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POLLINGS STILL DRAWN BATTLE

Conservatives Retain Slight Advantage.

LITTLE CHANGE IN NEXT PARLIAMENT

Torchlight Processions in Streets of London—Political Clubs Thronged.

LONDON, Dec. 5—Canadian Associated Press—The state of the parties tonight is Unionist, 115; Liberal, 83; Socialists, 13; Nationalists, 16. The votes cast are; Unionists 644,513, against 703,073.

"The Radicals had another bad day," says the Daily Mail. "Another shattering blow was dealt by the electors at the pretentions of the peers yesterday. The Tory party's last fain hopes of success were extinguished finally," declares the Morning Chronicle.

Draw Battle

Perhaps a more impartial judgment on the day's results would be that they constitute something very like a drawn battle with a slight advantage to the Conservatives. The Chronicle's views, however, are far from justified by the balance of five seats gained which, despite Lord Rosebery's pronouncement, does not make much of an impression on the majority of 122 when one-third of the seats in the commons are already filled and with Scotland and Wales yet to be polled.

Small Majorites

It is probable that the ministerialists are glad it is no worse for several seats fought were really very small majorities in the January elections. That only two London seats should turn over and these held by a majority of 10 and 31 is not considered unsatisfactory. On Tuesday if anything the opposition have the worst of the position as regards the strength of the constituencies contested. Only in one case, Kennington, is the Liberal majority le-lwo 500, while Woolwich and Burnley, where the Unionist majorities are small give the Liberals hopes of gains. The Unionists have hopes of winning Battersea, where, however, Hon. John Burns has put up a hurricane fight. The government majority is now estimated on the stock exchange at from 83 to 88, while the premium against the return of the Liberals has been reduced from 25 to 15 per cent.

No Hope of Victory

LONDON, Dec. 5—The results today merely confirm the opinion formed as the result of Saturday's contests that the Unionists have now no possible hope of replacing the Liberal government in power. The only question remaining is whether the Liberals will return with a larger or smaller majority.

It must be remembered, however, that the Liberals lost at the January elections a large number of seats on account of three cornered fights. Such contests are largely eliminated in the present election and this may give the Liberals sufficient gains to balance those of the Unionists. On the whole it seems likely that the new house of commons will meet with the position of the parties practically unchanged. The question will then arise whether the King will feel justified in giving guarantees for the creation of enough Liberal peers to force the veto bill through the house.

Capital Unchanged

Apparently the metropolis is much the same as in January in its attitude towards the contesting parties. Perhaps rather significant are some of the Liberal gains such as Wakefield, a cathedral city, which has been represented by a Unionist for eight years and Cheltenham, another Tory stronghold, and a residential city largely composed of retired officers. It is also notable that in the Royal borough of Windsor, the Liberals succeeded in reducing the Unionist majority. These signs of conversion of the traditionally Conservative middle classes may be an indication of a similar change in the country agricultural districts which went almost entirely Unionist in January.

H. A. Franklin, who attempted to assault home secretary Churchill on Nov. 26, was today sentenced to six weeks.

London Enthusiastic

London tonight is displaying much enthusiasm and the successful candidates are being borne in processions through the streets with torch lights. As the returns come in showing the closeness of the contest interest is greatly increased and vast crowds gathered in Fleet street, Trafalgar Square and other places where the results were shown, cheering and boo-hooing according to their political affiliations.

There were similar scenes in Liverpool, Leeds and other towns where elections were held. The weather improved greatly during the afternoon and evening so that crowds were enabled to watch the returns without discomfort.

Clubs Thronged Now

The political clubs were filled with members. At the Carleton and other Unionist places much disappointment was expressed, while in Liberal quarters the greatest enthusiasm prevailed for it was predicted even among the staunchest supporters of the government that the Unionists would make a net gain of eight seats in today's poling.

Among members returned unopposed is Ald. Daniel Boyle of North Mayo. Mr. Boyle won the seat last January by only 40 votes and his unopposed return now is attributed to appreciation of his services in accompanying John E. Redmond on his recent mission to America. Mr. Redmond tonight issued a public denial of the allegation made by a Conservative candidate that in a public speech he repudiated allegiance to the King.

Blame Asquith

Taking a line from Mr. Balfour's speech at Sheffield last night most of the Unionist morning papers blame Premier Asquith for "rushing" the elections on the old register and as a further excuse for the failure of the Unionists to make a better showing at the polls, they complain that they did not have sufficient time to perfect their organization.

Yesterday's Results.

LONDON, Dec. 5—Today's results are as follows:

Liverpool, Scotland: O'Connor, Nationalist, 2468; Oslestone, Unionist, 689; unchanged.

Liverpool Exchange: Muspratt, Liberal, 2187; Scott, Unionist, 2330; Unionist gain.

Wakefield: Marshall, Liberal, 2837; Brotherton, Unionist, 2651; unchanged.

Islington West: Lough, Liberal, 3648; Black, Unionist, 2836; unchanged.

Beeston: Hempthill, Liberal, 1712; Dixon, Unionist, 1878; unchanged.

Carlisle: Denman, Liberal, 3243; Raymond, Unionist, 3179; unchanged.

Dewsbury: Runciman, Liberal, 7061; Simpson, Unionist, 4633; unchanged.

Granthall: Priestly, Liberal, 1730; Snowdon, Unionist, 1687; unchanged.

Hereford: Davies, Liberal, 1430; Arkwright, 2200; unchanged.

Leeds Central: Armitage, Liberal, 3618; Gordon, Unionist, 3169; unchanged.

Leeds East, O'Grady, Labor, 4028; Clark, Unionist, 1892; unchanged.

St. Pancras East: Joe Martin, Liberal, 3891; Hopkins, Unionist, 3638; Jacobs (Suffragette) 22; unchanged.

St. Pancras South: Guedella, Liberal, 1744; Jessel, Unionist, 2418; unchanged.

Preston (two seats): Yoing, Liberal, 8193; Stanley, Unionist, 9184; Tobin, Unionist, 8991; Carr, Liberal, 7783; unchanged.

Liverpool West: Derbylias, Liberal, 2943; Rutherford, Unionist, 4905; unchanged.

Liverpool: Abercrombie-Bowring, Liberal, 2184; Chalonir, Unionist, 3024; unchanged.

Liverpool, East Toxteth: Bingham, Liberal, 3121; Hall, Union, 4087; unchanged.

Liverpool, West Toxteth: Maloney, Liberal, 2446; Huston, Unionist, 3938; unchanged.

Taunton: Schunk, Liberal, 1673; Peel, Unionist, 1806; unchanged.

Windsor: Fiennes, Liberal, 1057; Mason, Unionist 1778; unchanged.

Great Yarmouth: Platt, Liberal, 3837; Wall, Unionist, 4210; unchanged.

London, Westminster: DePage, Liberal, 2283; Coutts, Unionist, 3392; unchanged.

Birkenhead: Vivian, Liberal, 2249; Bigland, Unionist, 8304; Unionist gain.

Blackburn (two members): Norman, Liberal, 10,764; Carpenter, Liberal, 9514; Riley, Socialist, 9500; Snowden, Socialist, 10,762; Socialist gain one seat.

Leeds South: Middlebrook, Liberal, 6064; Nicholson, Unionist, 3804; Bradley, Socialist, 2706; unchanged.

Liverpool, Kirkdale: McKerrell, Liberal, 2882; Kyffin-Taylor, Unionist, 4205; unchanged.

Liverpool: Parmoiran, Liberal, 5039; Smith, Unionist, 6383; unchanged.

Middlesboro: Williams, Liberal, 10,313; Poole, Unionist, 6358; unchanged.

Newcastle-Under-Lyme: Wedgewood, Liberal, 5280; Crogan, Unionist, 4086; unchanged.

Nottingham East: Smith, Liberal, 4084; Morrison, Unionist, 6274; unchanged.

Shrewsbury: Pace, Liberal, 1866; Hill, Unionist, 2423; unchanged.

Stoke on Trent: Ward, Liberal, 7049; Thomas, Unionist, 6062; unchanged.

Swansea Town: Mond, Liberal, 6503; Meagher, Unionist, 4257; unchanged.

Paisley: McCallum, Liberal, 6030; Jephcott, Unionist, 3350; unchanged.

Greenwich: Harris, Liberal, 4147; Benn, Unionist, 5698; unchanged.

Hammersmith: Blaiklock, Liberal, 4465; Bull, Unionist, 6307; unchanged.

Islington North: Waterlow, Liberal, 5022; Touche, Unionist, 5428; Unionist gain.

Islington East: Redford, Liberal, 8603; Pilditech, Unionist, 4378; unchanged.

Islington South: Wales, Liberal, 3494; Harris, Unionist, 2803; unchanged.

Kensington North: Carson, Liberal, 3184; Burgoyne, Unionist, 4223; unchanged.

Kensington South: Reid, Liberal, 1033; Hamilton, Unionist, 5093; unchanged.

Bath, (two members): Gooch 3631, Thynne 3876, unchanged; Hardy 3585, Hunter 3841; unchanged.

Gateshead: Elverston, Liberal, 8763; Surtess, Unionist, 560; unchanged.

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NELSON ORCHARD IS SELECTED

Government Now in Communication With Owner.

ALSO AT TRAIL AND ROSSLAND

Provincial Executive to Receive Deputations—Veterinary Inspector

(Special to The Daily News.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 5—Meetings of the provincial executive are to be held both today and tomorrow, the large meeting for the week being at 11 o'clock this morning. Two important deputations are then to be heard, the one being made up of the antagonistic interests in the North Vancouver park dispute, the B. C. Electric Railway company on the one hand and the corporation of North Vancouver on the other. The other visitors are from the municipality of Coquitlam and the city of New Westminster and come to the capital to jointly urge the special claims of Murray Hill, Coquitlam, immediately opposite the new provincial hospital for the insane, as a specially desirable location for the provincial university. It will be remembered that the selection commission in its report left open the exact choice of site, with three suggested locations, one of which was this portion of Coquitlam. The residents of the interested locality are now bending all their endeavors to secure its favorable recognition.

The matter of the Powell River Pulp Co. which was to have been taken up also today stands over by request until tomorrow.

Demonstration Orchards.

The location of another of the provincial government's demonstration orchard has been announced, this being one of the two allotted to Yale, and being placed upon a five acre tract in the holdings of the British Columbia Horticultural Estates, Limited, at Walhachin. The second orchard for Yale, which is to be located somewhere in the Nicola section of that large and important constituency will be decided upon at an early date. At present the department is advertising in the customary way for applications for its allotment. The orchards for Nelson, Trail and Rossland have also been selected and the department is at present in communication with the residents upon whose properties it is proposed to place them. Upon receipt of acceptances, the exact sites will be made public.

Veterinary Inspector.

The appointment is announced of William W. Alton, V.S., as veterinary inspector under the department of agriculture, vice Dr. S. Ranson resigned. Dr. Alton will have jurisdiction and control over the lower mainland district with headquarters at Eburne.

BURIED IN CRYPT OF MOTHER CHURCH

Funeral of Mrs. Eddy on Thursday—No Public Viewing of Body.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 5—That the body of Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder and head of the Christian Science church who died Saturday night will find its last resting place in the crypt under the altar of first or mother church in Boston, is the belief tonight of many leaders in the denomination. No official, intimation to that effect could be had but so far as could be learned no arrangements have been made to take the body to Mrs. Eddy's birthplace at Bow, N. H., or to Concord, N. H., where she so long resided. Arrangements have been fully completed for the funeral on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the late home of Mrs. Eddy, at Chestnut Hill. The service will be simple and the attendance limited to the family and household of Mrs. Eddy and the leading officials of the Christian Science church. The public will not be admitted and there will be no public viewing of the body.

SITE FOR ELEVATOR.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 5—Six hundred feet of waterfront on the north bank of the Fraser river between Pitt river and Hammond station on the Canadian Pacific railway has been sold to L. P. Strong on behalf of the Alberta Pacific Elevator company in connection with its project of shipping export grain via the Pacific route. The site is about two and one-half miles west of Hammond. It is understood that it will be used as the site of the proposed grain elevator. The same company also plans to erect another elevator in the east end of this city on the south shore of Burrard inlet.

MEETING POSTPONED

The annual meeting of the Nelson Conservative association has been postponed from tonight, for one week. It will be held in Eagle hall next Tuesday night, Dec. 13, at 8 o'clock.

COUNCIL FEELS ITS LIMITATIONS

Mere Men Not Equipped to Conduct Relief Work—No Financial Report Yet From Kootenay Exhibit.

"There is no doubt that the city has the least capacity of any organization, to handle the care of its aged people. It would be much better to get the Charity organization or the Salvation Army to do this work for us. The city council are mere men."

It was in connection with an application for aid, before the city council, on behalf of an aged lady, that Mayor Selous recognized and put on record the limitations of his sex. No alderman challenged the mayor's version of it, for in this regard the present council's career has been somewhat inglorious.

When the present council came into office, it had as a legacy an Old-Man-of-the-Sea in the shape of an aged lady dependent on the city's support, who occupied a shack that once on a time belonged to Mayor Selous, and that at the beginning of the year encroached on one of the city streets. For several years endeavors have been made to persuade this lady to accept a home in the comfortable institution at Victoria, but she has held the fort against all opposition. At the beginning of the present year the owner of the shack asked that she be dispossessed. Ald. McDonald, though warned in a kindly spirit by both Mayor Selous and Ald. Mackenzie that the task of conciliating the old lady was beyond ordinary human skill, was firm in the opinion that moral suasion was what the situation required. He was deputed to apply it. At the end of one week he asked for more time and at the end of the second he threw up his hands. No other alderman desiring to brave the lady's wrath, she is still undisturbed in her castle, whither the city's bounty is conveyed to her at regular intervals.

The second case came to the notice of the council one week ago, and Mayor Selous was delegated to secure information regarding the applicant. The prominent point in the information he acquired from the ladies of the Charity organization, was that a home in the Old Ladies Home in Victoria had been offered to this old lady, and she had declined it. It was while pointing out the advisability of keeping the upper hand in future cases that the mayor made the remark above quoted. The old lady's case is under consideration.

Ald. Carrie reported against the second crossing at the corner of Stanley and Innis streets at the present juncture.

Mayor Selous remarked that the weather would soon terminate Ald. Carrie's labors as chairman of the board of works.

Asks About Financial Statement.

Ald. Rutherford inquired whether the parties to whom the grant of $200 had been paid, toward taking the Kootenay exhibit to the Canadian National Apple show at Vancouver, would issue any financial statement. J. W. Cockle, who was in charge of the Kootenay exhibit, in paying him his prize money, had deducted $4 for freight. He was under the impression that the $200 covered the freight. If he was wrong, he did not of course object to paying the charge.

Mayor Selous asked whether Mr. Cockle had not at the first issued a schedule of charges.

The general opinion was that courtesy should suggest to the central committee that an accounting of some kind was desirable.

The council adjourned in record time the session being but 20 minutes long, and thus the shortest of the year. There being no heavy business in sight, it was decided to adjourn for two weeks.

Those present were Mayor Selous and Aldermen Rutherford, McDonald, Mackenzie and Carrie.

UNITED STATES INVESTIGATES CHINESE SMUGGLING

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—As the result of an investigation by the United States authorities into the Chinese smuggling cases, which, it is alleged, have been going on between Baltimore and Jamica in the last few years, the grand jury indicted G. Baldwin, who until recently was an immigration inspector. In addition to the charges against Balwin, there are also charges of conspiracy against Pom Hen and Gee Ott, members of Baltimore's Chinese colony.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6
Coupon No. 1.

This coupon, with one from each of the other issues of The Daily News of the week ending, December 4, and 10 cents, entitles the holder to a photo-gravure reproduction of Edouard Bison's picture, entitled "La Cigale." Coupons and money should be presented at The Daily News office any time after Sunday next. If pictures are to be mailed 5 cents must be added to cover postage.

PRIVATE MEMBERS HAVE INNINGS

Government Gives Answers to Many Questions.

OFFICIAL WELCOME TO PAPAL LEGATE

Attendance of Speaker and Militia at Church Function.

OTTAWA, Dec. 5—This was the first private members' day of the session. As usually is the case when the members have their initial innings the parliamentary grist was a big one. A large number of questions which have accumulated on the order paper since the house opened were answered. In replying to a series of questions by W. D. Staples Sir Wilfrid Laurier made public the correspondence which had taken place between himself and Premier Roblin of Manitoba in respect to the boundary negotiations of the past few months. Another interesting question was answered in respect to the action of Administrator Girouard in sending a message to Cardinal Vannutelli on the occasion of his arrival in Canada. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's statement was that the administrator had sent the message without consulting the government.

There was an interesting discussion just before the house rose in connection with the discussion of a motion by F. D. Monk for the appointment of a committee to inquire into the alleged blocking of an investment by a Dutch company in western land mortgages by a Canadian who reported that western lands are being held at fictitious values. Sir Wilfrid read a letter from Sir Charles Fitzpatrick which revealed the fact that Mr. Preston had mentioned the chief justice as being partly responsible for giving this advice to the Dutch company. Sir Charles denied Mr. Preston's statement and urged that a committee be named. In view of his denial it was agreed not to authorize the appointment of a committee at least for the present. All correspondence in connection with the matter will be tabled, however.

Demands Investigation

Just before the house rose Mr. Monk moved a couple of resolutions in respect to the Netherland Loan company which proposed to do business in western Canada. One resolution called for all correspondence between W. T. R. Preston, commissioner of trade for Canada in Holland, and the government and the other called for a full inquiry into the matter by the house. The company proposed to do a big business and when ready had been advised by some one that western Canada lands were being held at fictitious values which prevented the company from doing as they had proposed.

Sir Wilfrid in reply stated that it would be quite proper for the government to make such an enquiry if it were shown that a member of the government had given such damaging information, but were it a private citizen it would be inadvisable for the government to do so. Inquiry had been made and it was learned that a private citizen was responsible.

Motion Withdrawn

Sir Wilfrid read a letter from Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of Canada, in which it was stated that he had not been informed that it had been mentioned by Mr. Preston that he, Sir Charles, had made these false statements. This he absolutely denied and asked that a committee be appointed to investigate. Sir Wilfrid stated, Mr. Monk would probably agree with him that the chief justice would be incapable of such action and his denial should be accepted. After some further discussion Mr. Monk finally withdrew his motion. Mr. Borden also stating that the denial of the chief justice should be accepted.

Manitoba's Boundaries

W. D. Staples, Macdonald, Manitoba, asked:

1. Did the right honorable, the premier on the evening of July 12, 1910 at the city of Winnipeg at a public meeting give utterance to the following words or words of similar import: "You have been told that I am an enemy of mier of Canada and the government or don't want to give justice to you. I have written to Mr. Roblin, and I repeat here, let him come to Ottawa, where we can discuss what is fair and just and see if we can agree upon what is proper, either in land or in money for the increased territory of Manitoba. What more can we do? If the province of Manitoba continues to be on the map a postage stamp, it will not be my fault, it will be his."

2. Has there been any correspondence between the government or premier of Canada and the government or premier of Manitoba since, July 12, 1910, with reference to the Manitoba boundary question? Yes.

3. Has the right honorable, the first minister, invited the premier of the government of Manitoba since July 12, 1910, to a conference for the purpose of discussing the boundary question? Yes.

4. Has the government or premier of Manitoba since the said date requested an interview to discuss this question?

5. Has there been any discussion between the two governments or the premiers of the respective governments since the said date in regard to the Manitoba boundary question?

6. If there has been no discussion what is the cause of the delay.

7. Does the province of Manitoba continue to be on the map still a postage stamp? If so whose fault is it?

8. Can the right honorable, the first minister state what he is willing to concede either in land or money for the increased territory of Manitoba?

9. Has the right honorable, the first minister or the government intimated to the government of Manitoba what he or they are willing to concede in lands or money?

Premier Replies

Sir Wilfrid Laurier in reply said he had given utterance to the words quoted or to words of similar import. He then read the correspondence which had passed between himself and Mr. Roblin.

Sir Wilfrid added: "There was an interview between the premier of Manitoba and the prime minister on Nov. 25, 1910. At that interview it was suggested by the prime minister to the premier of Manitoba that as the question to be settled according to the solution of July 13, 1908, was the financial terms to be granted to the province in consequence of the extension of its boundaries, it would not be advisable to discuss the same then and there on account of the absence of the minister of finance but that negotiations would be resumed on his return to Ottawa. If the province of Manitoba still continues to be a postage stamp on the map blame is not with the present government of Canada."

In reply to questions eight and nine, Sir Wilfrid said he was prepared to discuss them on the lines adopted by the house on July 13, 1908.

In reference to the parade of the 63rd regiment at the time of the Eucharistic congress Sir Frederick Borden stated that no guards of honor were authorized in addition to those customary. "It is deemed expedient to receive distinguished personages" he added. "The 65th regiment did parade at the Eucharistic congress during the carrying of the host and were equipped with rifles and bayonets. They paraded voluntarily under the authority of the commanding officer of the regiment, Lieut.-Col. Labelle." In this connection it might be stated that it has been customary for many years past in Montreal, Quebec and elsewhere for French Canadian regiments of militia to attend the feast of Corpus Christi and parade arms.

Speaker's Attendance

Sir Wilfrid Laurier answered the question in regard to the action of the speaker, Mon. Charles Marcel. He stated that there is a rule or practice of the house of commons which governs the wearing of his official robes by the speaker during recess but that he can be accompanied by the mace only when parliament is in session or when specially authorized to do so by the house of commons. He was informed by his honor the speaker that he did take part in a solemn religious procession in September last in the city of Montreal, but that he did not do so in his official capacity and accompanied by the mace which is the emblem of his office. The government is not aware of any precedent in the matter although there may have been occasions when speakers of Canadian legislatures have under similar conditions in the past attended such celebrations. On such occasions it is customary in the province of Quebec for judges of the higher courts to appear in their official robes and his honor the speaker holding the rank of a magistrate informs the government that on the occasion referred to he appeared similarly attired as a mark of respect for the solemnity of the occasion.

Administrator's Message

Replying to Dr. Sproule in regard to sending by Administrator Girouard of a message conveying to Cardinal Vannutelli the respects of the government of Canada, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Justice Girouard did not consult the ministers of the crown nor received the advice of any of them before sending the message.

Coronation Contingent

Col. Sam Hughes asked if it was the intention of the government to send a number of Canadian cadets of the Royal Military college to the coronation of King George in June next. Sir Fred Borden said that no official invitation to send a military contingent had been received. When the proper time comes the matter will be considered.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier informed Dr. Sproule that the government had not yet reached a conclusion as to the proposal to give federal assistance to the international exposition contemplated by the people of Winnipeg and the west to be held in Winnipeg in 1914.

Co-operative Bill

A. M. Martin, Regina, introduced a bill respecting co-operation. He explained that it was to provide for the establishment of co-operative societies in Canada similar to those in Great Britain. Lloyd Harris had a bill for the same object last session. It was vigorously opposed by the retail merchants of Canada.

F. F. Pardee introduced a bill to promote the safety of employees and travellers on railways by the inspec-

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WILL ASK FOR DISALLOWANCE

Great Waterways Company Makes Final Fight.

GOVERNMENT WILL SETTLE CLAIMS

Resolution Asking for Control of Natural Resources Passes Alberta Legislature.

EDMONTON, Alta., Dec. 5—Further intimation that the provincial government intends to settle any just claims arising out of foreclosure of the Great Waterways agreement was given by Premier Sifton in the legislature yesterday afternoon when he stated in committee of the whole that it was his intention to introduce a bill in a few days which would provide for the meeting of all just claims by the province. This refers to the claims which will be made by contractors and others who were not settled with by the railway company. The legislature passed in committee of the whole the Great Waterways bill and it will be finally passed on Wednesday. An appeal will be made to Ottawa by the Great Waterways people to have the bill cancelled, under the clause in the Autonomy act, providing for unfair legislation.

Control of Resources.

The natural resources resolution as amended by George P. Smith of Camrose, unanimously passed the legislature yesterday afternoon. The opposition which had supported the original resolution also voted for the amendment since in Mr. Bennett's words, it was better that the legislature should present a united front to the Dominion parliament, in urging for the securing of control of natural resources.

Bramley-Moore's original resolution had read that the government be called upon to enter into negotiations with the Dominion government to secure control of such natural resources as are of purely local concern and that they be urged to continue such negotiations."

This is the conclusion of one of the most important debates that has ever been taken in the legislature.

FIVE CASES ARE SET FOR HEARING

The December sessions of the supreme court for the hearing of civil cases will open at 11 o'clock this morning, Mr. Justice Murphy presiding. There were eight cases set down for hearing but of this number three have been postponed. The first case on the list is that of Croasdaile v. Paddon, in which the plaintiff is asking for the recision of an agreement concerning the sale of some fruit lands. E. C. Wragge is for the plaintiff and A. M. Johnson for the defendant.

The next case, the Proctor Lumber Co. v. A. E. Watts is an action for recision of agreement and for repayment of $20,000 paid under the agreement. In this action there is a counter claim by Mr. Watts for $10,000. James O'Shea is for the plaintiff and M. A. Macdonald of Cranbrook for the defendant. It is expected, however, that Mr. Watts will conduct his own case.

The Wattsburg Lumber Co. v. Cooke is an action brought by A. E. Watts against W. E. Cooke of Kaslo for damages for the loss of logs last summer at Proctor, which the plaintiff alleges was caused through the negligence of Mr. Cooke's employees. M. A. Macdonald is for the plaintiff and H. C. Hall for the defendant thought in this suit also Mr. Watts will probably conduct his own case.

The action of Gillis v. Van Roi, postponed from the last sitting of the supreme court, is an action for damages for personal injuries which the plaintiff contends were caused through the negligence of the defendants, the Van Roi Mining Co., Limited. Eckstein & McTaggert of Fernie are for Gillis, and C. R. Hamilton, K.C. for the company.

Philbert v. McLane is an action brought by John Philbert against McLane for an account which he alleges is owed him for board and lodging. H. C. Hall and J. S. Mackay represent the litigants.

LIGHT PERIOID EXTENDED

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Dec. 5—The department of marine and fisheries today forwarded notice that all lights on Lake Superior will be kept in commission until Dec. 12. The date for discontinuing the light service had been fixed for Dec. 8. The last boat to leave the head of the lakes this season will be the steamer Huronic which will arrive here with package freight from Sarnia on Dec. 8. The Huronic will take flour to Sarnia.

ALL BIG MEN

should enter the big men's race to 506 Baker street as we have everything in stock from pins to men's overcoats, at prices so low as to stagger the biggest of you all.

So Big and Yet So Small

We have a complete stock of big men's wearing apparel comprising suits, overcoats, pants, hats, sweaters, underwear, overalls, shirts, gloves, mitts, boots, rubbers, etc., big enough for the biggest yet so small in price they will suit the smallest pocketbook.

Wallace's Genuine Closing Out Sale

506 Baker Street Nelson, B. C.

GREAT PROGRESS AT BRUCE GARDENS

J. E. Taylor Tells of Settlers Who Have Accomplished Much in Short Period.

J. E. Taylor, who visited Bruce gardens, near Blueberry creek, a new settlement on the Columbia river, last Friday, in conversation with a representative of The Daily News on Saturday pointed to that place as an example of the remarkable progress that has been made during the past few years in the fruit ranching industry and in the development of the many ranches of the district.

"Bruce Gardens," said Mr. Taylor, "is rapidly being settled up and the progress that has been made by the various newcomers to the tract, which is now completely colonized with the exception of four or five small blocks is remarkable. The results gained by the ranchers there is an excellent example of what can really be done by the newcomer who settles down to hard work upon his newly acquired property, even though it may be wild land covered with pines and heavy brush.

"George Wharf, for instance, has cut and slashed an eleven acre tract and planted four acres in trees since May. During this period of about six months he has also built a five room cottage, a chicken house and a greenhouse. Mr. Wharf is very enthusiastic regarding the fruit growing possibilities of the Kootenays and is making a nice income from his poultry raising.

"Another settler, William Opp, who is postmaster, has recently opened up a general store and reports that business is excellent. Mr. Opp has been at Bruce Gardens for about two years and has more than half cleared a ten acre tract and set it out in fruit trees.

"Mr. Beresford, late of Frank, Alta., is a most energetic rancher. Although he only settled on what is known as block 25 a couple of months ago Mr. Beresford has built a six room cottage, has four acres cleared and is going in heavily for poultry and hog raising.

Hogs and Poultry.

"The owner of lot 10, A. E. Pittoway of Calgary, reached Bruce Gardens on Friday with two carloads of settlers' effects and has established his wife and family in temporary quarters as the guests of Thomas Jackson. In the two carloads of effects were a number of horses, four head of cattle and a large quantity of farm implements.

"Edgar Arnold, Stephen Hollingsworth and E. S. Brookes, have cleared up a large proportion of their ranches and have planted a considerable acreage with fruit trees. Mr. Hollingsworth has built for himself a most picturesque house in the style of the old fashioned English country house, with large fire place and beam ceilings. E. R. Klosterman has also built a fine house and has six acres cleared and ready for planting. Frank Weismer, another settler, has four acres cleared."

Christmas Gift Suggestions
Should Be Valuable

Here's One

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TRAGIC DEATH OF NELSON RESIDENT

James McLean is Accidentally Shot by Brother While in Nova Scotia—Was Twenty-four Years Old.

Details of the tragic death of James J. McLean, who left Nelson three months ago for his old home in Nova Scotia, have been received by his brother, W. R. McLean, of this city. The young man was accidentally shot at New Waterford, N. S., on Nov. 22. James McLean came to Nelson in 1901, practically growing up here, where he was popular with everyone. He followed the calling of stationary engineer.

The Glace Bay Gazette gives the following account of the accident:

"A shocking and distressing tragedy occurred at New Waterford last evening, James J. McLean falling a victim to a bullet from an automatic magazine pistol in the hands of his brother, Hughie Dan McLean. The fatality, as the facts are told by eye-witnesses, was entirely accidental, and no blame whatever attaches to the grief-stricken man through whose inadvertent act his brother met his death.

"The shooting occurred at the home of the McLeans, about 7 o'clock in the evening. H. D. McLean, Ignatious Burke and Warren Pope were in a bedroom, preparing to go out in the evening. James J. McLean and Larry Nearing were in the kitchen adjoining the bedroom and separated from it by a partition of thin sheathing. H. D. McLean had in his hands his pistol, which he had been using during the day, and which he intended taking out with him. He took the magazine out of the pistol and inadvertently snapped the trigger. In this kind of a pistol one cartridge remains in position for firing after the magazine has been automatically emptied according as shots are fired. Mr. McLean was unaware that there was a good cartridge in the pistol, thinking that all had been fired.

"When he pulled the trigger the cartridge exploded and the 38 calibre bullet went through the thin partition and into the kitchen, striking James J. McLean fairly in the centre of the forehead, going through his head and coming out at the back. He immediately dropped to the floor in an unconscious condition.

"Horrified at what had occurred, those in the house took immediate action to save the unfortunate young man's life. Mr. Morrison was called and arrived in a few minutes. The colliery management was communicated with and a special train was at once made up. The wounded man was placed on the train which made fast time to Glace Bay. On arrival the young man, still unconscious, was rushed to St. Joseph's hospital, but died two or three minutes after arriving there and before there was time to lift him off the stretcher.

"The victim of this sad affair was about 24 years of age and unmarried. On account of several being present at the time the shooting occurred, and all agreeing that it was purely accidental, it is not likely an inquest will be held. The remains were taken to the undertaking rooms of William Curry and will be taken to Sydney by the S. & L. express this afternoon, and by the night express to Hopewell, Pictou county, his former home, for burial."

The Pictou Advocate, reprinting this account, says:

"Deceased was a son of the late D. K. McLean, mason, of Pictou. Both the McLean boys grew up in Pictou and will be remembered by many of our readers. Mrs. McLean, who died some years ago, was a sister of Mr. William Ross, postmaster at Diamond."

MOYIE NEWS ITEMS.

(Special to The Daily News.)

MOYIE, Dec. 5—Thomas Woodsworth and William Woods left a few days ago to spend the winter in England.

The telephone line from East Kootenay to points in Washington, was completed yesterday. "Hello! Spokane?" is now possible.

The annual ball of the local Oddfellows will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 11. The proceeds will be donated to the Tranquille sanitorium.

The Moyie Miners' union will celebrate their 11th anniversary on Dec. 12. A concert and dance will be held.

UNITY OF FAITH ONLY IN ROMAN CHURCH

Cardinal Gibbons Praises Sentiment Favorable to Church Union—One Fold, One Shephard.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5—In his sermon at the cathedral yesterday, Cardinal Gibbons praised the sentiment favorable to church union expressed by the recent triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal church held in Cincinnati. He said in part: "At that convention the members adopted resolutions making for the unity and redemption of all Christendom. My brethren, we praise the members of that church for their action because they reflect honor on their heads and hearts, and I join with them in praying that the day may be hastened when Christ's words that there shall be one fold and one shepherd, will be fulfilled. There cannot be unity of faith, however, if there is to be more than one church or if there is to be more than one head. Our lord and saviour, Jesus Christ, never intended that there should be many churches. My dear brethren, common sense alone without divine revelation, ought to impress upon us the absolute necessity of unity of faith. This unity can be found only in the Holy Roman and Catholic Apostolic church of which the Pope of Rome, the regent of Christ is the head."

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TO REORGANIZE A. O. U. W.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 5—A complete reorganization of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the oldest fraternal insurance order in the United States, is expected to be brought about at a meeting of the supreme lodge which began in this city today with prominent representatives of the order present from 23 states. The affairs of the order have been entangled in litigation for several years and the present meeting is the first that the supreme lodge has held since 1907.

The litigation which has proven rather disastrous to the order, both as regards membership and finances, grew out of the refusal of certain grand lodges in other states. Some of the grand lodges withdrew rather than pay the extra assessments, while others took the matter into the courts. A court decision was finally returned in favor of the supreme lodge and now the representatives of the several states have come together to make an amicable arrangement and to decide upon such changes in the laws of the order as may be deemed necessary to meet the objections of the grand lodges and to restore the order to that condition of prosperity which it has enjoyed in the past.

SOUTH ATLANTIC CORN SHOW.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 5—To promote the raising of corn in a scientific manner throughout the southeastern section of the country is the chief object of the first South Atlantic States Corn exposition, which was opened in Columbia today under the auspices of the South Carolina Corn Breeders' association. A liberal prize list has attracted many exhibits from the Carolinas and Georgia and interest in the show is general throughout the three states. A school for corn growers is a feature of the exhibition, which will continue through the greater part of the week.

AVIATORS BEWARE

BERLIN, Dec. 5—Steps to guard German defences from the espionage of aviators were taken today by the ministry of war, which issued regulations on the subject. Airships are prohibited from sailing above or within ten kilometres of fortresses without a written permit from the military authorities. Offenders will be arrested upon landing and treated as suspected spies, being searched for photographs and drawings of fortifications. A kilometre is equal to .621 of a mile.

NEIGHBORS OBJECT TO SEGREGATION DISTRICT

More Evidence Regarding Shearer Charges—Endeavor to Break Into Respectable Houses.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5—Commsisioner Justice Robson, inquiring into Rev. Dr. Shearer's charges heard another aspect of the situation when J. A. M. Atkins, K. C., appeared for respectable residents in the vicinity of the segregated area. Heretofore the evidence tended to show that the district was seemingly well ordered and nothing to indicate its character displayed. Several residents of the neighborhood testified to indecent exposures both of girls and men, of women being accosted on their own property, of foul language, of forcing or endeavoring to force their way into respectable houses. One man who was so pestered stated that it was significant that after a breeze with a patrolman, who said he was unable to watch his house all the time, the resident threatened to send the next intruder to the hospital, and that he had then been undisturbed for four months, but recently the nuisance had started again and he lately chased two men a considerable distance. Evidence was given of depreciation of values of properties and of families forced to abandon houses, which in at least one case had since been occupied by prostitutes and it was pointed out that a considerable number of children in the neighborhood were in danger of contamination. Mrs. Morefield said that on complaining to Chief McRae, he had advised if she did not like it to get out and live on a vacant lot in a tent. The chief was called and denied this, later explaining that Mrs. Morefield had sought him about different matters and that incidentally discussing this, he had advised her to move out and rather take a tent on the prairie. This family built their own home, wherein they had been seven years. Rev. Father Scharrer, testified to opposing the planting of the colony and to the difficulty of fixing responsibility for conditions. Dr. Shearer is to testify on Monday.

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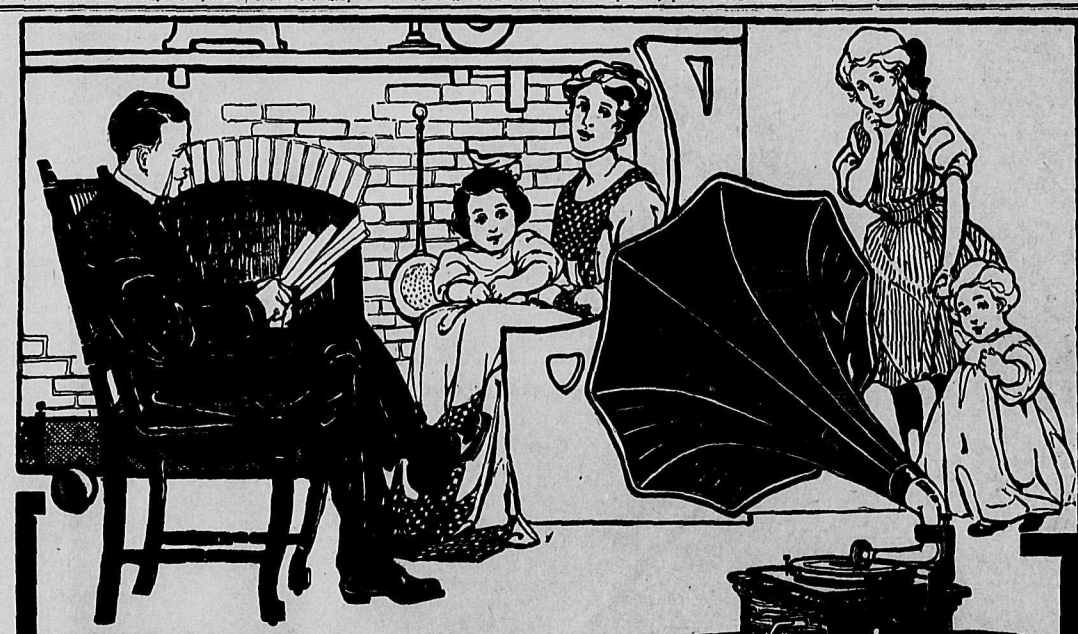

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Fort George Pioneer Takes Talking Trip

C. W. Moore Starts on Tour of American and Canadian Cities to Tell of Resources and Development of Central B.C.--Advocates Trunk Wagon Roads

Mr. Charles W. Moore, the pioneer farmer of Fort George, who is doing missionary work for the district under the auspices of the Fort George Commercial club, left yesterday for Edmonton, his first stopping place in a prolonged tour that will embrace a number of western Canada and American cities, and that will occupy some months. Mr. Moore's mission is to give reliable and first hand information to those interested in Central British Columbia as to its natural resources, its development and business opportunities.

This campaign of information commenced with the New Westminster fair, at which Fort George was represented by an agricultural exhibit of remarkable variety and excellence. Above the tastefully arranged exhibit was a banner, notifying all and sundry that "these products had been brought 320 miles to the nearest point on railroad."

Discussing his mission with The World, Mr. Moore said that since leaving the coming metropolis of the north, nothing had pleased him more than the knowledge—much of it specific and accurate—that the people he had met seemed to have of Fort George. "People in Vancouver and Victoria," he said, "talk about the Nechaco district, the Mud river and Salmon river country and the Bulkeley valley with almost as much familiarity as myself. They all seem to sense the fact that big developments are beginning in that country. They seem to believe, almost as thoroughly as I do—though their opinion is not, of course, based on such personal knowledge—that somewhere in Central British Columbia is going to be a big city, and the general belief agrees with my own, that the natural location for this city is at the junction of the Fraser and the Nechaco, where the Grand Trunk Pacific will cross.

"When at New Westminster fair every minute of my time was taken up in answering enquiries as to the farming lands, the lumber, or the minerals of the country around Fort George, of the business chances in the young city, the cost of living, the cost of getting there, and many other questions that men actually interested in a new country would naturally ask. I tell you I was never more tired in my life at the end of a day's work than when I was talking about Fort George at the Royal City fair. I had no samples of the timber in that country and was not in a position to give complete or very reliable information concerning its minerals, but I think that, with the help of the grains and vegetables I brought down, I convinced everybody who talked to me that Fort George was surrounded by a good farming country, and that its farm products would bear comparison with that of any other part of British Columbia."

Asked as to the plan and purpose of this tour Mr. Moore said: "Next spring there will be a tremendous rush into the Fort George country. There would have been this past summer, but that every possible means was taken to dissuade settlers from going to a place altogether unprepared for any inrush. But by next spring Fort George will be ready to welcome all who care to come. A fine new hotel with 100 rooms has been erected, a water supply system installed, there are banks, a long distance telephone connection, stores and other things that are really wonderful when one considers that a year ago there were but seven white people in the place.

"My purpose is to go to those towns and cities whence the Fort George Commercial club has received the largest number of enquiries and give those interested the facts about the country. The Fort George citizens regard this as necessary and important, since, to judge by the correspondence we receive, the ideas prevailing about Fort George and the Nechaco country, among those not residents of British Columbia, are almost always hazy and often quite incorrect."

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SPORTING NEWS

FORSHAW TAKES UP GAUNTLET

Phoenix Man Will Box Parker for Love, Money or Chalk, He Says.

Bob Forshaw, the Phoenix pug, has lost no time in taking up the gauntlet flung at his feet by Fred Parker, the ex-mounted policeman who, through the sporting columns of The Daily News last week expressed a desire to meet the Kootenay man for a purse of $100 per side or more if so desired.

Parker was billed to meet Forshaw early in the fall but the match was called off as the policeman was taken back to Lethbridge to answer a charge of desertion from the R. N. W. M. P. He is now at Regina, having been acquitted of the charge and set free.

This is Bob Forshaw's letter:

"In reply to the challenge of Mr. Parker to box me, I wish to state that I am willing to box Parker at any time, for love, money or chalk, or any other old thing.

"If that isn't sufficient inducement I will box him for a division of the gate receipts, to be mutually agreed upon, and any side bet he wishes to put up.

"I wish to say, incidentaly, that my portion of the gate receipts will be donated to the Phoenix Hockey club."

It is now up to Parker to get busy and make arrangements regarding place of meeting, date and finances.

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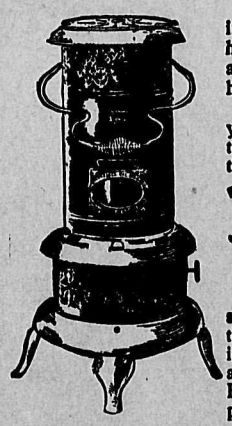

In winter, it is hard to get fresh air in certain rooms. Some rooms in a house are usually colder than others, and if you open the windows it is hard again to heat the room properly.

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ENGLISH RUGBY.

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Durham 15, Cheshire 8.
Cornwall 17, Gloucester 13.
Devon 11, Somerset 3.
Oxford 30, London Scotch 10.
Blackheath 8, Harlequins 8.
Northampton 16, Guys Hospital 0.
Moseley 17, Richmond 5.
Newport 14, Swansea 8.
Bridge-end 4, Benarth 0.
Cardiff 11, Neath 0.
Llanellyn 14, Garryowen 0.
Bedford 6, Leicester 3.
Bristol 17, Clifton 3.
Gloucester 8, Stroud 3.

MEET ON SATURDAY

OTTAWA, Dec. 5—For the purpose of drawing up the season's schedule, the Interprovincial Amateur Hockey association will hold a meeting in Ottawa next Saturday night. The division of the league into two sections will mean two separate lists of games. It is announced that S. I. A. H. A. winners will not challenge for the Allan cup this year, the expenses proving too high in previous experiences.

BERKELEY RUGGER MEN TO MEET VICTORIA

VICTORIA, Dec. 5—That the representatives of Berkeley university will visit Victoria to meet the British Columbia champions for the Keith cup, which is the symbol of Pacific Coast supremacy, there is no further doubt. The guarantee which it is necessary to raise before the Southerners may leave California will be procured and the three matches will take place here during Christmas week. The dates haven't yet been fixed.

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EAST KOOTENAY

A new lumber camp is shortly to be opened at Sparwood by the New Michel Sawmill company. About 60 men will be employed.

William McLaughlin, a salesman for the Crow's Nest Trading company was sentenced by Magistrate Whimster at Fernie last week to six months in jail for stealing goods belonging to that company. He pleaded guilty to the offence.

The election of the coal miner member of the board of examiners for Michel, Corbin, Hosmer and Coal Creek collieries will take place in each of these cities on Saturday next.

The citizens of Michel are showing great enthusiasm in organizing a contingent of Baden-Powell Boy Scouts at that place. A troop is already practically formed.

Slovenske Slovo is the title of a new weekly newspaper printed in Slavek which is now being published at New Michel.

The C. P. R. has decided to construct a railway from a point on the Crow's Nest line in the vicinity of Galloway or Elko to the Waldo and Baynes lake districts. The new territory which will be opened up by this spur is rich in timber and several lumber mills are located along the proposed route.

The Cranbrook Fish & Game Protective society has passed a resolution to be forwarded to the minister of marine and fisheries at Ottawa urging upon that official the necessity for a fish hatchery in East Kootenay. A request will also be made for the appointment of a fishery inspector for the district.

The man Moore, better known as Buffalo Bill, from the Windermere country who was charged with the abduction of a little girl of about 15 years of age the daughter of a neighbor, and who was pursued by the police throughout East Kootenay and who was finally run to earth by the R. N. W. M. P. at Macleod and taken back to Athalmer, has suicided at the jail at that place.

SPORTING SPOTLIGHTS

When old "Bill" Clarke, who it will be remembered was to have met Mace, the veteran English puglist, as a curtain raiser to the Jeffries-Johnson fight, heard that the old champion had passed the great divide, he broke down and wept. When the authorities in San Francisco refused to allow the big contest to take place there, the plan to stage the old-timers was abandoned. When the "Belfast Chicken," as Clarke was known, heard of the news in St. Louis he said: "I was expecting to hear that almost any day. I had a dream the other night that Jem was dead and that I was dying. We were the oldest bruisers on earth, and I guess my time for cashing in is soon to come. When me and Jem met we were two litle lads, but we both knew how to land a good blow and win a fight. I became a boxer because I had to do it to support my mother and her six kids. Jem was a natural born fighter, so we tied up for two years. He knew more about boxing than any man on earth, excepting me, because I learned all he ever knew before we were together a week. We had a rule for boxing. It was to land a left hander at the right time and in the right place. That's how we won. I broke my fist all to pieces in a fight and I had to cut it out, but Jem, he stuck right along until a few years ago." Clarke is 88 years old. The pair toured England, Scotland and Ireland for more than two years in their prime.

A team of English cricketers—the combination to include several of the most brilliant exponents of the game—will visit Canada and the United States next fall, and efforts will undoubtedly be made by the Western Canada Cricket association to bring the old countrymen to Winnipeg. Captain Bristow, who led the Ottawas on their tour in Uncle Sam's country last summer, has received intimation of a trip of an All-Star eleven, but in so far as the west is concerned no mention has yet been made. While the Ottawa cricketer was in Philadelphia last August Mr. Viets of the Philadelphia club told Capt. Bristow of his scheme to finance the tour, asking that the Ottawa club reserve dates for a two-day match, and arrangements are also being made to include Toronto and Montreal in the itinerary.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief Sold by all druggists and dealers.

PRINTING BUREAU CLASHES WITH PRESS FEEDERS

OTTAWA, Dec. 5—The government printing bureau has trouble on its hands. Last week two non-union men were placed in the press room as press feeders, against the wishes of members of the press feeders' union. The superintendent was appealed to but it is understood he refused to dismiss the men which action annoyed the members of the union which control the press union. At a meeting of the union a deputation was appointed to ask the secretary of state to agree to the dismissal of the two nonunion men. The press feeders union was organized a year ago and 25 of its members are employed at the bureau.

RANCH HAND KILLED

LEHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 5—Chris. Mock, a German ranch hand, was found behind the Mint saloon at Sweet Grass, Mont., just across the boundary from Coutts, Alta. John Erickson, another ranch hand gave evidence at the inquest yesterday that his brother told him, witness, that when intoxicated he got into a rought fight with Mock and struck him several times with his fists. He has no recollection of having seen Mock. An investigation is being conducted.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR LANDSEEKERS

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 5—What is said to be the first special train composed entirely of sleepers and dining cars for the exclusive use of landseekers ever to be operated out of Chicago will leave this city tomorrow for southern florida. Tampa will be the objective point of the excursion, with stops en route at Chattanooga, Jacksonville and one or two other cities.

CORN SHOW OPENS IN IOWA.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 5—Hundreds of farmers, with their wives and children, left their homes in various parts of the state today, with Des Moines as their destination and at noon they began to arrive on every train, all prepared to enjoy the attractions and reap the benefits of the annual show of the Iowa Corn Growers' association. Beginning today, the exhibition will hold forth in the Coliseum for the next two weeks. Practically every county of Iowa is represented among the exhibits, giving evidence of the fact that corn is still king in the Hawkeye state. Twenty thousand dollars will be distributed in premiums at the show this year.

AMERICAN ROADMAKERS HOLD CONVENTION

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 5—Delegates from many states arrived today to take part in the seventh annual convention of the American Roadmakers' association, which opens in this city tomorrow. The convention, it is expected, will be the largest of its kind ever held in the United States, and the speakers who will be heard during the three days' session will include many of the most able road builders, engineers and others who have taken up the crusade for improved highways.

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OPIUM DENS RAIDED

OTTAWA, Dec. 5—Two Chinese opium and gambling dens were raided by police here yesterday and 21 Chinamen were arrested and a considerable quantity of opium was seized.

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PROTECTIONIST DOLLARS AND FREE TRADE IN BRITAIN

If it should happen that at the conclusion of the present election in the United Kingdom, the government is found to depend upon the vote of the Redmond Nationalists for a majority, then there will be witnessed the remarkable spectacle of a free trade government kept in power in one country as a result of the dollars contributed by protectionists in another country.

The Redmond Nationalists depend upon funds raised mainly from contributions secured in the United States. Some money, it is true, was secured in Canada by Mr. O'Connor, who gave an account of the aims of his party very different from that since given by Mr. Redmond and who owes an explanation to his Canadian audiences. But most of the campaign fund upon which the Redmondites depend for their political existence came from the United States, and was *contributed by protectionists*. There is no free trade party in the American republic; the Democrats are simply for a more moderate degree of protection than their opponents.

If Great Britain gives a majority for the Unionists against the free trade party, and if, nevertheless, the free trade party is maintained in power by the votes of the Irish Nationalists who care nothing for that policy and who are maintained politically by the dollars of American protectionists, some additional point will be given to Mr. Balfour's demand for the introduction of the referendum.

A. & G. W. TOWNSITES.

Despite the frantic efforts of Mr. Cross, his friends and his subsidized agents, Premier Sifton's bill eliminating the Clarke company from the situation has been passed by a substantial majority.

That does not necessarily mean that the Alberta government will do nothing for railway construction northward to connect with the navigable waters of the Mackenzie river system. It does not even mean, necessarily, that the railway or railways which may be built will not be constructed from a point at or near Edmonton, so as to connect with the north and south lines and thus bring the whole province into as direct communication as possible with the north land.

But it may mean that a new route will be chosen. And in that case what will become of the townsites along the proposed A. & G. W.?

It is singular how little has been heard of those townsites. Copious as has been the literature and the oratory of the A. & G. W. affair, the country has been left singularly in the dark as to what arrangements were made with *regard to the townsites along the line.*

There is nothing about it in the contract. None of the provisions as to townsites usually found in the legislation of other provinces and of the Dominion are to be found there. The company was given a free hand. It could put townsites where it chose and it need put townsites nowhere else. All of them were apparently to be the property of the company or of any friends with whom it might make arrangements. No part was reserved to any government or municipality.

Is it reasonable to suppose that no decision had been come to as to where the townsites were to be? The road had been surveyed, the contract signed, the bonds sold, contracts for part of the line were let, actual construction was begun and a number of miles were graded. *Is it conceivable that the business* had reached this stage, and yet that persons with the keen financial eyes of Clarke and Cross had not yet given any thought to where the townsites were to be, or how they were to be acquired, and how disposed of?

Taking a survey of all the circumstances of the case, it seems quite reasonable to suppose that Clarke's political and business friends in Edmonton may have suffered more as a result of their acquaintance with him than has yet been made public. Did he tell them where the townsites were to be, did they invest on the strength of this information, did they divide up any of the prospective profits with him? Is Premier Sifton now heartlessly leaving them with their townsites on their hands while a new railway is to be built with new townsites?

"Sweet are the uses of adversity," says the poet. But will poetry prove sufficient to console the A. & G. W. gang?

TEN YEARS AGO

Extracts From The Nelson Daily Tribune of Dec. 6, 1900.

From the reports current along the waterfront it would seem as though the steamer Kokanee of the C. P. R. fleet is still queen of the lake in point of speed. Twenty knots an hour is her latest record.

Thomas Madden was notified yesterday of the death of his brother Hugh at Nome.

It is reported that A. Lapointe and the other owners of the Great Dane property in the St. Mary's country have received an offer of $50,000 for the group from an English syndicate.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

December 6.

1637—Sir Edmund Andros, colonial governor of New England, born in London. Died there, Feb. 24, 1714.
1799—Dr. Joseph Black, who is called the founder of modern chemistry, died in Edinburg, Scotland. Born in Bordeaux, in 1728.
1806—Jean Robert-Houdin, one of the most remarkable conjurors the world has ever known, born in Blois, France. Died there, June 18, 1871.
1833—Col. John S. Mosby, famous Confederate soldier, born in Powhatan county, Va.
1857—British defeated the Gwalior rebels at Cawnpore.
1874—Bradford oil field discovered.
1884—*Completion of the Washington monument* in Washington, D.C.
1889—Jefferson Davis, former president of the Confederate States of America, died in New Orleans. Born June 3, 1808.
1902—Seven lives lost in a railway wreck near Halifax, N.S.
1906—Steamship "Midland Prince," the largest boat ever built in Canada, launched from the yards of the Collingwood Shipbuilding company.

PRAIRIES HOLD NOMINATIONS

All Elected by Acclamation in Prince Albert—Contests in Calgary and Lethbridge.

INDIAN HEAD, Sask., Dec. 5—Nominations were held here today for the town council, school board and rural municipality, F. A. McKay was elected mayor by acclamation. For the town council,; J. F. Hunt, H. H. Campkin, H. G. Wilson, A. C. H. Archibald, H. Gardner and O. Holden were nominated four to be elected. James Conn, J. H. Francis and W. Gordon were unopposed as members of the school board for the rural municipality, A. E. Wilson was re-elected reeve and G. Thompson and Bailton were elected councillors by acclamation.

Acclamations in Prince Albert.

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Dec. 5—There will be no municipal election here this year, all vacancies being filled by acclamation. Following are the results:

Mayor, Andrew Holmes.

Alderman, S. McLeod, Fred Baker, O. B. Manville, Gustave Wager, last two re-elected.

School trustees, D. W. Adams, Graham Nelson, re-elected. Public school, W. Adams, T. J. Agnew, re-elected. Separate schools, J. A. VaChon, C. O'Connor, Andrew McDonald, T. Murray. Hospital board, J. McKay, J. D. Hanafin, J. H. Lindsay, D. C. McLellan, N. W. Norton.

Next Monday polling takes place on the local option bye-law.

In Calgary.

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 5—Civic nominations are:

Mayor, Ald. J.W. Mitchell, and Ald. W. Egbert.

Commissioner, Mayor R. B. Jamieson, and Commissioner J. Clarke, one to be elected.

Following are the nominations for aldermen, three to be elected in each ward:

Ward 1: A. J. Samis, A. B. Cushing, *Magnus Brown, R. V. Hunt, T. Hart, Dr.* J. L. Gibson and T. Wiggins.

Ward 2: Ald. W. Ross, J. Smalley and F. Curry seeking re-election and W. D. T. Lathall and D. McDonald.

Ward 3: Ald. R. A. Brocklebank and R. Wallace seeking re-election, J. Hornby, E. E. Taylor, S. B. Ramsey and W. Hallett.

Ward 4: Ald. C. B. Riley and T. Jones seeking re-election, J. G. Watson, J. C. Hester, J. H. Garden and J. G. MacFarlane.

Lethbridge Nominations.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 5—For mayor: Mayor Elias Adams, T. S. McKenzie.

For alderman (three to be elected): Ald. G. B. Bowman, W. D. G. Hatch, Ald. D. King, A. Telly, H. J. Goode, J. Ashcroft, Dr. J. C. Rusk, S. W. Tuckwell.

Public school trustees, (three to be elected): J. H. Fleetwell, O. D. Austin, Dr. W. S. Galbraith, J. M. Ritchie.

Separate school trustees: (Acclamation) H. Mitron, T. D. Kevin and F. Kenny.

Regina.

REGINA, Sas., Dec. 5—Nominations for mayor: P. McAra, Jr., Dr. W. D. Cowan.

For councillors: Ward 1, L. L. Kramer, acclamation; Ward 2, P. N. Dare, J. A. Westman; Ward 3, Charles Willoughby, Robert Martin, C. S. Houston, R. H. Reed; Ward 4, D. J. McKay, J. E. Doerr; Ward 5, W. H. Hallaran, G. Cushing.

Public school board, four vacancies: C. O. Hodgkins, W. A. Thompson, R. J. Westgate, J. A. Cross, J. K. Hunter, T. W. Peart, A. McBeth.

Collegiate board ,two vacancies: J. F. L. Embury, W. R. Duncan, L. E. Bennett.

Separate school, acclamation: Dan Murphy, Chris Webber, Philip Busch.

In Saskatoon.

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 5—Nominations here today were as follows:

Mayor, James Clinkskill and Robert McIntosh.

Aldermen: Ward 1, G. H. Clare, J. A. McConnell, J. McGrath; Ward 2, J. H. Anderson, A. B. Jones; Ward 3, L. N. Levalley, R. F. Preston, L. Harrison; Ward 4, Lorne Ross, E. M. Snell; Ward 5, S. Chivers Wilson, Robert Caswell, G. E. Holmes, Charles Wren. Hospital board, Dr. H. E. Monroe Misbester, J. L. Valens, W. Hopkins, A. J. Sparling, W. J. Tupper, Dr. A. Croll, J. A. Aikin. High school board, R. W. Shannon, C. W. Doran, Gerald Willoughby. Public school board, A. J. Sparling, Russell Wilson, J. H. Holmes.

Moose Jaw Nominations.

MOOSE JAW, Dec. 5—Nominations for mayor, J. M. Paul, A. W. Mayberry.

Aldermen (four vacancies): W. W. Irwin, W. J. Moffatt, W. Houston, J. Armstrong, G. Harrison, Andrew Cunningham, H. Y. Smith, J. Thomson, O. B. Fysh, D. Stamper, H. S. Nell.

Public school board (three vacancies) A. Direwin, John L. Bryant, W. Grayson, G. B. C. Sharpe.

Collegiate board (two vacancies): A. W. Irwin, J. L. Bryant, G. B. C. Sharpe.

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The speaker, introduced by his honor, Judge Forin, referred to his subject, "The Canonicity of the English Bible," as being too extensive to be compressed into one afternoon's address, as it would take considerable time to bring out all its interesting points. He traced the history of Holy Writ from the time when first inscribed on the papyrus leaf down to the day when Wycliffe, the father of the Reformation movement in England, gave through his self-sacrificing efforts to the Anglo-Saxon race one of the best versions ever translated from the original documents. The completeness and the co-ordination of the Bible were brought home with peculiar force, and were revealed in a new light.

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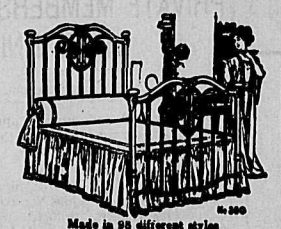

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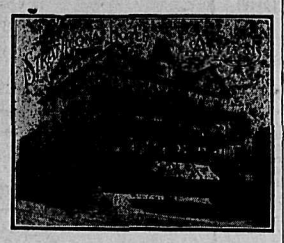

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POLLINGS STILL DRAWN BATTLE

(Continued from Page One.)

Huddersfield: Sherwill, Liberal, 6458; Kaye, Unionist, 5777; unchanged.

Leeds, North: Snell, Socialist, 4988; Barran, Liberal, 9324; Birchall, Unionist, 9066; unchanged.

Leeds, West: Harvey, Liberal, 8715; Jones, Unionist, 4448; unchanged.

Nottingham West: Yoxal, Liberal, 8141; Wright, Unionist, 5948; unchanged.

Notts South: Richardson, Liberal, 5766; C. Bentinck, Unionist, 6151; unchanged.

Oldham, (two members): Emmott, 17,108; Dennis, 13,281; Barton, 16,941; Wrigley, 13,440; unchanged.

Peterborough: Greenwood, Liberal, 3102; Lygon, Unionist, 2799; unchanged.

Stockport (two members): Hughes, 6201; Campbell, 5171; Williams, 5216; Wardle, Labor, 6123; unchanged.

Walsall: Morgan, Liberal, 6385; Cooper, Unionist, 7174; unchanged.

Worcester: Fairbairn, Liberal, 3172; Goulding, Unionist, 4193; unchanged.

Finsbury, East London: Baker, Liberal, 2428; Mason, Unionist, 1900; unchanged.

Finsbury Central: Rosenheim, Liberal, 2804; Archer-Shae, Unionist, 3236; unchanged.

Lewisham: O'Malley, Liberal, 6792; Coats, Unionist, 1178; unchanged.

St. Pancras, North: Dickenson, Liberal, 4407; Moon, Unionist, 3240; unchanged.

St. Pancras, West: Collins, Liberal, 3376; Cassel, Unionist, 3384; Unionist gain.

Cheltenham: Mathias, Liberal, 3846; Duncannon, Unionist, 3763; Liberal gain.

Christchurch: Varney, Liberal, 4649; Croft, Unionist, 5276; unchanged.

Leicester, (two members): Williams, Liberal, 13,238; Wiltshire, Unionist, 7542; MacDonald, Labor, 12,998; unchanged.

Chatham: Bernnachi, Liberal, 4302; Hohler, Unionist, 6989; Smith, Labor, 1103; unchanged.

Norwich, (two members): Lowe, 10,149; Dyson, 7558; Roberts, 10,003; unchanged.

PRIVATE MEMBERS HAVE INNINGS

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tion of boilers and heating apparatus by an inspector working under the jurisdiction of the railway board.

Oyster Industry

W. B. Warbunton, Liberal, in moving for an order of the house for copies of all correspondence, reports, surveys, etc., relative to the oyster industry of Canada and barren bottoms suitable for oyster culture, took some time to point out to the house that a gradual depletion of this industry was taking place in eastern Canada largely due to neglect. In 1882 he said the production of oysters from beds in Prince Edward Island amounted to 57,042 barrels and last year it had fallen to 9672 barrels and the receptacles were of smaller size than formerly. The oyster beds were now impoverished, he declared. and he suggested that the government make an arrangement with the maritime provinces to acquire the land, as it already owned the water where oyster beds were to be found and grant a lease conditionally upon the beds being properly worked. He proposed to make the provinces parties by granting compensation by way of a royalty. The proposal was supported by other Prince Edward Island members.

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Meals Served at all Hours
Elegantly furnished rooms in connection; $1 a day and up.
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SILVER KING—J. McAndrew, J. O'Brien city; W. Campbell, Toronto.

KOOTENAY—A. Ellis, Phoenix; L. Davis William Erickson, T. Revery, city; G. Gagne, Cranbrook.

BARLETT—W. Stephens, Salmo; S. Waters, Blyth; S. Mills, Bristol.

Best on the Continent

That is what authorities say regarding the medicinal qualities of the waters at Halcyon Hot Springs.

The Sanitarium is now under new management and has been remodelled from top to bottom and now offers every facility for the comfort and convenience of patrons.

Rates $12 and $15 per week or $2 per day and upwards.

Halcyon Hot Springs Sanitarium
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Will Leather Goods Answer the Question?

Of course you're in need of a number of Christmas gifts, one for mother, another for sister, probably one for your chum and so on, and something in leather will probably answer for many of your purposes. Maybe a beautiful handbag in a desirable style, a handsome belt in the style you like best, a small leather purse or card case, or—

In any of these lines in which you have needs you'll find we're able to supply you with the best qualities at smaller prices than you'd have to pay anywhere else. It's a chance to fill many of your Christmas needs at a small cost.

Handbags $1.50, $2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $3.50, $3.75 to $7.50
Purses 25c, 45c, 65c, $1.00, $1.50, $1.75

Handkerchiefs Hold a High Place at Christmas Time

A Well Nigh Universal Gift That Never Loses Its Attraction

No matter what other gifts are chosen, handkerchiefs continue their popularity in an increasing measure each season. Everyone must have an ample supply, so one cannot receive too many. Here you'll find an immense stock to choose from, and exceedingly good values at each moderate price, There are plain hemstitched ones, and others with embroidered borders or with fancy initials. Then the lace trimmed handkerchiefs are excellent for gift purposes. You can find in our showing just the kind you want.

Plain 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c. Initialled 25c, 35c. Fancy Embroidered 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00 up to $9.00 each. Men's 25c, 35c, 45c.

Meagher & Co.

Eagle Block Baker Street Nelson, B. C.

SONS OF ENGLAND ELECT YEAR'S OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the local lodge of the Sons of England last evening was largely attended and the reports presented showed that the past year's work had been unusually comprehensive and successful.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Past president, Bro. Campion; president, W. Cutler; vice-president, Bro. Bennett; chaplain, Bro. Nute; secretary, Bro. R. J. Steel; treasurer, Bro. Horswill; first committee man, Bro. Hayden; second committee man, Bro. Holmes; third committee man, Bro. P. Joy; fourth committee man, Bro. Butler; fifth committee man, Bro. Cornish; sixth committee man, Bro. Ramsden; outer guard, Bro. Beech; organist, Bro. Sutton.

DEFINITION OF COLORED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5—The possession of one-sixteenth of negro blood brings a person under the classification of "colored" according to a decision of the district court of appeals today in the case of Isabel I. Wall, eight years old, against the board of education. The girl was admitted to a local white school more than a year ago but afterwards was excluded on the ground that she was colored. The evidence showed that the girl had one-sixteenth of negro blood in her veins and Justice Wright upheld the action of the board of education.

GAS MEN MEET IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 5—Nearly all the large cities from coast to coast were represented here today at the opening of the sixth annual convention of the National Commercial Gas association. The organization is made up of the leading spirits identified with the gas industry of the United States and has a total membership of 2000. The sessions will last an entire week and will be devoted to the discussion of rates, methods of manufacture, the relations between companies and consumers, the use of gas as fuel, and numerous other matters relating to the industry of gas making.

TAFT TO PRESIDE AT MEETING.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5—All arrangements are complete for the sixth annual meeting of the American Red Cross, to be held tomorrow in Continental Memorial hall. Interest in the meeting has been increased by the announcement that President Taft has accepted an invitation to preside at the afternoon session, when reports will be presented showing the work of the organization during the past year.

At the morning session the work of the Red Cross on the Panama canal will be the theme of a talk by Major C. A. Devol, chairman of the Canal Zone chapter. Miss Annie Laws, of Cincinnati, will speak on "The Red Cross Christmas Seal as a Factor in Co-ordinating Social Agencies," and Dr. George W. Crile of Cleveland will tell of first aid work among the police of Cleveland. Another speaker will be Senor Don Joaquin Bernardo Calvo, the Costa Rica minister, who will tell of the work of the American Red Cross during the earthquake in his country last summer.

OTTAWAS OPPOSE BROCKVILLE

OTTAWA, Dec. 5—The Ottawas met today and decided to oppose the application of the Brockville club, also to vote against any move to raise the salary limit, as proposed, to $8000.

Dr. Baird received an invitation today to attend a meeting of the "outlaw" league delegates at Montreal, but as he had arranged to go to Hamilton the gathering has been postponed until Monday. In the meantime all the clubs and players are standing pat. The Ottawas say that they have the public behind them, and Art Ross in a letter to a local paper declares that the deficits reported each year are "faked," and that all the clubs have been making money hand-over-fist. Ross says he has received from $1000 to $2700 per season for his services, but adds that he would, if possible, turn it all over to charity could he wipe his hands of the whole affair and be recognized again as a cleancut amateur. L. N. Bate, former backer of the Ottawas, has been elected chairman of the team committee of thee New Edinburgh amateurs, who will play in the Interprovincial.

GAS, HEARTBURN AND DYSPEPSIA VANISH

Settles Your Out-of-Order Stomach and Ends All Indigestion Five Minutes Later.

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of Indigestion of Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach, if you will take a little Diapepsin occasionally.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested· nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Biliousness, Heartburn, Water brash, Pain in stomach and intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. A single does will digest all the food you eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour and upset the stomach.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking now, and in a little while you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

Should you at this moment be suffering from Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can get relief within five minutes.

Remember! Remember!

The 9th of December

The day of the Library Dance at Eagles' Hall. Progressive Whist also

The Kootenay Jam Co., Ltd. NELSON, B. C.

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Send for Catalogue.
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FOR RENT

We have been instructed to offer for rent a neat five room cottage on Silica street, completely furnished ,$40 per month, which includes telephone, light and water. No children.

A six room cottage, within two blocks of postoffice for rent at $25. Warm and in good repair throughout.

FOR SALE

Mr. W. J. Hipperson has instructed us to offer for quick sale his neat five room cottage, on Latimer street. Has bath, electric light, cellar and is in first class repair. One and one half lots, fruit trees. large shed and chicken house. Facing car line. The house was built for a carpenter, for his own use and is well built and very warm. Price $1850. See us for terms which are easy.

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$100 Cash, balance $20 per month, buys a 4 roomed house and lot on Edgewood avenue; city water and electric light. Purchase price $800.

Nelson Avenue

$900 *Only for a well built cosey* home, 3 large rooms, finished inside with best quality of lumber natural finish. City water and electric light; two lots. A good buy; see us, we will arrange the terms.

Gore Street

$300 Cash, balance $600 on monthly payments of $25, buys a cosey four roomed cottage, with bath. Level lot, all set out with fruit trees, chicken house and run.

Mines Road

A large level lot, 50 foot frontage, with bearing fruit trees. A well built, plastered cottage of four rooms. We can give you a great snap on this for cash.

Double Corner

On car line, well built house, has two bedrooms, bath, parlor, dining room and kitchen, large verandas, rents now at $20 per month, can be bought now for $1890. Terms arranged.

Double Corner

Stanley and Houston streets, 8 roomed house, plastered, city water, electric light. Bearing fruit trees, chicken house and root house, coal shed; $300 cash, balance $1400 on monthly payments.

Modern 2 story, 6 roomed dwelling Has bath and fire place, out buildings, 3 well cultivated lots, well situated, within half mile of postoffice. Price $2100; terms, half cash.

A Money Maker

Where is there a more delightful spot to own an orchard home than on the Arrow lakes in the vicinity of Edgewood?

The man who invests right in fruit lands with water frontage will see the dollars he invests grow.

WHY?

This district has every advantage, good roads, schools and postoffice, daily boat service.

BUY THIS

You buy right when you can secure 160 acres, water front, so much below its value as we can sell you today 160 acres beautifully situated on the west shore of Arrow lake, close to Needles, on good wagon road; one and a half acres cleared, 1000 strawberries set out, 500 raspberries, half an acre planted in fruit trees, comfortable house; an improved ranch at wholesale price, $22 per acre.

We advise you to buy it; it's a money maker.

Houses

Well built home, containing 7 rooms, bath, etc.; large garden. Early possession. Furniture if desired.

Cottage recently built in Fairview, four rooms, 2 lots, city water.

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Kootenay lake—Sites for summer homes on Nelson-Balfour road.

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25 ft. Water street	$275
50 ft. Mill street	500
120 ft. View street, half mile from postoffice	300
120 ft. Lakeside	175
120 ft. Park street	750
25 ft. Union street	125

Also other business and residential sites.

WINNIPEG STOCK MARKET

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5.—At the close there was no changes of any account at any of the stock exchange centres. There was little movement in Steel, but the upward movement did not go much higher than a point. At Montreal, Lake of Woods Milling company had a slight advantage, jumping from 128 to 131½, and later dropping to 128¾.

Listed—	Bid	Asked
Canada Fire	110	.....
Canada Lands	150	155
Great West Life	295	.....
Great West Permanent	126	128
Home Investment	...	140¼
North Trust, fully pd.	120	.....
Standard Trust, fully pd.	130	.....
Unlisted—		
Com. Loan, fully pd.	...	110
Empire Loan, fully pd.	107	110
Empire Loan, partly pd.	110	115
Com. Loan & Trust, partly pd.	...	104
Monarch Life	120	.....
Occ. Fire	...	110
Pioneer Fire, 20 per cent pd.	...	63
Pioneer Fire, 10 per cent pd.	...	55
Sovereign Fire	75	85
Sovereign Fire	75	.....
Western Trust	110	.....
Winnipeg Fire	107	110
Central Canada Fire	110	.....
Unlisted banks—		
Northern, C. F. E.	...	100
Industrial—		
Beaver Lumber Co.	92	100
Western Canada Flour	...	140
Estevan Coal & Brick	95	100
Estevan Coal & Brick, com.	21	28
Carbon Oil	...	120
Portland Canal	21	23
S. A. Warrants	715	720

VANCOUVER STOCK MARKET

Reported by Mighton & Cavanaugh.

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Coal & Coke	$ .03¾	$ .....
International Coal & Coke	.63	.65
Great West Permanent	123.00	126.00
Nugget Gold Mines	.85	1.02
Red Cliff Mining Co.	1.20¼	1.21½
B. C. Permanent Loan As.	128.00	....
American-Canadian Oil	.20	.22
B. C. Copper Co.	6.00	7.00
Canadian Con. S. & R.	50.00	60.00
Royal Collieries	.19	.26
South African Scrip	710.00	735.00

METAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Silver, 54⅞; standard copper, 12.40 A 12.50; easy.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Silver, 25 5-16; lead, £13 13s.

NEW YORK FEATURELESS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Operations on the stock market today were featureless, last week's bank statement probably accounted for the general recessions recorded at the opening. Money is easy at this centre, however, and its importance is indicated by today's report from the west and northwest. Complete returns to the comptroller of currency of the condition of national banks on Nov. 10 last show an increase in loans and discounts by a majority of the banks in the west, middle west, Pacific coast and southwestern states. Only in this section has there been any marked decrease in loans, which have fallen over $67,000,000, with an increase in individual deposits of $22,000,000. Little attention was paid by Wall street to the reassembling of congress and the proposed method of tariff revision.

The progress of the British elections excited even less attention, but the continuance of the floods in France was referred to in their bearing upon our exports of food stuffs to that country. Crop conditions in the west were improved by the heavy snowfall in Kansas, which broke the long drouth in that state and probably came in time to save much of the wheat planted in October.

American issues were steady in London but the premier British securities were heavy in that market. London was a small purchaser here during the day, but transactions for that company were more nominal than usual. Of the $3,000,000 gold received in London from South America, two-thirds went to the Bank of England, the balance being consigned to India.

CONSOLS DECLINE.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Money and discount rates were easy today. The stock exchange expressed disapproval over the result of Saturday's election, and prices declined. Consols lost one-sixteenth and home rails sagged. Copper shares, foreign bonds and Kaffirs closed firmer. American securities opened about unchanged and then advanced on light covering. A forecast of *President Taft's message helped the im*provement. The market weakened when Wall street opened, but recovered in the late trading and closed steady.

MOISTURE EASES PRICES

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 5.—Snow or rain throughout the sections of the south where the moisture has been lacking, eased off the prices of wheat today. The market closed ¼c to ⅜c lower to a shade up. An ample supply of wheat was on sale all day. Supplementing the effect of the break in the drought, domestic statistics were bearish. An increase in primary receipts counted some against values, although the comparison was with the time of the strikes in the northwest a year ago. There was also a big increase in the visible for the United States and Canada, offsetting to a considerable extent such influences. World shipments showed a decided fall, and so did supplies on ocean passage. In the last half of the day much interest was taken in a private circular purporting to demonstrate that *1,329,000 more acres of* wheat have been seeded than last year, nearly 6,000,000 more than was harvested. The condition, however, was but 13 points lower than in December a year ago. Oats were higher early with corn, but lost the advance later. There was some indication that the most urgent of shorts had covered.

QUEBEC RAIL ACTIVE.

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—Quebec Railway was very strong and active, opening 2 points higher than parity, 53½, and advancing to 60. It is not yet clear whether the rise is due to the banquet in Paris last night or merely to improvement in the stock's intrinsic value. The banquet two weeks ago caused a 10 point advance, it is said. There was an active session in Quebec Railway bonds. With non-divided stock at 60, bonds looked very cheap. Bonds advanced from 84 on Saturday. There was a sharp advance in Lake of the Woods common from 125 to 132, and a subsequent *reaction to 128¾. Rodolphe Forget's office* started buying orders from abroad. Dominion Iron showed slight improvement with better feeling. New York at opening sold at 60. Cement was firm, 22¾, and preferred had a slight advance to 85¾. The rest of the market was very quiet but steady.

GEN. BELL GOES TO PHILIPPINES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 5—Major General J. Franklin Bell, former chief of staff, sailed today for Manila, where he will succeed Major General William P. Duvall as commanding general of the Philippine division. The change in command will occur on Jan. 13, on which date General Duvall will be retired for age.

POINTER CLUB TRIALS.

WAYNESBORO, Ga., Dec. 5—The annual field trials of the Pointer Club of America began near here today, with all signs pointing to some excellent sport during the week. *Many prominent* sportsmen from a distance are here with their high bred dogs, having been attracted by the rich stakes offered.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of George F. Roberts, an insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that George F. Roberts, of the city of Nelson, in the county of Kootenay, carrying on business as a restaurant keeper at the said city of *Nelson, has made an assignment under the* Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1901, and Amendments, of all his estate, credits and effects to me, W. J. Braidwood, of the city of Nelson aforesaid, for the general benefit of his creditors, said assignment bearing date 26th November, 1910.

A meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of J. S. MacKay, in the Alan block, in the city of Nelson, on Thursday, the 8th December, 1910, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee, with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Acts on or before the day of such meeting.

And notice is further given that after the 22nd day of December, 1910, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to *any person or persons* of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

W. J. BRAIDWOOD,
Assignee.

J. S. MacKay, Nelson, B.C.,
Solicitor for Assignee.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids are wanted for the clearing of two thousand acres of land in the Whatshan Valley, back of the Needles, Arrow lakes. Work to be started next spring and to be completed by the fall. For full information apply to

BEATON & VEZINA,
Enderton Building,
Winnipeg, Man.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF ROSSLAND.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the annual Court of Revision, to revise and correct the municipal voters' list of the Municipality of the City of Rossland for the year 1911, will sit in the council chamber at the city hall, Rossland, B.C., at 2 o'clock p.m. December 19, 1910.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

Rossland, B.C., November 29, 1910.

J. F. COLLINS,
Clerk of the Municipality of the City of Rossland.

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Business Directory

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MR. A. R. KILBEY, BEGS TO ANnounce that he has been appointed by the Mason & Risch Piano Company to cover the territory lately covered by his father, the late Wm. Kilbey. Any orders left at the Standard Furniture company will be promptly and satisfactorily attended to.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF KASLO

Court of Revision.

Public notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for the purpose of correcting and revising the municipal voters' list of the city of Kaslo, B.C., will be held in the council chamber of the city hall, Kaslo, on Saturday, the 10th day of December, 1910, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

W. E. HODDER,
City Clerk.

Dated at City Clerk's office, City of Kaslo, B.C., November 25, 1910. 192-5

NOTICE.

The undersigned, carrying on business under the firm name of Steeper & McEachern, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, and all parties owing monies to the said firm are requested to pay the same as soon as possible.

(Signed) DAN McEACHERN.
(Signed) H. T. STEEPER.

Witness: E. H. Smith. 198-3

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Men and women to learn barber trade. Have opened one of our famous colleges in Calgary. Positions furnished; wages from $20 to $30 weekly; 10,000 graduates placed last year. Illustrated catalogue free. Write, Moler Barber College, 669 Centre St., Calgary. 186-26

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WANTED—20-foot Peterborough canoe launch, or boat, for fitting. Perfect. Spot cash. Box 170, Robson.

WANTED—Waitress, at New England Cafe. 178

WANTED—Six young ladies to complete class in practical dermatology. Course includes hair dressing, dyeing, bleaching and facial building; massage for reviving wasted tissues; removing wrinkles, blackheads and blemishes of the skin. Manicuring, wig making and hair work in all its branches. Graduates easily secure good positions at highest wages. Full particulars on application to the Secretary, Miss Eva Powell, Canadian College of Dermatology, 723 Pender street, Vancouver, B.C. 178-26

WANTED—Steady boarders in private family. Bath. Apply 615 Victoria Street. 187-15

WANTED—Young girl to assist with baby and light housework. Write Mrs. Paulson, Paulson, B.C. 190-tf.

WANTED—Position, by expert lady stenographer. Apply box X, Daily News. 194-6

WANTED—Applications will be received for school teacher at Harrop, for ensuing quarter. Address E. Harrop, secretary, Harrop, B.C. 195-tf.

WANTED—English girl, aged 18, wishes post as help or nursery governess on a ranch, West Arm preferred. Address B., Daily News. 195-6

WANTED—*Girl for hotel work.* Apply Silver King hotel. 195-tf.

WANTED—Young man (university education) will undertake tuition. Charges moderate. Apply L. R., Daily News. 196-12

WANTED—Lady teacher for Trail school, salary $65 per month. Apply, Secretary School Board, Trail, B.C. 196-3

WANTED—Tent, about 10 feet by 12 feet; also stove, cooking utensils and boat, in whole or part. Send particulars, S. J., Proctor. 196-3

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Apply 715 Carbonate street. 196-6

WANTED—Good planerman, at once. J. B. Winlaw. Winlaw, B.C. 197-tf.

WANTED—First class waitress; wages $45 per month. Apply Brooklyn Hotel, Phoenix. 197-tf.

WANTED—Lady would do mending and darning for families and young men. Address C., Daily News. 197-6

WANTED—Experienced nurse; open for engagements. Address Mrs. B. Dilworth, Harrop P. O., B.C. 198-6

WANTED—Woman who does batenburg nicely, to mend batenburg spread. Good pay for nice work. V. S., *Daily News.* 198-6

WANTED—Work, by man and wife as first or second cook and help, in mine or camp. Thos. O. Wilson, Gutelius. 198-6

LOST.

LOST—Irish Terrier pup, brown, 10 months old. Last seen Monday. Finder will be rewarded on returning to R. J. Macaulay, 904 Edgewood avenue. 193-6

LOST—On Ward street, front of Grand Central hotel, Friday, large pearl handled pocket knife. Valued as gift. Reward on return. W. T. Choate, 615 Carbonate street. 193-tf.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

Take notice that I, J. W. Wood, of Lethbridge, Alberta, occupation agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot No. 8505, on the west side of Arrow lakes; northward for a distance of 80 chains; then westward 20 chains; then southward 80 chains; then eastward 20 chains to the point of commencement, comprising 160 acres more or less.

J. W. WOOD.
November 27, 1910. 1-12-10-8w.

TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that *30 days after* the date hereof we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Nelson for the transfer to Charles Robert McDonald and Andrew Williamson of the license held by us in respect of the premises situate in lot 7, block 9, town of Nelson, known as the "Office Saloon." Dated the 18th day of November, A. D., 1910.

YOUNG AND BOYD
By thier attorney in fact,
19-11-10-30d W. R. Thomson.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail, in the hotel known as the Erie hotel, situate at Erie in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1910.

A. A. McARTHUR,
6-11-10-30d. Applicant.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CRANBROOK

The first sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of correcting and revising the voters' list for the year 1911, will be held on the 10th day of December, 1910, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the city office.

T. W. ROBERTS,
198-5 City Clerk.

CITY OF TRAIL—NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision to revise the municipal voters' list for 1911 and to place on the said list the names of persons improperly ommitted therefrom, and to strike out the names of such persons improperly placed thereon, will sit in the muncipal chambers at the city of Trail on December the 10th, 1910, at 7 p.m.

WM. E. B. MONYPENNY,
198-5 C. M.C.

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FOR SALE—One range with tank in connection, nearly new. For further information call at 308 Carbonate street. 172-26

FOR SALE—Good baled hay Write to O. W. Hembling, Didsbury, Alta. 173-26

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred game fowls. One cock, 3 hens (early birds), $10. Qualities have been proved in the ring and on the table. Fit to adorn any gentleman's estate or kitchen. Apply to T. G. Proctor. 176-tf.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, an Oliver typewriter, 16 inch carriage. Run only short time. Particularly suitable for lumber company or any using large forms. Apply box F. W. G., Daily News. 185-6

FOR SALE—Snap, four thousand dollars worth of property for $3,200; $700 cash, balance from one to three years, interest 6 per cent. Apply W. Hancock, Chatham street, Nelson, B.C. 194-7

FOR SALE—"Conn" silver plated cornet, nearly new; cost $60. Cheap for cash. Address P.O. box No. 3, New Denver, B.C.

FOR SALE—Davenport, good as new. Apply R., News office. 197-2

FOR SALE—Two horse-power stationary gasoline engine in good condition. Apply Elford's boat house. 198-6

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—*Cottage.* Apply William Gosnell, brewery. 101-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished room with bath. 214 Victoria street. 170-26

FOR RENT—Five roomed furnished house, rent $15 a month. Apply 714 Baker street. 182-13

FOR RENT—Bed sitting room, with or without board. 719 Josephine street. 195-6

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with board. 418 Victoria street. 195-6

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 4-room furnished house for rent. Apply 609 Victoria, Phone A114. 196-6

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two roomed house, on car line. Apply Choquette Bros. 196-tf

FOR RENT — Furnished housekeeping rooms. Apply Carney block. 198-tf.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

Court of Revision.

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the annual Court of Revision to revise and correct the voters' list of *the Municipality of the City of Nelson for* the year 1911 will be held in the council chamber of the city hall, Nelson, B. C., on the 10th day of December, instant, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Nelson, this 3rd day of Dec. 1910.

W. E. WASSON,
C. M. C.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF PHOENIX

A Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the voters' list for the Municipality of the City of Phoenix will be held in the city hall on Saturday, December 10th, at 10 a.m., of which all persons interested are requested to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

H. HARTLEY,
C. M. C.

Phoenix, B.C., December 2, 1910. 196-6

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD

A Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the voters' list for the Municipality of the City of Greenwood will be held in the city hall on Saturday, December 10th, at 8 p.m., of which all persons interested are requested to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

G. B. TAYLOR,
C. M. C.

Greenwood, B.C., December 2, 1910. 196-5

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF SLOCAN.

Court of Revision.

A Court of Revision for the purpose of *revising the voters' list* for the Municipality of the City of Slocan and Slocan City school district will be held in the city hall, Slocan, on Saturday, December 10, 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, of which all persons interested are requested to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

D. St. DENIS,
C. M. C.

Slocan, B.C., November 26, 1910.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GRAND FORKS

The first sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of correcting and revising the voters' list for the year 1911, will be held on the 10th day of December, 1910, at 2 o'clock p.m, at the city office.

J. A. McCALLUM,
City Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF TRANSFER OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Erie Hotel, situate at Erie, British Columbia, from Jas. J. Hickey to A. A. McArthur, of British Columbia.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1910.

JAS J. HICKEY,
Holder of License.
A. A. McARTHUR,
Applicant for Transfer.

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Try a "GIN RICKEY"
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LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of December, 1910, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the grant of a License for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises to be known as "Half-Way House," to be situated on the Sheep Creek wagon road, about one mile south of the Queen mine, upon land described as Lot 10019, Group 1, Kootenay District, British Columbia.

Dated this 24th day of November, A.D. 1910.

MICHAEL CRILLY,
189-30 Applicant.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from the date hereof application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Kitchener Hotel, situate at Kitchener, in the province of British Columbia.

GUST ANDEEN,
Applicant.

Dated this 17th day of Nov. 1910.
17-11-10-30d

Take notice that I intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains east of the 22 mile post on the Vernon trail through Fire Valley; thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains east to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated 18th Nov., 1910.

JOHN McINTOSH,
Rancher, Fire Valley, B.C.
W. A. CALDER,
Agent, Edgewood, B.C.

26-11-10-30.

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Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 2x9½x14½, were 30c., sale price	.20
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 2x8½ x 13½, were 25c., sale price	.15
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 11½x16½x2½, were 35c., sale price	.25
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 2x9x12, were 25c., sale price	.15
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 3x8x17, were 35c., sale price	.25
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 2½x10x18, were 35c., sale price	.25
Sheet Iron Drip Pans, size 2½x11x15½, were 30c., sale price	.20
Galv. Wash Boilers, were $2, sale price	1.25
Retinned Wash Boilers, copper btm., were $2, sale price	1.25
No. 1, Galv. Tubs, were $1, sale price	.80
No. 2, Galv. Tubs, were $1.20, sale price	1.00
No. 3, Galv. Tubs, were $1.50, sale price	1.25

Do not forget our special 20 per cent. discount off all other tinware and graniteware. **Don't Delay.**

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SHIPMENT OF ZINC ORE GOES FORWARD

Consignments From Six Kootenay Mines Now on Way to McGill University.

The duplicate shipment of zinc ores, to be the basis of experiments with a view to discovery of a more economical mode of treating, has been assembled by E. W. Widdowson, acting for the Nelson board of trade, and has just been dispatched east, to the address of Prof. A. Stansfield, McGill university. The first lot of ores was dissipated more or less to the four winds, being sent forward by the mines themselves and bringing up at various destinations. The experiments will be made under the authority of the Dominion department of mines.

The shipment was made up of 1000 pounds of ore from the Blue Bell mine at Riondel, 500 from the Eastmont at Slocan City, 500 from the Ruth at Salmo, 500 from the Sullivan at Kimberley, 500 from the St. Eugene at Moyie, and 500 from the Aurora at Moyie. The ore from the Blue Bell, the Eastmont and the Ruth, was assembled at Nelson, and the East Kootenay ores were picked up at Moyie.

WORK ON JO JO.

The Teir brothers have been working on the Jo Jo near New Denver all season running a development tunnel. The tunnel has been driven 200 feet. Another hundred feet will be driven and an upraise made on the ore. Some ore has been taken out this season. The Jo Jo is on the North Fork near the Evening Star and McAllister.

FIVE INCHES RICH ORE.

The lessees of the Sweet Grass across the lake from New Denver, are working on about five inches of high grade ore. Between one and two tons of ore have been sacked. The vein dips outward. All the other veins on Goat mountain dip into the hill.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

(Additional local news notes on page 8.)

F. J. Farmer, the Castlegar merchant, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

H. H. Cleuch, the well known Castlegar rancher, is a guest at the Hume.

The Knights of Pythias meet tonight at 8 o'clock, to hold their semi-annual election of officers.

Electors are reminded of the civic court or revision of the voters' list, which will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, at the city hall.

Sam J. Gorman, managing director of the Canadian Marble Works, returned yesterday morning from Marblehead. He left last night for the coast, where he will be for about a week.

A. W. Wright, of the Wright Investment Company, Limited, left on Sunday night for a fortnight's visit to the coast, on business in connection with the company's Fort George lands.

Mrs. James M. Bulger of Fairview, who has been confined to the house for the past five weeks on account of a sprained ankle, is improving rapidly and will be around in the course of a few days.

A map of British Columbia showing the Dominion parliamentary constituencies, drawn by R. E. Young, chief geographer, has just been issued by the Dominion department of agriculture. A copy was received yesterday by E. K. Beeston, secretary of the board of trade.

Royal Hotel, here's your home for the winter. Best board in the city. 196

R. Lawrence, of the International Correspondence School, has moved his office to the Hudson's Bay block, room No. 2, telephone B227, and will be in town until Dec. 12. 197-6

HOME RULE AT LAST.

For centuries the civilized world has admired the almost hopeless struggle of "The Green Isle over sea" to gain the control of their own affairs. What must be the joy to every Irish heart to see the dreams of their ancestors realized. What joy to the hearts of citizens of Nelson to think that their prices will be Home Rule at J. J. Walker's auction sale, now in full swing.

SOLUTION HAS NOT YET BEEN DISCOVERED

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5—Civic purity and the municipal elections was the principal topic in the city churches on Sunday, the Shearer investigation being referred to in many Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches. Dr. Grant of Toronto in St. Andrews church, referring to the downtown problem, said that in spite of much study neither he nor any one had ever been able to find a solution. He claimed that active local missionary work was the only hope for the problem.

STREET RAILWAY EMPLOYEES CLOSE THEIR CASE

WINNIPEG, Dec. 5—The street railway employees closed their case this morning with a statement signed by 400 employees to the effect that they individually had ignored the rule forbidding drinking in uniform, and that they understood that the prohibition referred only to excessive drinking and that they did not feel that they therefore incurred either chastisement of dismissal. This may be taken as an indication of the feeling of the men.

ENGINEER SCALDED

WETASKIWIN, Alta., Dec. 5—Early this morning a collision occurred between two freights between Sedgewick and Lougheed and one engine and seven cars were derailed and burned. Engineer J. Curry was badly scalded ad the brakeman had his ribs broken and was taken to Bawlf hospital.

Evening Clothes

Did you ever have a touch of Evening Suit Anxiety?

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RESOLUTION UPON PUBLIC TELEPHONE

Will Come Before Board of Trade on Thursday Night—Freight Rate Committee Will Report.

One of the important matters that will come before the board of trade, at its regular meeting on Thursday night, will be the report or the freight rates committee, which was charged with taking up the matter of the increased freight rate on coal.

The following resolution will be submitted, to be sent up to the Associated Boards of trade of Eastern British Columbia:

"Resolved, That whereas the telephone is of such public utility that it should be owned and operated as a government and municipal undertaking, in order that it may serve the people as a whole and give to every person an opportunity of enjoying its advantages at cost, and;

"Whereas, a considerable reduction could be made in the present charges for telephone service, especially if the service were to be furnished at cost to the subscriber, and;

"Whereas, it is desirable that the government of British Columbia should construct long-distance lines and have such lines duly operated, and;

"Whereas, the local systems of telephones should be owned preferably by the municipalities;

"Therefore resolved, that in the opinion of the board of trade, it is in the interests of the people of the province of British Columbia that the government should enact legislation providing for the construction, acquisition, expropriation, maintenance and operation of a public telephone system or systems throughout the province, or in such districts as may be deemed advisable."

Hoarseness in a child subjected to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given at once or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Contains no poison. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

Women Need

sympathy and help when they are attacked by weakness and suffering. At times when Nature seems cruel and very hard—when depressions and derangements come — kind womanly friends may give sympathy. When ailments occur, the best natural help and correction is the safe and well-tried family remedy

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Municipal Election

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF NELSON:

I beg to offer myself for re-election as mayor of the city for the ensuing year.

If re-elected I will in the future, as in the past, endeavor to give the city a safe, sane and strictly business administration, discouraging freak and crank legislation and pledge myself to conduct the affairs of the city with economy, efficiency and moderation.

Harold Selous

We, the undersigned, beg to offer ourselves as aldermen in sympathy with the candidature of Harold Selous:

East Ward

George Ferguson
J. A. Gilker
J. Fred Hume

West Ward

P. J. Gallagher
Thomas Madden
R. A. Peebles

Nelson, Nov. 25, 1910.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

(Additional local news notes on page 7.)

Dr. and Mrs. Brouse of New Denver are among the guests at the Strathcona.

W. E. Zwicky, manager of the Rambler-Cariboo mine is at the Strathcona.

G. F. Robinson, the well known Summit Lumberman, is registered at the Strathcona.

The W.C.T.U. will meet this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. class-rooms.

All Pythian Sisters are requested to meet at the K. P. hall this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

The Knights of Pythias will hold their semi-annual election of officers at tonight's meeting.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 39 degrees and the lowest recorded was 33 degrees.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trade will take place on Thursday night at 8.30 o'clock.

Born, on Dec. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Netherby, corner Josephine and Hoover streets, two daughters.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Macdonald of Ymir, at the Kootenay Lake Maternity hospital, on Dec. 5, a son.

J. B. Tierney reached the city from the coast on Sunday night and expects to remain until the end of the week.

Cora Hayes was fined $10 and costs in the city police court by Magistrate Irvine on a vagrancy charge yesterday morning.

W. A. Macdonald, K.C., and Mrs. Macdonald, of Vancouver, reached the city last night, and are guests at the Strathcona.

A. E. Watts, the well known lumberman, and his son, Edward Watts, are in from Wattsburg to attend the sessions of the supreme court.

Ira Lindsay, son of Herbert L. Lindsay, leaves this morning for California. He will enter on the study of law at California university.

There will be a meeting of the Boy Scouts in the club rooms at 7 o'clock tomorrow night. Those having semaphore flags are requested to take them to the meeting.

The annual meeting of the Nelson Conservative association has been postponed from tonight, to next Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, when it will be held in Eagle hall, at 8 o'clock.

The lesson in first aid to the injured, which was to have been given to the Boy Scouts by Dr. Hawkey yesterday afternoon, was postponed until next Monday, when it will take place at 4 o'clock.

Before his honor, Judge Forin, in chambers yesterday morning, E. C. Wragge was granted letters of administration in the estate of Christopher Higgins, deceased. The estate is now in the hands of S. P. Tuck, official administrator.

The regular meeting of Queen City Rebekah lodge will be held in the lodge room at 7.30 o'clock this evening. As there will be initiations a full attendance of officers and members is requested. At the close of the meeting refreshments will be served.

Owing to delays on the Crow's Nest line, caused by the severe weather, the Crow boat was four hours late last night. The passengers for Arrow lakes and main line points were conveyed to Robson by a special train, which left the lower depot at about midnight.

The illustrated lecture on "Picturesque California," given by Frederick William Prince last evening in Trinity Methodist church, held a large audience spellbound for an hour and a half. The rendition of the film machinery was perfect. The lecture will be repeated tonight at 8.15 o'clock.

The Churchman's club will hold a social in the parish hall of St. Saviour's church tomorrow evening. Entertainment will be provided for members and friends and refreshments will be served. The executive committee of the club will meet the same evening at 7.30 o'clock in the committee room of the club.

"The Panacea for the Industrial Ills," was the subject discussed at the People's class on Sunday afternoon at Trinity Methodist church. Next Sunday the subject will be, "Socialism as a Panacea," and the following Sunday, "Some of the Absurdities of the Socialistic Propaganda."

The basketball teams of the High School and Employed Boys gymnasium classes at the Y.M.C.A. play a challenge match tomorrow evening at 8.45 o'clock. The Employed Boys had their final practice last night, and both teams are in great trim for the contest. A large number of tickets have been sold at 15 cents, and the ticket-holders will be admitted to the gymnasium before those securing entrance by general admission. Needless to say, a good game is assured, and the supporters of both teams will be out in force.

Capt. Allan Lean, under the influence of the deprivation he suffered in not being able to tell whether a certain expected letter had arrived and was in his post-office box on Sunday, gave expression to the following sentiments. "Everyone agrees, both from a religious and hygienic point of view, that a man should have one day's rest in seven. But it seems ridiculous, to say the least of it, that the head of the most important governmental institution in the foremost colony in the British empire should decree that it is necessary for the hinges on the outside door of the postoffice to obey the fourth commandment."

AT THE THEATRES.

The opening of the opera house as a vaudeville theatre last night was the occasion for the presentation by the new management of an excellent bill, though the list of performers was curtailed owing to the fact that Kollins & Klifton, who arrived on the delayed Crow boat, were unable to appear. They will, however, make their bow to a Nelson audience tonight. In addition to three reels of moving pictures last night's bill included two strong vaudeville acts. Leo Bayes, the female impersonator, created a very favorable impression by his extremely humorous make-up and acting. Attired as a woman he sang and danced in a manner which displayed excellent training and no mean ability as an actor. Fields and Herman brought down the house on more than one occasion by their delightfully humorous presentation of a laughter-provoking sketch. Full of comedy and well acted, this sketch is on a par with anything of the kind that has previously been seen in this city. Two shows were given. The earlier one, commencing at 8 o'clock, drew the largest crowd. The same bill will be presented tonight.

A strong and interesting program is billed at the Empire theatre this evening. "Delightful Dolly" is a recent Thanhouser film, in which some really clever child acting is seen; "Linda of Chamouney," a picture of exciting intrigue; "The Turning of the Worm" is a picture in which a much abused wife at last turns on her husband.

"A very fine program," was the verdict of the patrons at the Gem theatre last night, all being especially delighted with "The Baseball World's Championship Series," which, without doubt, is an exceptionally good film, well photographed, and all the fine points of the game clearly pictured. Other subjects are, "Animated Gazette," "The Two Hats," "In the Gray of the Dawn," and "The Wrong Trail."

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