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AT CRANBROOK

Inspiring Rally in Interests of Thomas Caven

CONVINCING SPEECHES

W. A. MACDONALD, K.C., GEORGE THOMPSON AND THE CANDIDATE POINT OUT ADVANTAGES OF GOVERNMENT POLICY—LAND SALE AN EXAMPLE

CRANBROOK, Nov. 18—One of the largest and most enthusiastic political meetings ever held in Cranbrook was that which took place in the Auditorium this evening at which Thomas Caven, conservative candidate, W. A. Macdonald, K.C., of Vancouver and other speakers placed before the electors the railway policy of the McBride government in such a manner as to convince the most bitter opponents of the conservative party that this progressive policy which the premier, according to his promise, was now placing before the electors for endorsation was one of the most businesslike which the people had ever been asked to consider. Not only was this policy expounded to such an extent as to hold the audience spellbound, but the statement made by Mr. Caven that the friend of the lumbermen, premier McBride, had promised perpetual timber licenses, was one which met the entire approval of the audience, while the question asked those present by W. A. Macdonald as to whether th land laws had ben administered fairly to all concerned by the present government, received a unanimous answer in the affirmative.

A. E. Watts of Wattsburg occupied the chair and dealt at some length with the issues of the campaign. He also set at rest for all time the suggestion made by liberals that there was a split in the conservative ranks in Cranbrook. Shoulder to shoulder, old and young were working together for the election of Mr. Caven, in order that Cranbrook may be represented on the government side of the house and there is no doubt as to the mission being accomplished.

Hearty invitations were sent to the opposition candidates to be present which, however, were futile. Regarding the local option plebiscite, the chairman stated that if 50 per cent of the electors voted in favor Mr. Caven was in duty bound to support the government in carrying out the measure. In this, as in all other matters the premier's wish was that the will of the people should prevail. He asked the electors to consider between now and election day which was the better man to represent them, M. A. Macdonald, who dare not introduce a bill for the abolition of champerty or Caven, who would.

Mr. Caven needed no introduction. On rising to take his place on the platform he was greeted with deafening cheers. He stated that he had all due respect in the world for his opponent but that he regretted his non-attendance. He asked any person present to say anything that would reflect on the railway policy of premier McBride but received no reply. The session of the legislature need not have been dissolved until the spring of 1911, but the premier was fulfilling his promise to the people. The government was now asking the electors to endorse this progressive policy or to ask that gallant premier to retire from public life. Two months ago the liberals had expressed themselves as being in perfect accord with the railway policy but they were now forced as an election fight to oppose it. They were thus sacrificing the interests of the people for political effect. The opposition had not said anything definite regarding railway construction except that a policy was under consideration. What was the standing of the treasury today as compared with that when the present government assumed office. There was now according to the attorney general $4,700,000 in the Canadian bank of Commerce at 3 per cent. This was the people's money and should be put into use for the people. Mr. Caven closed by asking for a good, fair, broadminded consideration of the record of the McBride government by the electors before election day, saying that if this was done there was no doubt of his election.

Mr. Martin appeared on behalf of J. W. Fritch, the socialist, while F. J. Deane apologized for the non-attendance of M. A. Macdonald.

George Thompson was the next speaker. He stated that not only had M. A. Macdonald been invited to attend the present meeting but that he personally had offered an invitation to the liberal candidate to attend the meeting addressed by the premier and attorney general but without effect. The railway policy had been described at some length at that meeting and the liberal candidate would have had a chance to compare his with it. The speaker thought the fact that the liberals had Mine was responsible for Mr. Macdonald not attending. He closed by predicting a magnificent victory for Mr. Caven.

W. A. Macdonald, K. C., of Vancouver was then introduced and stated that both candidates were good friends of his, but that Mr. Caven was an older friend and was supporting the cause which the electors could not fail to realize was unequalled. Consequently he was present in the interests of Mr. Caven, the future member for Cranbrook. The liberals admitted their inability to criticise the government's record. This was a true contention.

The history of Canadian politics had never known an opposition to be placed in such a hopeless position. The high standing of finances had allowed a reduction in taxes. Would not electors indorse a government on such a splendid standing? The premier had preferred to place the railway policy before the people and all that was asked was fair consideration. It had been proven successfully by the experience of other provinces. The liberals of Manitoba had lived to regret the day when they opposed the construction of the C. N. R. and the liberals of this province would do so, or any other party, which tried to stop the wheels of progress. (Cheers.) If Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta could guarantee the bonds of the C. N. R. with such scanty resources, what could British Columbia do? Those provinces' credit had not been impaired one cent as a result of guaranteeing the bonds. The speaker ably answered the questions of the liberal candidate as published in the Cranbrook Herald, proving several of them to be foolish. If the railway construction of this province was being assisted by the liberal government not one acre of timber lands would have been left for the individual. Compare this with the sale of lands at Point Grey by auctioneers for a figure approaching $3,000,000. Ottawa would have sold this through the land shark. Experience had taught this. The conservative party was sincere on the Asiatic question. The white labor clause in the G. T. P. agreement was signed, sealed and delivered. If not so there was no need of Sir Rivers-Wilson and Collingwood Schreiber coming to British Columbia. Mr. Caven was not an orator, but had a heart as big as an ox, and for this reason he was assisting the conservative candidate, who was a man in whom the electors could place every confidence, and he urged them to support him. He had no doubt that Cranbrook would give Mr. Caven the same large majority it gave Mr. Goodeve. Issues were not the same, but the principle was. He urged them to give Mr. Caven hearty support, and resumed his seat amidst continued applause.

The meeting was brought to a close with three cheers for the premier and Mr. Caven and the playing by an orchestra of "God Save the King." The result of the meeting leaves no doubt as to the election of Tom Caven for this riding.

STATUS OF MR. OLIVER

CORRESPONDENT QUESTIONS THE NEWS ON SUBJECT.

THE NEWS LEAVES ITS READERS TO ANSWER.

The following question has been addressed to The News, but The News would prefer that its readers should answer it for themselves:

In certain quarters much is being said along the line taken by John Oliver that in guaranteeing Canadian Northern Railway bonds the province would have no security, as the mortgage would belong to the bondholders.

Does not this guaranteeing of bonds stand on all fours with the endorsation of a commercial note, a transaction generally known to the people?

If the person signing the note pays it at maturity then the endorser is freed from all liability, and the note is cancelled.

If, however, the signer of the note does not pay, then the endorser must pay; but he in turn holds the note and may recover the amount paid from the property of the signer.

So, in the case of the province, if the Canadian Northern paid the bonds, the province would be relieved of all liability.

If the Canadian Northern should fail to pay, then the province would have to pay, but in turn would hold the bonds and would therefore have all the rights of the original bondholders who furnished the money.

On John Oliver's own statement the province would (in event of liability) then hold the bonds as a first lien on the Canadian Northern Railway, for which the bonds were issued.

In view of the above, is not the statement made by John Oliver misleading, therefore dishonest?

Was the statement made in ignorance of ordinary business procedure, or from dishonest motives?

What is the status of John Oliver?

Thought Him Duke's Son.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—The man Gubate, who with his wife was arrested on October 28, charged with having fraudulently obtained $40,000 worth of jewelry while masquerading as the Count and Countess Gubata, admitted before a magistrate today that he had been convicted of swindling in San Francisco, Switzerland and Australia. He insisted, however, that his wife, who was formerly a Mrs. Beck of New York City, had married him in good faith, believing him to be the son of Archduke Otho of Austria.

Baseball in Havana.

HAVANA, Nov. 18.—In an eleven-inning game here today the Almentiares baseball nine defeated the Detroit Americans by a score of 2 to 1.

IN HOME CITY

New Westminster's Warm Welcome to Premier

OLIVER'S ASIATIC POLICY

LABOR CANDIDATE RIDICULES OPPOSITION PROPOSAL—SIR HIBBERT TUPPER'S INTERFERENCE IS ASSISTANCE TO GOVERNMENT

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, Nov. 18—A great roar of enthusiasm went up at New Westminster opera house as premier McBride appeared tonight before a huge audience in his home city. There was no doubt about it. The Royal City men were out for "Our Dick" and out to a man and not a seat was vacant when the curtain went up and revealed the premier and attorney general Bowser supported by a notable array of supporters of the government. J. A. Cunningham, F. W. Mackenzie, conservative candidate for Delta, W. Norman Bole, K.C., Marshall Sinclair and L. A. Lewis were among the conservatives on the platform.

W. Dodd, the labor candidate, availed himself of the invitation from the conservatives and addressed the meeting briefly, basing his objection to the Canadian Northern on the ground of the statement that Mackenzie & Mann made their money through railroad construction and not railroad operation. Referring to the Asiatic question Mr. Dodd ridiculed John Oliver's solution. "When he says he would make the oriental live up to the white man's standard," said Mr. Dodd, "I suppose he will make the Chinaman forsake chop sticks and rice, eat beef, wear decent clothes and go to church instead of going to the opium joint, and will get him to marry, settle down and get a little home." (Laughter.)

After T. Gifford the conservative candidate for New Westminster, had briefly addressed the audience chairman J. A. Lee introduced the premier as a "native son of New Westminster who was destined to lead the people of Canada." As the premier arose the audience rose to its feet and gave a terrific Westminster yell, ending with Mr. McBride's name and a huge bouquet of beautiful flowers was handed to its native son.

"We must keep ahead of the development of this province and stimulate progress or else rot of stagnation," said the premier, "and so it is I submit for your consideration a railroad proposal which will be for the betterment of the country." After dealing with his policy the premier said that six years ago John Oliver declared he was a scoundrel, three years ago, Oliver said he was a fool and now he needs a dictionary to find terms to abuse him. "Yet," said the premier, "people showed their confidence in me by returning me with strong support."

Referring to sir Hibbert Tupper, the premier said that John Oliver was welcome to him. British Columbia had done very well without the assistance of Tupper who was young in experience of this country, and the premier wondered what sort of a union Mr. Oliver and sir Hibbert Tupper would effect. The liberal press once described Tupper as the worst rascal of them all, but now he was lauded as a great man. "The interference of sir Hibbert Tupper in this campaign is the greatest help I have secured," said the premier.

"You gave an empire for the C.P.R., you gave the wealth of the Rothschilds for the G.T.P., but you get the Canadian Northern without the cost of a dollar or the alienation of a single acre of land," declared the speaker.

The premier carried the war into the enemy's country yesterday when he addressed large crowds at Langley and Ladner, in John Oliver's riding of Delta. He spoke straight from the shoulder and went after the hard shell grits in earnest and those in the know, declare that Mr. Mackenzie will defeat the liberal leader.

Granite Cutters Strike.

BARRE, Vt., Nov. 18.—An urgent telegram was sent today to James Duncan of Quincy, Mass., national secretary of the Granite Cutters' union, asking him to come at once and use his influence towards the settlement of the strike and lockout of 4,000 granite cutters at Barre, Montpelier, Williamstown and Northfield. No reply has been received from Mr. Duncan late tonight and it was hoped that he would reach here tomorrow or on Saturday, and that work would be resumed in the cutting sheds next week.

Killed by Street Car.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—Investigation by the coroner into the death of Kreigh Collins, former western tennis champion, who was found dead in a street last night, established the fact that he had been killed by a street car.

Gruesome Discovery.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 18.—The leg and a part of a thigh of a girl about 16 years old, apparently very recently severed from the body, was found by the police in an ash pile on a lot in the center of the city.

Hon. Price Ellison, Minister of Lands for British Columbia.

Here is what the Okanagan, the Liberal paper published at Vernon, said of Mr. Ellison on the occasion of his recent elevation to the cabinet:

"The Okanagan wishes to extend to the Hon. Price Ellison congratulations on his appointment to the important portfolio of lands in the McBride cabinet.

"Mr. Ellison for more than 30 years has been a resident of the Okanagan valley, and has been prominent in its upbuilding. He has been a lifelong conservative and his staunch services to his party since they have been in power in the province entitles him to the consideration shown him by his leader, the Hon. Richard McBride. From the material he had to select from in his party, the premier has made a wise choice, because a long experience on the soil in the Okanagan ought to fit Mr. Ellison for the duties of his very responsible post. There is much to be done in getting the new water act in good working order and it is here that Mr. Ellison will experience his most strenuous time. However, the new minister is a pioneer and has hard problems to face before this, and has had the nerve to face them, and he will not be daunted by the task he has undertaken. So as he enters upon his new duties he has our best wishes and the earnest hope that he may make good and give his fellow citizens of Vernon good reason to feel proud of him.

REACHING FEVER HEAT

PREMIER AND SIR HIBBERT TUPPER SPEAK IN VICTORIA.

STRAIGHT CONSERVATIVE TICKET WILL BE ELECTED.

(Special to The Daily News.)

VICTORIA, Nov. 18.—The election campaign will reach fever heat on Saturday with the appearance on rival platforms of Premier McBride and Sir Hibbert Tupper. The meeting of the latter is advertised to be held in the Conservative interests but will be exclusively attended by Liberals of the city who have waived all their meetings arranged for that night in order to be present in force. Conservative meetings up to the present have been of the most rousing character, and enthusiasm will reach its height with the presence of the premier in the city. There is no doubt that the straight Conservative ticket will be returned, and it is freely prophesied that two of the Liberal candidates will lose their deposits.

In the Islands and Saanich electoral districts the return of A. E. McPhillips and Hon. D. M. Eberts respectively is conceded. A stiff fight is being waged in Esquimalt and Alberni and in both constituencies the Conservatives have a good chance. Nanaimo is conceded to J. H. Hawthornthwaite, the Socialist leader. In Cowichan, W. H. Hayward will win, while the fight in Comox is between Mike Manson and J. Cartwright, the Socialist. The Socialists also may retain Newcastle.

MAY BE ASTOR'S YACHT.

Steamship Captain Reports Vessel That May Be Missing Yacht.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Some assurance that Colonel John Jacob Astor's yacht, Nourmahl, which has been missing in West Indian waters for ten days, is safe was brought here today by Captain J. Durie of the Donald line steamship Annetta. The Annetta came in with fruit from Jamaican ports after one of the most stormy trips of her career. Captain Durie reported that on Sunday, November 14, he sighted a boat which he believes to be the Nourmahl riding at anchor in the reef harbor of Hawk's Nest, San Salvador. Colonel Astor's friends, however, are inclined to doubt that this boat was the Nourmahl, as San Salvador is nearly 200 miles north of the region in which Colonel Astor planned to cruise.

Captain Durie said he was familiar with the appearance of the Astor yacht and added that several of his officers were also confident that the vessel they saw was the yacht of the New York millionaire. The Annetta passed within three miles of the yacht, but Captain Durie, not knowing that any anxiety was felt for its safety, took no pains to get close enough to speak her. It was a large white steam yacht, with yellow funnels, which description would answer that of the Astor yacht. The storm had lost its hurricane intensity on Sunday off San Salvador, but heavy weather still prevailed. The yacht showed no signs of distress. San Salvador lies considerably to the north of Jamaica, from which the yacht sailed on November 8.

SIX MILLIONS

Output of Trail Smelter for Calendar Year

FOUR MONTHS RETURNS

OUTPUT FOR JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER BRING FIGURES FOR THE YEAR WELL UP—ALL COMPANY'S MINES ARE SHOWING UP WELL.

The Consolidated Mining and Smelting company's smelter at Trail, which has done so much to advance the interests of mining in the Kootenays, continues to show a gratifying increase in its output. During the three months ended Sept. 30, the first quarter or the company's fiscal year, the output of the smelter was $1,648,582, while the returns for October total $412,865, which makes the output of the smelter for the four months $1,881,447, an amount which is largely in excess of that for the corresponding months of last year.

The figures for the past four months bring the total output of the smelter for the calendar year up to $4,974,447, which means that the total for the twelve months ended Dec. 31, next, on the same basis, should be close to $6,000,000, if it does not reach that amount, which would be by all odds the largest return from the smelter for any year since it commenced operations. The company's year, it may be said, ends on June 30, and for the last year ending on that date the output of the smelter was the largest in the history of the institution, amounting to $5,506,000. That the returns for the present calendar year will exceed this amount by probably $500,000 or more is shown by the figures quoted above, especially as all the company's mines are at present looking exceptionally well and a supply of high grade ore for treatment at the smelter during the next couple of months, as well as for a long time after that, is already assured.

A feature of the returns for October lie in the fact that over half the output of the smelter for the month was pure gold, while lead contributed about one-quarter of the total, the balance being made up of silver and copper. The returns for the month are as follows:

	Ounces	Value
Gold	10,332	$211,498
Silver	73,172	37,791
Copper	488,207	61,729
Lead	3,571,940	101,847
Total		$412,865

HAVE LOCATED BODIES

EXPERTS MAKE DESCENT OF THE BLAZING MINE

NO SIGN OF LIFE HAS YET BEEN DISCOVERED

CHERRY, Ill., Nov. 18—For the first time since the mine horror of Saturday, the bodies of some of the 300 victims were located today by daring experts in the depths of the second gallery. Twenty bodies were found within 70 feet of the ventilating shaft. One of the bodies was brought to the surface but it was unrecognizable. The temper of the people was feared and an attempt was made to keep secret the finding of the bodies. Therefore that more than one victim was discovered was not generally known until nightfall and a plan was on foot to attempt the removal of the other bodies from the mine late tonight.

The first descent into the ventilating shaft was made by J. W. Paul, George H. Rice and H. Y. Williams, in a temporary cage. They were protected against deadly gases by oxygen helmets. The second was made by mine inspectors Taylor and Moses, who brought up the body. Taylor's plan of a "do or die" attack on the main shaft where the temperature is still around 100 degrees, was delayed by the exploration into the air pit. "We will do all we can at the air shaft and then at any cost, will descend into the main pit," said Mr. Taylor this evening.

Of the horrors which they encountered in the mine gallery none of the explorers would speak, but their faces were pale and their hands trembled when they emerged. This much was learned: The bodies were scorched and swollen. Death might have been due either to gas or flames.

After the removal of the body the seal of the main shaft was broken and shortly the shaft was belching out gas and smoke. The helmet armed experts descended in the shafts and with leads of hose prepared to fight the burning coal in the second gallery. If their efforts are successful, firemen without helmets will be sent down to assist them.

News of the recovery of the first body spread rapidly through the village and as the ambulance, flanked by soldiers, passed through the streets, women rushed out of their homes and pushed their way through the crowd in a vain attempt to look into the wagon. When state attorney Eckhart gently told them that identification would require some time, the crowd thinned away from the wagon, but until late tonight the little brick morgue was surrounded by anxious inquirers.

The recovered body was identified tonight as that of Ole Frieberg, unmarried. Seven volunteers carried a hose into the main shaft tonight and turned a stream on the burning second gallery.

No outrage of any kind occurred in Cherry last night. The troops guarded the mine and the special train of cars against which threats had been made, but all was quiet, save for the tapping of the hammers as workmen hastened in preparing for the task of the day.

CHERRY, Nov. 18—An extraordinary closing of a manslaughter case was revealed today in connection with the disaster of last Saturday. Stephen Timko, a miner and former deputy marshal, was under indictment for killing another miner. Timko according to his counsel shot and killed a Slav in a riot in Spring Valley several months ago and was out on bail awaiting trial. Witnesses of the shooting, several friends of Timko and others, his foes, worked in the St. Paul mine, and a search of the company's records disclosed that all of them are in the mine and probably dead.

STRUCK BY A SPLINTER

BURSTING EMERY WHEEL LAYS OUT MECHANIC.

JOHN LAMONT FIGHTS FOR LIFE IN HOME HOSPITAL.

Struck by a splinter from a bursting emery wheel, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, John Lamont, a fitter in the C.P.R. shops here, was suddenly stretched out unconscious, with blood flowing from an ugly wound on his left temple. The victim of the accident had been trying to grind the jaws of a large wrench on the emery wheel, and got the wrench caught between the machine rest and the wheel, with the result that the latter broke, a flying piece striking him over the left eye.

Dr. Hartin was hastily summoned, and the wounded mechanic revived under his ministrations, and was conscious while being conveyed in the city ambulance to the Home hospital. There he was treated by Drs. Rose & Hartin, where it was found he was suffering from a fracture of the skull. At last accounts Lamont was in a serious condition, but was holding his own.

Lamont is 27 years of age and unmarried. He came from Dublin, Ireland, three years ago, and has worked in the C.P.R. shops ever since. His mother, and his sister, Miss M. Lamont, reside at 406 Houston street, having come from Ireland two years ago.

LIBERAL RALLY AT FERNIE.

Victory of Conservative Candidate Is Generally Conceded.

(Special to The Daily News.)

FERNIE, Nov. 18.—The political fight still occupies the principal attention of the public and business is suffering to a certain extent. Meetings are being held all over the riding and the candidates, as might be expected, are claiming a victory for themselves on the 25th instant. Last night the Liberals held a meeting in the Miners' opera house, and although snow was flying steadily, there was a good attendance. W. G. Barclay occupied the chair and invited representatives of the Conservative and Socialist parties on the platform, which invitation was accepted by John Harrington, on behalf of the Socialists; W. R. Ross, who was holding a meeting at Michel, was unable to be present.

M. A. Macdonald, the Liberal candidate in Cranbrook, was the principal speaker and dealt with the railway policy of the McBride government first and then launched into an attack on the Conservative party in general, but failed to make a favorable impression upon his audience.

D. A. McDonald of Fernie also made a campaign speech of the usual order and was received with a flattering reception by the Liberals in the house.

A. I. Fisher, the Liberal standard bearer, was given a most attentive hearing and on several occasions was greeted with applause, but he failed to convince those present with the sincerity of the platform laid down by his leader, John Oliver.

John Harrington, the Socialist candidate, did not make a very favorable impression as he did not attempt to discuss the live issues of the day, but made a most rabid speech in the interests of Socialism.

All the parties are working overtime and the hottest fight in the history of the constituency is being fought. It is generally credited, however, that W. R. Ross, the present member for the riding, will be returned by a substantial majority.

Unfavorable weather conditions are retarding building operations and unless there is a vast improvement soon many large structures will not be completed this fall as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pollock gave a most delightful dance in Bruce's hall last night to a large number of their friends. The hall was most tastefully decorated, and as the music, the floor and the other arrangements were perfect, a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Convict is Persistent

NEW YORK, Nov. 18—In spite of the many defeats he has met with at the courts in efforts to regain his liberty, the persistency and legal acumen of Albert T. Patrick, who is serving a life sentence in Sing Sing for the murder of William Rice in 1900, succeeded in obtaining another writ of habeas corpus today from presiding judge Herschberg of the appellate division of the supreme court in Brooklyn, the writ returnable on Nov. 29. It directs warden Friste of the state prison to produce the prisoner in court at that time.

Village Destroyed by Fire

JAMESTOWN, N.Y., Nov. 18 — The most disastrous fire that has ever occurred in the village of Westfield broke out early today and the central part of the village was almost wiped out, including the Menton house, on which the loss was $30,000. The flames were under control at 9 o'clock this morning. The total loss will reach $100,000 with insurance of about $60,000.

Derby Today

LONDON, Nov. 18—The latest betting on the Derby gold cup, distance a mile and three-quarters, to be run tomorrow is as follows: 7 Highness; 7 Bridge of Erin; 7 Rathlea; 8 Buckwheat; 10 Nimrod; 11 Cattaro.

EXPENDITURE

Government Brings Down Estimates

SHOW HEAVY INCREASES

CAPITAL AND CONSOLIDATED FUND EXPENDITURES EXCLUSIVE OF SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES MUCH GREATER THAN CURRENT YEAR.

(Western Associated Press.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 18.—This afternoon Hon. W. S. Fielding laid on the table of the house the main estimates of expenditure for the year which will close March 31, 1911, or in other words for the 1910-11 fiscal period. They call for a total expenditure, exclusive of any supplementary estimates which may be brought down, of $127,670,983. Of this sum $91,891,578 will be chargeable to consolidated fund, or an increase of $10,712,940 over the current fiscal year. The remainder of the $35,779,415 will be charged to capital expenditure, an increase of $5,294,675. Capital expenditure will include the large sum of $31,081,415 for railways and canals, of which $27,000,000 is for the construction of the national transcontinental railway, an increase of $7,000,000 over the current year. The total amount to be voted for Canada's naval service will be $3,676,500. For the navy proper the vote will be an even $3,000,000 and the expenditure is to include the purchase, construction and maintenance of ships, the maintenance and upkeep of the dock yards at Esquimalt and Halifax, and the establishment and maintenance of training schools. Other items included in the naval vote are $320,000 for hydrographic surveys, including a survey of the Hudson's Bay; $281,500 for the fisheries protection service and $75,000 to provide for the construction of a steamer for surveying the Gulf and River St. Lawrence.

Militia appropriations will be $6,876,700, as compared with $4,815,150 last year. The principal increase on the militia vote comes under the following heads: Transfer of amount voted for ordinance arms, stores, equipment etc., from capital account to income, $1,300,000; annual drill, $315,000; pay allowances, $200,000; salaries of civil employees, $75,000.

Miscellaneous votes include $15,000 to provide for expenses of the conservation commission.

Among western votes are: British Columbia—Victoria old postoffice property, $4,040,17; Victoria postoffice alterations and addition, $5,000; Williams Head quarantine station, $5,000; Chilliwack public buildings, $10,000; Cranbrook public buildings, $10,000; Duncan public buildings, $10,000; Fernie drill hall, $11,000; Grand Forks public buildings, $10,000; Greenwood public buildings, $10,000; Nelson public buildings, $70,000; Prince Rupert public buildings, $30,000; Prince Rupert quarantine station, $35,000; Revelstoke public buildings, $10,000; Vancouver public buildings, $15,000; Vancouver immigration detention hospital, $850; Vancouver examination warehouse, $3,000; Vernon public public buildings, $25,000.

The railways and canal vote include $180,000 for the Hudson Bay railway, and $1,000,000 for the Quebec bridge.

Fear Effect of Sentence.

RISING FAWN, Ga., Nov. 18.—A petition to President Taft to pardon a former sheriff, Joseph F. Shippand, signed by practically every citizen in this city, says in part: "We view with grave fear the effect the fulfillment of the sentence will have upon the ignorant and irresponsible negroes, increasing beyond question the danger of the women of the south.

Life Sentence for Bandits.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 18.—Judge T. C. Munger, in the United States district court today sentenced to life imprisonment the five men who held up the Union Pacific Overland Limited train at Omaha on May 12 last and robbed the mail car. The men are William Matthews, D. W. Woods, Fred Torgenzen, Frank Grigware and Lawrence K. Golden.

Outlook Bright.

(Special to The Daily News.)

NEW DENVER, Nov. 18.—The conservative outlook is bright and most promising. William Hunter can go forward and fear nothing. He carries Caesar and his fortunes in his boat, and enjoys the confidence and good wishes of a large community. Any man labors in vain who studies to please all parties.

Unknown Vessel Wrecked

DULUTH, Nov. 18—An unknown vessel is ashore on Isle Royal and is said to be a complete wreck. Capt. Bell of the steamer Baker of the Pittsburg line reported that they saw an unknown 12 hatch vessel with a black smokestack and a light hull ashore.

For Australian Navy.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

MELBOURNE, Nov. 18.—Minister of Defense Cook will move on Wednesday that parliament approves the naval proposals and authorizing that immediate steps be taken to provide the Australian unit.

Century Editor Dead.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Richard Watson Gilder, author and editor of the Century magazine, died tonight of heart disease.

CONSERVATIVE RALLY

A meeting of the supporters of Harry Wright, the McBride government candidate for Nelson, will be held in the rooms of the Young Conservatives' club THIS EVENING, commencing at 8 o'clock. W. A. Macdonald of Vancouver, formerly of Nelson, Mr. Wright and others will speak. All supporters of Mr. Wright are invited.

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

(Letter from Mr. George L. Brown.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Wright Investment Company

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

HORRIBLE INDIGNITIES

REIGN OF TERROR PREVAILS IN NICARAGUA.

REVOLUTIONISTS' SHIP LEAVES NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18.—A cable from Panama says passengers arriving from Nicaragua today report that a reign of terror exists throughout the portion of that country controlled by President Zelaya. Government troops are rounding up every person suspected of sympathy with the revolutionists and executing them without trial. More than 500 have been summarily shot. Residences are ransacked by Zelaya's soldiers in search for incriminating letters. Women relatives of the revolutionary sympathizers have been subjected to most horrible indignities and outrages.

Nicaraguan refugees arrived on the Isthmus and in Costa Rica and declare that it is time for the civilized powers to interfere.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—What is alleged to have been an attempt to take a shipload of supplies to Bluefield to aid the forces of General Estrada was protested in a formal manner at the customs house late yesterday by the consul-general representing the Zelaya government in Nicaragua. The Nicaraguan officials asked that the steamer Utstein be refused clearing papers, on the allegation that it had been chartered by ex-President Bonilla of Honduras for the purpose of taking several revolutionists to Bluefield from this city. The collector of the port here wired to the state department at Washington for instructions, but none arriving last evening he allowed the vessel to proceed to her destination.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—Two Americans, who were discovered in the revolutionary army in Nicaragua, have been captured and sentenced to death by President Zelaya. The news received at the state department today indicates that the sentences have been carried out. Two American war vessels have been ordered to proceed with all haste to Nicagagua, and the meeting of the new Nicaraguan ambassador at the White House has been indefinitely postponed.

Fire in City Hall.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Fire, which gained its origin from a defective electric wire near the roof, badly damaged the city hall this morning. Every department in the building suffered either from fire or water. The roof was destroyed and the flames swept through the second and third stories. The building was valued at $165,000 and the loss is estimated at $50,000.

Prominent Lutheran Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 18.—Henry S. Bonner, for 32 years superintendent of the Lutheran Publication society and one of the best known laymen of that denomination in the country, died at his home here yesterday, aged 73.

Storm on Great Lakes Abates.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 18.—The second severe storm of the autumn season on the great lakes completely abated today and marine traffic was resumed with the vigor, which annually characterizes the closing days of the shipping season. While it is estimated that damage to the extent of probably $50,000 was suffered by the marine interests yet the loss was not so great as in past storms. Boat owners were warned in time and practically all sought shelter. During the storm only one life was lost, although five vessels were caught and partly wrecked.

Immigration Increasing

CALGARY, Nov. 18—Local immigration officials report that the arrivals of actual settlers during the month of October are much in excess of the previous year and the present month up to this date shows even larger increases than that of October, actual settlers arriving in November being in excess of the total arrivals for the same month last year.

The Expected Has Happened

HELSINGFORS, Nov. 18—The Finnish diet was dissolved today because of its refusal to sanction the bill introduced by the government asking for an appropriation of four million dollars for the defence of the empire. An election will be held on Feb. 1 and the new diet will assemble March 1.

Will Rush New Line

EDMONTON, Nov. 18—A C.N.R. contractor from the vicinity of Settler is in the city today securing a carload of blasting powder and all the necessary equipment to continue the construction work of the Vegreville-Calgary line throughout the winter. The grade is now extended to a point 104 miles from Vegreville and will easily reach Calgary next year.

AGREEMENT RATIFIED.

Edmonton Will Now Obtain Long Wished for Bridge.

EDMONTON, Alb., Nov. 18.—The indorsing agreement for the C. P. R. high level bridge carried by a vote of 1,858 for to 582 against.

Grading operations on the Alberta & Great Waterways railway are now progressing very rapidly northwest of the city. The recent fall of snow instead of retarding the work is making it very much easier as it is keeping the frost out of the ground and making it much more easily worked. Unless much colder weather comes the grading can be carried on much later than if there was no snow on the ground. Under the contractor, E. Manders, there are about 200 teams and 300 men at work. Every available farmer of the district is employed and the only handicap is the scarcity of labor.

Port Blockaded.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The revolutionist forces under General Estrada have declared the port of San Juan del Norte, in Nicardgua, under a public blockade, and general notice to that effect has been issued. In a telegram received at the State department it is stated that as a result of this action the city of San Juan del Norte, which is said to contain 1,000 of Zelaya's men, is invested both by sea and land. The blockade force consists of the Nicaraguan gunboat, Ometope, and the tug, Blanca, which has been temporarily armed. Large consignments of arms are expected to reach the revolutionists at or near that port.

Mrs. Stetson Dropped.

BOSTON, Nov. 18.—The name of Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, formerly first reader of the Christian Science church of New York, was today dropped from the rolls of the Christian Science church by order of the board of directors. It was announced that the directors had found the charges that Mrs. Stetson was working against the interests of the church and contrary to the teachings and practices of Christian Science to be proved and true.

Another School Under Ban

PARIS, Nov. 17—Advancing another step in their campaign against the public schools the Catholic clergy today put under the ban another school at Grenoble where the teacher had disregarded the warning against the use of interdicted text books. The combines advocate retaliation by an official inspection of Catholic text books which they claim teach opposition to the republic and hatred of liberty.

Bernard McFadden Released.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—President Taft today passed upon several pardon cases, including that of Bernard McFadden of New Jersey, who was convicted of mailing non-mailable matter, and was sentenced to the New Jersey penitentiary for two years and fined $2,000 and costs. The president remits the imprisonment sentence and McFadden will be released on payment of the fine and costs. The unmailable matter was issued in a publication of which McFadden was the editor.

President as Peacemaker.

PORT AU PRINCE, Nov. 17.—President Simon, on the government boat Liberte, escorted by a small flotilla, sailed for Cape Haytien today. The object of the voyage is to dispel the discontent prevailing among the partisans of General Leconte and to effect a reconciliation between General Turnne Jangilles and his adversaries.

Cruise Around World

SOUTHMAPTON, Nov. 18—Morton F. Plank of the New York yacht club sailed today in his yacht Celanda for a cruise around the world. He declined to express an opinion on the prospect of the club receiving another challenge from sir Thomas Lipton for a race for the America cup.

Professor's Suicide.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Nov. 18.—The body of Wilfred C. Wheeler of the chemistry department at the University of Illinois was found on the campus of the institution today. A small bottle found nearby indicated that he had poisoned himself.

Changes in Procedure.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—Minister of Justice Bartyou today confirmed the announcement made here during the trial of Mme. Steinheil that he would propose certain changes in procedure in the trial courts of France.

Big Building Burned

SANDUSKY, Nov. 18.—Fifty persons were driven to the street early today when fire broke out in the Mahala block, a four storey business and apartment building. The building was destroyed entailing a loss of $17,000.

Wrecked Steamer Found

MUSKAGON, Mich. Nov. 18—The freight steamer William H. Mack of Cleveland which went aground on Tuesday night on the Bankpoint shoal, was found by a tug during the night.

Bubonic Plague.

CARACAS, Nov. 18.—The bubonic plague has reappeared in this city. Five new cases have been reported, three of which terminated fatally.

End of Strenuous Voyage

ST. JOHN, Nfld., Nov. 18—A 2000 mile voyage under jury gear, amid gales and through the treacherous waters of Hudson strait and the Labrador coast, ended here today when the Hudson's Bay steamer Pelican put into this port. The steamer's propellor and rudder were broken shortly after she sailed from Port Churchill, but otherwise she suffered no damage.

MR. HERMAN DYING OF STONE IN THE BLADDER

Gin Pills passed the Stone

513 James St., Hamilton.

"Four years ago I was taken down with what the doctors called Inflammation of the Bladder—intense pains in the back and loins, great pain and difficulty in urinating. The pain was greatest in the region of the bladder, and the attacks, which became more frequent, amounted to unbearable agony, and I became so weak that I could not walk across the floor. Doctors could do nothing to help me. My wife read in the paper about Gin Pills and sent for a box.

From the very first I felt that Gin Pills were doing me good. The pain was relieved at once, and the attacks were less frequent. In six weeks the Stone in the Bladder came away and the pain stopped entirely. I have had no return of the trouble and have not lost a day's work on account of it. I cannot express myself strong enough when I speak of what Gin Pills have done for me. When I remember how I suffered, and how now I am healthy and well and strong and able to do a full day's work, I feel I should speak and tell other sufferers of my experience and of the wonderful merits of Gin Pills."

JOHN HERMAN.

You don't have to buy Gin Pills to test them. Simply write The National Drug & Chemical Co. Dept. B.C. Toronto, and a free sample will be sent you by return mail. When you have used the sample and feel that at last you have found the remedy that will do you good—then buy Gin Pills at your dealer's—50c. a box, 6 for $2.50. Remember, please, that Gin Pills are sold on a positive guarantee of a cure or your money back. And this guarantee is backed by the largest wholesale drug house in Canada, who will take your unsupported word if you want your money refunded. 15

What Will We Have for Dinner?

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

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

Joy's Cash Grocery

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

FOR SALE

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

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

R. J. STEEL
Hudson's Bay Block

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EASTERN CANADA EXCURSIONS

Low Round Trip Rates to Ontario, Quebec and Maritime Provinces

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

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

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

3--Through Express Trains Daily--3

THE TORONTO EXPRESS

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

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

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

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

Minard's Linament Cures Distemper.

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Ward Street Nelson, B. C.

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

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

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

YOUNG & BOYD, Proprietors.

Silver King Hotel

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

Nelson Hotel Bar

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

Bartlett House

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

Kootenay Hotel

MRS. MALLETTE, Proprietress

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

Sherbrooke House

Nelson, B.C.

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

BOYER BROS., Proprietors

Empire Hotel

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Baker Street, Nelson, B.C.

The house is thoroughly remodelled throughout. Clean rooms.
Weekly boarders, $6.00.
Rates $1.00 per day up.
Temberance house! home comforts; best cook in the city.

MRS. J. E. HARRIS, Proprietress.

Athabasca Saloon

Cor. Baker and Kootenay Sts.

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

IVENS & PHILBERT, Props.

CLUB HOTEL

Cor. Stanley and Kootenay Sts.

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

JOHN GRANT, Prop.

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CASTLEGAR JUNCTION

All modern. Best accommodation for travellers.

NELSON CAFE

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

A. AUDET, Proprietor.
Phone 275.

ROSSLAND

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

PHOENIX

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

ARROWHEAD

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

GRAND FORKS, B.C.

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

COMAPLIX

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

YMIR

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

Read Daily News Want Ads

Water Notice

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Water License

Notice is hereby given that I, A. D. Ferguson, intend to apply to the Water Commissioner, 30 days after date, for leave to take one-half cubic foot of water per second from an unnamed stream flowing into Sub-Lot 20 of Lot 7759, for domestic and irrigation purposes.

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

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

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

166-30 PETE JOHNSON.

Notice for Application for Liquor License

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

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

NOTICE.

Provincial Legislative Assembly.

Private Bills.

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

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

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

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

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

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

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

MITCHEL TAIT.
19-10-09-4

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 20, Block 36; Lots 3 and 4, Block 47 (Map 266); Lot 1, Block 38; Lot 9, Block 40 (Map 268A), Nelson city.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue, at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof, a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lots in the name of Angus Campbell, which Certificate is dated the 28th March, 1893, and numbered 16190A.

H. R. JORAND,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C.
Oct. 12, 1909 157-31

TAXIDERMY!

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Wright Investment Co.

419 Baker Street, Nelson

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

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CASES NOT CONTESTED

SEVERAL JUDGMENTS IN CHAMBERS BY JUDGE FORIN.

LAST HEARD OF A FOUR-YEAR-OLD SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

The number of cases to go to trial at the session of the county court at Nelson next week was materially reduced by his honor, Judge Forin, in chambers yesterday.

In the case of Hansen vs. The Argenta Mines, Ltd., W. H. Bullock-Webster (E. A. Crease) for the plaintiff, made application for judgment, with the consent of counsel, the order being granted. The suit was for $645.66, for work done under contract.

In the case of J. Y. Griffin & Co. vs. Elmore, James O'Shea for the plaintiff, with the consent of counsel obtained an order for judgment. The suit was for $127.40 for goods sold and delivered.

The case of Cizowiski vs. The West Kootenay Power and Light Company, Ltd., which dates from 1905, now passes permanently from the lists. The suit was one for damages, and arose out of the death of an employe of the defendant company. The case has been compromised, and James O'Shea for the plaintiff obtained an order for the payment out of the $100 originally deposited with the court to cover costs.

A. M. Johnson obtained an order for the removal of the case of Donaldson vs. Brown from the Nelson registry to the Grand Forks registry.

George Elisha Birman, a United States citizen, for five years resident at Thrums, where he conducts a general store, was granted naturalization. The procedure recently adopted for this county court division requires that applicants shall appear before his honor in person, though this requirement may be discharged by attendance at either a regular sitting of the county court or at chambers.

AMALGAMATION OF UNIONS.

Federation of Labor Makes Unions Combine Forces.

TORONTO, Nov. 18.—For the first time since the American Federation of Labor began its convention here a division was called for today by Delegate Richardson, who demanded a roll call of delegates on the report of the adjustment committee recommending the amalgamation of the International Association of Car Workers and the Brotherhood of Railway Car Men. About 25,000 men are involved.

"The condition of things is so serious and critical that the time has come when we must say to groups of labor, 'You must amalgamate for your general protection,'" said President O'Connell in the convention.

The division upheld the report and amalgamation will follow. The convention also forced together the Amalgamated Brotherhood of Carpenters and the Amalgamated Woodworkers.

After a hot fight the iron molders were given jurisdiction over the metal polishers. Delegates thumped their desks at the news from Washington that the court of appeals had granted a stay until November 29 in the Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison contempt case.

Alberta's Coal and Gas

CALGARY, Nov. 18—American capitalists, realizing from recent tests in southern Alberta that the district is underlaid with vast deposits of coal oil and gas, are acquiring rights and spending thousands upon the development of claims. The importance of the work may be gained from the fact that preparations for exploiting oil prospects *on the south fork of the Old Man river* are being made on an extensive scale by the Chicago, Alberta Oil company who are now building a wagon road up the river to within a few miles of the summit of the main ridge of the Rocky mountains. They are now hauling in a *drilling rig to a point seven miles from* the summit where drilling will be commenced as soon as the rig can be set up. Camps have been built and operations will be carried on throughout the winter. Oil seepages are numerous in the region and the company is confident from surface showings that oil in large quantities will be encountered. At many points throughout southern Alberta drilling is now going on for oil and many outfits before striking the same are securing excellent flows of natural gas. Wells show heavy deposits of coal to be almost universal at a depth ranging from 40 to 300 feet.

Railway Accident at Fort William.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Nov. 18.—David Vance was instantly killed and J. J. Sheridan is lying in a hospital with a fractured skull and is not expected to live as the result of a wreck on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway this morning. The accident occurred at Crest, a small village 21 miles west of Fort William. The accounts given are very conflicting. It appears that while the train was coming down a hill at Crest, running at a high rate of speed, a flat car with a ditcher, the caboose and the engine left the rails and plunged head first down the embankment. Engineer Sheridan, who was busily engaged at the throttle, was unable to jump from the engine in time, and he was thrown from the side of the tender to the ground, alighting on his head. His skull was fractured and it is also thought that he received internal injuries. The fireman was fortunate in jumping and did not receive a scratch.

Ready for the Game

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 18 — The rival football teams of Harvard and Yale rested quietly today some miles from Saturday's encounter with their hard training days still behind them and the championship honors still to be gained. Within the walls of the stadium are seats for 30,000, many of whom are already crowding into Boston, eager for what is generally expected to be the finest exhibition of modern football ever played on an American gridiron. Harvard journeyed down to the Norfolk hunt club at Medford, while Yale came up from New Haven today sojourning at the Woodlown park at Auburndale.

Catholics Persecuted, Says Pontiff.

ROME, Nov. 18.—Pope Pius in an address to the French pilgrims whom he received today declared that France was making war against the church with an aim of undermining the basis of Christianity. The pontiff said that Catholicism was suffering persecution by the French government under the pretext of the separation of church and state. All this, the pope said, instead of depressing must animate Catholics to defend their religious faith, and he concluded by urging the faithful to cling to the episcopacy.

Sever Diplomatic Relations.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—The Alsop claim of more than $1,000,000 against Chili, which has been pending for upwards of 35 years, has assumed a critical stage. Intimation has been given to the Chilean minister in Washington that unless a final settlement is made within the next few days or the claim is referred to The Hague for trial on its merits, the United States legation in Chili will be closed.

Fire and Explosion.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Cable advices received here today told of the destruction of the Norwegian steamer Bismarck by fire and explosion in the harbor of Iquique, Chili. The vessel and the cargo are a total loss. No indication as to whether or not there was loss of life was contained in either of the dispatches received by the Marine exchange or the agents of the vessel here. The Bismarck was of 13,050 tons register.

Terry Wounded

PARIS, Nov. 18—Gustave Terry, who stirred up the recent naval scandal by alleging corruption in the purchase of supplies was wounded today in a duel with Lauret Tailhade, the poet. The latter escaped injury. Terry had taken offence at a newspaper article in which he was criticized by Tailhade. Terry's charges regarding the naval supplies involved him in several damage suits with officials of the navy department.

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INDIAN LANDS

In his speech in this city on Monday night last Mr. F. C. Wade made a charge which the Vancouver World considers worthy of a seven column heading, *although it attracted little, if any,* attention locally. This charge was that the provincial government had secretly disposed of its reversionary interests in 3248 acres of land in the Okanagan to Mr. A. W. Lang of Peachland, B.C., at $2.50 per acre. Mr. Wade characterized this as a crime of the first magnitude and advanced it as a reason why the province should not be given the reversionary interest in Indian reserves to which the McBride government claims British Columbia is entitled under the terms of confederation. But one of the worst features of the transaction, according to Mr. Wade, lies in the fact that Mr. Lang happens to be a conservative and to have been at one time, president of the Conservative association at Peachland.

The answer to the whole charge is so simple that it is hard to understand how even Mr. Wade, with his well developed faculty for juggling with facts, could have made it. In the first place if Mr. Lang secures these lands he must first deal with the Indians through the liberal government at Ottawa, in other words he must through the medium of the federal authorities buy out the Indians' rights to the property. In addition to what Mr. Lang pays the Indians for the lands he agrees to pay the provincial government $2.50 per acre, or a total of $8120 for its reversionary rights in the property, provided the courts decide that the provinces possesses any such rights to the lands in question. Mr. Lang, therefore, if the dominion government looks after the interests of the Indians, will not secure these lands at anything below their value.

The arrangement into which Mr. Lang has entered in connection with these lands is one that the provincial government will make with anyone, irrespective of politics, in regard to Indian lands. In proof of this it may be said that Mr. Smith Curtis, who ran in Kootenay only a year ago as a liberal candidate, has made a similar arrangement with that government regarding certain Indian lands situated near Kamloops. The only difference is that, instead of the $2.50 which Mr. Lang is paying the province, Mr. Curtis is paying 50 cents per acre.

The policy which is being pursued by the provincial government in regard to Indian lands is one distinctly in the interests of British Columbia. At present the Indians hold 525,000 acres of the very best lands in various parts of the province. In order to secure the settlement of these lands by people who will bring them under cultivation and thus add to the wealth of the province, the government at Victoria is willing to sell its reversionary rights to any of the property in question to any one who will undertake to buy out the rights of the Indians to it through the medium of the Ottawa government. The purchaser is supposed to pay the Indians a fair price for the lands and anything he pays the province is in addition to this.

Were the provincial government able to dispose of its reversionary interests in the 525,000 acres of land held by the Indians in British Columbia at the same price that is being paid by Mr. Lang the treasury would be enriched to the extent of $1,312,500, which would go a very considerable distance in opening up some portions of the country, now in need of it.

The dominion government, it may be said, denies that the province has any right whatever to these lands, and, as a result, action has been taken in the courts to settle the matter, once for all. If the judgment of the privy council is against the province it will get neither the $8120 which Mr. Lang has agreed to pay nor any other sum, in respect to these lands except what it will receive from the Grand Trunk Pacific in respect of the Prince Rupert townsite concerning which there is a hard and fast agreement between the company and the government.

Mr. Wade and Mr. Oliver and the opposition generally take the stand that the province should make no attempt to establish its right to a reversionary interest in these lands but should allow the dominion government to dispose of them as the Indians decrease in numbers for its own benefit. Which is better, that the province secure $2.50 per acre for these lands, as it will receive from Mr. Lang, if the courts decide the province has any right to this property, or that this money should go into the dominion treasury? This is, in brief, the position concerning the Indian lands question for the province's rights in regard to which the McBride government is fighting in the courts.

A SAMPLE STATEMENT

The following statement from the Vancouver Saturday Sunset is being repeated in different forms by liberal speakers in various parts of the country and by opposition papers, among the latter being the Cranbrook Herald, edited by Mr. F. J. Deane, formerly of this city, who certainly should know better:

"For a liability of $23,000,000 Manitoba got 1200 miles of C.N.R., developing new territory. Under the McBride policy, for a liability of $45,000,000 British Columbia is to get only 200 miles of C.N.R. in new territory."

This statement is so manifestly unfair that it is impossible to understand how any self-respecting man or journal would make it. The $23,000,000 liability which Manitoba is represented as having guaranteed represents the face value of the bonds, no interest being taken into consideration, while to work out a liability of $45,000,000 for British Columbia the interest on the bonds for 30 years is added to the principal, the latter being $21,000,000 while no attention is paid to the fact that even if the company should default the government would have as security a first mortgage on the lines in this province, as well as a bond from the Canadian Northern company as a whole to indemnify the province against any such loss.

The mileage figures are also grossly unfair. It only requires a glance at any map of the province to show that more than 200 miles of new railway will be opened by the Canadian Northern line through this province. But the opening up of new territory is not the only consideration in getting another line through to the coast. Another and an important one is the securing of railway competition in the province. In this connection it may be pointed out—and anyone who knows anything of conditions in Manitoba will bear out the statement—the object of the government in the first place was to provide railway competition and in proof of this it is only necessary to refer to the fact that much of the 1200 miles of Canadian Northern lines aided by that province is serving territory also served by the Canadian Pacific railway.

It may also be pointed out that the difference in cost of construction on the prairie and through the mountains is left out of consideration altogether by the Sunset and those who have taken their cue from it. A man does not need to know very much about railway building to know that if $10,000 is a fair guarantee for the construction of a railway line on the prairies $35,000 is a most reasonable one for a line through the mountains of this province.

Altogether the statement quoted above is a fair sample of the attacks being made on the government's railway policy and serves to show the lengths to which those who are opposed have to go in order to find grounds for attacking it.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Wright, without a Crease.

What is it to be, Crease and no railways or Wright and railways?

Mr. E. A. Crease is working hard these days to save his $100 election deposit.

Mr. James H. Schofield's victory in Ymir promises to be one of the most decisive in the whole province.

Fernie needs Mr. W. R. Ross in the legislature during the next four years to continue his good work of the past six.

Mr. Thomas Caven will be able to do much to advance the interests of Cranbrook during the next four years as a member of the legislature.

There will be a total eclipse of the moon on Nov. 27. The total eclipse of Mr. Crease will occur two days earlier, or on the evening of Nov. 25.

Neither Mr. John Oliver nor Mr. F. C. Wade have come through with that $100 which each owes the Kootenay Lake General hospital. Isn't it about time they did?

A vote for Mr. Harry Wright means a vote for premier McBride and his railway policy; a vote for Mr. E. A. Crease means a vote against premier McBride and his railway policy.

There are no "ifs" and "ands" about premier McBride's railway policy. It is clearcut and definite and if he is returned to power it will be carried into effect immediately.

Rossland has so long been represented by a member of the opposition that it is going to try a change this time and will elect a government supporter in the person of W. R. Braden.

Silvery Slocan will again send Mr. William Hunter to the legislature to look after the district's needs, a duty which he has discharged faithfully and well during the past three years.

Mr. Ernest Miller, who undertook the task of redeeming Grand Forks for the government, has every prospect of succeeding in his attempt. He is daily getting pledges of support from liberals, conservatives and independents.

From all parts of Kaslo constituency come assurances of support for Mr. Neil F. Mackay, who is seeking re-election there as a supporter of the McBride government and its progressive railway policy.

The people of Greenwood cannot afford to take any chances in regard to the carrying out of the government's railway policy by electing an opposition member. They owe it to themselves to return Mr. J. R. Jackson.

Hon. W. J. Bowser has offered Mr. John Oliver $1000 if he can show that the government has not an undertaking in black and white from the Grand Trunk Pacific railway company that white labor shall be employed exclusively on the construction of the companys' lines in this province. This is another case of "put up or shut up" for Mr. Oliver.

If Mr. John Oliver and Mr. F. C. Wade were in power at Victoria there would certainly be no trouble over the province's reversionary interest in any Indian lands in British Columbia. Their position is that these belong to the dominion and that the government of this province should not make any claim whatever to any rights in respect to them.

Mr. E. A. Crease's latest appeal for support is on the grounds that in 1896 he was a McCarthyite conservative. It is, however, rather hard to see how this will help him any in the present election.

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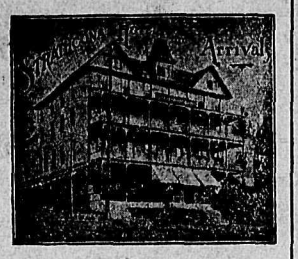

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BARTLETT—J. Jones, Kentville, N.S.; W. Sanford, Regina; E. Spofford, Rossland.

KOOTENAY—E. B. Wisner, Lardo; H. Thomson, R. Wilson.

CLUB—L. Knowles, Kamloops; H. H. Holland, Lloydminster.

At the Theater.

A sensational picture at the Empire theatre this evening is "The Great Jewel Robbery," wherein the innocent, for the time being, suffers for the guilty and goes to penitentiary, but eventually makes a break for liberty and succeeds in fastening the guilt where it belongs. "Sporting Days in the South" is an interesting picture, in two parts, one showing the methods by which game birds are prepared for the Main, and the other "The Making of a Pugilist." "The Pawnbroker" is a dramatic picture. Music will be provided by the Empire orchestra.

Among the pictures, of which there are six, to be shown at the Arcade tonight, special mention is directed to: "The Dog and His Various Merits." This picture is one of real life, bringing into prominence the qualifications of the dog as a wage earner. The Setter in this picture with its accompanying quarry, the sportsman with his gun, the shot, in fact every detail is wonderfully realistic. In "Lighthouse Keepers" a very powerful drama is enacted, distinctly above the usual run. As this plot is worked out the spectator is carried along in breathless expectancy, the end is very tragic, but fortunately one is not alowed to dwell on the scene, as a change to the serio comic takes place quickly, and an extremely funny comedy is introduced in the shape of "Two Gentlemen." It might be mentioned in connection with the scenes portrayed under the above title, that the two gentlemen of the morning stage of the game lose their identity by evening, and the manner in which they accomplish it is of course the feature of the play. The final picture "The Magistrate's Crime," is powerful in its plot, and sensational in the extreme.

It is worth your while to pay a visit to the Gem theatre tonight if only to see the extensive improvements that have been made these last two days. A big stage has been built and a neat and roomy orchestra pit has been sunk in the floor. There is a handsome frame around the curtain and the whole front of the stage has been painted black to increase the brilliancy of the pictures. The theatre is comfortably heated with gas steam radiators. Watch the board for tonight's program and give us a call and tell us how you like it.

The Nelson opera house management wishes to announce to patrons who have secured seats for the performances to be given by the Hertense Nielsen company on Friday and Saturdays evenings and Saturday matinee that all tickets will be good and accepted as per change of dates announced in advertisement. It is regretted that this change had to be made at the eleventh hour. It is necessary as no train reaches Nelson before 10 p.m on the route traversed by the Nielsen company. Nevertheless the change is for the better, as the company will now have plenty of time to arrange the productions and effects in such a manner as will do credit to the plays, and will be doubly welcomed by the theatregoers of Nelson. The Nelisen company come to Nelson after having played all the larger cities east—to capacity houses—and the management feels secure in assuring them of the same rousing and hearty welcome here.

Airship is Wrecked.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—The Briggs-Rice dirigible airship, American Eagle, the largest ever built in the United States, was wrecked at the Morris Park aviation grounds late today, when a northeasterly gale tore away the big tent which sheltered it and tore the 34,000-foot bag. The inventor, his son and one of several workmen in the tent at the time were struck by the falling poles and slightly injured.

SCHOFIELD AT CRESTON

MEETING EXPRESSES CONFIDENCE IN CANDIDATE

SPLENDID EXPOSITION OF RAILWAY POLICY

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, B. C., Nov. 18.—James H. Schofield, accompanied by D. H. Chapman of Trail, arrived here on the noon train yesterday from the west. Mr. R. J. Long, president of the Liberal Conservative association of Creston, had previously received a wire advising him that Mr. Schofield would be in Creston, and a meeting of the voters of Creston and district was called to be held in the Mercantile hall at 8 p. m.

In spite of the somewhat short notice, which did not allow of much preparation, and although a very heavy snowstorm had covered the roads to a depth of eight inches, rendering traveling difficult, the Mercantile hall was well filled with a representative and enthusiastic audience of some 200 voters when Mr. Long took the chair at 8 o'clock.

After a brief introduction in which he stated that seeing Mr. Schofield was so well known among them and was here to speak for himself, that there was no necessity for a speech from him, the chairman called upon Mr. Schofield to address the meeting in explanation of the railway policy of the government, and to give an account of his stewardship during the time he had represented the district in the last session of the provincial house.

Discussing the government's agreement with the Canadian Northern, Mr. Schofield said that as security the province receives a first mortgage on the line of the Canadian Northern from the eastern boundary of the province to Barclay sound. It is said that this guarantee is too much; that it will impair the credit of the province. The province of Manitoba without any natural resources as compared with British Columbia made a guarantee on branch lines to the sum of $15,000,000. The province of Alberta guaranteed on branch lines to the extent of $29,000,000, and other provinces have also made guarantees of a similar nature. The resources of British Columbia in timber, mines and agricultural land are infinitely superior to those of any other province in the Dominion, yet we are told that this province cannot afford to guarantee a paltry $21,000,000 when these other provinces, inferior in financial resources, have successfully guaranteed far larger amounts. "The premier also," said Mr. Schofield, "made the following conditions:

"First—That you will commence the road within three months and complete it within four years.

"Second—That all supplies bought for that railway shall be purchased in British Columbia as far as possible.

"Third—That the rate of wages paid on this work shall be the same as have been paid in similar work in the neighboring portions of the province.

"Fourth—That no Asiatic labor shall be used in the construction of this road.

"Mr. Mann is, I beleve, the first railway man who has not kicked most strenuously against these conditions. He says if I cannot get white men enough to build a railway I will stop building railways altogether. In this instance of insisting upon these fair conditions for the protection of white labor in British Columbia, Premier McBride is only carrying on the policy which he has always adhered to. Premier McBride insisted upon a similar white labor understanding with the G. T. P. railway before agreeing to sell to that company the Indian lands required by them for the townsite of Prince Rupert. I need not tell you that Mr. Wainwright of the G. T. P. only a short time ago stated that he deplored the stand taken by the provincial government. He had work for 20,000 men, whereas he had only got 2,000, and he cannot understand the policy of the McBride government, which by barring out this Asiatic labor is delaying the completion of the road by the appointed time. Mr. McBride told this gentleman he was extremely sorry, but he could not see his way to allow the breaking of the agreement regarding the employment of Asiatics, and that unless this was adhered to the government would retain their reversionary rights in the townsite lands. The proof of the pudding is in the eating, and I simply bring these facts to your notice to show that the McBride government has protected and is still protecting the rights of the white working men in British Columbia. Our opponents say why does not the line run in via Hope, connecting with a line run through from the Kootenay, and make a direct short coast Kootenay railway. One of the reasons is that modern railway builders are looking for the least gradients; the Canadian Northern struck a mean gradient of two-fifths of 1 per cent; the Grand Trunk Pacific has four-fifths of 1 per cent, and the C. P. R. something over 1 per cent, which means that where the Canadian Northern can haul 1,000 tons of freight the G. T. P. can only handle 800 tons and the C. P. R. 400 tons with the same power. This in itself is a feature which proves to me that if the C. P. R. can pay good dividends on its bonds the Canadian Northern, with the grades in its favor, meaning economy in working, should be able to do so.

"In regard to our natural resources and the guarantee of $21,000,000, our critics claim that this will imperil the credit of the province. We, as you are aware, came into power with a provincial debt of $11,000,000. At the present day the debt is $9,000,000. There is now over $4,000,000 in the provincial treasury. Yesterday and today at a land sale in Vancouver of some 600 acres of land the province has been enriched by $3,000,000 more. The remainder of this land at Point Grey will mean another $6,000,000, and we have at Prince Rupert some $10,000,000 more. Gentlemen, from these two groups of land we have sufficient to pay off our debt and to meet our total guarantee for the building of the Canadian Northern railway. Does any intelligent man in the face of these figures think that we cannot afford to lay out this money for the further development of our great provivnce? We have the greatest province in this Dominion. This statement cannot be denied by the strongest enemy of the province or the present provincial government. Thanks to the masterly financial policy of the McBride government, the finances of British Columbia are today in a better condition than ever before in the history of the province, and we can well afford to take a forward step. I do not know that I can tell you anything more about the railways. I think I have given you all the facts.

"The vote on local option will take place in just the same way as the vote for the candidate. There will be different colored ballots and a separate ballot box; and if a majority of the votes cast for the candidates also go in favor of local option, then a local option bill will be put through the house.

"Now, gentlemen, in regard to my course in the house in the last three years: I have endeavored to give an equal measure of justice to every man irrespective of country, residence or creed. I have endeavored to have improvements done to the best advantage for the community. I have yet to have a man tell me that I have broken my pledged word. I have yet to make a vote in the house that I would change. There have been a number of socialistic measures which I did not believe to be in the interests of organized labor. I have voted against these, and I am glad to find that my union supporters uphold me in this. If I secure your votes on this occasion, and I am confident this will be the case, my course in the future will be straightforward as in the past. I must thank the citizens of Creston especially for what they have done for me in the past and I trust that on the 25th day of November you will think that I have tried to do my duty." (Loud and continued applause.)

Mr. Schofield answered several questions put by Mr. Lindley in a convincing manner, to the great satistaction of the audience, and the chairman of the meeting put the resolution of confidence in James H. Schofield and the McBride government, which was carried unanimously. Three cheers and a tiger for James H. Schofield and the McBride government were a fitting close to the largest political gathering ever held in Creston.

Taft Sails for Norfolk.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—President Taft, accompanied by Mrs. Taft and a party of friends, sailed on the yacht Mayflower this afternoon for Norfolk, Va., where he will be the guest of honor at the convention of the Atlantic Deep Waterways association. The president will deliver the principal speech at the convention.

Three Drowned

PORT ARTHUR, Tex., Nov. 18—Three men were drowned here yesterday when a skiff capsized with a party of four men while rowing across the canal basin. The men came from New Orleans. The bodies have not yet been recovered. The fourth man was rescued.

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RURI-DECANAL MEETING

FIRST CONFERENCE OF RURAL DEANERY OF NELSON.

DISTRIBUTION OF OUT-STATIONS IS EFFECTED.

A conference of the rural deanery of Nelson was held yesterday in S. Saviour's parish hall. There were present: Revs. F. H. Graham, Nelson, rural dean; G. Cook, Kaslo; Christopher Reed, Kokanee; F. V. Harrison, New Denver; E. A. StG. Smyth, Trail, and H. W. Simpson, Rossland.

The proceedings were opened with a celebration of Holy Communion in St. Saviour's church at 7.30 a.m., at which Rev. F. H. Graham was celebrant, assisted by Rev. F. V. Harrison. At 9.45 Mating was said by Rev. H. W. Simpson. At 10 o'clock the members adjourned to the parish hall where the rural dean welcomed the attending clergy, expressing particular satisfaction that every parish in the rural deanery was represented, and regretting the absence of Archbishop Beer by reason of sickness, and that of Rev. Thomas Blaylock through an unfortunate accident.

Rev. Christopher Reed was appointed recording secretary and treasurer.

Supervision of the various out-Stations in the rural deanery was allotted as follows: Rev. H. W. Simpson, Rossland to Northport and intersecting points, together with Westley and Deer Park; Rev. E. A. StG. Smyth, Trail to Slocan Junction, together with East and West Robson; Rev. J. V. Harrison, Slocan City to Patrick's mill; Rev. Fred H. Graham, Nelson to Bonnington Falls and intersecting points, Nelson to Waneta and intersecting points, Pend d'Oreile and Willow Point; Rev. Christopher Reed, 9-Mile to Queens Bay and intersecting poins, Kootenay Bay to Crawford Bay, Gray Creek, Boswell and points on lower Kootenay lake; Rev. Gilbert Cook, Ainsworth, Riondel and points on upper Kootenay lake.

Arrangements to canvass subscriptions for the Kootenay bishopric endowment fund were completed. Ven. Archdeacon Beer will canvass Nelson; Rev. Fred H. Graham will canvass Kaslo; Rev. Christopher Reed will canvass New Denver and Slocan City; Rev. E. A. StG. Smyth will canvass Rossland, and Rev. H. W. Simpson will canvass Trail.

Rev. H. W. Simpson introduced as a special subject of discussion, "The Church Catechism as Adapted to Canadian Needs." Mr. Simpson explained the comparatively well known "Method of S. Sulpice," and illustrated its practical application in the work of the church. He suggested certain modifications as advisable, but strongly advocated the adoption of the method as a whole.

A lengthy and interesting discussion followed both upon the particular subject introduced by Mr. Simpson and upon Sunday school work in general.

The next meeting of the rural deanery will be held in Trail on Jan. 26, 1910.

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Wawanesa, Man., Nov. 8, 1909

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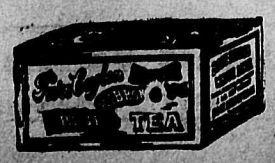

NEWS OF THE DOMINION

OTTAWA, Nov. 18—During the past nine years 504,056 settlers have come from the British colonies, 425,611 from the United States and 47,286 from Russia.

OTTAWA, Nov. 18—The minister of justice today refused to grant a respite in the execution of John Dillon, sentenced to hang at Montreal tomorrow for the murder of constable Shea on April 6,1908.

WINDSOR, Nov. 18 — Mr. Justice Sutherland, ex-M.P. for North Essex, and former speaker of the house of commons, was banquetted by the board of trade last night. His honor expects to remove to Toronto in a few weeks.

COLLINGWOOD, Nov. 18 — James Dand, a farmer and his wife and mother-in-law were burned to death early today in a fire which destroyed their home, a short distance from Collingwood. A fierce gale was blowing at the time and when neighbors discovered the flames it was impossible to save anyone.

OTTAWA, Nov. 18—The trade of the dominion for the month of October totalled $62,417,394, an increase of $525,000 over October of last year. Imports were $31,473,960, an increase of nearly four million dollars. For seven months of the present fiscal year the total trade has been $366,607,482, an increase of $48,400,494. The customs revenue for the period shows an increase of $6,800,000.

OTTAWA, Nov. 18—The defence bill is likely to be introduced in the commons within the next ten days but the main discussion will go over until after the Christmas holidays in order to give members an opportunity to consult their constituents on the subject so that when parliament resumes a better idea of the sentiment of the country will have been ascertained and parliament will be in a better position to judge the merits of the bill. The budget will be brought down early in December and it is expected that it will be disposed of so that the deck may be cleared for the naval debate.

DEMANDS EVACUATION

Chinese Delegates Decline to Recognize Claims of Portugal

LISBON, Nov. 18—The Secuto today says that the Chinese delegates to the Hongkong conference having refused Portugal's claim in Macao or to submit the question to arbitration, Portugal with the support of Great Britain has opened pour parlers direct with China for the maintenance of the status quo Macao, in China, is situated on an island of the same name at the mouth of the Canton river and forms, with the two small adjacent islands of Taipa and Coloan, a province, the city being divided into wards, inhabited only by Chinese, each having its own administration. China holds that the dependencies of the city of Macao have been occupied illegally by the Portuguese for some years and that the only concession of territory ever made to Portugal was the town of Macao and she insists that the territory and islands be exacuated by Portugal.

YACHT MISSING

Fears for Safety of John Jacob Astor and His Son

NEW YORK, Nov. 18—Fear that Col. John Jacob Astor's yacht Nourmahal with he and his son Vincent aboard, may have been disabled in the West Indian hurricane last week, was further increased today by the failure of the various vessels known to be seeking the whereabouts of the missing vessel to report her. Neither at the New York maritime exchange nor at the headquarters of the United Wireless company, which had sent out a general inquiry for the Astor yacht yesterday, had any word calculated to allay the anxiety of Col Astor's friends been received.

The Nourmahal is believed to have left Kingston, Jamaica in the interval between Nov. 5 and 10 principally for Porto Rico.

Baseball Fans' Opportunity

CHICAGO, Nov. 18—Desiring to improve the game of baseball, president Murphy of the Chicago Nationals yesterday invited correspondence with enthusiasts who see some phase in the sport that can undergo betterment. According to president Murphy there may be a number of departments wherein improvement can be accomplished and he is eager to give the folks not officially identified with rule making opportunities to remodel the regulations that now may appear outgrown. "That is the reason I am going to advocate a school of correspondence," said Murphy. "There are scores of angles that might stand overhauling."

No Monroe Doctrine for Canada

LONDON, Nov. 18 — Sir William White who recently returned from Canada, in speaking on the subject of the imperial navy said it was recognized generally by Canadians that in future the navy must be a common possession of all parts of the empire. With regard to the Monroe doctrine his deep conviction was that the strong national feeling in the dominion revolted from any policy involving dependence upon the United States. Loyalty to the empire was deep seated in Canadian hearts.

Sailors' Desperate Experiences

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18—After being forced to abandon their ship which ran aground on the coast of Jamaica and after living for three days on the deserted shore during the height of the recent West Indian storm, the crew of the freight steamer Avalon which is a total wreck on the sands of Buff bay, Jamaica, came to this port on the Salvatore di Giorgio today. In spite of their trying experiences they are getting along very well.

Many school children suffer from constipation, which is often the cause of seeming stupidity at lessons. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are an ideal medicine to give a child, for they are mild and gentle in their effect, and will cure even chronic constipation. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

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FROM LIVERPOOL		From MONTREAL AND QUEBEC
ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE.		
Oct. 27	Lake Champlain	Nov. 13
Nov. 3	Lake Erie	Nov. 20
LIVERPOOL AND ST. JOHN.		
Nov. 12	Chartered steamer	Nov. 26
Nov. 19	Empress of Britain	Dec. 3
Nov. 24	Lake Manitoba	Dec. 11
Dec. 10	Chartered steamer	Dec. 24
Dec. 17 .	Corsican (chartered) .	Dec. 31
Dec. 24	Chartered steamer	Jan. 7
Dec. 31	Empress of Ireland	Jan. 14
Jan. 7	Chartered steamer	Jan. 21
Jan. 14	Corsican (chartered	Jan. 28
Jan. 21	Chartered steamer	Feb. 4
Jan. 28	Empress of Britain	Feb. 11
Feb. 4	Chartered steamer	Feb. 18
Feb. 11	Empress of Ireland	Feb. 25
Feb. 18	Chartered steamer ...	March 4
Feb. 25 ..	Empress of Britain ..	March 11
March 3	Lake Champlain	March 19
March 11 ..	Empress of Ireland ..	March 25
March 16	Lake Manitoba	April 2
March 25 ..	Empress of Britain ...	April 8
March 30	Lake Erie	April 16
April 8 ...	Empress of Ireland ...	April 22
April 13	Lake Champlain	April 30
April 22	Empress of Britain	May 6

To Provincial Electors.

Notice is hereby given for the information of voters, that the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has determined that the holding of a General Election offers a favorable opportunity to obtain the views of the Electors on the question of Local Option.

For such purpose a vote will be taken on the 25th of November instant, at the same time as the vote for the election of candidates to the Legislative Assembly.

HENRY ESSON YOUNG.
Provincial Secretary.
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Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October,
JAMES B. BREMNER.
1909. 19-10-09-4

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Erie, this 19th day of October,
JAMES J. HICKEY.
1909. 19-10-09-4

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Erie, B. C., this 28th day of October, 1909.
2910-09-4w. JAMES R. HUNNEX.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October,
EDITH E. GILLE.
1909. 19-10-09-4

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October,
SAMUEL MILLER.
1909. 19-10-09-4

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

WILLIAM GRAY.
Dated at Salmo, B. C., this 19th day of October, 1909. 20-10-09-4w.

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

Application for Liquor License

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

Dated at Ymir this 19th day of October, 1909.
E-10-09-4w. GEORGE S. COLEMAN.

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J. W. Bennett, Box 674, Nelson.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

Dated at Salmo this 19th days of October,
E. E. McARTHUR.
1909. 19-10-09-4

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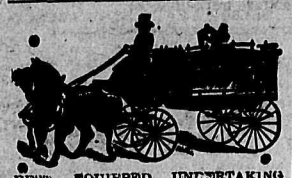

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GILBERT T. SNOW.
Dated Oct. 15, 1909. 15-10-09-4w.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

FDED ADIE,
Dated Oct. 20, 1909. 22-10-09-4w.

Notice of Application for Renewal of Liquor License

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

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

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

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

Dated Oct, 2, 1909.
6-11-09-4w. PETER LABRASH.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

The High School Literary school will meet at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon.

P. Alfred Peterson, Scandinavian Baptist missionary, was in Nelson yesterday, en route to Rossland. He has recently visited Fernie, Moyie and Jaffray.

A meeting under the auspices of the Socialist party will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the Hume school, Fairview, in the interests of Alex. M. Oliver, Socialist candidate for Ymir.

The police commission will meet at 10.30 o'clock this morning to inquire into the charges preferred against Chief Young and Constable Reid, of the city police force, by Carlyle McPherson, a prisoner out on ticket-of-leave.

Some gravelling was done on High street, Fairview, last week, and a couple of places near the Hume school were give sidewalk. The government gang later gravelled a portion of Stanley street extension, and was grading Falls street extension, toward the cemetery, when the snow stopped operations.

FAMOUS FRUIT RANCH.

Sunnyside Ranch at Creston Good Example of Successful Fruit Growing.

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, Nov. 18.—One of the many drawing cards in the form of fruit ranches at Creston is "Sunnyside Ranch," owned by Simmons and son. It lies just four miles west of Creston and is a block of fruit bearing land of 160 acres. A portion of this property has been planted in fruit and 150 trees are now bearing. With Messrs. Simmons and son the Northern Spy is the favorite, which takes some eight years to develop. The Gravenstein as well as the Snow and the Yellow Transparent, which latter is an early apple, also do exceedingly well at "Sunnyside Ranch." Besides apples Messrs Simmons and son have the Bartlett pears growing in great profusion, also plums of various kinds, including the Niagara, which plum carried off the prize at the fruit exhibit recently held at Creston on Labor day last September. On the "Sunnyside Ranch" it is no uncommon thing to see as many as two boxes of apples taken from a tree only six years old, while six-year old plum trees yield as much as six boxes to the tree. Irwin Simmons, the junior member of this firm says that grapes will grow and mature at "Sunnyside Ranch." This fruit land owned by Messrs. Simmons and son is indeed on of the very big attractions of the Creston district.

The enterprising proprietors of the Creston hotel, Messrs. Moran & Mead, have this week built a wide sidewalk to connect the two sides of Fourth street, just at the station platform. This is a great improvement and a convenience to the general public.

Charles Bruner, an uncle of A. B. Attwood, the local fruit grower, arrived last week from Pennsylvania and has accepted a position with C. O. Rodgers as millwright during the installation of the Rodgers sawmill at Canyon City.

There will be a meeting of the Socialists in Creston on Saturday evening next. It is stated on authority that there are not half a dozen Socialists in Creston.

METALS

New York, Nov. 18.—Silver, 50⅝; Standard Copper, 13¼ to 13⅜; quiet.
London, Nov. 18—Silver, 23 5-16; Lead, £13 2s 6d.

SEQUEL OF SYMPATHY

THREE YOUNG BLOODS COMMIT SORDID CRIME.

SINCE DISCHARGE TWO AGAIN IN THE TOILS.

Things are not always what they seem, and many a story of sympathy extended to the man who seems the under dog, has its sequel, and not always on the lines most looked for.

On Oct. 4, 1907, a farmer came into Nelson intending to go to the Boundary, where his son lay grievously ill. While sitting in the Great Northern train that was about to leave, he was accosted by a young fellow who told him of a hard plight he was in, the body of his brother being at the station in its coffin, while he was unable to buy the necessary tickets through the ticket agent's refusal of accommodation. The up-shot of the matter was that the sympathetic farmer parted with a considerable sum of money, as a temporary loan to the bereaved Smart Aleck, who was one of a gang of three, another personating the ticket agent.

The train drew out of the station, and the young man was not aboard. The farmer got off at the mountain station, and notified the police, and an hour later Messrs. Johnson, Hatch and Adams were arrested by Chief Pitchford while in the act of spending the farmer's money. The precious trio were convicted and sent up for a year.

At the time much sympathy was wasted over Johnson and Hatch, the former claiming to be the support of a widowed mother while the father of Hatch appeared upon the scene and did all in his power to get his boy off. They both made emphatic promises to reform, on getting out, Hatch, in particular, seeming anxious to break away from the path of evil.

Hatch got into the limelight as soon as he got to Spokane, being arrested and committed to gaol for pevious offence. Johnson, according to papers just received, is No. 2420 in the state prison at St. Cloud, Minn., where he is serving a sentence for grand larceny.

Adams, the only one of the three who made no plea for mercy on account of his youth or parents, so far as known has not since offended.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Sale of Work

Under the auspices of the Catholic Ladies' Aid, a sale of work will be held for the benefit of St. Joseph's school, on the 22nd and 23rd of November, in the Eagles' hall.

Besides a number of beautiful and attractive articles, most of them suitable for Xmas gifts, meals will be served as follows: Lunch from 12 to 2 p.m.; tea from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.; dinner from 6 to 8 p.m. A choice turkey dinner will be served on Monday evening.

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

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NEWS FROM CRESTON.

Several Orchards Sold—Big Ball in Prospect—Dramatic Club's Play.

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, Nov. 18.—Creston appears to be in the throes of a fruit land sale epidemic. Several deals for 10 and 20-acre lots have been made here the past week, but probably the most important was when Henry Hamilton sold his plot of 62 acres the other day to Dr. A. H. Pearce who represents the McLeod River Townsite company of Edmonton. The price paid for this land was $78 per acre and it is understood that the new owners will at once start to improve the land and plant the entire plot in fruit trees. Mr. Hamilton has been known in Creston for years as the man who grew the "Big Red Apples."

The first dancing class given by Andrew Miller at the Creston auditorium on Tuesday evening last was an unqualified success, and Mr. Miller is so encouraged by the manner in which the public have patronized his class that he has acceded to the many requests to give a ball, and there will, therefore, be a grand ball under the auspices of the Creston Dancing club in the Creston auditorium on Wednesday next, the 24th inst. At this ball ladies will be free, but the fair sex are requested to bring cakes, while gentlemen's tickets will be $1.

There was a meeting of the Creston Dramatic club held last Tuesday evening, when it was decided to put on a play in the immediate future entitled "The Squaw Man," which will be presented before Christmas.

C. J. Stevens, a local rancher, has been awarded a contract to cut one million feet of saw logs for C. O. Rodgers' sawmill at Creston. Mr. Stevens will start on the contract at once which will occupy at least two and a half months' time to complete. These logs will be cut on Goat mountain where abundance of good timber can be obtained.

Creston is today getting the first snow of the season and from present appearances there will be several inches of "the beautiful."

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BONI WANTS DIVORCE.

Is Seeking Annulment of Marriage With Anna Gould.

PARIS, Nov. 18.—It is stated here today that Count Boni de Castellane has been in Rome for the past two weeks trying to arrange for the papal annulment of his marriage with Anna Gould, now the Princess de Sagen. The dean of ecclesiastical advocates, Puccelli, is acting as the count's intermediary with the Vatican authorities, it is said, and negotiations are proceeding in strict secrecy.

The report which reached Paris through a private source said to be reliable has created the keenest interest within the limited circle to which it has penetrated, and it is assumed that the count would not seek a final dissolution of the tie with his former wife, whom he has pursued relentlessly, unless he had new prospects in view, or, in other words, proposed to marry again.

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

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Saturday Night—Magda.
Monday Night—A Doll's House.
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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Rev. R. Newton Powell returned home last night on the Crow boat.

A Liberal rally will take place tonight at the Liberal committee rooms.

Born, on Nov. 16, to the wife of W. Carbeck, Granite road, a daughter.

The election committee room of the local option league has not yet been opened.

Mrs. Ronald Brown will receive this afternoon and in future on the third Friday of each month.

The snow turned to rain yesterday afternoon, with the result that there is a deep slush underfoot.

Nelson L.O.L. No. 1692 will meet in the K. of P. hall this evening at 8 o'clock, a full attendance being requested.

Rev. John G. Gibson, Methodist missionary, will preach at Willow Point Sunday, Nov. 21. Service will be held at 7.30 p.m.

F. W. Walker, acting divisional superintendent of the C.P.R., left last night for Rossland, with the intention of returning today.

Final preparations are being made for the sale of work to be given in Eagle hall on Nov. 22 and 23, in aid of St. Joseph's school.

It is expected that Mr. C. E. Miller of Willow Point, who came to the Home hospital with a bad cold some days ago, will be able to leave for home next week.

Stephen Walley, the East Robson rancher who was injured some days ago by the explosion of a bag of gunpowder and was taken to the Home hospital, is doing well.

The members of St. Paul's Presbyterian church choir are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. Rason, 710 Hall street, tonight at 8 o'clock, for the weekly practice.

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MEETING AT BURTON

WILLIAM HUNTER SPEAKS TO ROUSING GATHERING.

WHITE GOVERNMENT FOR A WHITE GOVERNMENT.

(Special to The Daily News.)

BURTON, B. C., Nov. 18.—William Hunter held a rousing meeting at this place, which was very largely attended. The chair was taken by Mr. Arthur Benton, who introduced Mr. Hunter in an appropriate speech, Mr. Hunter dealt with the railway policy of the government and pointed out that the life of the conservative administration extended into the year 1911, but that the premier, having enunciated a policy of railway development for the whole interior of the province, sought the ratification of this policy by the electors. The speaker then went on to deal seriatim with the advantages of railways to the province in the providing of ready markets and reduction of rates, and the interest manifested in a short and direct road to the coast from Kootenay and Okanagan. "The road," said the speaker, "is to be built by the C. N. R. without the outlay of a single dollar by the province. The assistance offered the Kettle Valley railway was the faithful discharge by the country of its obligation through former governments to the company, and carried with it the provision that all the debts and liabilities of such company be discharged by it, and as compared with the guarantee of bonds given by the adjoining provinces, we are now getting a good business proposition, entered into in a statesmanlike and business like way by the best government that ever administered the affairs of the richest province in this Dominion."

Mr. Hunter was followed closely as he pointed out that in a white province a white government has decreed that none but white laborers would be engaged in the construction of railways or the carrying out of the public works undertaken. He said: "I am not making pre-election pledges, gentlemen, and the pledges I have given you in former years have been fulfilled. I have made good," declared the speaker amid rounds of applause. "I have been counted to have expended more money in this constituency than I should by my opponents, but I am correct in saying, I think that if the appropriation in the Slocan riding were doubled or trebled we should still find room to use a little public money in development to keep abreast of the advancing era of prosperity that is now upon us. To whom rightly belongs the state of prosperity we enjoy?" (Yells of "The conservative government.")

"Gentlemen, when the province took over the administration of the affairs of this western province, its assets were small, its credit gone, and a veritable state of bankruptcy existed. After six years of conservative rule we are now compelled to build railroads and wagon roads to bring in some of the settlers that are flooding over our boundaries, and to carry our farm and garden products to ready markets. I have in the field with me two very estimable aspirants for this seat, and while one is the representative of the independent party of British Columbia, the other is Mr. Bennett, who is the standard bearer of the socialist party of Canada. For Mr. Harris, the independent candidate, who is present, I bespeak a patient hearing, and I cannot resume my seat before stating in his presence that if the plebiscite carries throughout the province on the 25th of November, and a measure is brought down in parliament providing for local option in the sale of liquor, I will vote for such measure if I am returned as your member for this constituency."

J. C. Harris then commenced a eulogy of Mr. Hunter as a man and a citizen, but said he shifted ground when asked to support local option. Mr. Harris considered the system of local license commissioners a failure, but he said Mr. Bowser was the dictator of all license business, the arbiter from whom there was no appeal. Many of the police did not keep a firm check on the hotelkeepers and the trade generally, while all the police were not bad, and there were some exceptions. He said he believed in now remitting the taxes to mines that did not pay to work, and in a telephone service. He believed in government owned railways and said if he was returned to parliament he would be the balance of power in the case of a tie, and while an unscrupulous person might then be tempted to make gain in such a contingency, he, Mr. Harris, would spurn the thought and would demand the right for his district, and that only.

The meeting closed with three cheers for William Hunter.

away. The deceased lady was 73 years of age. Another daughter, residing in Nelson, is Mrs. J. W. Holmes. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Walley paid a lengthy visit to Nelson about a year ago, visiting their children, and making many friends here. Mrs. Walley is survived also by her husband.

Lieut.-Col. J. F. Southall of Toronto, of the headquarters staff of the Salvation Army in Canada, lectured at the Salvation Army barracks last evening on the subject, "At Midnight on the Thames Embankment."

A rally of the friends and supporters of Harry Wright will be held in the rooms of the Young Conservative club, K.W.C. block, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, at which W. A. Macdonald of Vancouver, Mr. Wright and others will speak. A public meeting in Mr. Wright's interests will be held tomorrow evening, at which the speakers will be Mr. Wright, J. H. Barnard, M.P. for Victoria, and Neil F. Mackay, and James Schofield, who represented Kaslo and Ymir in the last legislature, respectively.

Lucky Purchase.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Daniel Klein and Joseph Boot, Albany merchants, yesterday purchased jointly for $2.75 an old trunk at an auction sale of effects of murderers, suicides and victims of accidents, and found it contained 50 bonds of a French traction line. They received word today that the bonds were believed to be worth $95, with accrued interest from 1903.

All Are Re-elected.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 17—Presiden Charles J. Bonapart of Baltimore, and all the other officers of the National Municipal league, were re-elected today.

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