed a fair sized audience of socialists and others last Wednesday evening. The gentleman is an eloquent speaker.

The Ark Group Mining & Milling company held their annual meeting on Wednesday and re-elected the board of directors.

J. J. Budd, manager of the Ark Group Mining & Milling company, accompanied by Mrs. Budd, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kneeland a part of this week.

J. H. Schofield and D. H. Chapman addressed a large audience of conservatives and others last Monday night at the Masonic hall. It is pretty well conceded here that Mr. Schofield's chances for re-election are more than bright.

Brakeman Killed

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRANBROOK, Nov. 18—W. Hall, a brakeman employed by the C.P.R. met death a short distance east of here today as a result of falling from the train on which he was employed. He was a young man and popular in Cranbrook.

Prisoner Wounds Himself.

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 19.—In a fit of temporary insanity, Phillip Hadding, aged 55 years, a prisoner at the county jail, inflicted wounds on himself with a pair of scissors yesterday which may cause his death.

Croup is more prevalent during the dry cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many mother are never without it in their homes and it has never disappointed them. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

Minard's Linament Cures Colds, Etc.

Fifteen Years of Agony

"Fruit-a-tives" Promptly Cured Him After Doctors Had Failed To Give Relief.

CHARLES BARRETT, Esq.

Harbor au Bouche,

Antigonish Co., N.S., March 24, 1909.

"I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the great benefit I received from taking "Fruit-a-tives." I suffered from Biliousness and Dyspepsia for fifteen years and I consulted physicians and took many kinds of ordinary medicine, but got no relief. I was in miserable health all the time and nothing did me any good. I read the testimonial of Archibald McKechnie, of Ottawa, and I decided to try "Fruit-a-tives." I have taken a number of boxes of "Fruit-a-tives," but before I had taken one box I felt better and now am entirely well.

"I am thankful to be well after fifteen years suffering, and I am willing to have this statement published for the sake of other sufferers, and to them I strongly recommend "Fruit-a-tives."

(Signed) CHARLES BARRETT.

50c a box, 6 for $2.50—or trial box, 25c. At all dealers or sent post-paid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

What Will We Have for Dinner?

That's a point that gives many a good housewife concern. Something different from what we have been having. Sameness palls so on the fickle tastes of man. The question is easily settled in our store. We have a large variety of choice things at prices that make selection easy and satisfactory:

Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Florida Grape Fruit, each 15c.
Florida Oranges, per dozen, 50c.
Butter, 3 lbs. for $1.
Ranch eggs, per dozen, 50c.
Jersey and St. Charles Cream 2 cans for 25c.

Joy's Cash Grocery

Corner of Josephine and Mill Streets.
Joy Will Meet You at the Door
P. O. Box 637 Telephone 19

FOR SALE

Two exceedingly choice building lots, inside, close to old skating rink, easily cleared and level, only $100 each for cash.

A fine corner and inside lot, on proposed route of tram line up the hill, easy to clear. A choice building site and a snap at the price. Only $300 for the two. Move quickly if you want bargains as both of these are. Full particulars of

R. J. STEEL
Hudson's Bay Block

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Low Round Trip Rates to

Ontario, Quebec and Maritime Provinces

Tickets on sale Dec. 1 to Dec. 31, inclusive, good to return within three months.

Tickets issued in connection Atlantic steamship business will be on sale from Nov. 21 and limited to five months from date of issue.

iFnest equipment, standard first class and tourist sleeping cars on all through trains. Compartment-library-observation cars on Imperial Limited and Atlantic Express.

3--Through Express Trains Daily--3

THE TORONTO EXPRESS

leaves Winnipeg daily at 22:40, making connection at Toronto for all points east and west thereof.

The Imperial Limited leaves Winnipeg daily at 18:15 and the Atlantic Express at 8 daily, making connections at Montreal for all points east thereof.

Apply to the nearest C.P.R. agent for full information.

HARTMAN & BENNETT

House and Sign Painters, Paper Hangers and Decorators. Shop: Corner Stanley and Victoria streets, Nelson, B. C.

HOTEL DIRECTORY

The Office
Ward Street Nelson, B. C.

Drop in and sample the newest importation.

King William IV.
(V. O. P.) Scotch Whiskey

This whiskey is guaranteed 50 years old before bottled at Leith, Scotland.

Remember we serve nothing but the best liquers, wines, whiskeys, beers, and cigars on the market.

YOUNG & BOYD, Proprietors.

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Baker Street, Nelson, B.C.
Regular Boarders, $6.00 per week
Rates: $1.25 per day
Best 25 Cent Meal in the City
WM. NEUENDORF, Prop.

Nelson Hotel Bar

Baker Street, Nelson, B.C.
INK & WARD, Props.
Try a "GIN RICKEY"
Made from California Limes, specially imported
For a cool, satisfying smoke
Try a Savannah Cigar

Bartlett House

G. W. Bartlett, Prop
The best $1.00 a day house in town.
A Miner's Home

Kootenay Hotel

MRS. MALLETTE, Proprietress

A home for everybody. Every convenience given to the travelling public. Electric piano. Cuisine unexcelled. Rates $1 per day.

Sherbrooke House

Nelson, B.C.

One minute's walk from C.P.R. station. Cuisine unexcelled; well heated and ventilated.

BOYER BROS., Proprietors

Empire Hotel

(Late Sunnyside.)
Baker Street, Nelson, B.C.
The house is thoroughly remodelled throughout. Clean rooms.
Weekly boarders, $6.00.
Rates $1.00 per day up.
Temberance house! home comforts; best cook in the city.
MRS. J. E. HARRIS, Proprietress.

Athabasca Saloon

Cor. Baker and Kootenay Sts.

Noted house for Big Beer. Best brands of Wines and Liquors and Union Cigars in stock.

IVENS & PHILBERT, Props.

CLUB HOTEL

Cor. Stanley and Kootenay Sts.

Newly furnished, renovated throughout. The best dollar a day house west of Winnipeg. Big schooner Beer or Half and Half 10c. Special rates to steady boarders.

JOHN GRANT, Prop.

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CASTLEGAR JUNCTION

All modern. Best accommodation for travellers.

NELSON CAFE

Large, Commodious Dining Room.
Prompt and Courteous Service.
Meals Served at all Hours.
Elegantly furnished rooms in connection.

A. AUDET, Proprietor.
Phone 275.

ROSSLAND

THE HOFFMAN ANNEX, ROSSLAND, B. C.—Green & Smith, Props. Centrally located. European and American plan. Commercial travellers will find light, comfortable sample rooms, a special dining room and excellent accommodations at the Hoffman. Baths, bowling alley, steam laundry.

PHOENIX

HOTEL BROOKLYN, PHOENIX, B. C.—The only up-to-date hotel in Phoenix. New from cellar to roof. Best sample rooms in the Boundary. Bath room in connection. Steam heat. Opposite Great Northern repot. James Marshall, Prop.

ARROWHEAD

THE UNION HOTEL, ARROWHEAD—Special attention given to commercial men and tourists. First class sample rooms. Finest scenery in British Columbia, overlooking Upper Arrow lake. W. J. Lightburne, proprietor.

GRAND FORKS, B.C.

PROVINCE HOTEL, GRAND FORKS, B. C.—Is the newest and best appointed hotel in the interior of British Columbia, and offers to the travelling public the best accommodation obtainable. The building is all newly furnished throughout and is the only fire proof hotel in the city. E. Larsen, proprietor.

COMAPLIX

QUEEN'S HOTEL, COMAPLIX, B. C.—Chief Young, Prop. Best of wines, liquors and cigars. Travellers to Fish Creek will find excellent accommodation at this hotel. Sample room for commercial travellers is 16 x 55, one of the largest in the Kootenays.

YMIR

YMIR HOTEL, YMIR, B.C.—Most modern and up-to-date hotel in Ymir—located directly opposite depot—Best accommodation possible—Dining room in connection. J. B. Bremner, Proprietor.

Read Daily News Want Ads

Water Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of "Water Act, 1909," to record the right to take, divert, convey and use water in Kootenay District, for ordnary, domestic, agricultural and mining purposes:—

(a.) The name of the applicant is John McMartin, (If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. is B 16099.

(b.) The name of the lake, stream or source is (if unnamed, the description is) South Fork of Sheep Creek.

About 6 acres of Crown land to be occupied by proposed works including mill site.

c.) The point of diversion or ditch-head is about 17,000 feet above junction of Wolf and Sheep creeks.

The point of diversion is about 7,000 feet above junction where Mother Lode right of way for tramway is cut.

The difference in altitude between the point of diversion and the point where it is to be returned is 800 feet.

(d) The means by which it is intended to store and divert the water is dam, flume or pipe.

The number of inches applied for is 5 cubic feet per second.

(f.) The water is required for mining and milling.

(g) The land or mine on which the water is to be used is the Mother Lode group and mill site.

This notice was posted on the 27th day of October, 1909, and application will be made to the commissioner on the 29th day of November, 1909.

(Signature) JOHN McMARTIN, Mine Owner,
(P.O. Address) Cornwall, Ontario.
30-10-09-2w.

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The difference in altitude between the point of diversion and the point where it is to be returned is about 800 feet.

(d) The means by which it is intended to store and divert the water is dam, flume or pipe.

The number of inches applied for is 10 cubic feet per second.

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Water License

Notice is hereby given that I, A. D. Ferguson, intend to apply to the Water Commissioner, 30 days after date, for leave to take one-half cubic foot of water per second from an unnamed stream flowing into Sub-Lot 20 of Lot 7159, for domestic and irrigation purposes.

A. D. FERGUSON,
Per F. P. BURDEN.
October 28, 1909. 29-10-09-4

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, Pete Johnson of Slocan Junction, intend, thirty days after the date thereof, to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, for a renewal of the liquor license held by me for the Kootenay Falls hotel at Slocan Junction.

Dated at Slocan Junction this 30th day of October, 1909.

166-30 PETE JOHNSON.

Notice for Application for Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, William Gosnell, intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of the retail liquor license for the premises known as the Grove Hotel, situate at Fairview, B. C., in the Ymir district.

WILLIAM GOSNELL.
Dated Oct. 14, 1909. 153-30

NOTICE.

Provincial Legislative Assembly.

Private Bills.

Copies of Bills, Petitions, and notices as published must be deposited with, and all fees paid to, the Clerk of the House, not lated than 12 January, 1910.

Petitions for Bills will not be received by the House after 31st January, 1910.

Bills must be presented to the House not later than 10th February, 1910.

Reports from Standing Committee on Bills will not be received by the House after 17th February, 1910.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly.
Victoria, 1st November, 1909. 176-tf.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, Mitchel Tait, of Ymir, B. C., intend thirty days after the date hereof, to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the liquor license held by me for the Palace hotel, at Ymir, B. C.

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October, 1909.

MITCHEL TAIT.
19-10-09-4

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 20, Block 36; Lots 3 and 4, Block 47 (Map 266); Lot 1, Block 38; Lot 9, Block 40 (Map 266A), Nelson city.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue, at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof, a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lots in the name of Angus Campbell, which Certificate is dated the 28th March, 1893, and numbered 16199A.

H. R. JORAND,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C.
Oct. 18, 1909 157-31

TAXIDERMY!

STANLEY W. JEKILL,
Mirror Lake, B.C.
is prepared to accept any orders along this line.
Deer and Goat Heads
Mammals, Birds
Fish, Etc.
All work guaranteed. Prices right.

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How to Buy Real Estate That You Cannot Afford the Time Nor Expense Necessary to Examine Personally

First—The first and most important point is to select some place so situated that it must from the very nature of things become a city. Then buy at the very beginning if you possibly can, and as close in to the center as you can afford.

Second—Buy only from some well known, reliable company who have a reputation to sustain.

Third—Insist on being furnished with a report on the property by some Provincial Land Surveyor, stating where the property is situated, how the lots lay, nature of soil, distance from railway and car lines if any. Get a blue print or map showing the number and location of your lots, so that if you want to offer them for sale later, you can give the agent the map to sell from.

Fourth—If you are depending on your earnings to make payments, get if possible an extension clause in your agreement. If you buy from some well known firm in your own locality, they will be anxious to protect your interests as they value your business and your good will.

If you bear those four points in mind, and buy under those conditions, there is no other investment so safe or profitable as real estate in a new country.

Look back over the past ten years. Think of the millions upon millions that have been divided among those who have had the foresight to get in and buy real estate in the cities of Canada and the United States.

There never was a time in the history of Canada so pregnant with possibilities for making money in real estate as at the present time. We are just on the eve of a tremendous development.

Remember as soon as you have made one payment on a lot the increase in value is yours just as much as if you had paid for it in full.

The two best investments in British Columbia today are Westminster and Fort George. Both have a marvellous future before them and the advance will be rapid and continuous. Do not delay, the longer you postpone the more difficult it becomes, until procrastination becomes a habit.

Send for full information at once. We have prepared a monthly report at great expense which we will send free to any one upon request.

The Wright Investment Co.

419 Baker Street, Nelson

The Greatest Bargain ever offered in Kootenay fruit land. The owner being away from this district and not aware of the rapid advancement of the Kootenays, has instructed us to sell 160 acres adjoining the Edgewood townsite for $12 per acre. The tract has a splendid lake frontage of half a mile on Arrow lake. The wagon road from Edgewood to the Needles passes through the block; land all around it is selling at $100 per acre. Secure this while you have the opportunity. Our client may raise the price any day. Terms can be arranged.

Beautiful Furnished House for rent for the winter. Every modern convenience; $40 per month clear.

Buy Nelson Property Now—$200 cash and the balance $20 per month buys a house and lot on Victoria street, that cannot be duplicated today for $2200 present price only $1600.

A Good Corner—One lot on corner Latimer and Ward Sts., $400, easy terms.

Fine Building Lots—Twelve for $500 terms $5 a lot cash, balance monthly payments, city water within a mile of city post office.

$1400 Buys a good 6-roomed house and double corner on Stanley street; terms to suit purchaser.

A Cosy Home close in, 7-roomed cottage and all modern conveniences in splendid state of repair, basement full size of house and 3 lots certainly a bargain at the price, $2100. Terms arranged.

A Beautiful Home—Situated on Nelson Ave., the widest street in Fairview, car line passes the property. The house is a new two storey, well built frame, has three bedrooms, large clothes closets in each, bathroom, 4 rooms and hall on ground floor, shed and chicken houses, incubator, brooders, 6 lots completely cultivated and well fenced. Price $4000; terms $500 cash.

FOR RENT

418 Houston St., 4 rooms, city water, $11 per month clear.

Modern 6 roomed house with bath, 2 lots on Observatory St., opposite fire hall, $20 a month clear.

An Absolutely Safe Investment

Eagle debentures, par value cent interest from March 1, '09, $10 each; guaranteed 8 per 5 debentures, value today with interest earned, $52.82; today can sell for $50; profit to you, $2.82.

10 debentures, value today with interest earned, $105.65; today can sell for $100; profit to you, $5.65.

20 debentures value today with interest earned, $211.31; today can sell for $200; profit to you $11.31.

40 debentures, value today with interest earned $422,53; today can sell for $400; profit to you $22.53.

No cost for transfers.

We have a client who will exchange two quarter sections of the best wheat land in Manitoba and Saskatchewan for Nelson city property. What have you to offfer?

TWO GOOD LOANS

We have clients wishing to borrow $600 to $800 on residence property, well located, worth at least $2000; will pay 8 per cent.

Western Canada Investment Co.

507 1-2 Baker Street — Nelson, B. C.

R. BRUCE SCOTT.
J. E. TAYLOR

Drawer 1042. Phone 254.

PIONEER HOTEL KEEPER

HUGH CAMERON DIES, LEAVING LARGE FORTUNE.

TUNNEL WATCHMAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GREENWOOD, Nov. 19.—R. G. Sidley's store at Sidley was burned last Sunday night.

Hugh Cameron, the most famous hotelkeeper in British Columbia, died at Camp McKinney, from heart disease, aged 69, years. His remains were brought to Greenwood to be embalmed, and today the funeral, attended by nearly a hundred pioneers, proceeded to the C.P.R. depot, from where the remains were shipped to New Westminster for burial. He left a fortune of about $100,000 in cash and property. Although he left no will this will go to his brother in Victoria.

Charles Peterson committed suicide by jumping in front of a passenger train when it was passing through No. 4 tunnel on the V. V. & E. railroad, about six miles west of Midway. He was 65 years old and had no relatives in this country as far as can be learned. For some time he had been the watchman at No. 4 tunnel. His remains were brought to Greenwood for interment. The coroner made an enquiry but did not deem an inquest necessary.

During the month of October the profits of the British Columbia Copper company were over $38,000. The cost of producing copper that month, including selling charges, was 8.8 cents per pound.

The New Dominion company will soon commence to do some diamond drilling upon its Phoenix properties.

E. J. Cartier put on a night shift at the Windsor cafe this week. This makes two all-night restaurants in Greenwood.

It was one below zero in Greenwood last Sunday morning.

At his room in the Pioneer, hotel last Saturday, Jebb Wilcox took an overdose of laudanum. The fact was discovered in time to save his life and he is now convalesing in the hospital.

George Beattie, the young fireman who was so badly hurt in the recent railway accident near Eholt, is progressing rapidly and will not lose his leg.

Suit will be entered against all delinquent taxpayers in this city who do not pay their taxes on or befor the 15th of the coming December.

The political campaign in this riding is very quiet. Some miners are betting that Jackson will head the poll at the Mother Lode mine.

Money is becoming more plentiful in this city and the merchants report a vast improvement in business.

W. W. Craig has closed his store at Boundary Falls and moved the stock to his Greenwood shop.

There are 840 names upon the voters' list of the Greenwood riding. Of this number 228 are miners.

The Mother Lode mine did not work last Sunday, and in consequence Greenwood was full of miners that day.

E. W. Bishop has received the contract for putting in a heating plant at the Greenwood public school building. The price to be paid is $3,595, and the work will be finished in January.

Stay Is Granted.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The court of appeals of the District of Columbia, upon request of counsel for the labor leaders today granted a stay until Nov. 29 of the issuance of the mandate sending President Gompers, vice-President Mitchell and Secretary Morrison of the Federation of Labor to jail for contempt of the supreme court of the District of Columbia in the Buck Stove and Range case.

BRADEN RUNNING WELL

CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATE IN ROSSLAND IS WINNER.

HIS MAJORITY WILL LIKELY BE ONE HUNDRED.

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Nov. 19.—The campaign here is so strongly in favor of W. R. Braden that it is almost impossible to get the liberals to back their candidate with their coin, even when large odds are offered. There are large sums of Braden money in sight but no takers.

It is conceded that the socialist candidate will poll a larger vote than the liberal, and it is more than likely that Dr. English will lose his deposit.

A public meeting in the interests of W. R. Braden, conservative candidate, will be held tomorrow night at which R. S. Lennie of Nelson and Alex Sharp will be the chief speakers.

Braden's majority will likely be run up to 100.

Bjornson Critically Ill

PARIS, Nov. 19—The condition of Bjorntstern Bjornson, the Norwegian writer, is most grave. He has been unable to receive the treatment for arteric selehosis for which he came to Paris. His son was summoned to his bedside today. Accompanied by members of his family Bjornson arrived here on Nov. 11 to undergo a course of treatement which it was hoped would at least prolong his life.

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Nov. 3	Lake Erie	Nov. 20
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Nov. 12	Chartered steamer	Nov. 26
Nov. 19	Empress of Britain	Dec. 3
Nov. 24	Lake Manitoba	Dec. 11
Dec. 10	Chartered steamer	Dec. 24
Dec. 17	Corsican (chartered)	Dec. 31
Dec. 24	Chartered steamer	Jan. 7
Dec. 31	Empress of Ireland	Jan. 14
Jan. 7	Chartered steamer	Jan. 21
Jan. 14	Corsican (chartered	Jan. 28
Jan. 21	Chartered steamer	Feb. 4
Jan. 28	Empress of Britain	Feb. 11
Feb. 4	Chartered steamer	Feb. 18
Feb. 11	Empress of Ireland	Feb. 25
Feb. 18	Chartered steamer	March 4
Feb. 25	Empress of Britain	March 11
March 2	Lake Champlain	March 19
March 11	Empress of Ireland	March 25
March 16	Lake Manitoba	April 2
March 25	Empress of Britain	April 8
March 30	Lake Erie	April 16
April 8	Empress of Ireland	April 22
April 13	Lake Champlain	April 30
April 22	Empress of Britain	May 6

TENDERS

Re Nelson Street Railway Co., Ltd.

Tenders are requested for two semi-convertible cars and for station metering and switching equipment, full particulars of which with copies of specifications can be secured at the office of the undersigned.

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JOHN JACOB ASTOR MISSING

Waters of Carribean Sea Now Being Searched for His Yacht

NEW YORK, Nov. 19—The waters of the Carribean sea are dotted with vessels on the lookout for Col John Jacob Astor's steam yacht Nourmahal with her owner and his son Vincent on board which has not been heard from since she was reported sailing from Kingston, Jamaica, presumably for Porto Rico two weeks ago. In the interval West Indian waters have been hurricane-swept, cables have been interrupted and there is anxiety for the safety of those on board the vessel.

Failure to hear from the Nourmahal has been attributed to lack of cable service with Porto Rico. Today the lines to that island are still out of commission. Wireless apparatus, however, is employed in the efforts to locate the yacht but up to this morning none of the vessels in West Indian waters which have been notified to be on the lookout for her had reported the missing yacht.

Another Railway Combination

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 19—St. Louis financiers are discussing a widely circulated report that Edwin Hawley is organizing a $500,000,000 holding corporation to include the St. Louis & San Francisco, Chicago & Alton, Missouri, Kansas & Texas, Chesapeake & Ohio, Toledo, St. Louis & Western; Iowa Central, Colorado Southern, Minneapolis, St Louis & Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway companys.

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PROSPECTS ARE BRIGHT

CANADIAN MERCHANTS LOOK FORWARD TO NEXT YEAR.

EXPECT IT WILL BE BEST ON RECORD FOR BUSINESS.

MONTREAL, Nov. 19.—Bradstreet's will say tomorrow:

Intimations that advances in wages will be shortly requested come particularly from the railway industry trade in Canada. In most lines the wholesale trade is good. Merchants everywhere expect next year's business to be the largest ever experienced in the history of Canada. Farmers throughout the Dominion were never so prosperous, and naturally their purchasing power has been greatly increased.

Canadian business failures for the week ending with Thursday number 28, which compares with 29 last week and 33 in the corresponding week of 1908.

Bradstreet's report of Canadian bank clearings for the week are as follows:

		Inc.	Dec.
Montreal	$44,434,000	11.0	....
Toronto	34,586,000	6.7	....
Vancouver	7,772,000	69.2	....
Winnipeg	7,652,000	24.8	....
Ottawa	3,979,000	....	1.0
Quebec	2,750,000	....	25.4
Halifax	2,175,000	....	3.2
Hamilton	1,952,000	15.5	....
St. John	1,524,000	....	10.8
Calgary	2,639,000	27.3	....
London	1,184,000	....	6.0
Victoria	1,957,000	34.6	....
Edmonton	1,148,000	17.8	....

EXECUTION OF AMERICANS

Nicaraguan President May be Called to Account for it

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19—A tense situation exists today as the result of the execution of the two Americans, Cannon and Grace in Nicaragua by order of president Zelaya. The state department, having been now for nearly 48 hours in possession of the main facts of the case, has adopted an attitude of reserve and is awaiting some sort of an explanation from the Nicaraguan government. It is fairly assumed that the press dispatch received last night from Managua is accurate in the statement that the men were executed after a court martial on a charge that they had attempted by the use of dynamite mines to blow up some of president Zelaya's troop transports.

If the department's advices confirm this story the question at issue will be whether the charge against the men, assuming it is proved, justified their execution. Probably everything will depend upon the method pursued by Cannon and Grace in their attempts upon Zelaya's forces. If it should appear that the Americans slipped within the lines of the government forces under disguise when they planted their mines, they might be regarded as spies and so be subject to summary execution. But if they engaged in their work openly it will probably be held that they should have been held as prisoners of war on the theory that an attack upon a ship by a mine is an act of lawful warfare. In the latter case there is no doubt that president Zelaya will be called to account and ample reparation demanded.

New Volcano.

MADRID, Nov. 19.—An official dispatch received here tonight says that a volcano has appeared in the mountains of Las Flores, near the island of Teneriffe. Eruptions have been frequent and accompanied by loud explosions. No casualties have been reported, but three relief ships have been dispatched to the scene.

Heavy Inheritance Taxes.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 18.—State Comptroller Williams today received $362,000 in taxes from collateral inheritances. The largest single amount was $342,000, from the estate of the late H. H. Rogers, being part payment of the tax against the estate.

Handsome Donation.

TORONTO, Nov. 19.—A gentleman who desires that his name be not known at present has given to the British league $300, and promise of more, for the purpose of organizing like leagues at Winnipeg and Quebec. Albert Chamberlain, the president of the league, will leave for the places named shortly after the new year.

DILLON REPRIEVED.

Question of Sanity Will Be Decided by the Government.

MONTREAL, Nov. 19.—John Dillon, whose execution was fixed for 8 o'clock this morning, was granted a reprieve of 15 days by Judge Trenholme of the court of king's bench when Dillon's counsel appeared before him and produced affidavits showing that the man is now insane. Within that period Dillon will be examined by experts appointed by the government, and a report made to the governor general in council, and upon its decision will depend Dillon's life. Insanity was pleaded at the time of the trial, but the jury found that he was sane when the crime was committed. Dillon killed a policeman named Shea when the latter went to arrest him for threatening his landlady, then barricaded himself in the room and was only captured after he had wounded several policemen.

Heavy Snowstorm.

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 19.—Sixteen inches of snow fell between 4 o'clock yesterday and 8 o'clock this morning, establishing an early storm record for years that stretch beyond the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

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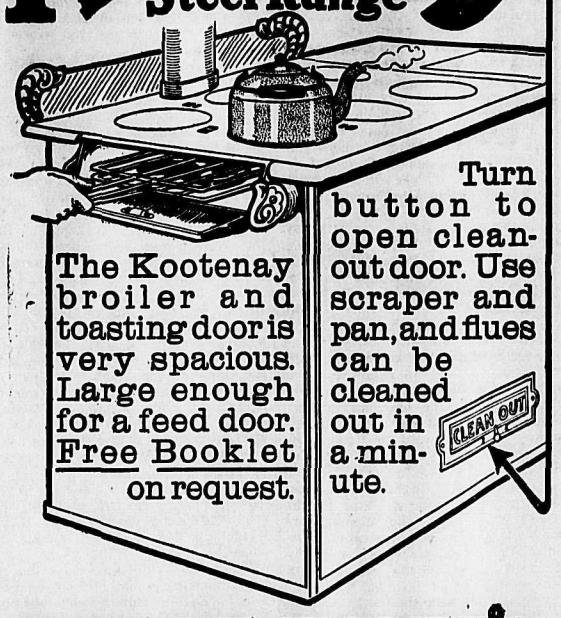

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SIR HIBBERT WRITES

The Cranbrook Herald in its last issue gives prominence to a letter from sir Charles Hibbert Tupper attacking the McBride government's railway policy and it is only fair to say that a weaker dissertation on a public question has never been penned by any public man in Canada of sir Hibbert's ability and standing. Probably the weakness of the cause he has espoused, however, has something to do with the character of the letter. A perusal of the letter reveals on sir Hibbert's part a well defined animosity to both the McBride government and to the Canadian Northern railway and presents some facts regarding the Canadian Pacific's attempt to block the Manitoba government's agreement with Mackenzie & Mann which have not up to the present been public property and which, in the interests of the cause he is supporting at the moment, should have been left for the private information of the Canadian Pacific and its friends. The only point which sir Hibbert makes against the government's railway policy, if point it can be called, is the contingent liability which the province assumes in connection with its guarantee of the Canadian Northern's bonds. He also, it may be said, takes the ground that no railway should receive assistance from the government of British Columbia for any line which it may build.

With sir Hibbert's animosity to the McBride government, which has existed now for some years, in fact practically since that government came into office and was quite apparent in the general elections of 1907, when premier McBride was triumphantly returned to power, and with the fact that his feelings toward the Canadian Northern railway are anything but friendly, the people of British Columbia have nothing to do. These are matters which concern sir Hibbert and sir Hibbert alone

In regard to the guaranteeing of the Canadian Northern's bonds by the government of Manitoba eight years ago, sir Hibbert, after attacking the McBride government for springing "upon the people for immediate decision a proposition involving the province in a liability unparalleled in the history of the world," goes on to say: "The example of Manitoba is held up to us by Mr. McBride. Mr. Roblin in that case conferred with political friends, opponents and business men generally. He entered into no secret agreement."

Sir Hibbert's complaint about the government having sprung its railway policy upon the people and his comparison between the methods being pursued by premier McBride and that followed by Mr. Roblin is, in the one case, probably the result of not having kept in touch with the trend of affairs in this province during the past year or so and, in the other, perhaps unknowingly beside the facts, while his insinuation about there being no secret contract in the case of Manitoba is unworthy of him. It has been general knowledge for months past that the government was in negotiations with the Canadian Northern railway for the extension of the company's system through British Columbia. This fact was in fact openly announced by the premier and the representatives of the railway months before an agreement was finally reached and was discussed in all the leading papers of the province.

The statement made by sir Hibbert in his letter that the McBride government's railway policy will involve the province "in a liability unparalleled in the world" is hard to understand. The contingent liability being assumed by the province, not one dollar of which the province will ever have to pay, is $21,000,000, while the government of Manitoba has guaranteed the bonds of the same railway to the extent of $23,000,000 and the government of Alberta at the last session of the legislature guaranteed the bonds of three railways, the Canadian Northern, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Alberta Great Waterways line to no less a sum than $36,000,000. What then becomes of sir Hibbert's talk of the British Columbia guarantee being unparalleled in the history of the world. One thing in connection with the McBride government's agreement with the Canadian Northern which sir Hibbert leaves out of consideration entirely but which has an important bearing on the matter is the fact that the province will be protected by a first mortgage on the company's lines in British Columbia as well as a lien upon the earnings of the Canadian Northern system as a whole.

The difference between the methods being followed by premier McBride and that which was followed by premier Roblin, which sir Hibbert brings into the discussion, was that the latter, as either he or Mr. McBride had the right to do, made a hard and fast agreement with the Canadian Northern and, some days after doing so, announced its terms in a public speech made at Neepawa, while the former has entered into a draft agreement which is being submitted to the people of the province for their approval. If the people say so, the agreement will be carried into effect; if they declare otherwise by returning Mr. John Oliver to power it will not be. The people of Manitoba never had any opportunity such as is being given the people of this province to pass upon the government's agreement with the Canadian Northern.

And just in passing, it may be noted that when premier Roblin made his agreement with the Canadian Northern some leading conservatives in the province, men who had been looked up to for years as leaders of the party in Manitoba, did their best to prevent its being carried into effect, just as sir Hibbert is doing at the present time, but within two years every one of these opponents of premier Roblin's railway policy had come forward voluntarily and openly confessed that they had been mistaken in the stand they had taken and acknowledged that Mr. Roblin had been right and that his railway policy had resulted in untold benefit to the province and it is quite likely that two years from now sir Hibbert will be doing the same in regard to premier McBride's railway policy.

As to the fight which the C.P.R. made to prevent the carrying into effect of premier Roblin's agreement guaranteeing the Canadian Northern's bonds here is what sir Hibbert says: "On the announcement of this policy the Canadian Pacific immediately offered a reduction of 4 cents per 100 lbs. on grain charged; 50 cents per ton on coal brought into the province from lake Superior; $2.40 on salt brought into the province, local rates throughout the province to be reduced 15 per cent. . . . In general it was considered that the Canadian Pacific's offer amounted to $761,000 annually."

This was the price that the C.P.R. in 1901 was willing to pay in order to prevent the carrying into effect of premier Roblin's agreement for the guaranteeing of the bonds of the Canadian Northern railway. At that time the C.P.R. had no opposition in Manitoba worth speaking of, just as today it has none worthy of the name in British Columbia. Then it wanted to keep the Manitoba field for itself just as today it would like to retain control of the British Columbia field.

As to sir Hibbert's insinuation about there having been "no secret agreement" in the case of Manitoba, which The News has already referred to as unworthy of him, it may be pointed out that premier McBride has submitted a draft agreement with the Canadian Northern to the people of the province and has told them frankly and fairly that if they so declare by returning him to power he will then enter into a formal contract, such as that negotiated by premier Roblin before he announced its terms, which will require to be ratified by the British Columbia legislature, as was the Manitoba agreement by the legislature of that province, before becoming effective. The difference between the method followed by premier Roblin and that followed by premier McBride is that in the former case the government took the responsibility of making an agreement with the Canadian Northern, while in the latter premier McBride is allowing the people to say whether or not a binding agreement with the same company shall be made. In other words premier McBride is leaving the matter entirely with the people. Where is there any secrecy about this, and what is there to justify sir Hibbert's insinuation that there is any?

As remarked at the start of this article The News considers sir Hibbert's letter a weak one, in no way in keeping with the ability which the writer has displayed in regard to other matters. Unless sir Hibbert can bring forward some better grounds for opposing premier McBride's railway policy than are advanced in this letter he will have a difficult task in justifying the course he is pursuing in regard to it. As far as the letter is concerned it may be said in conclusion that The Cranbrook Herald and the opponents of the government generally are quite welcome to any comfort they can derive from it.

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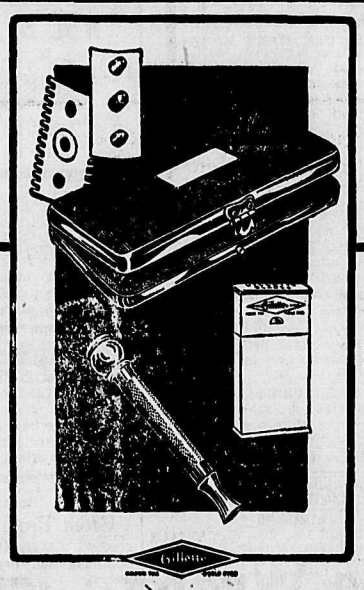

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At the Theater.

The program at the Empire theatre last evening was exceptionally good as was also the music rendered by the Empire orchestra, which is greatly appreciated by the patrons of the theatre. "The Pawnbroker's Wife" is a good dramatic subject in which some really good situations are shown. "The Great Jewel Robbery," another interesting picture and intensely thrilling, especially the escape from the penitentiary. The favorite picture on the program is "Sporting Days in the South." This program will be repeated this afternoon at 2.30 and this evening at 7.

The Hertense Neilsen company are presenting "Magda" at the opera house this evening, and for a matinee this afternoon they will offer "Ghosts."

The program last night at the Arcade was in keeping with the usually good set of pictures that is put on there, all the subjects being interesting. They were as follows: "The Dog and Its Merits," "The Sailor's Sweetheart," "The Lighthouse Keeper," "A Grocer's Dilemna," "Two Gentlemen" and "The Magistrate's Crime," a very fine and well acted drama. There will be the usual matinee today at 2 p.m. The free drawing takes place at the evening show.

The pictures for this afternoon and tonight at the Gem theatre are the classiest yet. The feature subject, Algy and Swagger, or Educated Abroad," is a high class comedy, dealing with the experiences of two London swells in New York. The acting and costumes are all that could be desired and the scenic effects are excellent, one scene in particular shows a modern vaudeville theatre in full swing. "He Couldn't Dance," is the title of another laugh producer that holds out a new idea to any who are anxious to master the terpischorpan art. "The Empty Sleeve" is a fine drama based on the civil war. The battle scene in this subject is particularly good. The finale shows Grant and Lee signing the treaty of peace, and a very life like impersonation of the martyred President, Abraham Lincoln.

WRIGHT'S ROUSING RALLY

(Continued From First Page.)

umbia could write a check for $4,000,000, something that had never been heard of before in Canada in the realm of provincial finance. But the province had other great resources that had hardly been heard of hitherto. The sale of 660 acres of land at Point Grey this week had netted $3,000,000, and there were scores of valuable townsites that would bring nearly as much money as Prince Rupert. Yet some blind liberals, not learning from all the experience of the past, must still oppose.

In Manitoba, on the prairie, where there were no obstacles to building in any direction desired, the C. N. R. paralleled the C. P. R., and with government aid—they built, for instance, from Winnipeg to Portage la Prairie, and on to Branton. But in British Columbia there was not the element of choice, for there were only certain ports of entry—the Yellowhead, the Kicking Horse, the Crow's Nest, and the Flathead passes. All railway builders admitted that the Yellowhead was the best, so objection No. 1 was disposed of. But the best grades were along the Fraser river. The liberals wanted to build toward the Hope mountains, in a sort of "figure 8," but such a line would have to go over a mountain at a 2½ per cent grade, against a ⅝ per cent grade at most by the Fraser river route. Railway builders were sacrificing distance to grade nowadays, and a good grade was absolutely necessary in a road that was going to compete.

The liberals said there was nothing in the contract between the C. N. R. and the government about the road being mortgaged to the province as security for the guarantee. "Well, in ordinary business life," said Mr. Macdonald, if I endorse a man's note, and he has got security for that note, that security is mine also." Or in some cases a government dealt more directly still with a railway company, and on endorsing the bonds, got a direct mortgage. It did seem as if the liberals could bring nothing but foolish criticisms against the government's railway policy.

If it came to the worst, a road that cost $60,000 a mile to build, would become the property of the province under a guarantee of $35,000 a mile. The first time interest was not paid, the road would automatically pass over to the province. If that should happen, the province was strong enough to bear the brunt. The guarantee had not a particle of effect on the province's credit abroad. Look at the assets in the timber and the mines. The petty criticisms of the liberals were not worth a thinking man's attention, except for the purpose of meeting them. "So let us bring in the C. N. R.," said Mr. Macdonald, "and get all the advantages of a competing road." He had always admired the C. P. R., but he had a use for another road. Bring in the competing road, and the reduction of rates would automatically follow.

Another question asked by liberals was why the G.T.P. had not been invited instead of the C.N.R. As a matter of fact they had been asked. And they made a proposition to the government, offering to build into the central part of the province. But they asked a land grant of 15,000 acres per mile, a 30 years' exemption from taxation and that the province should give up its right to one-quarter of the townsites. The first condition alone was equal to $37,500 per mile and not a mere guarantee, but a gift outright. The value of the second and third conditions could be seen from the history of Prince Rupert. Was it any wonder the government did not close a deal with the G.T.P.?

Mr. Macdonald now spoke for a few minutes on the question of white labor. Men who could criticize the McBride government on that point, he said, were either ignorant, or careless, and he preferred to call the liberal speakers careless. The question of having the G.T.P. in British Columbia built by white labor came up in the house and J. A. Macdonald, leader of the opposition, proposed a clause providing that only white labor should be employed. It looked very innocent at first, but the government reflected and it was immediately apparent that if the clause went into the act, the act would be disallowed at Ottawa. He would not go so far as to say the liberals proposed the clause with the intention of having the clause disallowed, but they certainly proposed it with the desire to secure a temporary advantage, knowing that the government would have to vote it down. But the government said: "The G.T.P. will have to come to us later for various things, and then we will make an agreement for white labor." The prediction was fulfilled and now the G.T.P. was bound by a cast iron agreement to only employ white labor in the building of the road within the province. "And if you want proof," declared Mr. Macdonald, "there is the G.T.P. being built now with only white labor." (Great applause.)

Now, the McBride government was going to the country with a record that was unassailable and also with a splendid railway policy. It was doing the right thing by the country. But how were the liberals acting? Why, they were pursuing in regard to this great scheme the same old line followed in 1874 and 1878, in reference to the building of the C.P.R. At the period named, eastern Canada was almost at the soup-kitchen stage, and manufacturers were on their knees, but the liberal government said: "We are merely flies on the wheel."

Are the people of B. C. going to declare that they are flies on the wheel? asked Mr. Macdonald. Are they going to turn aside from the policy that the other progressive provinces have adopted and are they going to stop the wheels of progress? The liberals said the C.N.R. would be built in any event. Probably it would, but when? Did the people of British Columbia propose to build this road now, or to leave it to their sons? If the government were defeated, the road would inevitably be checked. When Mackenzie & Mann went into the money markets of the world, the financiers would say, "British Columbia turned you down and would not give you even a guarantee of your bonds, how can you expect us to buy them?"

Mr. Macdonald created great enthusiasm by his concluding reference to Nelson, where he formerly lived. "I have come back, said he, "to see if Nelson is going to be in line, and to see if the premier I follow will go back with a Nelson man at his back. You are waging a splendid fight here and by your unanimous nomination you placed in the field a true conservative, who is getting all your support. But let me warn you. There are insidious influences at work in this campaign here, and they are working behind the scenes. The opposition do not expect to win on their own merits but they hope to win by weaning away conservatives from their party allegiance. Take it from an old campaigner, it is the last vote that wins. Sir John A. Macdonald said two things were mighty uncertain, a horse race and an election. You do not know your horse has won until he has gone under the wire. See every man, and if one emissary is not enough, send two.

"On election light, at the coast, I will look confidently for the message: Nelson has gone conservative. Harry Wright is our member." (Great applause.)

Chairman Irvine announced that a public meeting would be held tonight, also in Eagles' hall, which would be addressed by G. H. Barnard, M.P. for Victoria, Mr. Barnard being the conqueror of Hon. Mr. Templeman.

"How is it going at the coast?" was the query volleyed from the back of the hall, and Mr. Macdonald was able to speak words of great cheer. The government was carrying the war into Africa, in other words, the opposition was fighting to hold its seats.

"In conclusion," said Mr. Macdonald, "vote for premier McBride and you will be voting for your province and for yourselves."

The rousing rally broke up with three cheers for premier McBride, three cheers and a tiger for Harry Wright, and three cheers for Mr. Macdonald and the chairman.

Loses Sight of Eye.

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, Nov. 19.—Mike Lyden White, employed on the dump at the Granby smelter, this afternoon had the misfortune to be struck in the ball of the right eye by a flying piece of steel, and had the sight of the eye totally destroyed.

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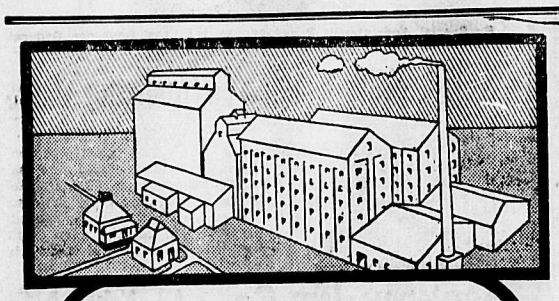

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NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—William M. Laffan, publisher of the New York Sun, died early this morning at his home in Lawrence, L. I., following an operation for appendicitis performed Monday.

Mr. Laffan was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1848. After completing his studies in Dublin university he came to New York, where he early engaged in newspaper work.

In 1870 he was made managing editor of the San Francisco Bulletin, and two years later removed to Baltimore to become editor and half owner of the Daily Bulletin, subsequently acquiring full ownership of that paper, as he was of the Sunday Bulletin. While in Baltimore he married the daughter of Judge Daniel Ratcliff of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Laffan took a keen interest in art matters and was recognized as an authority on wood engravings and Oriental porcelain. His first connection with the Sun dates back to 1877, when he was engaged to write art criticism for the newspaper. Mr. Laffan was art editor and London agent for the publishing house of Harper Bros., from 1881 to 1893. In 1884 he was elected editor of the Sun, and three years later was made a trustee of that publication. Mr. Laffan founded the Evening Sun. In 1900 he purchased the interests of the estate of Charles A. Dana in the Sun Printing and Publishing association and became president of the association.

UNITED STATES NAVY.

President Taft Advocates Fortifications and Naval Growth.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 19—The second annual convention of the Atlantic Deep Waterways association now assembled in this city took on its most important feature today with the arrival of President Taft for an all-day stay here as the guest of the association and the municipality of Norfolk. In an open air address President Taft reiterated his position with regard to waterways improvement and declared that he would earnestly support any project which could prove its practicability and worth and which would rebound to the general good. The navy, he declared, should not only be "worth seeing," but should be able to fight if it ever had to. The president expressed his interest in a proper growth of the navy and aroused a great deal of enthusiasm by declaring that Hampton roads and Chesakpeake bay should be protected by an impregnable fort erected midway between the Virginia capes.

Is Not Warlike Measure.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The sending of two American warships into Nicaraguan territory, following the receipt of the news that two Americans had been summarily shot by order of President Zelaya is not to be regarded as a warlike demonstration. These vessels will merely report developments in Nicaragua and will not assume a belligerent attitude except in case of extreme need. The state department has already taken steps to ascertain all of the material facts connected with the capture and supposed execution of Cannon and Grace, and until this information is received, the government will take no precipitate action. It is learned that the determination of President Taft to not receive the new Nicaraguan minister, Isedoro Hazera, was communicated to that office through the Nicaraguan charge d'affaires, who was called to the White House and handed a letter addressed to the minister, which stated in effect that under the circumstances the president had decided to postpone indefinitely a formal presentation of Senor Hazera.

Imperial Naval Staff.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The Canadian Associated Press learns that a long and comprehensive dispatch is being forwarded to the Canadian government regarding the constitution of the imperial naval staff. The dispatch considers seriatim all proposals and objections which have been addressed from both the colonial and imperial standpoint and an early reply is urged. Penny-a-word cables is the subject of earnest discussion between Postmaster General Buxton and Hon. Lemieux. No statement is yet available.

Should Work on Friday

(Western Associated Press.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 19—The senate adjourned today until Tuesday when the insurance bill will come up for its second reading. Senator Lougheed objected to business being postponed to suit senators who wanted to go to Montreal and thought more work should be done on Friday.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—A dispatch received at the United State legation at Bucharest says that while Roumania will probably largely increase the duty on farm machinery, the increase will apply to all nations alike.

Harrison Appointed Chairman.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 19.—Provost C. C. Harrison, of the University of Pennsylvania, today accepted the chairmanship of the board of trustees of the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching. He succeeds Dr. Charles W. Eliot, former president of Harvard.

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Application for a Water License.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from the date hereof I, Arthur Crandell Major, physician, Proctor, B.C., intend to apply to the Gold Commissioner at Nelson, B.C., for the right to take 10 inches of water per second, for irrigation purposes, from Narrows Creek, rising on West Arm of Kootenay lake.

ARTHUR C. MAJOR.
Nov. 15, 1909. 18-11-09-4

Application for Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, George S. Coleman, of Ymir, B. C., intend, thirty days after the date hereof to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a liquor license for the Waldorf hotel at Ymir.

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October, 1909.

21-10-09-4w. GEORGE S. COLEMAN.

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FOR SALE—Peterboro canoe, 18 feet long, to carry four. Apply F. S. Robinson, P. O. Box 981, Nelson. 181-3

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Local Option Campaign

Plebiscite Vote Nov. 25, 1909

Electoral ridings of Greenwood, Grand Forks, Rossland, Ymir, Nelson, Slocan, Kaslo, Crambrook and Fernie. All who will assist in the distribution of literature or in getting out the vote on polling day are requested to write to the secretary of the local option league executive,

J. W. Bennett, Box 674, Nelson.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Nnotice is hereby given that I, James R. Hunnex, of Erie, B. C., intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the liquor license held by me for the Mersey hotel at Erie, B.C.

Dated at Erie, B. C., this 28th day of October, 1909.

2910-09-4w. JAMES R. HUNNEX.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, William Gray of Salmo, B. C., intend, thirty days after the date hereof, to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the liquor license held by me for the Salmo hotel, at Salmo, B. C.

WILLIAM GRAY.

Dated at Salmo, B. C., this 19th day of October, 1909. 30-10-09-4w.

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WANTED—Youth as stenographer. Appl at Superintendent's Office, C.P.R. 164-tf

WANTED—Young woman as assistant cook; experience not necessary. Also young lady stenographer. A. E. Watts Proctor, B. C. 163-tf

WANTED—Logs and logging contractors will purchase cottonwood, larch, pine hemlock or cedar logs. A. E. Watts Proctor, B. C. 162-2

WANTED—Teacher for Trail school; duties to commence next term. Salary $65 per month. Apply to secretary school board Trail, B. C.

WANTED—Several experienced salesmen $150 per month to right men Address Box 764, Nelson. 17

WANTED—Position by circular saw filer Can furnish good references. Address L. E. Nickerson, Yahk, B. C. 177-1

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Apply Box 14, Greenwood. 178-t

WANTED—Log cutters and swampers $3.00 and $2.75; board 75 cents per day Trail Lumber company, Paulson, B. C. 180-

WANTED—Girl for general housework must be good cook. Enquire Mrs. R. S. Lennie, 416 Hoover St.

WANTED—First-class washerwoman. Apply 724 Stanley St. 181-t

WANTED—Sewing of all kinds. Apply 423 Carbonate St. 181-

WANTED—Position, stenographer, by lady. Address N. P. G., Nelson Daily News. 182

WANTED—$350 for three years on highly improved farm property. Apply H. McR. care Daily News. 182-1

WANTED—Position as general servant, by young lady. Apply Mrs. Owen, Shore acres, B. C. 182-

WANTED—Teacher holding 3rd class certificate; duties to commence 1st December, 1909; salary $60 per month. Apply to A. M. Black, secretary school board Corbin, B. C. 183

WANTED—A Pelton waterwheel, twenty four inches or larger. Write W. E. Cooke, Kaslo, B. C. 183

WANTED—Girl for general housework small family. To live in. Apply Mrs Craufurd, 612 Hoover St. 183

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small cottage. Apply Wm Gosnell, Nelson brewry. 158-t

FOR RENT—Nice large warm front room in private family, all modern conveniences, centrally located. No children. $ per month. Apply P. O. box 465. 165-t

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FOR RENT—Four-room flat, unfurnished or partly furnished, with bath. E. G care News. 180

FOR RENT—Modern furnished seven roomed bungalow, with furnace. Apply O. B. Ford, Dominion Express office. 183

FOR RENT—Room and board, or board separate. 614 Victoria St. 183

MISCELLANEOUS

LADIES TAILORING and Dressmaking Apply 706 Victoria St. 153

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FOUND—Near station, pocketbook containing small sum of money. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. Apply D. McPherson, C.P.R. dispatcher's office. 183

OBSTETRICS.

MRS. KENNY will be pleased to receive maternity patients at her home. Excellent testimonials. 234 Observatory street P. O. Box 173, telephone A54.

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Notice is hereby given that I, Gilbert T. Snow, of Proctor, B. C., intend, 30 days after the date hereof, to apply to the superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the liquor license held for the Outlet Hotel at Proctor, B. C.

GILBERT T. SNOW.

Dated Oct. 15, 1909. 15-10-09-4w.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, Fred Adie, of Waneta, intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a renewal of the retail liquor license held by me for the Fort Sheppard hotel.

FDED ADIE,

Dated Oct. 20, 2909. 23-10-09-4w.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that I, John Breau, of Ymir, B. C., intend, thirty days after the date hereof, to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the liquor license held by men for the Cosmopolitan hotel at Ymir, B. C.

JOHN BREAU.

Dated at Ymir, B. C., this 18th day of October, 1909. 20-10-09-4w.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that I, Peter La Brash, of Rosebery, B. C., intend to apply to the superintendent of Provincial Police at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, for a retail liquor license for the premies known as the Rosebery hotel, situated at Rosebery, B. C.

Dated Oct, 2, 1909.

3-11-09-4w. PETER LABRASH.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Court Nelson, A. O. F., will meet on Monday night in the K. of P. hall.

A grand masquerade ball will be held at Lindsay's pavilion on Nov. 26.

The usual Saturday assembly dance will be held tonight at Lindsay's pavilion.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will hold a sale of work this afternoon in Eagle hall, and tea will be served from 2 to 8 o'clock.

Rev. John A. Strom has returned from a trip in Washington and Idaho, and will preach on Sunday as usual in Oddfellows' hall.

Nelson Council No. 574, C.O.C.F., will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday night. The business will be followed by a social and dance, for members and friends of the order. All members are requested to turn out on this occasion.

The Legion of Frontiersmen will meet on Sunday evening at 8.30 in the Young Conservative club rooms, K.W.C. block. A full attendance is requested.

The steel for the rear part of the Y.M. C. A. building was shipped from Winnipeg two weeks ago, by the Manitoba Iron & Bridge co. *It has passed Lethbridge.*

Ladies out shopping Saturday afternoon and evening should drop in at the Baptist Ladies' Aid sale and have a cup of tea.

Photographs have taken the place of Christmas cards. The Queen Studia makes the kind of photographs your friends expect. 183

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health

METALS

New York, Nov. 19.—Silver, 50¾; Standard Copper, 13¼ to 13½; firm but quiet.

London, Nov. 19—Silver, 23⅝; Lead, £13 2s 6d.

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LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGN

THOSE DESIRING LEGISLATION BUSY ORGANIZING.

MEETING HELD IN ALL PRINCIPAL CITIES OF INTERIOR.

Throughout the upper country a vigorous and aggressive policy has been adopted by the temperance party. Rev. R. Hughes has been visiting the principal towns from Michel to Phoenix and reports great interest all along the line. The tradespeople and professional men generally, he says, are in favor of the measure and it *is now confidently prophesied that* a good majority will be declared in favor of a local option law.

In answer to a question as to whether it would be possible to vote on the plebiscite *only, the attorney-general* has stated that all the ballots will be counted whether used for the candidates or not.

Large and enthusiastic gatherings have recently been held at Nelson, Grand Forks, Rossland, Michel, Hosmer, Coal Creek, Fernie and Moyie. Rev. R. N. Powell addressed a meeting in Creston, and Rev. E. P. Ewing at Trail. A great parade of school children is being arranged at Cranbrook today, Saturday, weather permitting, and on Sunday afternoon the opera house will be scene of a great demonstration, when addresses on the subject will be given by Dr. E. W. Connolly, Revs. C. W. King, C. O. Main, M.A., and Robert Hughes.

KEEN GEOGRAPHY MATCH.

High School Literary Society Opens Its Season.

The regular meeting of the High School Literary society was held yesterday afternoon. Bert Ferguson, in giving his presidential address, spoke at some length on *the benefits to be derived from the meet*ings of the society and urged all to take an active part in making them a success. He asked also for hearty co-operation with the editorial board of the "Mountaineer" in order to obtain even a better production than that of last year.

Apart from this address, the feature of the meeting was a geograph match. Miss Edith Manson and Earnest Matthews were the captains and all the students present were chosen. Word followed word for an hour and a half, before Miss Nora Paterson, the last one up on Miss Manson's side, had to give in, and but three—Miss Beulah Wade, Ernest Matthew and Henry Svoboda—remained on the other. The A's, the E's and the N's came up the most frequently, and as no word could be used *a second time, the list comprised names,* domestic and foreign, ancient and modern, short and long, enough to fill a good many columns of a gazetter. For an exercise for the memory and for quickness of thought, such a contest has few equals.

MAY MEAN NEW CHURCH.

Mrs. Stetson's Friends May Break from Main Christian Science Body.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19—It was learned today that the board of trustees of the First Church of Christian Scientists were waiting fo rthe next move on the part of Mrs. Augusta B. Stetson be*fore acting on her excommunication* by the mother church at Boston. Mrs. Stetson's resignation from the board was expected, it was said, and a meeting of the board or the congregation would not be called until she had been given ample time to present her resignation.

Friends of Mrs. Stetson predict a general reorganization in the board of *trustees of the New York church as* the result of her excommunication. Some of her followers today were strong in their disapproval of the conduct of her case by the directors of the Boston church. It was charged that Mrs. Stetson had been tricked into the power of her enemies at Boston by partial promises of vindication at her trial and that it was this belief which led her to admit her error. It was said that when she left Boston Wednesday at the close of the hearing she believed that her judges would pardon her "errors" and reinstate her with added powers.

Some of her friends and students in the church here are discussing today the possibility of a new church being formed under her leadership.

Fall Out of Window.

LIMA, O., Nov. 19.—William Frick, of Bellefontaine, son of the late millionaire banker, Jacob Frick, and nephew of C. A. Frick, steel magnate, lies in a hospital here critically injured, and Florance Adams of Toledo is suffering from serious hurts, the result of a fall they had last night from the second story window of a saloon. It is stated that it will be necessary to amputate both of Frick's legs. Miss Adams says she and Frick were engaged in a friendly struggle for a photograph when a window against which they leaned gave way, precipitating them to the street below. She said she and Frick met by appointment. Frick's brother and sister do not accept the name given by the woman as her true one. They assert that Frick had $2,000 in his possession when he left home.

Lame backs come on suddenly and is extremely painful. It is caused by rheumatism of the muscles. Quick relief is afforded by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

Sale of Work

At the sale of work Saturday afternoon and evening in the Eagle block, tea, coffee and cake will be served for 15 cents. Home made candy will be sold. All kinds of articles suitable for Xmas gifts as well as aprons and all kinds of children's wearing apparel.

EAGLE BLOCK, SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING

IT'S a fact, sir, that the road to prosperity is paved with good clothes and is most easily trod by men who always dress in becoming attire.

It never pays to economize to the point of looking poorly or carelessly dressed.

Our Fall *garments are very reasonably priced,* and our good clothes are easily within the reach of any purse.

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Beautiful Eyes; soprano.

The Garden of Roses; tenor.
Can't You See?; baritone and soprano.

Moon Bird; baritone and tenor.
Lady Love; quartette, male.

Run, Brodder Possum, Run, bari. and tenor
Alexander Jones; baritone.

Alpine Violets; violin, flute and harp.
On the High Alps; violin duet.

Long, Long Ago; vocal trio.
A Rose Fable; tenor.

Sleep Time, Mah Honey; baritone.
Daddy's Piccaninny Boy; baritone.

The Two Grendiers; baritone.
Vulcan's Song, Gounod; bass.

Maria-Louisa (Mazurka); band.
Sphinx (valse); band.

Cadiz; band.
Butterflies, Selections; band.

12-inch Symphony Double Disc, $2.00

Mary of Argyle.
Dring to Me Only With Thine Eyes.
(Two baritone solos by David Bispham.)

INDESTRUCTIBLE CYLINDER, 45C.

Automobile March; band.
I Never Knew I Loved You Till You Said Good-bye; tenor.
Take Me on a Honeymoon; sopr. and tenor
Moon Fairy; orchestra.
On Calvary's Brow; baritone and tenor.
Strawberries; baritone.
Benediction of the Poignards; band.
Arrah, Come In Oout of the Rain; soprano.
Pony Boy; quartette, male.
Prunes; baritone.
Mendelssohn's Wedding March; band.
My Faith Looks Up to Thee; vocal trio.
Let's Go in a Picture Show; tenor.
Zep Green's Airship; vaudeville.
That Wasn't All; baritone.
Santiago Waltz; orchestra.
Run, Brodder Possum, Run; bar. and tenor.
The Actor and the Rube; baritone and ten.
Pass Dat Possum; Xylophone.
Games of Childhood Days; soprano.
Medley of J. K. Emmet's Yodles; Yodle.
Sadie Salome (Go Home; tenor.
Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes; bari.
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Walter B. Cochrane, police magistrate of Grand Forks, spent the night in Nelson.

Heavy rains yesterday morning washed off the snow, but a dip in the temperature occurred last night, coating the sidewalks with ice.

Basketball teams representing respectively the Bugle band and the city had a hot contest in the armory last night, the city team winnig 34-16.

W. R. MacInnes of Montreal, traffic manager of the C.P.R., and W. B. Lanigan, assistant freight traffic manager, arrived in Nelson on the Crow boat last night, for a stay of a couple of days. W. R. Haldane, district freight agent, met them on the Crow, accompanying them hither.

In connection with the children's service to be held in Trinity Methodist church tomorrow morning, Mary Shaw and Marjory Adams will sing Prof. Excell's hymn, "Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam," and the junior choir will sing "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning. The scholars, officers and teachers of the Sunday school are asked to be present.

Charles Maglio, the well known hotelkeeper, leaves by the Crow boat this morning on a trip to Italy to visit his mother, whom he has not seen for years. Mr. Maglio will also combine business with pleasure and hopes to be back in Nelson within a few months to again look after his interests here. His many friends will wish Mr. Maglio a pleasant and successful trip and will welcome him back on his return.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

G. H. Barnard, M.P. for Victoria, is registered at the Strathcona.

George E. Martin, the well known barrister of New Westminster, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller of Toronto are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haggitt, Silica street.

Rev. R. Newton Powell will preach a sermon on Local Option, in Trinity Methodist church tomorrow.

Mrs. J. Paul Bourne of Proctor has been spending a few days in town, the guest of Mrs. R. L. Douglass, Mill street.

Miss H. Brooks and Miss E. P. Manstone of Tacoma are spending a few days in Nelson as guests at the Strathcona.

The Local Option league is opening a committee room today in the block on the southwest corner of Hall and Baker streets.

A return match of rugby football will be played this afternoon against Willow Point. The team has been strengthened considerably since the last match. The game will be played rain or shine and the kick-off will be at 2.30. All players are requested to be on time. The following players will represent Nelson: Full back, Scotty Williamson; three-quarters, Wilkinson M. Hall, Capt., Marcon; half-backs, Thomas, King, Earle; forwards, H. Hall,

BODIES ARE RECOVERED

WORK OF RESCUE IN ST. PAUL MINE HAS STARTED.

FIRE, ALTHOUGH UNDER CONTROL, RENDERS WORK DIFFICULT.

CHERRY, Ill., Nov. 19.—Recovery and identification of the dead began at the St. Paul mine today. The bodies of two men and a boy were first brought to the surface. Four other bodies were dragged from the debris of the second gallery and dragged within reach of the cage. About 75 other bodies were seen by the fire fighters who went down into the mine today but because the blaze was not entirely conquered these bodies are for the present beyond reach.

Grief stricken men, women and children formed a great circle about the bodies brought from the mine. Many turned away unable to endure the sobs and cries of the bereaved wives and mothers. The first bodies identified were those of Richard Buckles, a stable boy, and Louis Gibbs.

"Child" Marriages at Windsor.

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 19.—The increase in the number of "child" marriages of Americans in Windsor, where licenses are obtained and ceremonies performed, has been brought to the attention of the Detroit authorities, and it is probable that representations will be made either to Toronto or Ottawa setting out the necessity for more stringent laws governing the granting of licenses to Americans who cross the river to marry.

Gladstone for South Africa.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The Standard today states that the report that Herbert Gladstone will be appointed governor general of South Africa has been confirmed by the announcement that the Liberal executive committee of Gladstone's constituency has requested T. E. Harvey to become the Liberal candidate in the approaching election.

Proposed Copper Merger.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Consolidation of the earning power of the various copper properties which may enter the proposed copper combine was given today by the financiers working out the details of the merger. It was stated that this combined earning power is between $25,000,000 and $30,000,000, based upon 13 cent copper. These estimates, it is said, include the economies to be effected by the consolidation and earnings of the United Metals Selling company, the International Smelting and Refining company and other properties.

Fire in Georgetown University.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Fire broke out in the buildings of the Georgetown university shortly before 8 o'clock this morning. The old north building, one of the dormitories which was occupied by students, caught fire, but all the occupants got out safely. The post graduate library building was destroyed.

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GIVES LUCID ACCOUNT OF HIS STEWARDSHIP

(Special to The Daily News.)

NAKUSP, Nov. 19—A fine audience greeted the conservative candidate, William Hunter at the Woodmen's hall tonight, in great contrast to that which listened to the speech of the independent candidate the previous evening. His remarks and those of his supporters were throughout intersected with that hearty applause which showed conclusively the approval by the people of Mr. Hunter's representative qualities during the past term and of the government's policy in general and an assurance of his re-election on the 25th.

After opening remarks Mr. Hunter gave a full and lucid statement of his stewardship while at Victoria. He had done his utmost for the district and considered that from the attitude of his constituents towards him he had succeeded. His opponent of the independent party, for whom he had great respect as a man, had criticized him in obtaining such large appropriations for road purposes for his district to the detriment of other localities. Surely this must be a favorable criticism and he felt proud that he deserved it. He wanted to be progressive and build roads not only in accordance with the necessities but in anticipation of the large settlement that inevitably must locate in this glorious Columbia valley. He took the government's railway and other policies up step by step and convinced his hearers of their wisdom and after promising to faithfully observe the wishes of his constituents if elected and to work in their interests as in the past the meeting came to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

To Improve China's Navy.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The Chinese naval commission, headed by Prince Sai-Chun, brother of the regent, arrived in England today to study the question of naval construction, with a view to modernizing the navy of China. Great importance is attached to the visit, and the progressive movement which is foreshadowed, and full navy and military honors were accorded the commission upin their landing at Dover, where they were met by representatives of the foreign office and the admiralty. The party will be received by King Edward at Windsor tomorrow.

Dowager Duchess Dead.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Consuelo, Dowager Duchess of Manchester, died early this morning (Saturday), of heart failure, following an attack of neuritis.

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