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LEGISLATURES TO ELECT SENATORS

Premier Suggests Scheme for Reform of Senate

WILL CONSULT WITH OPPOSITION

Commons Busy on Last Private Members' Day of Session

OTTAWA, Feb. 27—The house of commons today gave an exhibition of the celerity with which it can do business when the members are really anxious to dispose of it. It was the last private members day of the session and a determined effort was made to dispose of as many resolutions as possible with the object of reducing the "slaughter of the innocents" to as low a level as possible. The result was a clearing of the order paper of a number of the most important remaining items of business which were the particular hobbies of private members and which caused several debates.

The first resolution debated was one moved by M. Y. McLean, calling for a reform of the senate, which would make it an elective house. The proposal did not receive much support but the premier announced that he would be glad to consider a plan which would give the provinces the right to elect a number of the members of the senate.

The most prolonged debate was on the motion of Major Beattie declaring that wherever a foreign flag is flown in Canada there should also be hoisted a British flag. The government was not willing to accept the resolution in the form in which it was drafted and Major Beattie was asked to withdraw it in order that the matter might be considered. This he declined to do and thereupon M. T. Macdonald moved the adjournment of the debate. The motion to adjourn was carried by a vote of 89 to 49.

A motion by A. S. Meighen, calling for information in respect to mergers was accepted by the government and several other resolutions were disposed of in various ways before the house arose.

Houghton Lennox read an article from the London Morning Post stating that although other British colonies had made suggestions for the imperial conference Canada had not done so. He asked the premier to say why this was the case. Sir Wilfrid Laurier contented himself with saying that it was true that Canada had not any proposals for consideration at the conference.

Replying to Mr. Wilson, of Lennox, Hon. Frank Oliver said that during the last fiscal year the immigration department had spent $232,547 for immigration purposes in the United States. During the same period the amount expended in Great Britain was $245,597.

Senate Elective

A debate as to the desirability of making the senate an elective body was initiated by M. Y. McLean, Huron, who moved that "in the opinion of the house the Dominion senate as at present constituted, is not in accordance with the representative institutions of this country and the government should take necessary proceedings to have the senate made representative of and directly responsible to the people."

Mr. McLean then proceeded to outline his proposals for an elective senate which he said would be more responsive to the will of the people and a more effective guarantee of the rights of minorities than the existing body.

Three Classes of Senators

The existing senate, he said, as a preliminary, consists of three classes of senators: First, those who value their seats as a respectable refuge where they may spend their declining years at the expense of the country; second, those who value them for social position and for the facilities it affords them of advancing their personal and business schemes; third, those who give freely of their time and their long experience for the benefit of the country. An elective senate, said Mr. McLean would result in the abolition of the first two classes. Mr. McLean went on to say that Canada should be divided into senatorial divisions, each division covering several commons electoral constituencies.

Compulsory Balloting

For a period of seven or ten years the electoral qualifications he thought should differ somewhat from that pertaining to the commons. Electors should have a small property qualification, should be able to read and write and should be compelled to go to the polls and deposit a ballot even if it were a blank ballot. Any elector who failed to do this without a good reason should be deprived of a vote at the next election. Still another suggestion was that personal canvassing by candidates should be prohibited. Mr. McLean had also a proposal to make in regard to veto power of the upper house and it was that any bill passed on three successive occasions by the commons should become law no matter what the upper house might think of it.

Major Beatty of London, said he could not approve of the plan suggested by the member for Huron. He believed in some measure of reform, however. Senators should not be appointed for more than 10 or 12 years and should retire at the age of 80.

Houghton Lennox said it was a fashion amongst some people to decry the senate and that the upper house was as a consequence unduly criticized. If the present senate was not what it should be the chief fault must rest with the prime minister who had been responsible for a great majority of the appointments. Mr. Lennox rather indicated that he would be glad to see the senate throw out the reciprocity agreement and remarked in this connection that he would like to see the senate stand for what he believed to be the interests of the Dominion.

Premier Proposes Plan

In closing the discussion Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Lennox would no doubt be satisfied if he were to appoint nothing but Conservatives to the upper house. While all appointments may not have been perfect he had, he said,

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PAARDEBURG DAY IS CELEBRATED

Highly Successful Concert Held in the Armory Last Night—Splendid Program Provided

Hilarity reigned in the armory last night when the members of the 102nd regiment, R.M.R., held their annual Paardeburg smoker. For over four hours songs, instrumental selections, boxing bouts and other attractions kept the large crowd present continually applauding. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The program was introduced by the chairman, Major Lorne Stewart, who in a few well chosen words, reminded his audience of the great victory at Paardeburg in which the Canadian forces took such a prominent part, during the Boer war and said that the annual smoker in Nelson was not to celebrate a victory over citizens of another part of the great British empire but rather to keep green the memory of an occasion when Canadians so nobly did their duty. The gathering sang Rule Britannia and the regular program which included songs by W. Cutler, E. Mason, James Thomson, R. G. Fraser, H. Gardner, E. Lupton, Mr. Cornish and a large number of others, then commenced.

One of the most pleasing items of the long program was a step dance by E. Mason while the boxing bout between E. Robinson and Joe Holland proved a real treat for boxing fans. No decision was given but after the match Holland issued a challenge to meet any one present for a three round go.

A comic boxing match between Pat Muldoon and Joe Bush, better known as George King and Gordon Hollington, provided one of the funniest events of the concert, while a similar affair on roller skates between Messrs. Epperson and Gilmour also provided plenty of entertainment. Another glove event was between Messrs. Wilson and Gordon Beeston. A fine old patriotic song was also rendered by C. Sutcliffe, himself an old veteran.

CHINAMAN THOUGHT TO BE DEMENTED

Frightens Ranchers by Extraordinary Behavior With Loaded Rifle and Axe—To be Examined

After scaring greatly the residents of the north shore of the west arm in the vicinity opposite the shipyards by his strange behavior and by travelling around at night armed with a cocked and loaded rifle and a fearsome looking double bitted axe, a Chinaman named Long Sing was yesterday sent up for medical examination as to his sanity by William Irvine, stipendiary magistrate.

Long Sing has been employed by W. E. Wasson at the latters' ranch for some time and lately has given rise to the belief that he is insane. Frequently, it is said, he would appear to be under the influence of fear and to believe that he was being followed by some enemies who were determined to take his life. On one occasion he entered the residence of a rancher, and equipped with the loaded rifle and axe, crept under a bed in one of the rooms.

Information was given to the provincial police on Sunday and J. D. Wightman, provincial constable, investigated. He found that Long Sing was away from home having apparently fled once again from his imaginary pursuers. Finally the constable found him securely locked in the basement of a residence. He had crawled in there and had been locked up by the owner of the house. At the time he was arrested he carried the huge axe.

In the court yesterday he again displayed the belief that he is being dogged by enemies.

OPTION TAKEN ON KASLO AND SLOCAN

W. E. Zwicky Tells of Latest Development.

NEW TRAMWAY FOR RAMBLER-CARIBOO

Directors Decide to Move Mill and Thereby Effect Big Economy.

That an option has been taken on the K. & S. railway by a syndicate of Kaslo capitalists and that arrangements are in progress for proceeding with the reoperation of the much-discussed line was the information received yesterday by W. E. Zwicky, manager of the Rambler-Cariboo mine. It was contained in a telegram sent to Kaslo by a well known Slocan mining man at present at the coast.

Mr. Zwicky reached the city last night from Spokane, where he has been conferring with the president and directors of the Rambler-Cariboo concerning plans for the operation of the property during the coming spring and summer. He stated that while he was unable to speak definitely pending further information regarding the plans of the syndicate taking the option on the railway line from the Great Northern, he felt confident that it indicated that it would not be very long before the mines of the Whitewater district were again supplied with adequate transportation facilities.

Tramway to be Built.

Concerning the Rambler-Cariboo Mr. Zwicky stated that it had been decided to move the mill from its present location at the 300 foot level to a new site which will in all probability be on the 1400 foot level. This will involve the construction of a tramway about 6000 feet in length. If the K. & S. is placed in operation as is expected it will be possible to run the ore down directly from the tunnels to the track and if, on the other hand, it is necessary to ship by wagon road to Three Forks the distance will be lessened from six and half miles to about three miles, thus effecting a great economy in the operation of the property.

Although it was on the 1050 foot level that the important strike of ore, which in the width of the vein and the values, was in every way equal to that in the upper workings, was made a great deal of work has been done on the lowest of the tunnels. This 1400 foot level is that upon which the biggest and longest tunnel in the mine has been driven. It is estimated that it will have to go 4500 feet to hit the main vein. A large amount of work has already been done but actual ore has not yet been reached.

During the coming summer it is proposed to further develop the 1200, 1300 and 1400 foot levels while the development of the 800, 900 and 1050 foot levels will be proceeded with. At present ore is being taken out of the 800 and 1050 foot levels from the development operations but no stoping has yet been done.

DASHES INTO TRAIN CAUSES INTENSE EXCITEMENT

Sixty Passengers Have Narrow Escape From Death in Ontario Railway Collision.

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 27—Sixty passengers had a narrow escape from death in a railway accident at noon today at the overhead bridge diamond near Davis' tannery, when the Grand Trunk suburban train collided with the Kingston and Pembroke express. The latter was on time and had the right of way at the diamond The engine had cleared the diamond when the suburban crashed into the rear passenger coach scaring the majority of the passengers. The coach turned over on its side but all the occupants managed to get out safely. One side of the coach was smashed in, while the cylinder of the engine was also damaged. The passengers in the smoker went to the assistance of the imprisoned ones and there was great excitement until it was found that none were missing.

TO ELECT SENATORS BY VOTE OF PEOPLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27—Several speeches were made in the senate today upon the resolution calling for the election of senators by direct vote of the people. Tomorrow the resolution will be put to a vote and the speeches on the eve of the day that will determin its fate were heard by the senate with a greater interest than has been manifested in the subject heretofore.

ENDORSES RECIPROCITY

CALGARY, Alta., Feb. 27—The Calgary board of trade this afternoon after a debate of two hours by a vote of 26 to 10 endorsed the reciprocity agreement.

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Coupon No. 2

This coupon, with one from each of the other issues of The Daily News of the week ending, March 4, and 10 cents entitles the holder to a photogravure reproduction of Fred Morgan's picture, entitled "London Bridge is Falling Down." Coupons and money should be presented at The Daily News office any time after Sunday next. If pictures are to be mailed, 5 cents must be added to cover postage. "La Cegale" may also be secured on these coupons.

NIGHT SCHOOL OPENS TOMORROW

School Board Appoints Messrs. Seaman and Hoadley as Teachers—Salary and Subjects Fixed.

At a special meeting of the school board held in the secretary's office last night it was decided to open the night school tomorrow and A. W. Seaman and W. E. Hoardley, the only applicants for the positions of teachers, were appointed to take charge of the courses. Both are members of the staff of the day schools. Their salary will be $3 per night and Messrs. Seaman and Hoadley will teach on alternative evenings. The courses are to commence at 7.30 each evening, will continue until 9.30 and will be held on four nights of each week. The subjects to be taught are reading, writing, letter writing, arithmetic and spelling while drawing and bookkeeping will probably be taken up later. The meeting was short and harmonious. Those present were: William Irvine, chairman; Dr. E. C. Arthur, secretary; R. G. Joy, and Dr. Annie Verth Jones.

Dr. Arthur stated that in reply to an advertisement inserted in the press he had received two applications for the position of teacher at the night school. They were from A. W. Seaman and W. E. Hoadley, both members of the present staff. The salary which had been mentioned was $3 per night and he thought that both would accept that figure. In Vancouver they were paying $3.50 per night, having raised the salary from $2.50 by easy stages.

Dr. Jones pointed out that under the act teachers at day schools were allowed to teach on not more than four nights per week at night schools, and Dr. Arthur said that the idea was to divide the nights equally between the two teachers. Dr. Jones thought that this was a very good idea. A discussion as to whether the school should be held on four or five nights a week resulted in a decision to hold it only four nights, with the two teachers taking alternate evenings.

Dr. Jones suggested that either Mr. Seaman or Mr. Hoadley should be made responsible for the conduct of the classes. Mr. Irvine pointed out that Mr. Seaman held the senior position as he was teaching under a first class certificate while Mr. Hoadley was acting under a permit. Mr. Joy thought that the teachers would be willing to work together.

Mr. Joy moved and Dr. Arthur seconded that Messrs. Seaman and Joy be appointed at a salary of $3 per night; and that the school be held on four nights a week, commencing tomorrow evening at 7.30.

Dr. Jones—That will mean $12 per week for the city.

Dr. Arthur—No, two-thirds of $12 is $8. This is paid by the provincial government. The remaining one-third is paid by the city.

Dr. Jones—That's right. It means $16 a month for the city.

The principal's room will be used for the school. Dr. Arthur mentioned that it was the custom for text books to be provided for the pupils and said that he thought it would be necessary to send down to the coast for sufficient to supply the 20 scholars who had made application.

He reported that arrangements had been made for lighting the room. Dr. Jones raised the heating question but the other members of the board thought that as the room was directly over the furnace that it would not be necessary to make any special provision for this purpose. Dr. Jones also asked if it would be necessary to pay the janitor any more and Dr. Arthur replied that it would not. The room could be cleaned up by that official after the school was over, he said.

LEAVES TO ATTEND AMALGAMATED SUIT

For the purpose of attending the mining action Brown vs. Williams, Meredith and the Amalgamated Gold Mines of Sheep Creek, which is to be heard this week at Vancouver, Thomas Brown, the well known Nelson mining man, leaves this morning for the coast. He is the plaintiff in the case and is represented by W. A. Macdonald, K.C., while S. S. Taylor, K.C., is counsel for the defence.

Mr. Brown is suing for shares representing his interest in the Amalgamated Gold Mines, a company which was organized to operate a number of Sheep creek properties last year. Mr. Brown is associated in the action with George Neelands of Nelson who is at present at the coast.

CITY ORDERS NEW COUPLING

If Trouble Not Rectified Expert Next

DR. ROBINSON FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD

Council Appeals to the Attorney-General—Invoices Wanted

The school board having declined to supply the city council with invoices when issuing warrants on the city treasurer, the council last night decided to pay no school board accounts in future until such invoices are furnished. The council will look to the firms presenting the warrants, to furnish the invoices. In addition to this step, the council also decided to write the attorney-general for a ruling in the dispute with the school board over the two matters of estimates and outstanding accounts of 1910. This latter action was taken after the opinion of the deputy minister of education was read, this opinion, as far as it went, being in favor of the school board.

The other important matter was the report on the second power unit. The two sections of the shaft have been found to be true, but the coupling has been found not to be true. The city electrician, R. A. Brown, and the representative of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, E. M. Breed, have disagreed as to whether the amount of this variation is sufficient to account for the deviation of the shaft in action, and it has been decided to have a new coupling. In the event of the trouble not being located by that means, an expert will be procured from Montreal.

Those present at the sitting were Mayor Selous, and Aldermen Hume, Gilker and Stark.

The essence of the controversy with the school board is covered in three letters, two written by E. K. Beeston, city auditor, and one by Alexander Robinson, deputy minister of education.

Auditor to Minister.

Under date of Nelson, Feb. 11, Mr. Beeston wrote Hon. H. E. Young, minister of education, as follows:

"Sir—I have the honor to submit for your information a copy of a letter addressed by me to the mayor of the city of Nelson, as a consequence of a request made upon me as city auditor. The letter, I trust, is sufficiently self-explanatory, but I may briefly state that the school board of this city left unpaid at the close of the year 1910, accounts amounting to $1218.16, which the board now asks shall be paid out of the estimates for 1911. The appropriation for the year 1910 was $23,500, the amount actually expended being $23,470.99, leaving only a balance of $29.01 to meet the above mentioned accounts amounting to $1218.16. The city treasurer now refuses to pay the vouchers for the accounts incurred in 1910, as a consequence of the city solicitor's opinion, and of my letter which was read before the meeting of the council last evening. At this meeting the suggestion made by me was adopted, and I have been directed to submit the matter to you, in the hope that you will be good enough to advise me as to whether it is justifiable to refuse payment of the vouchers in question, and if so, what further action should be taken.

"I may also mention that the situation is further complicated by the fact that the school board has made a demand upon the city council for $30,000 for year 1911, while the council refuses to grant more than $21,654.70, the amount which it can raise under section 40 of the School act 1906 at 5 mills on the dollar including the provincial grant for school purposes.

"I should be glad to be advised if possible as to whether, in the event of the council and the school board not coming to an agreement, the city treasurer would be justified in refusing to pay any amounts in excess of the sum appropriated by the city for the current year, and if the city treasurer were to pay such sums, whether I, as auditor, should be justified in refusing to pass such vouchers, and in this case, upon whom the responsibility would fall.

"The matter is one of some importance inasmuch as if the school board can carry forward unpaid accounts, the city treasurer has nothing before him to define the limits of payments that he can make. At the same time, as the accounts in question are being pressed for settlement, I would ask that you kindly advise me at the earliest possible opportunity."

Minister to Auditor.

Replying to Mr. Beeston, under date of Victoria, Feb. 21, Dr. Robinson wrote:

"In reply to your letter of the 7th inst., addressed to the honorable the minister of education, I beg to acquaint you that since the city council of Nelson appears determined to test the legality of the trustees' actions, it is altogether out of place for the laymen connected with the education office to give an opinion regarding the points now at issue between the city council and the board of school trustees. I may state, however, that if the question is appealed to the courts, I think your council will find that it is necessary for them to provide funds for the ordinary running expenses of the schools as detailed by the board of school trustees. For this purpose they are authorized to levy five mills on the dollar for school purposes, and if that is not found sufficient, they may take additional money from the ordinary revenue of the city.

"Regarding the question of carrying over unpaid accounts from one year to another, I am not in a position to offer an opinion other than to say that I scarcely understand how any board of school trustees, or any firm for that matter, can be expected at the end of the year to have the several bills that they have incurred for the past 12 months paid in full."

Auditor to Mayor.

Under date of Feb. 24, Mr. Beeston wrote Mayor Selous as follows:

"Herewith I beg to hand you a copy of a letter received today from Mr. Alexander Robinson, superintendent of education, being in reply to a letter addressed by me on the 7th instant to the hon. the minister of education, on the subject of outstanding vouchers on account of the board of school trustees.

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CANADA CENTRE OF THE EMPIRE

Governor General Strikes Imperial Note at Meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association

OTTAWA, Feb. 27—The adoption of the annual report of the Dominion Rifle association at a meeting today was moved by Col. Burland and seconded by Col. Tilton. F. T. Congdon, M.P. of Dawson City, moved that the thanks of the association be tendered to the governor general for his continued interest in its affairs and for his generous contribution of $500 towards the prize list of 1910. The motion was seconded by Lieutenant Governor Mackay and Senator Power.

His excellency in responding thanked the mover and seconders of the resolution for their kind words of appreciation. He said: "I will always stand by the Canadian militia, for I am sure the militia will stand by the British empire." He praised the work done by the cadets and the university rifle corps and also said that the idea of service matches was an excellent one which should go very far toward increasing efficiency. His excellency hoped that it would soon be possible for all good shots from any part of Canada to attend the annual meets at Rockcliffe without having to pay any transportation expenses. He struck an imperial note when he referred to Canada as the future centre of the empire and urged that the Dominion Rifle association should endeavor to increase prizes and in other ways make it possible for competitors to attend the Rockcliffe meet from all parts of the empire. Leaders in finance throughout Canada should encourage the Dominion Rifle association by generous contributions. It was a worthy cause and one that should meet with the hearty support of every city in the empire. "All that is needed," his excellency declared, "is a little more imagination, organization and organic support to make Rockcliffe a second Bisley."

BILL MINER IS AGAIN IN TOILS

Detectives Think They have Desperado Who Made Sensational Escape from New Westminster Pen.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 27—That old Bill Miner, second only to Jesse James in notoriety as a train robber, was one of the White Sulphur, Ga., bandits arrested at Gainesville, Ga., last Thursday, was asserted at the bureau of identification of the Pinkerton National Detective agency here today. The train robbery at White Sulphur occurred on Feb. 18 and several thousand dollars were obtained by the bandits. Five days later three alleged robbers were arrested, among them it is stated, old Bill.

Bill a Bad Man

Miner was famous for a decade as one of the "bad men" of the northwest. His exploits in the heyday of his activity were notorious. He was sentenced to life imprisonment several years ago at Vancouver for robbing the Dominion Express on the C.P.R. In March, 1908, he with two others, escaped by digging through the walls surrounding the prison brickyard. The escape of "Old Bill" from New Westminster prison caused a sensation at the time. It was alleged that he knew the hiding place of papers worth a large sum to a corporation and that this corporation was trying to obtain his release that he might restore the papers. Unless the Dominion authorities seek his return he will be tried in the White Sulphur case.

LOSES CASE AGAINST LUMBER COMPANY

Jury Refuses to Give Mohr Damages.

ASHDOWN VERSUS DEWITT IS HEARD

Plaintiff Is Non-Suited—Atkins Against Annable This Afternoon.

At yesterday's sitting of the county court, his honor Judge Forin presiding, a jury gave a verdict for the defendant in Mohr vs. the Patrick Lumber company, and his honor found the plaintiff non-suited in Ashdown Hardware company vs. DeWitt, naturalization papers were granted to Vito Romano and Joseph Totira, both natives of Italy, and the action of Atkins vs. Annable was postponed until 2:30 this afternoon.

Mohr vs. Patrick Lumber company in which the plaintiff was represented by J. S. Mackay and H. C. Hall, and the defendant company by A. M. Johnson, was an action brought by H. H. Mohr asking for damages amounting to $200 for alleged wrongful dismissal. The case of the plaintiff was brief, that he was engaged by Joseph Patrick in April, 1910 to act as superintendent of the company's lumber mill at Crescent valley at a salary of $200 per month. He claimed that at the time of the engagement he made a verbal contract with Mr. Patrick that one month's notice of dismissal should be given by either side in case the parties could not agree. He further claimed that when he was dismissed at the end of October last he was given no notice and that, although he was out of work for one month, the defendant's refused to pay him the salary, which he, the plaintiff, alleged was due in lieu of notice.

The defence claimed first that there was no verbal agreement that one month's notice should be given and second that the plaintiff had been discharged on account of incapacity and negligence and that he had therefore, no claim for damages. The jury which was composed of William Cutler, foreman, J. H. Lawrence, W. F. Mawdsley, H. V. Rudd and C. D. Jarvis, gave a verdict for the lumber company and his honor gave judgment with costs.

Plaintiff's Story

The first witness called was the plaintiff, Harvey Homer Mohr who stated that he had worked for about seven years in the lumbering business in the United States and Canada. He worked for the Patrick Lumber company for six months and was now employed by the Edgewood Lumber company as superintendent. He came to Nelson in consequence of a letter from the Patrick Lumber company, dated March 30, 1910, offering the plaintiff a position in charge of the mill at Crescent valley for the season. He saw Mr. Patrick and was engaged as superintendent at a salary of $200 per month. He had made an agreement that Mr. Patrick should give him 30 days notice. He commenced work on May 1. On Oct. 26 as a result of a break in the engine bed at the mill, he was told by Mr. Patrick that he must quit. The engine bed had been built partly of cement and partly of mortar and stones, and had been built by T. H. Turner.

Witness had asked the defendant company's manager, Mr. Patrick, to obtain sufficient cement to build the bed wholly of that material, but had been told that it could not be obtained in Nelson. After he had left the company's employ he learned in Nelson that cement could have been procured at any time. On May 1 he went to the company's office and received payment for his services during October. Witness had asked for an extra month's wages in lieu of notice. He was refused though Lester Patrick had said that he remembered some discussion on that question in April.

Witness said that he had been out of employment for just over a month and was now being paid $175 a month, with an agreement to receive $200 a month after April 1. He had worked for the Edgewood company at $7 a day at first.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Johnson witness said that Joseph Patrick was the only person responsible for the building of the engine bed. He had worked as a millwright. The engineer, said witness, who was in charge of the twin engines when one broke down, had worked with him at St. Joe, Idaho. He was a friend of witness in a way. He did not blame the engineer for an accident to the engines last summer which resulted in the cylinder head of one blowing out. He placed the blame upon faulty construction. After the ac-

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Underwear Underwear

We have a case of Men's Underwear, all wool ribbed, which came to hand by mistake We are placing in stock

At Half Price

Worth $1.50 per garment. We are now selling at 75c. See our window.

A number of Jaeger's and Ellis' underwear, combinations or separate garments, still to dispose of at big reductions.

J. H. Wallace's Clearance Sale

506 Baker Street Nelson, B. C.

RECENT LOCATIONS AND ASSESSMENTS

List of Mineral Claims Recently Staked in Nelson Mining Division—Where Statutory Work Done.

The following are recent locations of mineral claims recorded at the office of the Nelson mining recorder:

Good Hope, on south fork of Porcupine creek adjoining Glady's claim, by E. J. Miller.

Hard Luck, at head of Bird creek, by Philip Scott.

B. C., on Ymir mountain, by David E. Grobe.

Certificates of statutory work have been issued for the following mineral claims:

Deleware, near Erie, by W. J. Wilson.

Bethel, Hall creek, by Thomas Olsen.

Lang Fraction, Wolf creek, by A. H. Green.

Granet, Sheep creek, by Joseph C. Butler.

Sherman, Taft, both north fork Salmon river, by Katharina McEvoy.

MOYIE NEWS NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

MOYIE, B. C., Feb. 27—The harvesting of ice on Moyie lake is now in full swing. Until a week ago it was feared that there would be a shortage of ice in Moyie this coming summer, as the snow was so deep the ice was only a few inches thick. By clearing off the snow the recent cold snap has made it possible.

Dr. J. W. Coffin leaves today for Rossland where he will attend to the practice of Dr. J. M. English for a few weeks.

The annual meeting of the Moyie Electric Light & Telephone company will be held here on March 20.

The Moyie Water company held their annual meeting last Wednesday, the affairs of the company are said to be in good shape. The following officers and directors were elected: P. F. Johnson, president; J. P. Farrell, secretary; V. Desaulnier, treasurer; A. P. Macdonald and Philip Conrad.

Miss Watts and Miss Cockburn of Wattsburg spent a couple of days in town this week soliciting orders for The Daily News and Hampton's Magazine, they report great success and are determined to win the coveted trip around the world.

COMBINE INVESTIGATION

QUEBEC, Feb. 27—Judge Cannon rendered judgment on Saturday last on the application of Mayor Gouin and other Quebecers for an order directing an investigation under the Combines Investigation act into an alleged combine of the United Shoe Machinery company with regard to the manufacture and sale of machinery for manufacturing boots and shoes. His lordship granted the application ordering an investigation to be held and dismissed the company's plea to the application. Judge Cannon wrote to the registrar of the labor board at Ottawa informing the latter of his decision. Hon. T. C. Casgrain on behalf of the company immediately inscribed an appeal from the decision and the case will be heard in April.

WRECK CAUSED BY ROTTEN TIES, SAYS JURY

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 27—A coroner's inquest was held on the death of L. Sargent and O. McLaughlin, victims of Friday night's accident on the Halifax and Southwestern railway near New Germany. The jury rendered a verdict that "We are of the opinion that it was caused by rotten railway ties. We would urge that the force of section men should be strengthened and further, we strongly protest against the company attaching passenger coaches to log trains and heavy freight trains."

AMPHIBIOUS AEROPLANE.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Feb. 27—A further demonstration was given here today of the adaptability of an aeroplane for land and water service. In a flight of six miles over the bay and ocean, across Coronado island, Glenn H. Curtiss, rose from the water, alighted on land and then started from the land and alighted on the water. The flights were made in a wind of 20 miles an hour. Curtiss said today's exhibition probably would be the last of his series, and that he considered it the most successful from a military standpoint.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

LOSES CASE AGAINST LUMBER COMPANY

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cident had occurred the mill was started up and run again by one of the twin engines. The mill was not started up by Mr. Patrick. Witness had not recommended that the mill be closed nor had he told the men that they would have to lay off for three weeks. A shaft connected with some part of the machinery had proved to be untrue but that was the fault of a man who had been "fired."

Mr. Patrick's Testimony

Joseph Patrick, who was the only witness for the defence, said that he had been engaged in the lumbering business for about 40 years. On the day when Mohr was engaged he had gone through the mill for the purpose of seeing what repairs to machinery were necessary. The duty of the superintendent was to look after the details of the operation of the plant. It was agreed with Mohr that he should put the planing mill in operation, that is, should overlook the construction work. When witness engaged plaintiff in April he had told Mohr that "if the company wanted him to leave it could make it so disagreeable for him that he wouldn't want to stay and that if he wanted to leave he could make it so disagreeable for the company that the company would not want him to stay."

Denies Alleged Notice Pact

Mr. Patrick denied emphatically that he had agreed to give or accept 30 days notice. He also denied that he had given Mohr any instructions as to the building of the engine bed with mortar He had never refused to get Mohr anything he had ordered during the time plaintiff was employed by the company.

During the summer of 1910 it was almost a weekly occurrence that he had to complain to Mohr that good logs were going down the river. Witness mentioned a specific instance in which a log was allowed to pass down the stream had been rescued and had turned out 60 feet of clear lumber at the mill. It was plaintiff's duty to superintend the men, it was only through Mohr that witness could give orders.

After the one engine blew out witness found that Mohr had ordered the men to lay off. It was witness who had given the instructions to start up again on one engine, which had run the mill satisfactorily for about three weeks.

Went Away Without Notification

Cross-examined by Mr. Hall witness stated that he had not expressly discharged the plaintiff on Oct 26. He had intended that Mohr should leave at the end of the month on account of plaintiff's mismanagement. But Mr. Mohr had gone away on Oct. 26 without notifying witness.

Thomas H. Turner called by Mr. Mackay in rebuttal, said that he was a stone mason. He had built the stone work of the bed for the planing mill engine. He had heard a conversation between the plaintiff and the defendant regarding the use of cement. "Mr. Patrick, Mr. Mohr and I thought lime and stone would have been all right," said witness. "So it would if the weather had been favorable."

Under cross-examination by Mr. Johnson witness said that he worked at the engine bed on Aug. 26, 27, 28, and 29, 1910. The conversation between the plaintiff and defendant at the mill took place about Aug. 27. Counsel asked if Mr. Turner would be surprised to learn that Mr. Patrick was not at the mill between Aug. 12 and 30, and witness replied: "Yes, I should."

His honor in charging the jury asked them to answer certain questions: First was it a term of the contract that 30 days notice should be given? If the jury answered this in the negative it would be unnecessary for them to concern themselves with the others. After about 30 minutes deliberation the foreman announced that the answer to the first question was in the negative.

Action Non-Suited

The next case called was the Ashdown Hardware Co. vs. DeWitt. H. C. Hall appeared for the plaintiffs and A. M. Johnson for the defendant. The action was for a sum of $650 for supplies forwarded to the Fern mine during 1907 when Mr. DeWitt was acting as manager of that property, on behalf, it was claimed by Mr. Hall, of the Gold Park Mining Co. and the Palouse Mining Co. The question to be decided was one of law, said counsel. At the time the goods were ordered the Gold Park Mining Co. was in control of the property. A short time later the property passed to the Palouse Mining Co. of which Mr. DeWitt was continued as manager. The latter company was not registered in British Columbia and counsel contended that defendant was therefore liable. Mr. Johnson argued that as the Gold Park Mining Co. had been duly registered in British Columbia at the time the order for the supplies was given by Mr. DeWitt, the plaintiffs had no claim on his client.

The only witness called was Hamilton Byers, manager of the Ashdown Hardware Co., who deposed as to supplying the Gold Park Mining Co. with goods aggregating in value $657. The goods were ordered by Mr. Dewitt who said that he had arranged to get new capital into the Fern mine and that his new partners were capitalists resident in the Palouse country. No mention of the Gold Park Mining Co. was made. The goods were sold between April and September, 1907.

To. Mr. Johnson witness said that the goods were sent to the Fern mine.

To his honor Mr. Johnson said that the Gold Park Mining Co. was incorporated July 10, 1905.

Mr. Byers continued under cross-examination that the reason Mr. DeWitt was not personally charged with the goods was that he was "part and parcel of the Gold Park Mining Co." He was the agent for the company. He guaranteed payment.

At this point his honor granted Mr. Johnson a non-suit, explaining to Mr. Hall that he had no case after Mr. Byer's evidence as that witness had stated that Mr. DeWitt was acting for the Gold Park Mining Co. and that it was also shown that the goods had been delivered to that company and that the Gold Park Mining Co. had been billed for them. This was shown by the plaintiff's books.

Mr. Hall asked for reasons for judgment and his honor replied: "I'll give you my notes. They will be sufficient."

WATER POWERS KEYNOTE OF RIVALRY WITH STATES

MONTREAL, Feb. 27—"Trade rivals, we and our neighbors to the south of us, must ever be in the highways and byways of this world, and our water-powers will be the keynote of that rivalry," declared Charles A. Magrath, M.P. for Lethbridge, Alta., addressing the Canadian club today on western water questions.

Introducing his remarks on irrigation in western Canada, Mr. Magrath said "In the west we are running mad, I believe, in the growing of wheat and our farmers are not distributing their energies as they should. The value of irrigated lands is that they make one crop farming impossible." The great menace of the west, the speaker, said was that with the population it would be called upon to carry in the future it was a question if there would be sufficient water for the domestic uses and the work of providing for it by scientific methods was not to be delayed.

FIFTY-SIX MILLIONS MORE NEEDED FOR RAILWAY

OTTAWA, Feb. 27—A return placed on the table of the commons today shows that up to Dec. 21 last a total of $89,553,740 has been spent on the National Transcontinental railway construction. It is estimated that it will take $55,785,999 more to complete the road between Winnipeg and Moncton. The total mileage of track laid is 1236.

AEROPLANES AND SUBMARINES

LONDON, Feb. 27—Gen. French told William T. Stead a few days ago that he was following with keen interest the American experiments with aeroplanes which arise from the water. He admits fully that the aeroplane when perfected will make an end of all existing apparatus of war, but he puts the date of such perfected aeroplanes 30 years hence. Mr. Stead says the British government is building a submarine that by consuming solidified oil will be able to cross the Atlantic without touching port or refilling its bunkers.

ROBIN'S CASE UP FOR TRIAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 27—Joseph G. Robin, the bank promoter whom a judge and jury recently declared sane despite the testimony of the so-called eminent insanity experts to the contrary, was arraigned for trial today in the criminal branch of the supreme court. He is to be tried on indictments charging him with the larceny of funds from the banks in which he was interested.

SHEFFIELD CHOIR COMING

MONTREAL, Feb. 27—The Sheffield choir, including Sir Edward Elgar, Dr. Henry Coward, Lady Nora H. Noel, Lord Camden and festival artists, numbering in all about 225, sail from Liverpoor on the steamer Victorian on March 17 for Canada to take part in Dr. Charles Harriss' musical festival of the empire.

PROTEST AGAINST PARCELS POST.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 27—Leading retail merchants from all sections of the south are arriving in Nashville in anticipation of the opening of the interstate convention here tomorrow. The primary purpose of the convention as stated in the call for the gathering, is to protest against the passage of the parcels post bill by congress.

CHARGED WITH KILLING SWEETHEART

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 27—The case of Michael H. Murphy, a member of the Denver fire department who is charged with the murder of his sweetheart, Anatolia Wunderlee, came up in court for trial today. The alleged murder occurred on January 15 last. Murphy shot and killed the girl while she was on her way home from church.

MONTREAL FIRE

MONTREAL, Feb. 27—Fire which broke out at half past one o'clock in the iron bed and stove foundry of Messrs. H. R. Ives & Co. on Queen street, gave the fire fighters a hard hour's work before being placed under control. Many thousand brass and iron bed frames together with valuable stoves were rendered worthless by the great heat. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

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HIGHER YIELD REDUCTION IN COST

Gratifying Statement Presented to Annual Meeting of British Columbia Copper Company.

(Special to The Daily News.)

PHOENIX, B. C., Feb. 27—A higher yield of copper, gold and silver from its ores, and a reduction in cost of producing copper, were the important factors of last year's operations by the British Columbia Copper company, according to the report presented at the annual meeting of the company last week. Its fiscal year ended on Nov. 30 last and the average cost of production in that period was 9.048 cents per pound as compared with 9.829 cents in the previous year; copper yield was 18 pounds per ton, against 17.7 pounds in the preceding 12 months, while precious metal values were $1.23 per ton, against $1.03. Average price received for copper was 12.778 cents, against 13.08 cents in 1909.

The company produced 1,143,456 pounds of copper as compared with 6,325,000 pounds in the previous year.

Profit and loss accounts for years ended Nov. 30, 1910, and 1909, compare as follows:

	1910	1909
Operating disb. ...	$1,158,294	$985,216
Custom ore purchased	51,894	58,781
Balance carried down	256,562	204,973
Total	1,466,749	1,248,970
Other income		14,012
Total	1,466,749	1,248,970
Balance brought down	256,562	204,973
Previous balance...	474,70.	269,731
Total	731,266	474,704

Four hundred and forty-one thousand six hundred and seventy-two tons of ore were handled at the reduction works, of which 399,353 tons were British Columbia ores, 36,575 tons of custom ores and 5744 tons convertor slag. Blister copper produced from this tonnage was 7,199,034 pounds which yielded, as compared with previous year, the following:

	1910	1909
Fine copper, pounds	7,143,456	6,325,000
Gold, ounces	24,962	18,244
Silver, ounces	84,180	64,234

Operations in detail during the past two years have been as follows:

	1910	1909
Yield cop, per ton B. C. ore (pounds)	18.0	17.7
Yield gold and silver....	$1.23	$1.03
Average price of copper.	12.778c	13.08c
Cost per lb cop. produced	9.048c	9.829c
Cost per ton ore handled all charges	$2.73	$2.683

The company's balance sheet shows cash in bank amounting to $107,095 against but 8,178 at close of previous year. Copper on hand and in transit totalled $237,849, against $364,019.

President Newman Erb says that from April 19 to May 11 last a strike was in force and while the plant was out of operation for little less than a month, resulting conditions were equivalent to cessation of over three months, during which period no net revenue was recorded.

The question of mine production being accomplished at the expense of capital account has been dwelled upon by President Erb who says:

"Mining as a business differs essentially from other undertakings. The net revenue from ores is necessarily obtained from capital account, and unless provision is made against ore exhaustion, a time must ultimately come when the capital invested is itself exhausted. In contrast with the generally prevailing practice your company has established a policy of providing against ore exhaustion by wisely adding to your ore reserves through the acquisition, through ownership or control, of additional mining properties of promise or value, paying for them largely, heretofore, out of its net revenue, so that the tonnage of available ores has been almost doubled in the past 18 months."

VEIN IS REACHED ON UNITED EMPIRE

PRINCETON, B. C., Feb. 27—Emile P. Galliac, of the United Empire Co., *has reached the coal seams which the* company has been aiming for and which cost two tunnels about 800 feet in length. The coal lies in a vein 15 feet thick and is the pure article.

Messrs. McDougall and Waddell have completed arrangements to operate a sawmill on Onemile. It is understood the B. C. Cement Co. will require a half million feet to use in construction work and lumbering operations will begin at once.

L. McMullen has returned from Onemine, where he has been doing assessment work on the Whymer. A tunnel has been driven about 65 feet, which shows high grade gold and silver ore.

GREAT CRICKETER PASSES

MELBOURNE, Feb. 27—The result of the fourth test match was Australia 325, South Africa 205; first innings. George Murdoch, one of the most famous Australian cricketers, while din*ing with the teams was taken suddenly* ill, dying immediately of an epileptic fit.

MEDICAL DIRECTOR RETIRES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27—Medical Director Paul Fitzsimons was placed on the retired list of the navy today, on account of having reached the age limit for active service.

NELSON ANGLERS ORDERING TACKLE

Making Prudent Preparations for the Opening of the Fishing Season—Largest Trout Taken at Pool

With the air still crisp at nights, and with the opening of the fishing season in the Kootenay still two months away, the subject of angling is beginning to invade the thoughts of the more invererate disciples of Izaac Walton. The presence of J. A. Killey, keeper of the C.P.R. creel lodge at Slocan Junction, in the city on Saturday, though his visit did not have anything to do with fishing, tends in the same direction. Mr. Killey is himself one of the masters at the science of luring the king of game fish, with which the Kootenay waters are filled, and if this season is like the last, in but little over a month he will be reporting the presence of the black gnat on the waters over which he presides—the famous Pool.

The canny angler, like any other canny individual, in the off season takes care for the future, and dreams dreams and lays plans for matching the wariness of the trout with new and killing lures. Though most of the fishing fraternity are content with the goods carried by the local stores, not a few have crotchets in favor of goods turned out by some special old country or American firm, and place orders for those goods, either with the dealers or by catalogue. When Sir J. Eardley-Wilmot returns from England to Grey's creek he will bring a large assorment of the most expensive Irish flies for Fred Jarvis, in addition to what he brings for his own use. This was arranged for last fall. Several others of the Nelson anglers have special tackle of some kind on the way.

The fishing season in the Kootenay will open on May 1, the Dominion still being deemed to have jurisdiction and its regulations prevailing. This date holds for all of British Columbia east of the 122nd parallel of longitude, in other words, for all except the coast and Vancouver island. Archie Johnson, the legal light of the Kootenay fishing fraternity, would like to see the season considerably curtailed in the fall, holding that the fish, if left to themselves, will attend to the replenishing of the Kootenay waters, hatchery or no hatchery. Dud Blackwood inclines in the *same direction, but has a weakness for* an earlier season. All agree that the season at present is about the longest of any locality in Canada, with the sport the finest, and the genuine anglers would raise no serious opposition of it being shortened at the latter end.

Mr. Killey keeps a register at the creel lodge, in which visitors at the Pool enter particulars of their catches when they happen to think of it. According to Mr. Killey's register, the largest trout caught at the pool last season weighed 4 1-2 lbs., and was landed Sept. 25 by W. Cookson, with rod, 60 yards of line, and spoon, after a battle of 25 minutes. This royal trout was caught in the canyon. There were plenty of other good fish but none just equal to Mr. Cookson's.

For consistent good catches, one of the best records was that of A. D. Pass and O. C. Bragge, who were guests at the lodge from July 20 to 28, in the height of the fly season, and between them accounted for 115 pounds of fish. Col. S. O. Gordon, who was there July 13 to 16, took 44 trout. On the whole the season on the Pool was a remarkably good one, travellers from every country in the world casting on its tossing main, not to speak of the Nelson contingent and the devotees from the locality.

The season was also unique on account of the appearance of large numbers of dog salmon in the Pool in September. Six in all were caught, the largest weighing 50 pounds, and fighting over an hour, while two large trout of the species Salmo Gardnerei Kamloops, the larger weighing 23 pounds, were taken from the same school.

THEY ARE AFTER THAT ALLAN CUP

Personnel of Winnipeg Vics—Team That Will Go East Shortly—All Young Players

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27—Out of the west there will go within the next few weeks eight players representing the Victoria hockey club of Winnipeg, who will make a bid for the Allan cup, the emblem of the amateur championship of the world. Who they will meet has not yet been decided by the results of the eastern hockey or by the trustees of the trophy, but no matter who the enemy is Winnipeg has faith that her representatives will make a good showing. The Victorias have earned their right to challenge for the cup by winning the championship in the Winnipeg senior league. In the old days they carried off the honors of the Dominion with such famous players as Dan Bain, Tony Gingras and Charlie Johnston.

The present challengers are all young players but they have proved their worth by defeating teams of much more experience including the seven from Manitoba Varsity, a team composed of fast and seasoned players. The Vics have plenty of speed and have worked out an effective style of defence and attack. They are used to a large ice surface and will be handicaped if they have to play on a small rink in the east such as the Mutual street ice in Toronto.

They will line up as follows: Goal, Basil Parker; point, Harold Fowler; cover, Les. Moffat, captain; rover, C. Belcher; centre, Jack Aldous; right wing, Fred Bawlf; left wing, G. A. Wickson; spare forward, F. Coldwell.

All the players are Winnipeg boys *and learned the game here.*

Basil Baker, goal, is 22 years old and weighs 130 pounds. He has been playing between the posts since he was a youngster and has a splendid record for the present winter.

Harold Fowler, point, is 19 years old, weighs 145 pounds and has been play*ing with the Victorias for the past two* years. He is an aggressive defence player and frequently helps the forwards.

Capt. Les. Moffatt, is 19 years of age, and weighs 140 pounds. He is one of the fastest men on the team and his end to end rushes have been features of every game he has participated in this season.

Charlie Belcher, rover, is 20 years of age and weighs 145 pounds. He has easily made good in senior company and is one of the most consistent players on the team.

Jack Aldous, centre, is 21 years old and weighs 140 pounds. His work this winter has been the feature of the team's play.

Fred Bawlf, right wing, is 20 years of age and weighs 140 pounds. He played with St. Boniface college for four years and for two years was captain of the hockey team of St. Thomas college, Minneapolis.

G. A. Wickson, left wing, is 20 years old and weight 140 pounds. He played with Toronto Varsity in 1908-09 and since that time with the Vics.

Francis Coldwell, spare forward, is 20 years old and weighs 124 pounds. He is a fast skater but is handicapped by his lack of weight.

SPORTING SPOTLIGHTS

Steve Kane, last year an umpire in the National league, has this year been appointed to a similar position in the Northwestern.

Montague Holbein, who has several times almost accomplished the swimming of the English channel, will make one last effort this summer. He has commenced to learn a new leg stroke by which he not only hopes to increase his pace, but also to lessen the strain on his stamina. It is called the "northern kick" and offers an absolute minimum of resistance to the water when the legs are being drawn into a position for kicking.

Purses for the big fellows are looking up in England since Hugh McIntosh introduced modern promoting methods into the world's metropolis. There was a time when a purse of $5000 was the very limit at the National Sporting club. But now that exclusive organization has been driven to fight almost for an existence and has offered a purse of $40,000 for a battle between Johnson and Langford.. The National club can't possibly turn a profit on the basis of $40,000 purses even for the world's heavyweight championship battles. The club's seating capacity is quite small and only members and approved guests are permitted to view the contests. So if it has offered any such sum as that, it has either made up its mind to dig deep into the treasury to compete with McIntosh or the members have agreed to stand for an unheard of assessment or to dig into their pockets for a big deficit. In any event the National Sporting club has no intention of allowing its supremacy to be threatened by McIntosh.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX GO TO TEXAS

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 27—The players of both the Chicago baseball clubs trooped into town today preparatory to their departure tonight on the spring training trips. President Comiskey takes his band of White Sox direct to Mineral Wells, Texas, where the players will keep in steady training for four weeks, with the exception of short trips to Fort Worth and other nearby Texas cities for exhibition games. March 24 the club will divide into two squads for the games to be played on the way home. The cities booked for exhibition games include Oklahoma City, Wichita, Topeka, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Lincoln, Omaha, Hannibal, Quincy, Danville, Springfield, Ill., Ottumwa, Des Moines, Rock Island, Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Peoria.

Following their usual custom the Chicago Cubs go to West Baden to begin preparation for the annual championship race. After spending four days at the Indiana water place, the team will depart for the training camp at New Orleans, arriving there next Saturday. Exhibition games with several of the major league clubs will be played in New Orleans and on the way north the Cubs will fill dates in Mobile, Atlanta, Memphis, Louisville and several other of the larger cities.

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THE SENATE

Sir Wilfrid was undoubtedly right in his opinion that an elective senate such as Mr. McLean proposed in the Commons yesterday would not meet with the approval of the country.

He might, indeed, have gone further than he did when he said that the experience of the United States does not tell in favor of the election of senators by legislatures. The experience of the United States is the plainest possible object lesson upon the unwisdom of having a second chamber elected for a fixed term of years and entrusted with the power of rejecting measures passed by the representatives of the peopl.

The existence of such a chamber in the United States is, perhaps, the radical flaw in the constitution of that country. It is due to the prevalence at the time the American constitution was drafted of a false theory of the British constitution, a theory which was then in vogue but which was never true and which has long since been abandoned in Great Britain itself.

According to that theory the government consisted of three equal powers in the state,—the King, the Lords and the Commons. This was described as the constitution of Great Britain. As a matter of fact no such constitution was ever in existence. The three elements in the government existed for centuries but they were never equal. At one time supremacy lay with the sovereign; at another with the peers, at another with the Commons.

After a long struggle the supremacy of the nation speaking through its elected representatives was firmly established. It has long been unthinkable that either the King or the Lords should venture to oppose the will of the people expressed at the election of a house of Commons.

The King does not revise or reject laws. The Lords revise legislation subject to the approval of the Commons, but they do not claim the right to reject legislation to which the approval of the electors has been given. All they have claimed for generations is the right to appeal from one house of Commons to another freshly elected. They claim the right to give the nation an opportunity to pass upon legislation which has not been submitted to the electors for their approval. That is all that the Canadian senate claimed when it rejected the Yukon railway bill.

The framers of the American constitution accepted the theory, temporarily fashionable with the Whigs of that time, of two houses of equal powers and rights. They did not commit the absurdity of creating two houses, both elected by the same body of voters and both representing the same constituency. But they were embarrassed by another theory also since expired,—the theory that the union was a federation of sovereign states. So they had one house to represent the people of the federation and another house to represent the sovereign states. Hence the origin of election by legislatures.

Given a second chamber elected for a fixed term of years, almost all the rest of the American constitution logically follows. Of its defects as shown by a century's experience and by the actual working of the present day, demonstration is superfluous. Such a chamber would make our method of government impracticable. Responsible government,—government by a premier and his colleagues who depend for their official lives upon the support of a majority of the house of Commons,—has never existed and never could exist except under a constitutional system where the Commons was supreme.

The Canadian senate was intended to be selected without reference to partisan considerations, as was the American college of presidential electors. The intention failed of realization as would other plans we hear of. Mr. McLean, for instance, says that some of the senators have entered the house because they desired social distinction and opportunity to advance business interests, also that if the senate were elected this element would be removed. Why he should think this is a mystery. It would not be easy for him to name any elective body to which men have not sought admission for precisely the reasons he mentions. Assuredly the elective senate of the United States is not free from such members.

A later constitution, that of Australia, provides for an elective senate. As in the case of the United States the jealousies of the smaller colonies had to be pacified. But as Australia, like us, has responsible government, she has not made the mistake of giving the senate equal powers with the house which represents the nation, nor has she created a senate whose members hold their places for a fixed term of years.

The Australian senate cannot reject money bills. Nor can it reject other bills with impunity. If it rejects any measure passed by the house of Representatives, the latter may re-enact it again after three months, and if the Senate again rejects it or fails to pass it in a form acceptable to the Representatives, the government may dissolve both houses. Australia has not a senate elected for a fixed term and thus able to frustrate—perhaps for reasons of mere party tactics—the efforts of a government charged with carrying on the affairs of the country. Nor can its senate carry on a course of obstruction, such as has been alleged against the house of Lords, and such as has often been practiced by the American senate, during the entire term of office of that government.

COMMUNICATIONS

"CANADA WILL GET SOAKED."

To the Editor of The Daily News.

Sir,—I am dead against this reciprocity scheme of Fielding & Co. not because it gives my bit of fruit land a pretty hard jolt, but for patriotic reasons. If each man considers only how this thing is going to hit him or benefit him, Canadians are not one people but are like a lot of savages every man for himself. With all our resources we will never make a great nation that way. We will only be the spoil of some stronger and homogenous people.

The wheat grower goes to Ottawa and wants everything his way, he can only see Canada as a big wheat field. On the other hand a gathering of fruit men seem to think of nothing but the effect of reciprocity on fruit. Some talk as though willing to submit to it if duties are removed from the things they use in their industry. Our big neighbor to the south has for years been building up his varied industries behind the highest tariff wall in the world. Today they are thoroughly developed and strongly entrenched. Is it common sense to think that Canada's infant industries can successfully compete with them? As an astute German commercial traveller has said, "Canada will get soaked." Yes we'll get soaked. As it is we are overrun with United States productions. Go into any of our stores and examine the things on the shelves and see. For instance I went into our little store here the other day and asked for matches. I was offered two boxes of a nicely put up article for 25c, but I noticed the word "Michigan" on the side. I said, "Have you no Canadian matches?" "O, yes," and he brought me in, from somewhere at the back, a couple of the well known paper bunches for 10c. There were as many matches in the latter as in the former. But the Michigan matches were nicely put up and were on the merchant's shelves being boosted, while the Canadian article was in the background. I try to buy things of Canadian make, but last year I bought a stove in Nelson without keeping my eyes open, and when it came home I found, to my disgust, that "Milwaukee, Wis., was stamped upon that. If this is so now what will it be with reciprocity?

Do you say this competition is good for the consumer, it cheapens what we buy? Yes, but it must reduce our means to buy with. In the past we have seen Canadian artizans and others trooping over the border to work in the protected manufactures of Uncle Sam. I worked for years in his machine shops and I was continually running up against brother Canadians, the bulk of whom were or soon became American citizens. A small concern can seldom compete successfully with a big one. Put us on equal terms with our big neighbor and our smaller manufacturies and other industries will be very apt to go to the wall. And again we will see Canadian artizans trooping over the border. Consolidation is one of the tendencies of our day and the big will draw to it the smaller. Would it not be better for our produce growers, our mixed farmers, to feed our artizans and their families on this side of the line without the competition of the United States farmer, than to feed them over there. Yes and better for our merchants and professional men, too. The wheat grower would suffer least, but Canada has others to consider besides the wheat grower though Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Fielding seem to have forgotten that.

In the report of the doings at Ottawa in one of my papers, I read a speech by Mr. Foster dealing with the probable effects of reciprocity on the development of Canada as a whole. It was followed by a speech from one of the prairie members who seemed incapable of grasping the question from Mr. Foster's viewpoint. He could only talk of its effect upon the price of wheat. We have too many barn yard politicians. There are too many at Ottawa that can't see beyond a wheat field. It is too bad with Canada's vast and varied resources. We are too sectional. Uncle Sam will split us up and gobble us.

F. W. NASH.

Renata, B. C., Feb. 26, 1911.

LEGISLATURES TO ELECT SENATORS

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always acted in what he believed to be the best interests of the country just as he had in connection with the reciprocity agreement. The premier remarked that Mr. McLean's motion had an advantage over those which had preceded it, in that it was coupled with a suggested plan of reform and did not consist of criticisms only. He did not think, however, that a proposal for an elective senate would meet with the approval either of the public or the country. In view of the experience of the United States the premier did not think it would be wise to have members of the senate all elected by the legislatures, but he said he was prepared to consider with the opposition a plan whereby the legislatures would be given the right to elect a portion of the members of the second chamber. A reform along these lines he thought would be more in keeping with the constitution than the plan proposed by the mover of the resolution.

Mr. McLean then withdrew his motion having previously explained that his only object was to have it discussed in the house and press of the country.

Quebec Bridge

On a resolution reciting that in the opinion of the house the government before committing the country to any alternative proposition for the Quebec bridge or additional outlay, should make a comprehensive statement of all important steps taken and the information at hand as well as the estimated cost and probable date of completion, Mr. Lennox secured a statement from the minister of railways, Hon. G. P. Graham, who said that all tenders had access to the results of the information gathered by bridge engineers. Only one engineer had advocated a suspension bridge, all others had favored a bridge of the cantilever type. It appears from Mr. Graham's remarks that Mr. Vautelet, chief engineer, and chairman of the committee did not agree with his colleagues and while he had made an official design, the other members did not care for it, hence alternative propositions were invited from the tenderers. Mr. Graham would not commit himself as to the probable cost of the bridge. The substructure he said, would cost $2,250,000. He would not quarrel with the figures submitted by his hon. friend opposite him, Mr. Foster of $11,000,000 for the superstructure, although he hoped the final cost would be within that figure.

I appears from remarks of the minsiter and Mr. Lennox that Mr. Vautelet was somewhat obdurate and a deadlock of the board resuled.

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CITY ORDERS NEW COUPLING

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"I desire to call your attention to the fact that, as far as I can see, there is nothing stated by me in the correspondence to convey that it is the intention of the city council to test the legality of the acion of the board of school trustees.

"In regard to the carrying over of unpaid accounts, I perfectly agree with Mr. Robinson, that it might be difficult to arrange the payment of all accounts before the close of the year, but at the same time I am of the opinion that provision for such accounts should be duly made by the trustees during the fiscal year; otherwise the estimate of the amount to be provided by the city council for the year's expenditures is rendered apparently of no avail, and I as city auditor should, it also appears to me, have to act contrary to the provision of the Public Schools act and pass vouchers in excess of the estimate, and contrary to the certificate appended to the order for payment.

"Awaiting some more definite decision upon this matter, I must in the meantime rely upon the opinion expressed by the city solicitor."

Will Write Attorney General

In commenting upon the correspondence, Mayor Selous said the letter of Dr. Robinson, as coming from a man of the standing of a deputy minister, was astounding. The youngest child could have grasped the point raised in the letter of Mr. Beeston, but Dr. Robinson had failed to do it.

Ald. Stark proposed that the city clerk be instructed to write the attorney general, asking for a ruling.

Seconded by Ald. Hume, this proposal was adopted.

Duplicate Vouchers

Introducing the reply of Dr. E. C. Arthur, secretary of the school board, to the council's request for vouchers, Mayor Selous said that the school board having sent in their 1910 accounts disguised as 1911 accounts under false vouchers, Mr. Beeston was obliged to refuse to accept their certificates thereafter, as the first had been false, and therefore he had requested that invoices be furnished.

Dr. Arthur's letter, dated Feb. 25, read:

"I am instructed by the school board to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th inst., and to say in answer to your request for copies of the accounts rendered the school board by creditors, that, in view of the privileges accorded the city council under section 37 of the School act, the board cannot see its way clear to comply with the request."

It was pointed out in the ensuing discussion that the board might easily secure duplicate vouchers from the merchants, Aldermen Hume, Stark and Gilker all expressing the view that the council's request was entirely reasonable.

Mayor Selous held that a body administering public funds, and refusing to facilitate the getting of information respecting the manner in which it administered such funds, ought to be viewed with the gravest suspicion, and it was the bounden duty of the council, as representing the citizens, to see that every safeguard was placed about that administering. The council must take precautions against the 1910 accounts being dressed up as 1911 accounts. It would be well to intimate to the merchants and other local parties having accounts with the school board, that the city would not pay their warrants except invoices accompanied them.

It was suggested that the city council place an advertisement in The Daily News to that effect, but eventually instructions were given to the city clerk to only make payments under those circumstances, he being left free to notify the creditors of the school board in any way he chose.

Order New Coupling

Mayor Selous reported that both sections of the shaft of No. 2 union at the power plant had been found to be true, but that a deviation of 2-1000 inch or more had been found in the coupling. Mr. Brown held that this variation was sufficient to account for the troublewith the shaft, while Mr. Breed, also a thoroughly competent man, held that it was not sufficient to account for it. In a long conference at which Messrs. Breed and Brown, Ald. Hume, the speaker and the city solicitor, were present, it was at first proposed that an expert be called from Montreal. Then the suggestion was made that the city immediately order a new coupling, which the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock people would supply at cost, and which their man would install. If, with the new coupling, the shaft operated true, it would be conceded by Mr. Breed that the trouble had been due to defective coupling, and Allis-Chalmers-Bullock would foot the bill. If, on the other hand, the shaft varied, it would be conceded by the city that the trouble was elsewhere, and the two parties would share the expense equally. The expert would then be called in. The merit of the proposal to secure the new coupling first was that the first question the expert would be likely to raise, if he were called first, would be as to the coupling. If the trouble was not in the coupling it would remain to be discovered whether it was in the machinery furnished by the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock people or in the foundations built by the city.

Mr. Breed corroborated the mayor's report of the conference.

The council authorized the mayor to enter into such an agreement with Mr. Breed, after it should be properly drawn by the city solicitor, the new coupling to be ordered at once.

The mayor repored that the contract for the new isolation hospital had been awarded to John Burns & Son, the lowest of four tenderers, at $885. This was within the $900 estimate of G. C. Mackay, city engineer.

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H. G. Higbee, who has retired from the post of night manager of the C.P.R. telegraphs at Nelson, to accept a very flattering offer from the directors of the Northwest Grocers' association, with headquarters in Spokane, after closing out his affairs here, leaves this morning by the Crow boat, bound for the Inland Empire city, to assume his new duties. Those duties include the secretaryship of the association, and the editorial chair of the organization's monthly publication, and the emoluments of the position are considerable.

While Mr. Higbee has spent practically a life time at the telegraph key, he is also a keen business man, and has at various times been identified with other private interests, including hotel management. He was also in journalism in San Francisco, and his experience in these various lines will equip him for his new post. Mr. Higbee leaves in Nelson many friends who are glad to hear of his success.

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Application for Renewal of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of April next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Leland Hotel, situated at Nakusp, in the province of British Columbia.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1911.

268-3t. JAMES SNEDDEN.

Application for Transfer of Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of April next application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Leland Hotel, situated at Nakusp, British Columbia, from Ogilvie & McKitrick to James Snedden, of British Columbia.

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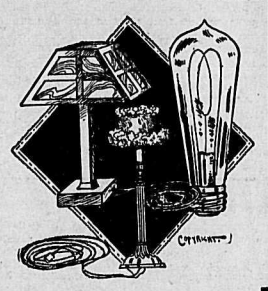

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WELLS WINS LIGHTWEIGHT GO BY FEW POINTS

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Matt Wells won a 20-round fight tonight from Fred Welch for the lightweight championship of Great Britain and the Lonsdale belt. The contest was held at the National Sporting club and the big crowd that gathered witnessed 20 rounds of fast work. Although the men appeared pretty evenly matched and there was little to choose between the two, the fight was awarded to Wells on points.

FRIDAY'S BASKETBALL

The first game in the double-header basketball attraction at the Y.M.C.A. on Friday evening will be between the Methodist and Presbyterian church teams, while the high school and the Y. boys will meet in the second match. Tickets for the matches are on sale in the city, and a big crowd of basketball enthusiasts are expected to be present.

PROBABLE DATES FOR STANLEY CUP SERIES

OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—If the trustees will agree to the dates proposed by the Ottawa Hockey club March 13 and 15 will witness the first series of the Stanley cup, Prince Albert being the first seven on the list. Matters are still undecided regarding the number of games that will be played, and if the challenging clubs will agree to the proposal of a sudden death game that will satisfy the trustees.

H. C. Sparks, treasurer of the Ottawa Hockey club, arrived in Ottawa this morning from New York, where he completed arrangements for the Ottawa trip to New York and Boston, the National Hockey association winners being assured of a warm reception besides huge guarantees for their series in Gotham.

FIRST BLOOD FOR VICS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27.—By a score of 12-5 the local Victorias took the first game of the Allan cup series from the challenging Kenora team this evening in the presence of a crowd which taxed both the seating and standing capacity of the auditorium. Despite the difference in the score the game was not as one sided as it might seem to indicate, and it was only toward the latter part of the game that the locals found the nets in plenty.

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ROVERS LAND THAT CHAMPIONSHIP

Beat Intermediates in Hard Fought Game by Small Margin—Tommy Boyes' Fine Work

The Nelson Rovers are Intermediate champions of the city. They won this title by a score of three goals to two against the Intermediates in a hard fought hockey game at the local rink last evening, in which some really excellent hockey was dished up by the boys. The Intermediates are champions of British Columbia, having won that title at the Rossland carnival, and the Rovers were greatly elated over their victory. The match was fairly clean, the only penalized players being Jack Miller and Sandy Robinson, who each went to the fence once.

The match showed what really excellent junior and intermediate hockey material there is in the city this season. The Intermediates are a trifle heavier than the Rovers and the latter have a little advantage over their opponents in speed, but considering the two teams from an all-round point of view they are mightily evenly matched and another game between the rivals would probably draw a much larger crowd than that which witnessed *last evening's game.*

Two periods of 25 minutes each were played. The Rovers opened the scoring, Jack Grant landing a beaut in the net after some hard checking and fast play by both sides. A few minutes later Jack tallied another, while Robinson, after a fine rush down the sheet, got in the first one for the Intermediates.

The opening of the second period was marked by some splendid stick handling by both teams and by one or two cracking good saves by Tommy Boyce between the Rovers' poles. On one occasion Tommy rushed out on the ice just in time to collide with Robinson and to send that player and the puck skidooing sideways, effecting a soul-stirring save. The same tactics a second or two later resulted less fortunately, Jenkins sending puck and goalie into the net with a rush that knocked the posts nearly into the railings. This brought the score up to two-all. It remained for Waldo Ferguson to put the Rovers again in the lead. Fergie scored in delightful fashion, taking the rubber from away back and shooting past the defence line and into the net like a greased streak.

Bob Bishop acted as referee. The line-up was:

INTERMEDIATES		ROVERS
George Boyce	Goal	T. Boyce
J. Miller	Point	Grizzelle
A. Miller	Cover	*Cummins*
Robinson	Rover	Fred Grant
Jenkins	Centre	Jack Grant
Riley	Left Wing	W. Ferguson
O. Bell	Right Wing	J. Ferguson

QUEBEC DEFEATS CREAMERY MEN

Stubborn Game Ends in Victory for the Easterners by Score of Eleven to Ten

RENFREW, Ont., Feb. 27.—Another big surprise was sprung in the National Hockey association here tonight, when the Quebec seven defeated the Renfrew team in one of the most stubbornly contested games of the season by the very close score of 11 to 10. Although the visitors had defeated the Wanderers in Montreal on Saturday night, they were not regarded seriously here as it was thought they would be pretty well used up. The reverse was the case, however, the finishing power of the team from the ancient capital winning the match in the last period in which they tallied three times and shut out their opponents. The hockey was good at times and while the heavy checking made the play somewhat ragged in spots the uncertainty of the outcome kept the spectators, which numbered about 1,500, on edge all the time. The millionaires led all the way until the last stanza, being in the lead in the first session by six goals to five, while at the finish of the second it was 10 to 8 for them.

In the final period the Quebecers had clearly and cleanly the best of the play, although the great work of Moran in the nets accounted for the home team not tallying more than once. Renfrew disputed the goal that made the score 10-all, the puck hitting Lindsay's hand and dropping on the ice. Umpire Tuckett of Quebec raised his hand, claiming that the rubber entered the nets, while the Renfrew players protested with the result that the umpire was replaced by Cameron of Ottawa.

The fine showing of the Quebec team was remarkable in view of the fact that they came through such a hard match with the Wanderers. The teams were evenly matched although the home team probably had the better of the argument. Renfrew started witn exactly the same line-up as finished against the Ottawa team and Vair was substituted for Rowe in the second period. Quebec was without the services of Joe Hall, who is laid up with an ulcerated tooth and Oatman took his place at cover. Rooney, a junior who made the trip with the team, went on in the second period. Rooney had hard luck, however, having two teeth knocked out shortly after he started and toward the last of the match he received a bad crack on the knee which necessitated his retirement.

The line-up:

RENFREW		QUEBEC
Lindsay	Goal	Moran
S. Cleghorn	Point	Holden
Taylor	Cover	Oatman
Ronan	Rover	Malone
Smith	Centre	Dunderdale
O. Cleghorn	Right Wing	Mallen
Rowe	Left Wing	McDonald

SMYTH BEATS ALL COMERS

There was a great game of curling at the exhibition building last night in which Dr. E. G. Smyth beat an All-Comers' four by the score of 11-6. The rinks were: Dr. Smyth, skip; Peter Hunden, third; Jack Smith, second; and R. S. P. Smyth, lead. Donald Guthrie, skip; Al Bunker, third; George H. Revel, second; and George H. Thurman, lead.

The losers paid for a supper at the Nelson cafe at the conclusion of the match.

POLICE ACT WITH VIGOR

HAMILTON, Ont., Feb. 27.—The police refused to allow the bout scheduled tonight between Hilliard Lang of Toronto and Clayton Wildfong of Belin. Both principals were placed under arrest but bail had been arranged for in the afternoon and they were immediately released on $200 bail each.

QUEBEC GOVERNOR RECOVERING

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., Feb. 27—Dr. Walter P. Conway, late this afternoon pronounced Sir Alphonse Pelletier, governor of Quebec, out of danger. The aged statesman is improving steadily. Capt. Victor Pelletier, his aide de camp, will take Sir Alphonse home next week.

AFTER 7 YEARS SUFFERING

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Waurika, Okla.—"I had female troubles for seven years, was all run down, and so nervous I could not do anything. The doctors treated me for different things but did me no good. I got so bad that I could not sleep day or night. While in this condition I read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and began its use and wrote to Mrs. Pinkham for advice. In a short time I had gained my average weight and am now strong and well."—Mrs. SALLIE STEVENS, R. F. D. No. 3, Box 31, Waurika, Okla.

Another Grateful Woman

London, Ont.—I feel as if I could not tell others enough about the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was so weak and tired that I could not rest nights. A friend recommended your Compound and I soon gained health and strength and could not wish to sleep better. I know other women who have taken it for the same purpose and they join me in praising it.—Mrs. Wm. A. Buffy, 905 Dame St., London, Ont.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has surely cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, and nervous prostration.

REVELSTOKE TAKES OVER NEW SCHOOL

Wedding Bells Ring Down Curtain on Recent Sad Case in Police Court.

REVELSTOKE, B. C., Feb. 27.—The new school, which owing to certain uncompleted work had not been officially taken over by the school board, was thoroughly inspected on Thursday by the various members and found to comply with all the specifications of the plans, and the following evening at a meeting of the board was finally accepted and taken over by the city. At the meeting it was decided to hold an official opening in the near future at which opening various ministers of the government would be invited to attend and officiate. The date will be decided later.

The ladies auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers held its first annual dance in Selkirk hall, at which about 75 couples were in attendance. The floor was in excellent condition and at midnight a dainty luncheon was served. The affair did not break up till well on to morning.

The death occurred Thursday morning of Mrs. D. McCarthy aged 49 years and 8 months. Deceased had for the past four or five years been confined to her bed with muscular rheumatism and had been a most patient and uncomplaining sufferer. She was a member of the R. C. church and one of its most devoted workers in her own quiet way and one of its most faithful members. A husband and three daughters mourn her loss.

D. Rushford of the Great Northern at Minnesota has been appointed roadmaster of the C. P. R. here.

Word has been received here of the death of R. H. Trueman who has visited here periodically during the past few years in the capacity of photographer. The death occurred in St. Paul's hospital Vancouver, where Mr. Trueman had been confined for the past four weeks.

The improved rotary plow which lately arrived here from the Angus shops at Montreal for emergency use in the mountains was given a preliminary trial at the east C. P. R. yards on Friday and found to work thoroughly satisfactorily. The new machine is of the latest approved standard and is composed entirely of steel.

Magistrate W. W. Foster, who has just returned from a trip to the coast reports having seen the plans of the new $75,000 court house to be erected here this coming summer. The proposed building, he says, is to be a very handsome structure.

A very clever capture was made here the other day when Constable Terry apprehended a man named Headley, an alleged safe breaker from High River, Alta. From a very meagre description wired the local police Constable Terry detected his man on No. 97 when it arrived here and held him pending the arrival of Chief of Police Fish from High River. Mr. Fish took the man east on Friday.

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3-Roomed Cottage

3-Roomed cottage, Victoria st., close to substation. Just the place for two men to room who like to batch occasionally. $11.00 per month, including water.

7-Roomed House

7-Roomed house, Observatory st., two lots in bearing fruit trees, $20.00 per month, including water.

6-Roomed House

6-Roomed house, Observatory street, $15.00 per month, including water.

For Exchange

Some choice lots in Calgary, the fastest growing city in Alberta.

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GRAIN PRICES ADVANCE

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27.—Firmer cables, shorts covering, and a general stronger feeling resulted in a reaction to higher levels on all markets. Liverpool markets were unchanged to ½d higher, and markets on this side of the line responded by opening ¼c to ⅜c higher and all succeeded in holding their advances. Canadian visible showed a decrease of 350,000 bushels, while the world's visible decreased 1,500,000 bushels. Export bids were in line and large quantities were worked at 2½c under May option for No. 2, 5½c under for No. 3, 9⅜c under for No. 6, which, taken on the whole, are better prices than heretofore. At the close the advance in Winnipeg was ½c for May, ⅜c for July and ½c for October. Chicago May was up ¾c to ⅞c, July ⅞c and September ⅝c.

The Chicago board of trade will be closed tomorrow on account of primary elections.

Winnipeg Markets

	Open	Close
Wheat—		
May	91¾	91¾
July	93	93
Oct.	..	88¼
Oats—		
May	33	33
July	34	34⅛
Flax—		
May	..	245
July	..	240

American Markets

Chicago—	Open	Close
May	95¼	95⅝
July	96⅞	96¾
Sept.	90⅛	90⅝
Minneapolis—		
May	89	89⅝
July	87½	88
Sept.	87	87¼

STOCK PRICES RECOVER

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27.—Stocks were lower in Wall street today following weakness in London, and declines in some cases to a large fraction were noted. The crumbling prices did not last long on this side as traders who sold short were forced to buy back in a hurry when the real movement began.

Listed—	Bid	Asked
Canada Fire	110	...
Great West Life	300	...
Great West Permanent	120	121
Home Investment	145	...
Northern Trust	125	...
Standard Trust	135	...
Unlisted—		
Commercial Loan	105	...
Empire Loan, fully pd.	107	110
Empire Loan, partly pd.	110	115
Occidental Fire	...	102
Pioneer Fire	...	50
Sovereign Fire	75	...
Western Trust	110	...
Winnipeg Fire	105	115
Central Canada Fire	100	...
Northern Mortgage	100	...
Banks—		
Crown, c.f.e.	87	...
Northern, c.f.e.	95	99
Traders	143½	...
Industrials—		
Beaver Lumber, pfd.	92	...
Manitoba Pressed Brick	...	100
Traders Building	97	110
Western Canada Flour	...	135
Estevan Coal	95	100
Estevan Coal, com.	21	28
Lucky Jim	...	31
S. A. Warrants	770	775
Sales—		
1 S. A. Warrant	767½	
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WHEAT SCORES NEW LOW RECORD

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Part of the responsibility for an advance in wheat today was blamed on the calender. The rise followed covering by shorts, who believe that March is an unfavorable month for them. Tomorrow being a holiday, on account of an election, there will be no further chance in February to even up. Accordingly, quite a rush to buy occurred and the close was ⅝-½c to ¾-⅞c higher than 48 hours before. Incidentally wheat scored a new low record for the season, but such a performance had taken place so frequently of late that relatively little attention was given to the new drop especially as the effect proved only transient. A loading elevator concern, credited with having been long in the past, was buying today. Much greater confidence was attached to the fact that Liverpool quotations came higher, despite a big increase in world's shipments and supplies on ocean passage. Continued lack of cash demand cut some figure, but had an offset in flour exports at Winnipeg and Montreal and by reason of 1,000,000 bushels decrease in the United States' available stock of wheat. An easy tone however, prevailed at the close. During the session May ranged from 88⅝c to 89⅝c, with the last sales ½c net higher at 89⅜-½c.

UNDERTONE IS STRONG AND PRICES RECOVER

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The undertone of the market was good today through most of the session and prices worked up gradually after a heavy opening, which showed general losses from Saturday's closing, running to a point in Reading, Northern Pacific and Erie. Later in the day, however, the market eased off and most of the gains were lost. Declines at the opening presumably were the result of the efforts to dispose of stocks acquired at Friday's low price. Owing to the possibility that *decisions in the anti-trust cases might be* announced by the supreme court traders were reluctant to buy and offering were accepted at substantial concessions. When it became evident that there was little opportunity for liquidation the pressure to sell was relieved and the improvement set in. Shortly after midday bull traders bid up the stock for a time. United States Steel was forced to a point above the opening and the general list was lifted to a level which showed net gains, but pressure to sell in the final dealings left the market with few gains at the close.

The readiness with which London's allotment of St. Paul and Kansas City bonds were absorbed strengthened the opinion that securities have lost none of their value in the eyes of European investors. Announcement was made of the sale of the Erie road's $12,500,000 issue of gold notes. The Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railroad, it is learned, is to spend $1,000,000 for improvements, and the Pennsylvvana made known its intention to proceed at work on new equipment.

MONEY TIGHT

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Money was tight today, but the Bank of England's purchase of gold in the open market weakened discount rates. The stock market, with the exception of the American section, was cheerful and firm on investment buying in the prominent home rail and *gilt-edge* groups at higher prices under the lead of consols. American securities opened irregular and during the early trading declined from ¼c to ⅝c under realizing. Later New York buying orders appeared and prices hardened. The closing was steady.

VANCOUVER STOCK MARKET

(Reported by Mighton & Cavanaugh.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Coal & Coke	$ .02	$ .02¾
International Coal & Coke	.63½	.64
Great West Permanent	119.00	....
Nugget Gold Mines	.68	.70
Red Cliff Mining Co.	1.24½	1.25½
American-Canadian Oil	.57	.57¾
B. C. Copper Co.	5.75	6.50
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	....	.07
Rambler-Caribou	.39	.42
Royal Collieries	.14	.15½
South African Scrip	760.00	805.00

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Silver, 52¾; standard copper, L.10 A 12.20; quiet.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Silver, 24 5-16; lead, £13 6s 3d.

FARMER HAS ADVANTAGE OVER NEWSPAPER PROPRIETOR

Paper Read Before Upper Des Moines Editorial Association—Pig is Mightier Than Pen.

Howard Rann, editor of the Manchester (Iowa) Press, made somewhat of a stir when he read his paper before the Upper Des Moines Editorial association at Iowa City last month, for which we are indebted to the Des Moines Capitol:

"I venture to say that the profession *of newspapering contains more chumps* to the square inch than any other class of citizenship, unless it is a barber who gives a shave for a nickel and a hair cut for fifteen cents. If you don't believe this, compare the prices of job printing and advertising maintained 15 years ago with those of today. You will find that where the country printer used to get $2 for 500 envelopes he is now glad to beat his competitor to it by scaling that price anywhere from 50 cents to $1. When I entered the newspaper work the prevailing price for 500 noteheads was from $2.75 to $3.25.

Flat Rate Problem.

"The flat rate advertising farce has cut an even deeper hole in the profits of the weekly publisher. Think of a newspaper with 2000 circulation and a flat rate of 10 cents an inch furnishing a half page for $7.70. Under the old-fashioned and much abused scale system, the use of which built up newspaper properties that made men independent years ago, you couldn't buy a single column in a good paper for less than the price of a half page today.

"But the advertising agencies drove the weekly papers to adopt the plan of the big dailies, with their enormous circulation and jump scale advertising rates, with the result that advertising profits in many offices in this state have been almost cut in two, for it must be remembered that in the majority of communities it is possible to secure only about so much advertising, one year with another. The effect of this is that not one-fifth of the weekly newspapers in Iowa return anything like a satisfactory profit for their owners, who slave their heads off year after year for the satisfaction of beating the other fellow out of work which will yield no profit.

Why the Pig is Mightier.

"These are some of the reasons why the pig is mightier than the pen.

"I am here to say that the man who owns 80 acres of Iowa land, and who has brains enough to till it, makes the lot of the country newspaper man look like the last sad remnants of a Dutch lunch. The farmer has the best of it all around. He is as independent as the *American Express company.*

"He doesn't have to write a soulful obituary over the remains of some peak-headed bloke who caved his wife's ribs in with a grub stake and kept on display an exhibit of cut plug profanity that would make the efforts of a steamboat mate sound like a meeting of the Epworth league.

"He doesn't have to go into raptures over the beauty of an open-faced bride with a cast of countenance that would blow out the gas, and he can say what he dum pleases about a candidate for congress, something no newspaper ever dared to do unless he had just lost the post office.

Farmer Needn't Lie.

"The farmer isn't required to lie until his back teeth fall out about the sterling manhood of a groom with ears like a cauliflower plant and the brain power of a shoat.

"He doesn't have to run a piano contest for the most beautiful young lady in the community, make everybody sore but the winner, and then print a 75-cent halftone of the beauty that looks like a tintype of grandma at the age of 13.

"There is nothing in the farmer's curriculum that obliges him to paint the local soprano as a heaven-sent songster when, in fact, she has a voice that would make a guinea hen weep.

"He isn't called upon to paint the virtues of a prominent citizen who earned his money by collecting notes with a draw shave and who would have an attack of heart failure if suddenly separated from two bits in real money.

"*The farmer can stand on the street* corner and roar about smallpox in town until his whiskers curl up like a lean man with the wind colic, and if the newspaper man runs a three-line item to the same effect his advertisers will land on him and make him resemble a crushed fruit salad.

More Chances for Farmer.

"If the printer opens his head about the presence of slot machines, penny ante and holes-in-the-wall, every candidate he supports at the primary election will have about as much show of nomination as a one-legged man in a hurdle race. The farmer can sit on his front porch and lambast the board of supervisors from supper to breakfast and if a newspaper man jars a board off the fence in that direction his appeal for the county printing will be about as effective as a live broil with tobasco sauce.

"The farmer doesn't have to impress a chaste kiss on the moist nose of his foreman in order to keep him from getting drunk on press day, neither does he have to get somebody to go on his note when the devil carelessly feeds a pair of pipe tongs through the cylinder press or the rats chew the lining off the new set of rollers. There is no law which compels him to fill four columns of space with a clogged think-tank and a stickful of brain food.

"Let us reform, brethren, and get close to nature's heart with a three-tined pitchfork and a self-feeding manure spreader. We will live longer, or any rate it will seem longer, as the married man said, and, if the worst *comes to the worst,* we can live on rutabagas and rock salt, which, we have no doubt, is an improvement over our customary diet.

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APPEALS FOR FUNDS FOR CHINESE FAMINE

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., Feb. 26—Rev. R. Newton Powell, president of the Methodist *conference of British Columbia,* has issued an appeal to the denomination to co-operate in donations for the relief of the famine and plague stricken districts of China. The action is taken on receipt of a communication from the foreign missionary secretary of the general conference, advising this policy. The Vancouver famine relief committe has cabled $1000 to the secretary of the Shanghai committee as the first offering of the city.

HEARING STANDS

OTTAWA, Feb. 27—In the supreme court this morning a motion was made by Ewart, K.C., to postpone hearing of a motion now before the full court of Saskatchewan being disposed of. Hearing was ordered to stand.

Children's Scalp Sores Are Healed by Zam-Buk

Mothers are well aware how frequently children contract cold sores, ringworm, etc., at school. Some little sufferer is sent to school with a sore of this nature. At play, the children change caps, and right there the infection is spread—the damage done.

Some children are particularly liable to scalp sores, etc., and often these break out with annoying frequency. Such a case was that of the daughter of Mrs. Albert Gaedike, of 455 Amherst St., Montreal. Mrs. Gaedike says: "My little three year old daughter suffered frequently from scalp disease and try as we would we could not rid the little one of this. We tried everything we could think of but failed to *effect a cure until we were advised to try* Zam-Buk. This balm seemed entirely different to anything we had tried before, and from first applying it there was a marked improvement. The sores seemed less inflamed and less irritable. After a few days they ceased to trouble the child; and in less than a fortnight from first commencing with Zam-Buk they were completely healed. In view of these facts I feel it my duty to let mothers know how beneficial Zam-Buk is."

There is no doubt that for scalp sores, ringworm, ulcers, abscesses, cold cracks, chapped hands, frost bite and similar sores, Zam-Buk is absolutely without equal. It is just as good for piles, varicose sores, poisoned wounds, cuts, burns and scalds. *Rubbed well in over the affected part,* it cures rheumatism, sciatica, etc., and rubbed into the chest it relieves the tightness and feeling of weight due to contracting a bad cold. All druggists and stores sell at 50c box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse imitations.

Combination Vote Schedule

Where The News and Hampton's Magazine are ordered at the same time, votes will be allowed as follows:

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1 year	$ 6.50	5,000 votes
2 years	13.00	13,000 votes
3 years	19.50	25,000 votes
4 years	26.00	40,000 votes
5 years	33.00	60,000 votes

Weekly News and Hampton's

1 year	$ 3.50	1,000 votes
2 years	7.00	3,500 votes
3 years	10.50	7,500 votes
4 years	14.00	12,000 votes
5 years	17.50	18,000 votes
10 years	35.00	65,000 votes

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FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching, Ancona, the famous winter layers, $2.50 for 15; S. C. White Leghorns, from extra good laying strain, $2 for 15. All eggs from selected pens. For 100 egg lots write A. Milton, Mirror Lake, B.C., near Kaslo, B.C. 264-26

FOR SALE—Pure bred, prize winners; single comb Black Minorcas; single comb Buff Leghorns; Buff Orpingtons; White Wyandottes; Imperial Peking ducks, bred to lay, fed for high fertility. Eggs for sale, $1.50 per setting. C. Gansner, Williams Siding, near Nelson, B.C. 267-26

FOR SALE—A good milking goat, cheap. Apply E. Cutt, Observatory and Cedar. 268-6

FOR SALE—Two Barred Rock and four Brahmas cockerels, or exchange for settings of eggs. P. O. Box 252. 268-2

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WATER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a license in the Nelson Division of Kootenay District.

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant: Clarence Gooch, Box 492, Nelson.

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnammed, the description is: Living spring, "Gooches spring," three-*quarters of a mile of Slocan Junction* station.

(c) The point of diversion: 200 yards southwest from the northeast corner post of lot No. 9516.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second): ¼ cubic foot.

(e) The character of the proposed works: Iron pipes and flumes.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same): Easterly half of lot No. 9516.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used: Irrigation.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage: Forty acres.

(i) Area of Crown land intended to be *occupied by the proposed works: None.*

(j) This notice was posted on the 27th day of February, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 27th day of March, 1911.

(k) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet: Fred Anderson (if any.)

CLARENCE GOOCH,
28-2-11-30d. Box 492, Nelson.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a Duplicate Certificate of Title to an undivided one-third of Lot 921, Group 1, Kootenay district, "Cliff" mineral claim, and all minerals, precious and base (save coal) therein.

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 an undivided one-third of said Lot 921, Group 1, known as the "Cliff" mineral claim, in the name of George C. Wharton, which Certificate is dated 29th June, 1904, and numbered 354A.

SAMUEL R. ROE,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C.,
December 7th, 1910. 31-1-11-4w.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

Take notice that I, David E. Wick, of Nelson, occupation broker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of Lot 10293, near Nine-Mile creek, Pend O'Reille river, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, containing 320 acres more or less.

DAVID E. WICK,
Per ALEX. G. LANG, Agent.
Feb. 3, 1911. 21-2-11-60d.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY.

Take notice that Emily Wenmoth, of Hayfield, England, occupation, farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner of Lot 7741 (Kootenay), thence north 40 chains; thence east 60 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, containing 160 acres, more or less.

EMILY WENMOTH,
Per ALEX. G. LANG, Agent.
Feb. 6, 1911. 21-2-11-60d.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title to Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 15, Nelson city, Addition A, Map 349.

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 Ella Teresa Croasdaile, which Certificate is dated the 28th May, 1894, and numbered 1823SA1.

SAMUEL R. ROE,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C.,
February 23rd, 1911. 28-2-11-30d

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WANTED—Immediately, about 20 acres im*proved fruit ranch, with house preferred.* Full particulars, price and terms, P. O. Box 671. 264-6

WANTED—A good, smart boy, about 16, to assist in store and to learn the boot and shoe and dry goods business. Apply in own writing, stating particulars and giving references, to N. B., care of News office. 265-tf.

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WANTED—Scotch young lady wishes situation. Apply Mr. George Pender, Observatory street and Park. 267-2

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WANTED—Situation, by Norwegian girl, as chambermaid in good hotel, or management of rooming house; four years' experience. Address box 721, Rossland, B.C. 267-6

WANTED—General housework, by a good reliable woman. Ranch work preferred. L. P. Z., Daily News Office, Nelson. 268-6

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FOR SALE—For $3,000, good boarding house, capacity 40 boarders. For terms, etc., apply to Jeff Davis & Co., Grand Forks, B.C. 214-1

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished bedrooms with board. Mrs. Brown. Apply 507 Carbonate street. 263-tf.

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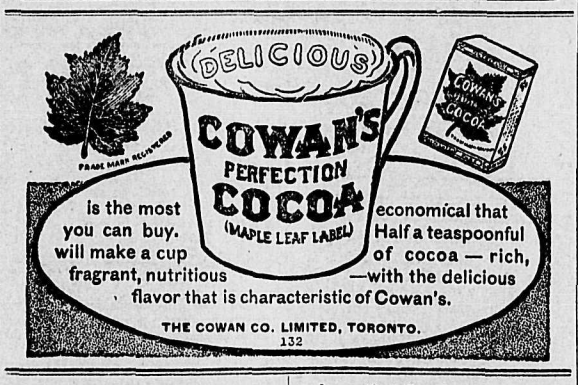

FORM COUNCIL OF A CATHOLIC ORDER

Joseph Ryan Addresses Nelson Catholics on Principles of Knights of Columbus

Joseph Ryan of Cranbrook, district deputy of the order of Knights of Columbus addressed a large number of the leading Roman Catholics in the Catholic club Sunday morning after high mass, explaining the object and advantages of this organization, which now numbers about 280,000 in the United States and Canada. A very considerable amount of the preliminary work of forming a council of the order has already been disposed of by L. H. Choquette, T. J. Scanlan and J. O. Patenaude, so that the district deputy had little more to do than arrange the details for the exemplification of the degrees. This function will take place in Eagle hall, very likely on Sunday, May 28, the Spokane team, under the control of Frank J. Dorsey having been already secured for the degree work. Nelson will be the rallying point for all the knights from the Boundary country, Rossland, Cranbrook, Fernie and as far south as Spokane.

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NOTICES MAILED FOR TAX ARREARS

Twenty-Three Thousand Dollars Owing to City Treasury—Proportion Smaller Than Usual

About $23,000 is owing to the city treasury in arrears of taxes for the years 1909 and 1910, and today the mails will be burdened with taxe notices in respect to some 500 delinquent parcels of land, issued by W. E. Wasson ,city treasurer in conformity with the provisions of the statute. Of this $23,000 about $18,000 is arrears for the year 1910. Snice Jan. 1 of the respective years interest at 8 per cent has been added. The 1910 levy was for $60,000 in round numbers, and the greater part of it was paid in time to secure the discount. Since 1897 the city of Nelson has had two tax sales, the last one the past year. From now on, it is probable that there will be a tax sale annually, so next fall any arrears from 1909 then extant will be subject to liquidation by sale of the delinquent properties. In proportion, the gross amount of arrears noted above is the smallest in recent years, and in view of the prosperous condition of the community, the great part of this liability should be quickly extinguished.

The city offices are also sending out notices, dated March 1, for electric light accounts overdue, up to the end of January. Failure to immediately settle entails the penalty of having the light cut off. The amount of this arrearage is about $5000.

The new rates for power in less quantities than 50 horse power, come into effect tomorrow.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

(Additional News Notes on Page Eight.)

Although Mr. Walker is selling his furniture, he is not leaving town.

Mrs. Alexander Thomson and Miss Mary Thompson of Robson, were in the city yesterday.

The annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary of St. Saviour's church will be held in the parish hall on Thursday at 3 p.m.

Dr. Steed has moved his dental offices from the Hudson's Bay block to the Griffin block, into the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Clayton.

Chas. A. Waterman & Co. will sell today by public auction all the household furniture of J. J. Walker 514 Carbonate street, at 2 o'clock.

The Knights of Pythias will meet tonight in their Castle hall, Baker street, at 8 o'clock. As there is important business to be brought forward, all members are requested to be present.

A. Gordon Drench, who has been in Spokane for the purpose of reporting on behalf of some local capitalists upon the Kingsley process of producing lead and zinc paints, has returned to the city.

Jake Serson, superintendent of bridge construction for the provincial government, was in the city yesterday. He stated that all last season's work was completed and that bridge construction will commence on April 1.

Miss Beattie of Toronto arrived in town last night to take charge of Meagher & Co.'s millinery department. Before leaving for the west she attended all the principal eastern millinery openings and bought a number of most fascinating creations. The high reputation as a designer and trimmer that Miss Beattie brings with her shows that Meagher & Co. intend their millinery department to be a leading feature this spring.

The reception at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday evening of this week, under the direction of the various young people's societies of the city, promises to be a very pleasant occasion. A musical number will be furnished by each society as well as other special features. The pyramid work by the young men's gym class will be something new, and will be well worth the seeing. The young men have been practicing for some time and their work shows the splendid results of physical training. One of the interesting items of the program will be the bowling contest by three mixed teams from the different societies. All friends of the Y.M.C.A. will be welcome on this evening.

Strictly fresh eggs from local ranches at 40c per dozen, at the Hudson's Bay Stores.

Wednesday's specials at the Nothing-Over-25c Variety store is—25c glass berry bowls for 10c. 268-2

Our Sale will continue until every yard of dress goods is sold. Mr. and Mrs. Flint, 612 Baker street. 261-tf.

CROWDS AT NEW ORLEANS CARNIVAL

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 27—What is believed to be the largest carnival crowd ever gathered in New Orleans today witnessed the arrival of Rex, marking the formal opening of the Mardi Gras festivities. Thousands of persons greeted the king of the carnival as he came up the Mississippi river and landed from the royal yacht. The formality of turning over the keys of the city to him followed.

LINER OFFICERS CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING IMMIGRANTS

Steamer Raided by Federal Officers at Brooklyn—Rejected Immigrants Masquerade as Crew.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27—Federal officers swept aboard a trans-Atlantic liner when she made her pier yesterday afternoon and arrested every man in authority from the captain down. All are charged with conspiracy to violate the United States immigration laws. The steamship is the Athinai of the Hellenic trans-Atlantic Steamship company, whose general agent here also was arrested.

The government charges that the company has been smuggling in aliens for more than a year, some of them disguised as members of the crew, others hidden about the ship until there was no danger of search. A field agent of the immigrant bureau at Washington who worked up the case had 76 names on his list, but only 29 of them could be found on the Athinai when he boardered her at quarantine. No arrests were made until the ship moored in Brooklyn. The passengers were taken off without fuss, and federal officers then searched the ship, arresting these who could be found.

The government expects to prove that when aliens were rejected at Ellis island it was possible for any of them by a payment of from $40 to $80 to enlist as members of the crew, or else to take passage and when the ship arrived to evade inspection either by hiding or by appearing on the ship's muster. Women were passed off it is charged as stewardesses.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 27—Under the patronage of the National Alliance for the Protection of Stage Children, of which Daniel Frohman, Augustus Thomas, Mrs. Fiske, Julia Marlowe, Francis Wilson and other persons prominently connected with the stage are active members, a mammoth performance was given in the Metropolitan opera house this afternoon to enlist public attention in the interest of the children of the stage. The alliance has been working for several years to bring about the repeal or modification of the laws restricting or preventing the appearance of children on the stage. The complaint is especially strong against the existing laws in Massachusetts, Kentucky, Illinois and Louisiana. In these states the law absolutely bars children under 16 years of age from appearing in theatrical performances.

IMPERIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

BERLIN, Feb. 27—The German emperor and empress, who were married Feb. 27, 1881, when the former was Crown Prince William and the latter Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, today received innumerable messages of congratulation and many valuable presents on the occasion of their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

EDMONTON CITIZENS DISGUSTED AT COMMISSIONER'S DISMISSAL

EDMONTON, Alta., Feb. 27—As an attempted checkmate to the action of citizens on Saturday in preventing by injunction the special meeting to dismiss Commissioner Bouillon, aldermen applied to the chief justice at noon today to prevent the holding of a citizen's meeting tonight to discuss the situation. The ground taken by them was that the matter could not be discussed as it was before the courts and they asked an order to have any citizen arrested, who participated. The judge refused to grant the order, however, holding that the meeting was in the public interest. The feeling over the question is intense here.

KANSAS CITY AUTO SHOW

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 27—Kansas City's fifth annual automobile show opened in Convention hall today, to continue until Saturday. In many respects the exhibition this year eclipses all of its predecessors. The display of commercial cars is especially notable. In connection with the show a meeting will be held during the week to organize the Southwestern Automobile Dealers' association.

MAY OCCUPY STREETS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27—The court has made an order allowing the minister of railways to take possession of parts of small streets near the Red river necessary for the entrance of the National Trainscontinental railway. The necessary removal of power wires is not to prejudice pending or current suits between the city and street railway company.

OPPOSE LEVEL CROSINGS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 27—Opposition to the scheme of the Great Northern railway which proposes to build a line into the central part of the city and establish a host of level crossings is increasing. It is likely that a compromise will be reached but ward interests are backing the railway's attempt to the full extent of their influence.

MAGISTRATE FOUND DEAD

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 27—Major Murray, police magistrate at Stoney Mountain, was found dead in his room at the hotel here this morning. Heart failure was the cause. He was an old army man and had been resident in this city for many years.

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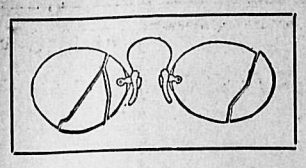

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

(Additional News Notes on Page Seven.)

C. I. Archibald of Salmo is a guest at the Strathcona.

Today is Shrove Tuesday, popularly known as Pancake Day."

Endeavors are being made to arrange for a band at the skating rink tomorrow evening.

H. T. Goodeve of Rossland reached the city last night and is a guest at the Strathcona.

The Rebekahs will give one of their successful dances this evening in Oddfellows' hall.

George B. Campbell, manager of the G. M. Annable lumber mill at Winn, is a visitor in the city.

G. F. Robinson, the summit lumberman, returned to Nelson last night from Toronto and is at the Strathcona.

F. E. Simpson of Kamloops is a guest at the Hume. Some years ago Mr. Simpson was proprietor of the Cranbrook Herald

T. G. Proctor who has been at the coast for some weeks, was in Spokane yesterday and is expected to return to the city within the next few days.

The Bankers' dance, held last night in Eagle hall, was one of the most successful affairs of the season, being unexceptionable in appointments, and in management.

Dr. E. C. Arthur is moving into new quarters in the Mara block on Baker street, nearly opposite the Hudson Bay stores, in which building his present office is located.

The Baptist young people's society will be addressed this evening by Mr. Papazian on the the Armenian question. A cordial welcome is extended to all who are interested.

A tea in aid of the funds of the Association of Church Helpers of St. Saviour's church will be given by Mrs. E. A. Crease and Mrs. W. A. Ward at the residence of the latter, 904 Silica street, this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. Everybody will be welcome.

Those who made application to join the night school are requested to be at the principal's room at the public school at 7.30 tomorrow evening, when the first class will commence.

Bruce MacAulay, manager of the Alice roller rink, announces that there will be a carnival at an early date. One hundred pairs of new skates are expected today, and there will be a band at the rink tonight.

Tomorrow being Ash Wednesday there will be the following services at St. Saviour's church: 7.30 a.m., Holy Communion; 10.30 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion; 5 p.m., Litany and commination service; 8 p.m., evensong. On each week-day during Lent there will be evensong and address at 5 p.m. and on Wednesdays and Fridays the service of Litany at 10.30 a.m. Until further notice these services will be held in the parish hall. The services tomorrow will be in the church.

INDIGNATION AT LIBELLOUS STORY

Citizens Aroused at Article Concerning King George Appearing in Spokane Paper—Action Taken

Indignation is being expressed in the city at an article regarding King George V which was published in last Sunday's edition of a Spokane newspaper. This story was written on the lines of that published recently in a French newspaper known as the Liberator and for which Edward Mylius has recently been sentenced to one year's imprisonment in England.

It deals with the alleged morganatic marriage of the King to Miss Seymour, a daughter, the Spokane paper says, of "Admiral Tryon" and which has already been proved a gross libel.

One prominent citizen has already written to the postmaster general asking that the paper in question be excluded from the Canadian mails and from entering the Dominion. It has been suggested by a prominent member of the Nelson Canadian club that the club take the matter up and also memoralize the head of the postoffice department at Ottawa.

VANCOUVER ENGINEER RESIGNS

(Special to The Daily News.)

VANCOUVER, Feb. 27—City Engineer Clement tonight tendered his resignation to take effect March 31. He has occupied the office for five years coming from Toronto. Supervising Engineer Fellows, of Westmount, Montreal, who was recently engaged at a salary of $8000, does not assume his duties until May 1. Mr. Clement's salary was $4000.

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OFFERS PRIZES FOR RIFLE SHOOTING

Militia Council to Provide Prize for Each Efficient Civilian Rifle Association

OTTAWA, Feb.27—With a view to greater encouragement of rifle shooting among members of civilian rifle associations it has been decided by the militia council to offer an individual prize to be known as the "Dominion of Canada" prize to each gazetted and efficient civilian rifle association for competition during the season of 1911.

The prize is a nickel silver ornamented salver, 10 inches in diameter bearing the coat of arms of the Dominion of Canada with an inscription that it is presented by the government of the *Dominion for skill in rifle shooting* The name of the association and the winner will be engraved on the salver.

To be eligible for this prize it will be necessary for the associaion to hold four competitions during the season of 1911 in which at least 40 per cent of the members must take part. Competitors will shoot at 200, 500 and 600 yard ranges.

PROCTOR NEWS NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

PROCTOR, B.C. Feb. 27—The mild weather which set in some two weeks ago has continued and the snow which was deeper this year than it has been for years in this district, is now rapidly disappearing under the influence of the spring sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne of Nelson arrived here on Wednesday and left on Thursday after visiting several of the beauty spots around Proctor.

Mrs. F. H. Loring of Nelson arrived here on the Kokanee on Saturday to meet her mother who is coming from *England to pay her a visit.*

W. K. Bearisto of the firm of Bearisto and company of Winnipeg, who arrived here to inspect the work of the plumbers at the C.P.R. hotel at Balfour, is so much impressed with this favorable climate that he intends to invest in land here.

Col. and Mrs. Holmes arrived here on Thursday from Kaslo and left on the Kuskanook for Victoria where they reside. Mrs. Holmes met with a painful accident on her trip by falling while descending the staircase on the boat between here and Kaslo. She was not seriously injured although badly bruised.

The addition to Mr. Williams' pool room is now completely finished and adds very much to the appearance of the building. It will be used this week for the apple packing school. This school will be in charge of an expert fruit packer, who has been thoroughly grounded in the basic principles of fruit packing and it is expected that a large number of the ranchers will be in attendance.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Berkley of Vernon arrived here on Sunday and are visiting the different ranches with a view to investing in fruit lands here.

James Clements of Winnipeg arrived here Sunday and is employed by Sharp and company.

Peter McVeal of Nelson arrived here this week on a business trip.

P. McTavish of Winnipeg arrived here on Sunday and has accepted a position with Sharp and company.

Mr. Parkinson and family moved into the residence of Mr. Merryfield, which has just been completed on Saturday and Grant McKane is having some improvements made to his house which was vacated by Mr. Parkinson.

F. A. Starkey of Nelson accompanied by S. M. Brydges arrived here this week on a business trip. It is understood they are interested in a land deal recently put through here. They returned to Nelson on Sunday evening on the Moyie.

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