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FAMINE STRICKEN PEOPLE EAT DOGS

Russian Peasants Subsist on Acorns and Shrubs

OFFICIALS FORBID RELIEF FUNDS

Hundreds of Thousands May Perish Through Huge Crop Shortage

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 8.—Russia is in the grip of a famine that threatens to claim more lives than that of 1891, when 800,000 died. The Free Economic society estimates the crop shortage at 50,000,000 tons. In Ufa, hundreds of children have lived for months on acorns, but these are almost exhausted. In Samaria province the people are eating dogs and shrubs, while scores are dying of starvation.

Officials have prohibited the organization of private relief societies, fearing political propaganda. In some districts the police have forbidden the papers to raise funds or to mention the famine. Even the Central Zemstvo has received orders not to attempt relief.

RUMORED KING CEORGE SHOT AT

Wall Street Responsible for Origination of Canard—Story Entirely Unsupported by Cables.

TORONTO, Dec. 8.—A rumor which originated on the New York stock exchange today that King George had been shot in India came over the brokers' private wires and soon spread to the streets.

As no news agency had any confirmation of the story, little credence was put in it by the newspapers, and no specials were issued here, but the newspaper staffs were kept busy answering telephone inquiries from the public.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The Associated Press is not carrying the rumor which originated in New York this afternoon to the effect that King George had been shot at in India, holding that, as neither confirmation nor denial has been received, there is no foundation for the rumor.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE BASIS OF POLICY

Russian Foreign Minister Pays Visit to Paris—Strong Stand on Persia Question.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The Paris Temps today prints an interesting interview with the Russian foreign minister, M. Sazonoff, whose visit here is regarded by the French press as a kind of reaffirmation of the Russo-French entente.

After saying that the European situation, in his opinion, was not serious, M. Sazonoff declared that Russia's demonstration of good will toward Persia had not been reciprocated and that Russia had been obliged to ask for complete satisfaction. It was not the intention of the Russian government to permit the national dignity or commercial interests of the country to be compromised.

M. Sazonoff denied that Russia had officially proposed the question of opening the Dardanelles to Russian warships. In conclusion he referred to the unity and solidity of the triple entente, declaring that his country's alliance with France continues to be the basis of Russia's foreign policy.

GOLD MEDAL FOR SCHOOL SCRIBE

William Irvine Aids Kootenay Correspondence Corps Publicity Plan—Many Citizens on List

A promise by William Irvine, chairman of the school board, to donate a gold medal to the pupil of the public school or high school who is successful in obtaining the publication of the best series of articles or letters relating to East Kootenay in an eastern or old country newspaper; offers by 26 citizens to write for about 30 papers and the announcement that the Nelson Improvement association would meet on Monday night to consider a plan of assisting the scheme were the chief results of the announcement yesterday morning of the Kootenay correspondence corps plan for wide publicity made by the publicity bureau. The idea seemed to meet with very general approval and the publicity committee express high hopes that they will have little difficulty in securing the 1,000 press correspondents upon which they have set their hearts.

DARROW WELL PAID IN DYNAMITE CASE

Nearly All Huge Defence Fund for Attorney

ONE-HUNDRED AND SEVENTY THOUSAND

McNamaras Declare They Will Divulge Nothing to Grand Jury

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 8—Hoping to dispel doubt and curb criticism of the methods used in obtaining and distributing the McNamara defense fund, a report of all money collected and disbursed up to Oct. 2 was made public here tonight with the consent of Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, who is custodian of the fund. The total amount received up to that date was $194,612.53 and the total expenditures were $184,850. No accounting is made of sums received and spent since that time.

Darrow Gets Huge Sum

Clarence Darrow, chief of counsel for the defense of the McNamaras, had been paid the sum of $170,000. It is stated that Darrow was to pay his assistants from this amount.

Local attorneys who have been looking after the Minneapolis end of the case, have been paid $11,000. Lee M. Davenport has received, according to reports, $8,500, and Henry Seifrid $2,500. Frank Mulholland, attorney of Toledo, was paid $259.10 for legal services given in that city.

Will Tell Nothing.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 8.—The scope of the investigation undertaken by the federal grand jury here has not been entirely defined yet.

Both James B. McNamara and John J. McNamara remained in their cells today, reiterating that they would tell nothing if called before the grand jury.

FORESEES NEW GARDEN OF EDEN

P. A. O'Farrell Looks For Day When Kootenay Will Be Land of Flowers and Fruit.

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Dec. 8.—P. A. O'Farrell, the well-known journalist, has been visiting the city during the week and has now gone to the Slocan district. Later on he will visit Vancouver before returning east. In an interview he said:

"I am very glad to find the mining developments of Rossland and the Kootenays so satisfactory. In 16 years Rossland has produced upwards of $50,000,000, mostly in gold, and there is every assurance that it will produce many another $50,000,000.

"Over at Sheep Creek another very valuable gold district is being developed and the Slocan is gradually but surely coming to the front as the richest silver-lead and zinc district of the continent. When I came to Rossland 17 years ago there were neither railroads nor smelters to handle the ores. Now the mine owners of the Kootenays have most excellent railroad and smelter facilities. There is no better country in the world for mining labor than the Rossland, Slocan and Sheep Creek districts. At Butte the miners and their families have to live under very adverse conditions. There is not a garden, nor a meadow nor an orchard within miles of the city. At Rossland miners with families can buy good homes cheaply, or they can build a home right near the mines and have an acre or two of land where they can grow potatoes, peas and beans and celery in abundance. They can plant apple, pear and cherry trees and peach trees and plum trees as well. There is no better soil or climate in Canada for the production of fruit and vegetables than in and around Rossland, and the day is coming when every acre of land in the Kootenays capable of cultivation will be blooming with orchards and flower gardens or will be rich dairy pastures or excellent vegetable gardens. What Rossland and the Slocan need are miners with families. They need industrious toilers who will clear the land and plant and prune and sow and reap. They do not want miners who have no taste for home life and for orchards or flower gardens or for lawns. They want every patch of good land cleared and cultivated and they want the Kootenays to be a land of happy homes, where the miner's cottage nestles in the midst of lawns and groves and orchards."

LANG FIGHT POSTPONED.

TORONTO, Dec. 8.—The Lang fight was postponed to December 21, because of Lang's injured arm.

Edition Will Describe Kootenay at Length

One of the features of The Daily News special New Year's edition, which will be published early in January, will be the articles on Nelson, her industries and her attractions from a residential viewpoint, written by well-known local men, while similar articles on the various cities and communities in the surrounding districts will be contributed by persons particularly well qualified to write them.

The illustrations will depict the scenic and sporting attractions, the industries and the natural resources of the Kootenays on a scope hitherto not attempted in this district.

The special number will meet the requirements of all who wish to obtain trustwortry information regarding the district. To the prospective investor it will tell of the possibilities for profitable development of the vast undeveloped resources of the Kootenay and from it the prospective settler will obtain a knowledge of the natural advantages of the district as a place of residence.

It will appeal to the investor interested in timber, lands and mines, to the traveler and tourist, and to the people of the old country and the east who are seeking a new country with greater possibilities for advancement and with unexcelled scenic, sporting and climatic attractions.

EIGHT THOUSAND MANCHUS SLAIN

Rebels and Outlaws Hedge in Foreigners—Imperial Terms of Settlement with Republicans.

PEKIN, Dec. 8.—The first direct and uncensored news received from Sain-fu since the recent outbreak there was brought here today by messengers. It consists of letters to the British and American legations and the director of ports. The letters say that 8,000 Manchus were slain by Chinese and that there was much looting.

Several mission houses in the province were destroyed and eight foreigners, some of them children, were killed. According to the letters foreigners in the province of Shin-fu, of which Sain-fu is the capital number 275. A majority of these are now in Sain-fu, but others fled to the province of Kan-su, where trouble is expected

Lawless Control River

"We apparently are safe now," says one of the letters, "but the lawless are in the majority. We had hoped to escape down the river, but the road is dangerous. The Kan-su missionaries may have a hard time. Money can not be sent them, as all the mails have been stopped and the banks here robbed and burned."

This letter is signed by V. J. Plymire of the Christian & Missionary alliance at Tao-chow, province of Kan-su. It is dated November 26.

Terms of Proposed Settlement.

The terms which the imperial delegates will take to Shanhai or Nanking in an endeavor to settle the questions in dispute between the government and the rebels are believed to provide.

First. That the emperor shall be retained, though he will be entirely without power.

Second. That a president and cabinet shall be elected by the nation and the president shall possess the same authority as the president of a republic.

Third. That if the foregoing conditions are accepted, the government will grant provincial autonomy.

WARM GROUND FOR SEWER DIGGING

Cranbrook Solves Problem of Frost Hardened Streets—Piles of Logs Burned Every Night

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRANBROOK, Dec. 8.—Mr. DeRiemer, for the past year a partner with Mr. Gerrard in the Auditorium Amusement company, has retired from that firm and leaves tomorrow with his wife and family for New York city where he will spend a few months with his mother, whom he has not seen for some years. Mr. DeRiemer will not return to town. Mr. Gerrard will conduct the picture show, and intends making many improvements to the Auditorium.

The Ladies Guild of Christ church held their annual world's fair Wednesday afternoon and evening. The Auditorium was secured for the occasion. In the afternoon there were on sale all sorts of pastry, and home baking cooking, besides fowl and much fancy work, suitable for Christmas gifts. The concert in the evening consisted of several musical selections, readings and dances. The fair was well attended and the ladies netted a nice sum.

The sewerage system is being pushed ahead at all possible speed. Large piles of logs are ablaze in different lanes till late at night softening the ground for the diggers.

GRIST MILL BURNED.

GLENBORO, Man., Dec. 8.—The grist mill and elevator here was burned at 5 o'clock this morning. The property is owned by Joseph Johnson of Winnipeg and the loss will probably reach $45,000. There is $10,000 insurance on the elevator but none on the mill.

CONSERVATIVE NOMINEE.

HIGH RIVER, Alta., Dec. 8.—At the Conservative convention held here today Dr. H. G. Stanley was chosen Conservative nominee for the High River constituency for the coming provincial election.

WOMEN BIG FACTOR IN CIVIC ELECTION

Defeated Prohibition in Los Angeles—Were More Enthusiastic Than Men—Municipal Newspaper

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 8—A study of the results of Tuesday's municipal election shows that the women at their first exercise of the ballot wielded a powerful influence, in fact, did it all. Following are the accomplishments of the women:

Cast more than half of total vote; defeated Socialism; defeated prohibition; declared for municipal newspapers; voted for a device to preserve pavements; voted more quickly than the men; out-voted the men in nearly all precincts; worked for candidates more enthusiastically than the men, converted many former foes to their cause.

There were three important measures to be considered besides the mayoralty, the most important being the drastic prohibition measure designed to make the city as "dry" as a bone. The woman voter was overwhelmingly against that, but they declared for a municipal newspaper and for the ordinance requiring the street railway companies to equip its lines throughout the city with the Trilby rail.

OUTSIDE EXPLOSION BLEW UP MAINE

United States Naval Board Issues Report in Confirmation of Preliminary Investigation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8—The United States battleship Maine, sunk in Havana harbor in February, 1898 by an explosion, was blown up from the outside. This was announced today by the naval board which has been examining the wreck. The finding confirms the report of the original investigators who made a superficial examination shortly after the disaster. The statement given out by the navy department is brief.

PERSIA SEEKS PEACE.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Dispatches from Teheran say Persia is ready to enter into friendly negotiations with Russia with regard to the latter's ultimatum. Persia, however, is unable to comply with the Russian demand that future appointments of foreign advisers in Persia be referred to Great Britain and Russia.

GOLD NUGGETS IN CHICKEN CROPS.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 8.—Kamloops is excited over an alleged free gold discovery. Small nuggets are said to have been found in the crops of chickens from the Silton ranch. A small number of people have staked claims there intending to prospect further in the spring.

DECEMBER 9, 1911.

Coupon No. 6.

This coupon, with one from each of the other issues of The Daily News of the week ending Dec. 2, and 10 cents entitles the holder to a photogravure reproduction of the great historical picture "Founders of the Dominion." If pictures are to be mailed 4 cents must be added to cover postage.

WILL PURSUE HER NATIONAL IDEALS

Premier Borden Speaks on Canada at New York

NAVY MINISTER FOR OLD COUNTRY

Hon. G. P. Graham Will Probably Be Opposed in North Renfrew

NEW YORK, Dec. 8—Hon. Robert L. Borden, prime minister of Canada, James Bryce, British ambassador to United States, Governor Dix of New York and Robert C. Smith, K.C., of Montreal, were the principal speakers at the 15th annual dinner of the Canadian club of New York tonight.

Mr. Borden said that Canadians were not insensible to the danger that their great natural resources might pass into the hands of an oligarchy of wealth and be used for the oppression of the people.

"In this and other respects," said the speaker, "we hope to profit by your experience," and he ventured to guess his hearers had heard of the recent reciprocity campaign.

"Permit me to assure you that the result was not due in any sense to a spirit of unfriendliness to this great country," he said. He pointed to Canada's long standing offer to the United States on reciprocity in natural products and how in 1886 a reciprocity proposal was denounced when Canada felt almost completely dependent on her markets.

No Diplomatic Tariff Changes

"That feeling has long since passed away," he said, "and will never return. For 30 years we have pursued certain national ideals and policies which we firmly intend to continue to pursue. We reached the conclusion that the recent proposals were inconsistent with those ideals and policies. Moreover, we entirely disbelieve in dealing with tariffs by diplomatic measures."

Ambassador Bryce spoke of his delight in seeing how quickly the new governor general, the Duke of Connaught, and the duchess had endeared themselves to the Canadian people.

Parliament Deserted

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—Parliament hill is deserted. Apart from a few members who will remain in the capital over the holidays practically all have departed for their homes. As Premier Borden went to New York yesterday and several of the cabinet ministers are out of the city, there will be no sitting of the cabinet before Monday or Tuesday.

One of the first things to be considered doubtless will be the issuance of a writ for the by-election in South Renfrew to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of T. A. Low. It may be that in order to avoid any contest during the holiday season the writ will not be issued until after the new year.

Hon. W. T. White said that there was no decisive indication as to what course events will take, but if it is decided to oppose Hon. G. D. Graham, the Conservative candidate will, in all probability, be Dr. Maloney of Eganville, who was defeated by Mr. Low on September 21. Dr. Maloney will be in Ottawa tomorrow, it is said, to confer with the Ontario ministers, and it is possible that a decision will be reached. The probabilities are said to indicate a contest and if there is a fight it should be a great battle.

Mr. Hazen for England.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—The Evening Journal says:

It is now practically understood in political and official circles that Mr Borden will be unable to announce his naval policy to the house for some little time after the reopening of parliament in January. It is decided that Hon. J. D. Hazen will leave for England immediately after Christmas and that he will be accompanied by the deputy minister of naval affairs.

It is understood that his stay will be as brief as the nature of his business will permit, and that he will endeavor to get back home in time to give the government an opportunity of coming to an understanding respecting the navy in time to reach a decision before adjournment. Of course, it is realized that the formulation of a naval policy is no small task for even the admiralty authorities and it may take Mr. Hazen considerable time to reach a point where he will feel satisfied that he has faithfully accomplished his mission and secured the information required by his colleagues here in deciding as to what the policy shall be.

Ability for Task.

The mission is of the highest importance to the empire and it is felt in political circles, and undoubtedly throughout the country generally, that Mr. Hazen, through training, long experience and general ability, is in every way big enough to accomplish it to the general satisfaction of the Canadian people.

Closer Trade With West Indies.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—Negotiations between the Dominion government, through Hon. George E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, and the West Indies, looking to better trade relations, it is stated, have reached the stage where it is probable that a conference will be held. It is quite likely that during January or February, or after the session is over a conference will take place, probably in Ottawa, on the subject and that efforts will be made to arrive at a reciprocal agreement which will be of advantage to both countries. When such a conference is held the question of better steamship communication between Canada and the West Indies will also be considered.

SIR JOSEPH WARD IS RE-ELECTED IN NEW ZEALAND

(Canadian Associated Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 8.—A cablegram to the house of commons from New Zealand states that the first day's polling there gives the opposition 26 seats, the government 21 and the [illegible] one. Sir Joseph Ward [illegible] three-cornered [illegible] a majority of 612 w[illegible] some small returns still to come.

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WANTS HIGHER DUTY ON LEAD

C. F. Caldwell Says Spokane Mining Men Favor Revision Upward of Canadian Tariff

Highly delighted with a visit to Spokane during which he preached the gospel of the revision upward of the Canadian tariff on lead, C. F. Caldwell stated at the Hume on his return to the city last night that the mining men of the inland empire city who were interested in the silver-lead-zinc industry of the Kootenays were almost unanimously in favor of the placing of a higher duty on lead entering Canada from the United States.

Mr. Caldwell is manager of the Utica mine near Kaslo and is one of the strongest exponents of an increased tariff on lead in the Kootenays. He sees in it the one solution of the low price lead problem which has so much bearing on the profitable operation of many of the mines in this district.

While in Spokane he states that he talked the matter over with many capitalists interested in mines in the Slocan and found them favorable to the proposed duty.

"They are also very anxious to obtain lead ores from British Columbia for United States smelters," he declared. "I was a guest at the monthly dinner of the Mining Association of Spokane and there I was shown a resolution asking that the duty on lead ores from Canada to the United States be removed. This resolution is being forwarded to congress and the mining men believe that there is a very excellent chance that it will be considered favorably.

"I found that even those mining men who were not directly interested in mining in British Columbia favored a higher Canadian duty. They seemed to think that an increase in the tariff would not hurt in any degree the American lead industry and that it would prove the greatest boon to the mines of the Kootenay."

SHOOTS BIRDS FROM AIRSHIP

MINEOLA, N.Y., Dec. 8—Flying this afternoon with Lee Simmond as pilot William Simonson shot three black birds with as many shots with a 12-guage shotgun which he carried. Two sparrows sitting on a branch of a tree also fell victims to Simonson's marksmanship.

RUSSIA WILL NOT OPEN DOOR TO JEWS

United States Unable to Reach Settlement—Abrogation of Treaty is Looked for

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—For two hours today President Taft and his cabinet wrestled with the Russian passport question and at the conclusion of the session it was acknowledged that a solution that would satisfy American Jews and at the same time not embarrass either the United States or Russia was still undiscovered. Practically no other topic of importance was discussed. While the negotiations of American Ambassador Guild at St. Petersburg have not been abandonded ,it looked tonight as if there could be no other outcome—the abrogation of the treaty of 1832 with Russia.

So far Ambassador Guild was said to have met with little satisfaction in the proposal that the restrictions imposed on the visiting American Jews be modified. Pressure to bring about modification, or abrogation, of the treaty has been great, but any action taken will be only after the closest scrutiny to prevent international embarrassment for the United States in its own problem of prohibiting the admission of Chinese.

It was said tonight that President Taft's expected communication to congress on the passport question might be delayed for some time. In the meantime, there will be more conferences and a continuance of negotiations in St. Petersburg and probably a meeting of congress. It is possible that congress might approve the abrogation of the treaty and while many officials believe it would cause embarrassment, it appears the only solution. Talk of a new treaty with Russia to replace that of 1832 is not taken seriously among cabinet ministers in Washington. It was said on good authority tonight that negotiations looking to another treaty had not proceeded far enough to warrant any hope that a solution could be reached in this way.

WILL REPORT ON PROPOSED BRIDGE

Looks Into Plan to Span Kootenay River

TO LINK NELSON TO NORTH SHORE

Provincial Government Will Base Action on Engineer's Examination

As a result of the request of the citizens of Nelson the minister of public works has issued instructions to have a report prepared on the feasibility of erecting a bridge across the Kootenay river here, to provide access to the north shore.

J. P. Ford, provincial government engineer, is in the city now to look over the ground and make an examination of the river west of the city. On the receipt of his report the minister will go into the question thoroughly, and if the project seems to be at all practicable he will then have the necessary surveys and soundings made to enable the engineers to select the best available site, and to obtain the necessary data for the preparation of plans and estimates.

STOLE GERMAN NAVAL SECRETS

British Subject on Trial for Espionage at Leipsic—Heavy Punishment Predicted.

LEIPSIC, Saxony, Dec. 8.—Reports have leaked out regarding the progress of the espionage trial now taking place before the imperial court, in which an English shipowner, Max Schultz, and four German associates, who were arrested at Hamburg on March 18, are accused of attempting to obtain information of German navy secrets. It has been established that Schultz has been connected with the general organization of the English naval information bureau. The activities of this institution cover all shipyards and naval machine works in foreign countries and aim at the discovery of every naval development.

Mr. Schultz is said to have been forced to admit most incriminating charges. Sentences will be delivered tomorrow. It is expected that Schultz and two German naval engineers, who are among his accomplices, will be punished severely.

QUEUES MAY GO, SAYS ROYAL EDICT

Manchus Sanction Rebel Practice—Ruling Dynasty Must be Eliminated from Government

PEKIN, Dec. 8—An imperial edict was issued today, sanctioning the cutting off of queues. Shih Hsu, the Manchu prince, who was offered the grand guardianship of the emperor on the resignation of the regent, has definitely accepted the post. Hsu Sah Chang, Chinese vice-president of the council who was offered the office of co-grand guardian, declined but the throne insists on his acceptance of the office.

A telegram from Wu-chang says the revolutionaries there are hopeful that the extension of the armistice will result in peace. The leaders are willing to concede full power to the premier, Yuan Shi Kai, provided that he agrees to the entire elimination of Manchus from the central government.

CROSS FACTION SUPPORTS SIFTON

Insurgent Liberals in Alberta Legislature Applaud Leader's Expressed Wish to Bury Hatchet.

EDMONTON, Dec. 8.—The main incident of the sitting of legislature this afternoon was the declaration by J. K. Cornwall, member for Peace River, one of the chief Liberal insurgents of the last session, of his full approval of the government's policy on railways, trunk roads and provincial control of natural resources. Mr. Cornwall expressed the wish to bury the hatchet and get down to business. This sentiment was applauded by other insurgent Liberals with two or three exceptions.

ATTACK OPIUM TRAFFIC

THE HAGUE, Dec. 8—The international opium officers adopted resolutions proposed by the British delegates that every country frame effective laws for the control of the production and distribution of opium.

APPLE GROVE'S RANCHES PRODUCE

Growers This Year Realized Income From Strawberries—Long Creek Bridge Opened

(Special to The Daily News.)

APPLE GROVE, B.C., Dec. 8—Mrs. J. B. Conway is on a visit at Nelson.

Messrs. Conway and Ferguson have commenced cutting ties on F. G. Fauquier's ranch adjoining Apple Grove.

Mr. Manson and family now occupy their large two story frame dwelling recently built on two townsite lots. It is the most imposing building yet erected in this locality.

The bridge across Long creek is now completed and open for traffic. It is a great improvement to the place and was built by the provincial government.

Messrs. Whitney and Zeigler have completed their 50 acre slashing contract and Mr. Zeigler has gone to Edmonton.

Thomas Passmore having just completed some poultry houses and yards anticipates starting to raise thoroughbred standard poultry.

A few nights ago Mr. Manson had several head of poultry killed by weasels and one by a coyote. It is needless to say the weasels will not ply their nefarious traffic any more as their hides are now for sale.

Several acres of cleared land have this fall been seeded to fall wheat preparatory to planting next spring.

Some of the ranchers are beginning to realize an income from their fruit farms, T. Passmore and C. Ferguson having sold a splendid crop of strawberries last season, realizing from $2.50 to $3 per crate. The fruit trees also made a very satisfactory growth.

The weather is mild and there is very little snow. The coldest yet recorded was 9 degrees above zero.

Deer are very plentiful but up to the present time local sportsmen have failed to secure any venison.

Murdock McLean, road superintendent for the Slocan district was here the beginning of the week with the October pay checks.

Jowett Bros., at Sperwood ranch are having a barge load of cordwood cut for the market and if it proves a paying venture several more barge loads will follow. A barge contains about 80 cords.

James Reilly has just had his ranch at East Edgewood subdivided into 10 and 20 acre tracts by Green Bros. & Burden.

J. C. Glover of Edgewood just purchased a block of land in the O'Reilly ranch ,paying a good figure.

ROSSLAND ORDERS ELECT OFFICERS

Executive of Masons, Royal Arch, Eagles, Moose and Pythian Sisters

ROSSLAND, B.C., Dec. 8—Rossland fraternal orders have been busy electing officers during the last evening or two and following are the names of those elected up to the present.

Corinthian lodge, No. 27, A. F. & A. M.—W.M., Samuel Wilson; S.W., A. T. Collis; J. W., Emile Johnson; treasurer, R. E. Plewman; secretary, Jesse Kemp; tyler, R. Baxendale.

Royal Arch Masons—First principal, A. W Morgan; second principal, Alex. Cox; third principal, Levis Will; treasurer, Emil Johnson; scribe E., Wesley Junkin; scribe N., Thomas H. Long; P.S., Samuel Wilson; tyler, E. G. Harvey.

Rossland Aerie No. 10, F.O.E.—President, J. W. Fox; vice-president, A. Anderson, chaplain, J. W. Burden; secretary, R. L. Morrish; treasurer, W. Hooper; inner guard, J. Grew; outer guard, J. Luitz; trustee, C. E. Laughlin, E. H. Hattrup and W. H. Reid; physician, Dr. J. W. Coffin.

Loyal Order of Moose—Past Dictator, M. McKinnon; dictator, E. O. Blanc; vice-director, J. W. Fox; prelate, J. L. Barnard; secretary, H. E. Spencer; treasurer, C. J. Miles; sergeant at arms, D. M. Ferguson; I.G., J. H. Harris. O.G., G. Rutherford; trustees, C E. Laukghlin, J. Furst and J. D. Robertson; physician, Dr. A. B. Chandler.

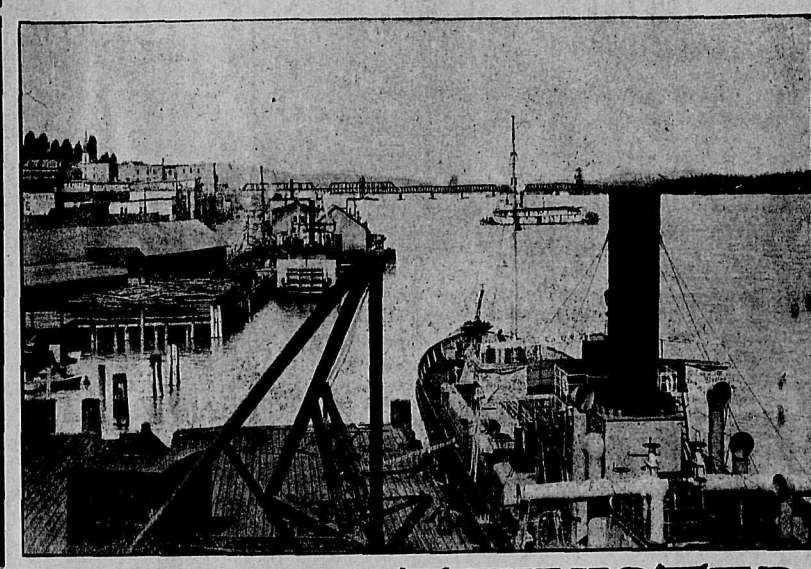
Pythian Sisters—P.C., Mrs. Edna Collins; M.E.C., Mrs. Lillian Thomas; E.S., Miss Anne Dewer; E.J., Mrs. Anne Inches; manager, Miss Maud Michaely; M. of F., Miss Eva Doell; M. of R. and C., Mrs. Elizabeth Trembath ;protector, Mrs. Sophie Hooper: guard, Mrs. Agnes Inches; trustee (18 months) Miss Flossie Hooper; pianist, Miss Sylvia Doell; drill captain, Mrs. Mary Larue, president of Pythian aid, Mrs. Polly Douglas.

GILLETT'S LYE

FOR MAKING SOAP
SOFTENING WATER
REMOVING OLD PAINT
DISINFECTING SINKS, CLOSETS, DRAINS AND
FOR MANY OTHER PURPOSES
THE STANDARD ARTICLE
SOLD EVERYWHERE

New Westminister

New Westminister, Dec. 1st.—"The Board of Trade, at its monthly meeting last night, shook hands with itself, metaphorically on the action of the Dominion Government in calling for tenders for the consfruction of the 700 feet of jetty at the mouth of the Fraser River."



NEW WESTMINISTER

THE PACIFIC PORT ON THE PANAMA GRAIN ROUTE.

That is the slogan from this time forward.

DEALS IN REAL ESTATE

"The Dominion Trust Company this week consummated three large deals in the city, aggregating $200,000—The Columbian, Dec. 2.

Over $1,000,000 worth of inside real estate in New Westminster has changed hands during the last 60 days. Columbia Ave prices reached $1,500 per front foot.

While the names of purchasers in nearly every case have been withheld it is generally understood that the water frontage property is for one or two large railway systems and the Main street building property has been acquired by investors who are on the inside with the big companies.

For four years we have steadily and persistently advised our clients to buy in New Westminster or in Burnaby along the city limits. Property during this time has advanced in most cases over 100 per cent yearly, but the big advance is still to come.

Practically the whole river frontage from where the C.P.R. touches the Fraser river in Coquitlam to the sand heads has been acquired for great manufacturing industries, railroad terminals, docks, shipbuilding yards, etc. Property is still very low compared with other places with no such advantages.

We are offering central residence property on 8th avenue, New Westminster at only $450 per lot on monthly payments. New Westminster is one of the busiest manufacturing cities in Canada at the present time. Every plant working overtime and doubling capacity as rapidly as possible. There is no boom, never has been, but it is just as sure to come as it has in every other place with a great and immediate future. Now is the time to invest.

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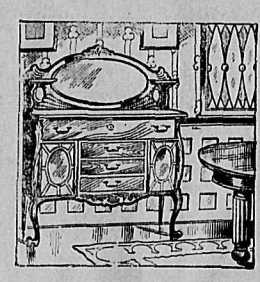

BUFFETS

Early English $30.00
Golden Oak 28.00

EXTENSION TABLES

Square Golden Elm .....$ 9.00
Round Early English 16.00
Round Early English 25.00
Chairs and Buffets to match.

Given Away Free---A Brand New Motor Boat Worth $300

Starting Monday, Nov. 27, every cash purchaser buying goods valued at $5 will get one chance on boat, and one additional chance for each $5 purchase. Every customer buying $10 and more of goods from our store will get 10 per cent discount, unless there is a special sale on articles purchased. Your Christmas shopping can include many different varieties to be selected at our large warerooms, which include the largest stock of high grade furniture, pianos, carpets, rugs, mats, linoleums, pictures, draperies, blankets, comforters, linens and all kinds of house furnishings in the interior of B. C. Many valuable Christmas gifts can be selected, and why not buy something useful and also get a chance to win this beautiful motor boat? All mail orders will have equal chance in the drawing, and a ticket or tickets will be sent upon receipt of order.

Conditions of drawing will be announced later in The Nelson Daily News. Purchases made for Christmas gifts will be laid aside and delivered when desired.

Commence Now and Do Your Shopping. Remember Date of Drawing, Dec. 30, 1911

Table Covers
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36 Rugs, Assorted Colors, Regular Price $3
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Complete House Furnishers
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TRAIL FAIR ASSOCIATION HAS BALANCE IN BANK

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 8—Te annual meeting of the Trail Fruit Fair Association was held on Saturday evening in the city hall. The reports of the president, G. F. Weir and the manager, F. W. Brown were read and approved. The association has a bank balance of about $300. All the old officers of 1911 were re-elected and are as follows:

Honorary president, J. H. Schofield M.P.P.; president, Mayor G. F. Weir; vice-president, J. D. Anderson; secretary-treasurer and general manager, F. W. Brown; honorary lady directors, Mrs. Alex. Hector, Mrs. N. Wilmes, Mrs. J. Fluhrer, Mrs. J. Craig; directors, S. J. Hackney, S. F. Peterson, J. Kollmar, W. N. Scott, W. Oddy, F. W. Brown.

F. W. Brown and J. H. Schofield, M.P.P. are delegates to attend the convention to be held in Victoria, on Jan. 22 ,under the auspices of the provincial department of agriculture.

HOW DOES THIS SUIT YOU?

A FEW SELECTIONS FROM OUR BOOK LIST

THE FOLLOWING OF THE STAR—Florence L. Barclay.
COMMON LAW—R. W. Chambers.
MARY MIDTHORNE—G. B. McCutcheon.
VAGABOND CITY—Winnifred Boggs.
ROLF IN THE WOODS—Ernest Thompson Seaton.
A WEAVER OF DREAMS—Myrtle Reed.
TRAILS OF THE PATHFINDERS—George Bird Grinnell.
WALLY—Guy Steely.
CONFLICT—David Graham Phillips.
FROM TENDERFOOT TO SCOUT—A. C. Rudde.

A WOMAN ALONE—R. E. Vemede.
THE MONEY MOON—Jeffery Farnol.
THE LONG ROLL—Mary Johnston.
THE ROSARY—F. L. Barclay.
LIFE EVERLASTING—Corelli.
THEIR HEARTS' DESIRE—Francis Foster Perry.
THE FOURTH WATCH—H. A. Cody.
BALLADS OF CHECHAKO—Service.
SONGS OF A SOURDOUGH—Service.

Poems In Leather

LONGFELLOW, RUSKIN, TENNYSON, EMERSON, BROWNING, SCOTT, KEATS, ARNOLD, GORDON, LOWELL, DICKENS, BURNS, SHAKESPEARE, SERVICE, WILCOX, ROSSETI, LINDSAY

MOTHER CARY'S CHICKENS—K. D. Wiggin.
THE TOWN OF MORALITY—C. H. R.
A COUNTRY LAWYER—Judge H. A. Shute.
ANNE OF GREEN GABLES—L. M. Montgomery.
ANNE OF AVON LEA—L. M. Montgomery.
DOWN OUR WAY—Lilla Paul South.
FATHER LACOMBE—Katherine Hughes.
A MAID OF OLD NEW YORK—C. E. Barr.
OLD INDIAN TRAILS OF THE ROCKIES—M. T. Schaffer.
A FAIR DOMINION—R. E. Vemede.

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THE REXALL STORE

NELSON'S LEADING DRUG STORE

A Real Sensible Christmas Present

A couple of lots in North Maryland, South-East Calgary. You could not give anyone a better gift. Such a gift will be increasing in value for years to come. It is better than a gift of money, because the money will probably be spent on some cheap jewelry or frittered away so that in the end there will be nothing to show for it but regret.

This Is the Property of Character

And the gift of a couple of these lots to your boy or girl will be a source of pride to them and yourself. Just think of the pride of ownership it will give to your son or daughter; it will give them something to look forward to, something they will heartily thank you for in the days to come.

Your Own Feeling of Satisfaction

will be great, too, because you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you have made some provision for the future for those who are near and dear to you, and we are making this very easy for you now. Simply pay $5 down today and you can present your boy or your girl with a Christmas present that may mean a good start in life to them, and may be their main stay when you are no longer able to provide for them. If you act on this suggestion today we will positively guarantee that you will never regret the giving of this present.

TAKEN FROM ACTUAL PHOTOGRAPH.

There Are Surprises in Store

in connection with this property, but we wish particularly to point out to you that these lots are better than gold in the bank; gold in the bank pays you three per cent and we will guarantee that these lots shall pay you more than this, and while the bank rate of interest is not likely to increase, these lots are increasing in value day and night, year in and year out, whether you are sick or well, idle or at work.

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You know, don't you, that North Maryland lots are the best possible gifts you can buy today. Say now, just buy your boy or your girl a couple of these lots and see how they will appreciate your gift.

There Never Will Be Another Just Like This One

We have millions and millions of dollars working for our benefit and you are welcome to a share of these millions and can have them working for you if you purchase today.
$5 down and $5 per month for a couple of North Maryland lots means that you get your share of the profits earned by these millions. This is co-operation, pure and simple. Profits for us and profits for you.

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All Men Invited

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Halcyon Arrow Lakes

FIRE CLAIMS TWO TOTS AND MOTHER

Blaze of Mysterious Origin in Montreal —Some Escape by Rope Route— Garage Destroyed.

QUEBEC, Dec. 8.—Mrs. Thomas Jones, a young English woman, 25 years of age, and two children, aged five and four years, were burned to death in a fire which occurred in Champlain street this morning. In the same fire a three months old baby was so badly burned that it can not recover. The family occupied the second floor of the building known as the St. Lawrence club, and the fire broke out soon after the father had left home to go to his work at the Chateau Frontenac. It's origin is a mystery.

A man named Henry Marquis, who occupied the third floor, barely saved himself and his family by lowering them down at the rear of the building by a rope.

The automobile garage of J. M. Landry, on St. Paul street, with a number of automobiles, was also destroyed by fire this morning.

BRITAIN BLOCKS RUSSIAN MOVE IN PERSIA

LONDON, Dec. 8—The British government has blocked any intention that Russia may have had of reinstating the ex-shah of Persia, Mohammed Ali Mirza, by informing the cabinet in St. Petersburg that it is impossible for Great Britan to recognze him.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

WHY Don't You Do Your Xmas Shopping Now Today? Do You Delay and Put Off? Are You Not Buying Your Gifts Now?

CONTEMPLATE these three questions and ponder them well and see if there is any other feasible answer but for you to come right straight to our store where the **Big Sale** is in full force and where goods are going at half price, and where you will have a chance to select your gifts from the highest grade, largest and best assorted stock of

Diamonds, Solid Gold and Gold Filled Watches (the best makes in the world), **Fine Solid Gold Jewelry, Sterling Silver and Plated Tableware, Toilet Sets, Clocks, etc.**

Our stock is the best the markets of the world can afford. Goods given away free at our store every evening. Be sure and come to this store every evening and get your share of free goods. Come to Walker's Big Sale. This is where you will find your friends.

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$100.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$62.00
$285.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$215.00
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$48.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$23.00
$15.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$6.35
$19.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$11.50
$48.00 Diamond Earrings cut to	$28.00
$176.00 Diamond Ring cut to	$96.50
$125.00 Diamond Stick Pin	$78.50
$30.00 Diamond Rings cut to	$14.90
$110 Diamond and Pearl Brooch	$70.00
$2.00 Watches cut to	75c
$16.00 Elgin Watches cut to	$9.00
$26.00 Ladies' 16 Jewel Waltham Watches	$16.00
$6.50 Watches, 15 Jewels, cut to	$3.90
$3.00 Fob Chains cut to	$1.50
$4.75 Gents' Double Chains cut to	$1.80
$6.00 Eight Day Clocks cut to	$2.90
$14.00 Eight Day Clocks cut to	$8.50
$7.00 Cut Glass Bowls cut to	$2.95
$10.00 Umbrellas cut to	$4.80

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TO MARKET LOCAL FRUIT IN NEW YORK

James Johnstone Expects to Sell Cherries on Fifth Avenue and Broadway—Off to Georgia.

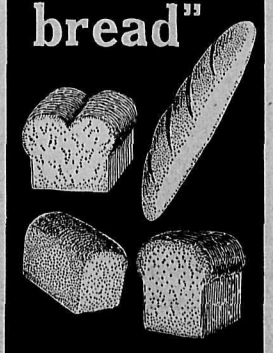
James Johnstone and family will leave here next Thursday for Georgia. From there Mr. Johnstone will proceed to New York, where he expects to complete arrangements with certain of the big fruit stores on Fifth avenue and Broadway to receive his cherries direct from his ranch. He is confident of these being able to stand the long journey without suffering, for fruit that he shipped to Georgia arrived in perfect condition. After leaving New York Mr. Johnstone will proceed to Toronto on further business pertaining to the marketing of fruit.

RAILWAY STOCK SELLING WELL

Canvassers Confident of Raising Fifteen Thousand for New Car—Good Investment, Says Stockholder.

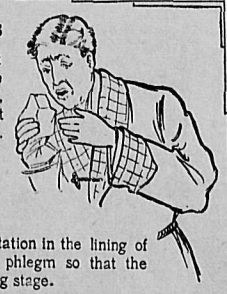
The canvassers who are carrying out a campaign for raising $15,000 for a new car and other equipment for the Nelson street railway, state that they find the citizens very enthusiastic over the showing the company has made since the resuming of operations on June 23. When the company was first organized a great many citizens felt that the money put in stock was more or less of a donation, rather than an investment, to assist the railway in increasing the value of city real estate. Now, says J. E. Taylor, president of the company, people are becoming convinced that this stock is an excellent investment, and yesterday one subscriber stated to Mr. Taylor that he believed that the railway stock would double in value inside five years; basing his reasons on the bright mining prospects in this vicinity, which he thought would raise Nelson's population to 15,000 in that period. The team captains confidently expect to be able to announce at the next meeting of the directors that they have sold enough stock to more than cover the expense attached to the purchasing of the new car.

"More bread & better bread"



PURITY FLOUR

When a Cold Begins



get after it quickly. Don't let it drag along. Start at once to take Na-Dru-Co Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and Chlorodyne, and prevent the cough from getting hold of you.

NA-DRU-CO Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and Chlorodyne

breaks up the cold, soothes the irritation in the lining of the air passages, and loosens the phlegm so that the cough never gets to the dry, hacking stage.

Na-Dru-Co Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and Chlorodyne is an absolutely safe household cough-and-cold remedy, compounded by expert chemists. Your Druggist will confirm our statement that you can give it to the little tots without any risk. It is put up in 25c. and 50c. bottles. 113

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

IMPORTANT PROGRAM FOR CONSIDERATION OF LEGISLATURE

The session of the legislature that will commence on January 11 will be of more than ordinary interest. Premier McBride in his recent speech to the Conservative convention at New Westminster intimated that the government's program would include bills that are likely to be of immense importance to the future of the province, and the deliberations of the legislature will be watched with unusual interes., and in the expectation that the session will be productive of results that will constitute a bright page in the history of British Columbia.

The details of the extension of the government's railway policy, foretold by the premier, will be awaited in the confident belief that a further stimulus to the progress of the province will be secured. There are now hardly two opinions as to the soundness of the policy that the government has adopted in regard to the extension of transportation facilities. The province has already begun to reap benefits that are the result of the recent legislation, and there will be a general desire that the still urgent needs of many districts for railways should be supplied, and that provision be made for taking advantage of the opportunities that the completion of the Panama canal will offer to the Pacific seaports and to the commercial interests of the province.

Mr. McBride has also promised that legislation for the readjustment of the taxation system of the province, and granting relief to small tax payers, will be introduced. The evidence taken by the commission on taxation will be available to the legislature and will be of service in aiding it in equalizing the burden of taxation, and in placing the revenue system upon a sound and permanent basis.

Among other measures to be considered by the legislature will be the government's proposal for the re-afforestation of logged off lands. It is a question of importance to the future of the province, and one that demands consideration if the interests of posterity are to be protected and if one of the chief natural resources of the province is to be intelligently conserved.

A WARNING IN SEASON

Those who recollect the catastrophe that occurred in England a year ago, by which owing to the Christmas decorations of a large store having accidentally caught fire, many lives were sacrificed and misery and distress, instead of rejoicing, were brought to scores of homes, will earnestly hope that the warning issued by the provincial superintendent of insurance may not fall on deaf ears.

The disaster in England last year, though particularly striking owing to the magnitude of the catastrophe, was no isolated instance of accidents caused by the conflagration of decorations in stores and homes Hardly a Christmas passes without its roll of deaths and injuries caused by fires peculiar to the season. The inflammable character of the materials used to adorn Christmas trees and the proximity of naked lights, are especially a peril to children, and in stores the combustible nature of the material employed, often in conjunction with electric lights, to impart an air of festivity at Christmas time is annually the cause of loss of property and sometimes of life and limb.

For those who have been heedless of the lessons of the past, the list of casualties that occurred in connection with the festivities of a year ago, which has been compiled by the superintendent of insurance, should provide an impressive object lesson, and if the advice which he tenders is given attention British Columbia may this year be free from horrors such as too often mar the celebration of Christmas. It is recommended that in no case should electric light wiring be tampered with and especial care is enjoined in the use of lights in the neighborhood of decorations. The lighted Christmas tree is at all times perilous, but its danger is increased owing to the presence of children, and in the caution that he has issued the superintendent of insurance urges that children should not be permitted to light candles n a tree or to tamper with an illuminated tree. The need for the precautions suggested is obvious, but it is evidently desirable that the warning should be impressed upon public attention and its observance would go far to obviate the special danger with which the celebration of Christmas is attended.

This Date in History.

John Milton, the great English poet, was born in 1608 on this date, in Bread street, Cheapside. He received his education at Cambridge and while still a student wrote some of his famous poetry. Before the execution of Charles I. he wrote a paper in which he maintained that it was lawful to put a wicked king to death. After the civil war Cromwell made him his Latin secretary, and even when Charles II. was returning to the throne Milton was pleading for a republic. In 1652 blindness began to come over him, but he continued his remarkable outpourings of prose and verse by dictating to his wife; and it was under these conditions that he wrote his greatest masterpiece, "Paradise Lost." Milton died in 1674.

HON. J. J. FOY HAS NOT RESIGNED FROM CABINET

TORONTO, Dec. 8—The report that Hon. J. J. Foy had resigned from the provincial cabinet, published in the Ottawa Journal, was denied by Sir James Whitney today. The following telegram was sent to the Journal by the prime minister:

"The statement in your newspaper of yesterday that Hon. Mr. Foy had resigned, is utterly untrue. It is a baseless, manufactured without any foundation whatever and with confidence I ask you to put the matter right before the public at once."

MOYIE RESIDENCE BURNED

(Special to The Daily News.)

MOYIE, Dec. 8.—The large residence owned by Mrs. Whitehead, and occupied by Mrs. Hollister was totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

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Chatham, Ont.
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Well built cottage four rooms, neat appearance, two good lots, sixteen healthy bearing trees. Price $2,000.

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Make up your mind to secure one of these chances and a good part will be paid by this time next year.

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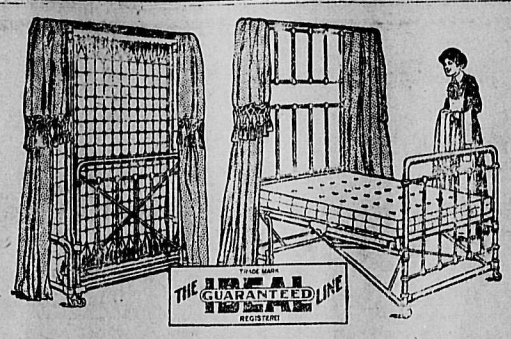

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Daily News Want Ads Get Results

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Men's Meeting at 3.30

Rev. Dr. Spencer of Vancouver will speak.

Orchestra at 7:10 p.m.

Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.

Welcome for all People

Pastor Rev. A. E. Smith will preach on the McNamara Confession on Sunday, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

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Kid Body Doll, 12 inches long, a snap at 20c.

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OLD TIMERS TO MEET AT GOLDEN CITY

Reunion of ex-Rosslanders Will be One of Events at Carnival Early Next Year

ROSSLAND, Dec. 8.—A meeting of citizens has decided to hold the annual ice and snow carnival between Jan. 15 and Feb. 15, the exact date to be fixed later. A. M. Betts has been elected chairman and Percy B. Hunt secretary. Strong committees have also been elected to carry out the arrangements in the various departments of sport, hockey skating, skeeing, toboganing and horse-racing.

A novel suggestion, which is to be acted upon, is that on this occasion there shall be a home re-union of ex-Rosslanders. Old timers of the Golden City are scattered through the length and breadth of the continent and it is with a view to bringing as many of them as possible together again at a time when the city has donned its festal gala that the idea has been worked. A committee is undertaking the task of seeking out residents in the other cities who once claimed Rossland as their home, and these will be placed on the committee to search out others in their locality. Although there will be welcome throughout the carnival week, one special day, it is suggested, shall be be devoted to their delectation and some big feature of a more than ordinary character will be arranged.

The idea has caught on, and filled with enthusiasm the committee will leave nothing undone to ensure a big attendance of ex-Rosslanders.

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PRINCESS PATRICIA SEEKS NO PUBLIC RECEPTION

OTTAWA, Dec. 8—Princess Victoria Patricia, the youngest daughter of the governor general and the Duchess of Connaught, will arrive in town tomorrow at noon. At her royal highness' special request no preparations are being made for any demonstration and she will be met privately by some of the aides of the government house and possibly her father and mother and will drive directly to Rideau hall. It is probable that a great many citizens will gather at the station to greet the princess.

JOE JEANNETTE WINNER

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Joe Jeanette, the negro heavyweight, knocked out Jewey Smith, of England, in the third round of a scheduled 15 round bout here. Smith hit Jeanette but twice during the three rounds A wicked right to the jaw gave Smith his quietus.

SCIENCE SAYS ALUM IS UNFIT FOR USE IN FOOD

In Great Britain no one is allowed to sell alum hidden in baking powder, because the English law protects the people from this injurious acid.

Canada has not yet enacted a law against the use of alum, and as alum in baking powder cannot be detected by its appearance, many manufacturers are using this condemned acid because it is a cheap adulterant.

It is a fact that alum in your stomach produces the same disagreeable results to the delicate organism as you will feel in your mouth by putting a tiny piece on your tongue. Science shows that alum reduces the flow of gastric juices and weakens their power of assimilation, causing indigestion and the ills that follow.

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Men's Braces

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Men's Hose

Here is another present you can't go wrong over. We have them in plain and fancy colors. Cashmere socks at 35c, 50c and 75c., and silk ones from $1.25 up.

Men's Lounge Jackets and Bath Robes

We have a very nice selection of both of these and it would be hard to pick out a nicer present. They are the famous Jaeger make, noted the world over; you can always rely on the quality of anything bearing that label. There is a complete range of sizes to choose from at the moment, but it would be advisable to make your choice early as these sell very freely.

Lounge Jackets, $8, $9, $10.75, and $12.75.
Bath Robes, $15, $16.50, and $17.50.

Men's Shaving Sets

Only a very few left: they began selling before we had got them all unpacked, and we don't wonder, as they make a nice present and the price is so moderate.

Prices $2.50 and $3.50.

Men's Collar Bags and Tie Holders

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Men's Gloves

Another present you can't make a mistake on. We will change them if you happen to buy the wrong size.

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Lynbrook Heights

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Lynbrook Heights Lots

will be worth $400 each. We are also of the opinion that within eighteen months these lots will be selling at $1,000 each. We believe this to be the highest classed lots ever offered by our firm. This is inside city property located in the finest residential district, and with the tremendous development steadily taking place in Moose Jaw, property such as this must of necessity rapidly increase in value. These lots are within two blocks of paved streets and street car line, seven minutes' walk of postoffice. They are in the northwest portion of Moose Jaw, and therefore in the direct line of the greatest growth and development. It is inside property, within the limits of a city with 20,000 population, which is rapidly increasing.

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LIST OF FARMERS' INSTITUTE LECTURES IN THIS DISTRICT

Nelson Meeting on Wednesday—Soils, General Farming and Poultry Are Subjects

The regular autumn meeting of the West Kootenay Farmers' institute will commence in this district this morning with a meeting at Perry's Siding at 11 o'clock. The other meetings are:

Shoreacres, Monday, 1:30 p.m.; Slocan Junction, Monday, 7:30 p.m.; Taghum, Tuesday, 2:30 p.m.; Nelson, Wednesday, 1:30 p.m.; Harrop, Thursday, 10:30 a.m.; Willow Point, 7:30 p.m.; Boswell, Friday, 10:30 a.m.; Proctor, Friday, 7:30 p.m.

These meetings will be addressed by C. C. Clark, J. F. Collins and F. W. Laing. The subjects will be Soils, General Farming and Poultry.

The Nelson meeting will also be the annual meeting of the West Kootenay Farmers 'institute, at which the usual reports will be given, officers elected for the ensuing year, delegates appointed to the Central Farmors' institute, and subjects to be brought before the Central institute discussed.

Raymond T. Hickes, manager of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' union will accompany the lecturers at their various meetings to take advantage of the opportunity offered to meet as many of the ranchers as possible.

INHERITANCE AWAITS C. L. CASE IN SEATTLE

Mrs. E. S. Allison of Seattle is trying to locate her brother, Charles L. Case, who is supposed to be on the Canadian side, north of the Okanagan country, Wash., working on a ranch. There is money left him and any information will be gratefully received at 7713 Aurora Ave., Seattle.

TUBERCULOSIS IN TRAIL CATTLE STAMPED OUT

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 8—B. R. Isley of Vernon, government veterinary inspector of British Columbia, has completed his work of inspecting the local dairies. The inspection has been very thorough and all cases of tubercular trouble have been stamped out. The local dairies are free from any infection.

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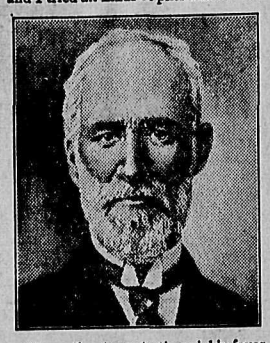

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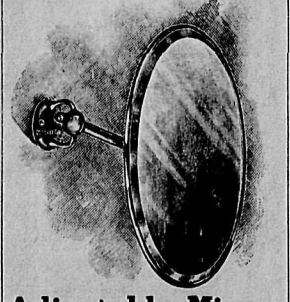

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FOR RENT—Clean housekeeping rooms, 507 Silica St. 196-26

FOR RENT—Front room, furnished; 609 Victoria street. 197-12

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LOST.

LOST—Monday evening about 9 o'clock, a gold watch with locket and chain; either in Gem theatre or between Gem and Bean's. Finder please return to The Daily News. 199-6

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to December 16, 1911, for stumping and plowing Lot 811 O, G. 1, East Kootenay, containing 184.5 acres, more or less, the said lot adjoins the British Columbia railway and lies midway between Mayook and Wardner and has been slashed and burned.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

Court of Revision

Public notice is hereby given that a court of revision will be held on Monday, December 11, 1911, at the council chamber of the city hall, Nelson, B. C., at the hour of 11 a. m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the municipal voters' list of the city of Nelson, B. C., for the year 1912.

W. E. WASSON,
City Clerk.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., December 4th, 1911.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF SANDON

Court of Revision

Public notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision for the purpose of correcting and revising the municipal voters list of the City of Sandon for the year 1912; will be held in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, Sandon, on Monday the 11th day of December, 1911, at 7 o'clock p. m. Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

W. F. LAWSON,
City Clerk

Dated at Sandon, B. C., November 29th, 1911. 198-8

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD

Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the annual court of revision, to revise and correct the municipal voters list of the municipality of the City of Greenwood for the year 1912, will sit in the council chamber at the city hall, Greenwood, B. C., at 10 o'clock a. m. December 11th, 1911.

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

Dated Greenwood, B. C., December 4, 1911.

G. B. TAYLOR,
Clerk of the Municipality of the City of Greenwood. 200-5

WATER NOTICE

I, Hugh W. Robertson, of Nelson, B.C., real estate agent, give notice that on the 6th day of December, 1911, I intend to apply to the Water Commissioner at his office in Nelson for a license to take and use two cubic feet of water per second from Rover creek, in Nelson district. The water is to be taken from the stream about 120 feet below junction of south fork of Rover creek with Rover creek, and is to be used on the following mineral claims: Platinum, Hurry Up, Rover, Tariff, Rainstorm, Metropolitan, Wet Day, Christina, Afterthought, Hard Luck, Mary S., Reciprocity, Criterian, Cosmopolitan, and Regal, for mining purposes.

October 28, 1911.

173-30d. HUGH W. ROBERTSON.

NOTICE TO RANCHERS

A special meeting of members of the Farmers Institute and all interested will be held in the City Hall at 11 a. m. on Wednesday, Dec. 13, at which a committee will be appointed to look into the advisability of joining The Farmers Steel & Wire Co. of Regina, and entering into an agreement by which this company will supply the Kootenay ranchers with hay, feed, and fruit boxes direct from the farmer and saw mill to the fruit grower and at the same time distribute the product of the Kootenay ranches direct to the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta farmers through the companies distributing warehouses. All members of the Fruit Growers union and others interested are requested to attend sharp at 11 a. m. The annual meeting of the Farmers Institute takes place at 1:30 p. m.

JAMES JOHNSTONE,
President.
G. G. McLAREN,
Secretary-Treasurer.
203-5

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Jetty at Mouth of Fraser River, B.C.," will be received until 4 p.m., on Tuesday, December 19, 1911, for the construction of a Jetty at Mouth of the Fraser River at Steveston, B.C.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of G. A. Keefer, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B.C.; F. W. Aylmer, Esq., District Engineer, Chase, B.C., and on application to the Postmaster at Steveston, B.C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm *must be given.*

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the check will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, November, 18, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the department. 196

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Page for Wage Workers

By R. P. Pettipiece.

News, Views and Activities of T ose Who do the World's Work—Local, Provincial, Dominion and International Events Indicative of Industrial and Political Growth an Development.

Some months ago a woman labor commissioner of the state of Washington, Mrs. Blanche Mason, insisted upon an enforcement of the law. She was "canned" by Labor Commissioner Hubbard. A few weeks later the plant of the Imperial Powder Co. was destroyed by fire, which proved a death trap for seven girls, employees, most of them under the age limit of 16 years. Now of course there is the devil to pay and Commissioner Hubbard announces that hereafter he will enforce the law. The seven victims have paid the price.

The executive board of the British Columbia Provincial Federation of Labor met in Vancouver last Sunday. President J. C. Watters, Victoria; Vice-president R. A. Stoney, New Westminster Vice-president Christian Sivertz, Victoria; Vice-president J. H. McVety, Financial Secretary, Victor R .Midgley, and General Secretary R. P. Pettipiece were present. The only absentee was First Vice-president J. W. Wilkinson, who has not yet returned from the Atlanta, Ga. convention of the American Federation of Labor. President Watters having recently been elected to the presidency of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada and who will shortly take up his residence at Ottawa, tendered his resignation, but it was not accepted being laid over until the January convention, when the election of all officers for the ensuing year takes place. General Secretary Pettipiece, owing to pressure of other duties, asked that Financial Secretary Midgley be asked to assume the work of general secretary until the convention met. This was agreed to. The secretary was instructed to take up the question of securing a provincial royal commission to enquire into the coal mining industry conditions at the earliest possible date, with the executive council of the government, and in case of an affirmative answer that a representative of organized labor be placed on the commission. The date of the second annual convention was fixed for Monday, Jan. 22, the "call" to be issued at once to all affiliated unions and central labor bodies. Owing to lack of funds and the necessity for organization work locally Fraternal delegate Pettipiece asked to be relieved from attending the Spokane convention of the Washington State Federation of Labor, a letter to be addressed to the bordering state officers instead. This was granted. It was also decided to ask the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada for $200 inasmuch as the executive board of the Federation is also the British Columbia executive of the congress, and stands in need of funds to carry on preliminary work looking to the securing of much needed labor legislation in this province. It was felt by the executive board members that probably after another year or two the Federation would be more than self supporting and could then reciprocate by financially assiting the Congress if need be. After the discussion of various matters pertaining to the general welfare of organized wage workers throughout the province the executive adjourned to meet in Victoria on Jan. 19 for the purpose of preparing convention reports and making ready for what promises to be the biggest and most representative convention of union delegates ever assembled in British Columbia. While the B. C. P. F. of L. is in session in Victoria it will adjourn in a body to the executive council chamber of the provincial government to present demands for legislation along lines to be formulated at the convention.

James C. Watters, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada will leave for Prince Rupert on Monday next for the purpose of installing a charter for a central labor body in the northern metropolis. Upon his return he will leave for Ottawa to be present during the session of the federal house.

The "Pacific Coast Mechanic, edited by E. W. Phelps," "devoted to the freedom of American institutions and the protection and welfare of honest mechanics," "believing that the permanent and lasting good of the mechanic is best promoted by open shop unions rather than closed shop unions, will work for that purpose," "official organ of Brotherhood of Independent Mechanics," published monthly at Seattle, Wash., is in a class all by itself. It is liberally patronized by such advertisers as the Moran company and the Williamette Iron & Steel Works, "operated on 'open shop' principles," and the editor, Mr. Phelps, will be well remembered in Vancouver as a "labor paper special edition" man who would have some difficulty in repeating his operations in this territory.

After reading of the latest process of manufacturing "pearl" buttons the writer is of the opinion that a grand opportunity is being overlooked on the Pacific coast for a member of the modern business world. The raw material used is clam shells. And clam shells are a by-product used at present to fill in additional wharf accommodation in coast cities, especially in Vancouver. What's the matter with a pearl button manufactory?

District 6 of the Western Federation of Miners, with headquarters at Sandon, B. C., of which Andy Shilland is secretary, will hold its annual district convention at Ymir, B. C., opening on Tuesday, December 19, a month earlier than usual. One of the reasons for holding the convention this month instead of in January, as usual, is to take action relative to affiliation with the British Columbia Provincial Federation of Labor, in time to have representatives arranged for at the second annual convention at Victoria next month, in conformity with the referendum vote recently taken. Despite the ruling of the B. C. P. F. of L. executive board that all locals of the Western Federation of Miners in the province would be entitled to representation, the Ymir district convention will decide whether the locals of the district board will send the delegates. Other matters of special interest to the miners' membership, including jurisdiction, etc., will be up for consideration. The appeal to the privy council in conjunction with District 18 of the United Mine Workers, against the court decision pertaining to "foreign dependents" and the British Columbia workmen's compensation act, will also be a subject to receive attention. Coast unionists are looking forward with interest to the time when the miners, both coal and metalliferous, will sit in annual conventions with the rest of organized labor throughout the province. With the addition of the miners to the membership of the British Columbia Federation of Labor the next move should be towards securing the affiliation of the railway brotherhoods, so that the federation will be complete, in all that the term implies.

New Westminster Trades and Labor council is evidently not afraid of "politics." The delegates have decided to break into the coming municipal campaign in earnest. A number of candidates have been selected already, and Alderman Dodd and School Trustee R. A. Stoney will seek re-election. It is probable, too, that a candidate for mayor will be placed in the running by the Royal city central labor body.

HUGE ISSUE OF RAILWAY BONDS

Canadian Northern Securities to Value of Thirty-five Million Dollars on London Market

LONDON, Dec. 7—Seven million pounds sterling of Canadian Northern railway 3 1-2 per cent stock for 50 years has been underwritten and now offered to the public at 93, the whole being guaranteed by the Dominion government. The large amount caused considerable surprise on the market.

The federal immigration department has announced a change in policy that will be of some interest to wage workers in British Columbia. In future all children of the public schools must pay the regular head tax of $500.

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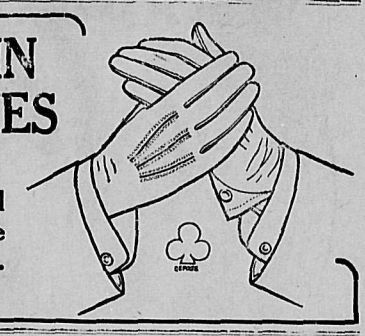

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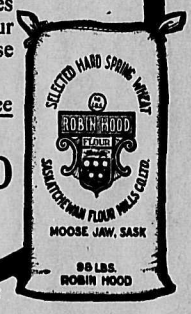

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ANCIENT STORIES OF DELHI CITY

Devastated by Civil War—Captured by Invading Forces—Storm Center of Indian Mutiny

India of today has no recognized capital. And as we look back into the past we are obliged to admit that even in their days of glory neither sacred Taxila, nor Patna, nor even Delhi, were accepted by all India as their capitals. Not without reason did Vijayanagar take its title of "city of victory," and gain a world-wide reputation in the reign of Henrp VIII.

Yet today the traveler who wanders over nine square miles of Hampi ruins in the boulder-strewn plains of Bellary knows nothing of this vanished empire. Hard by the splendid palaces, domed tombs, and rich mosques of another town of victory, Bijapur, compel the admission that such a city in the sixteenth and seventh centuries must have refused to admit the supremacy of Delhi. In short, India is full of capital cities, some deserted as soon as they were built, as Facthpur, Sikri, 1569-1584, others laid in ruins, but proving in the days of their visitation the glory of empire which they once enjoyed.

Why Delhi?

From these general reflections on Indian capitals one must pass to the immediate question that is being asked why this geography confers upon Delhi advantages shared by no other city.

The Pride of the East.

The city, capital of a division, in which lies one of the headquarters of the British government, Simla, is about equally distant from India's three great ports; Calcutta is distant 956 miles; Kirachi, 907 miles and Bombay 982 miles. The requirements of a vast assemblage of representatives of the whole empire can be met on the reservoir holding 1,200,000 gallons is required where supplies can be gathered from all sides by several railways where the climate is healthy, and space available for a great military display. Neighboring countries in Central Asia have always kept touch with a city whose buildings are still the pride and glory of the east. Not without design did the Rajput chief, who founded the city in the eleventh century, and built the red fort where the Kutb Minar stands, remove to it the iron pillar of the Mauryan King Chandragupta, thus linking it with the memories of the past. The Mohammedans, who after the defeat of Prithwi Raj, 1192, made it the capital of the Slave Dynasty, commenced the kingdom which his father had won, from the house of Khiol could not be maintained at Delhi against the constant stream of Mongol invaders. He ordained an exodus of its inhabitants, driving them by armed force out of their homes in order to take up safer ground in the Deccan at Danlatabad. Thrice he attempted to enforce his orders at a terrible loss of life and wholesale ruin. He failed, and some historians have attributed his action to cruel caprice.

The fact, however, remains that in December, 1398, the hordes of Timuz entered the unfortunate city and butchered its inhabitants for five days, spoiling their goods and carrying off booty valued at £9,000,000. In the next quarter of a century it was devasted by civil war, sacked by Ahmed Shah Durant and spoiled by the Marattas, from whose grip Lord Lake delivered its blind emperor and its distressed inhabitants.

British Gift of Peace.

Then under British protection the city had rest through more than seven centruies the spell of her name, the fame of her terrible sufferings, and the magnificance of her buildings had attracted fresh immigrants to supply her losses. After 1803 her defences were strengthened by British engineers, and the wall which surrounded the city for five and one-half miles on three sides away from the river was provided with flanking defences and heavy artillery. A large magazine inside the wall was filled with munitions of war, and while Bahadur Shah as titular sovereign reigned in the place, a British force of native troops was stationed in cantonment beyond the ridge outside the walls.

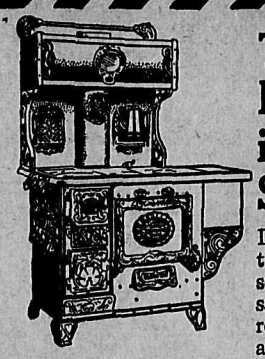
Then occurred the outbreak at Meerut, and on May 11, 1857, the mutineers from that station reached Delhi. British civilins and soldiers were cut down, the magazine was attacked and blown up, and Delhi became the centre of revolt, to which all eyes in India were turned.

A small British force occupied the ridge on June 8, and clung to it with desperate valor against repeated assaults from some 40,000 trained Sepoys, until at last the arrival of seige guns enabled General Wilson to storm the walls on Sept. 14 and occupy the palace on the 20th following. Cholera and sunstroke carried off many, and the British force including the faithful Sepoys at its maximum strength reached only 9,800 men, of whom 3,317 were British.

The number of killed, wounded, and victims of disease on the British side was 3,835, and our losses at Delhi exceeded the total of casualties in operations at Lucknow, Cawnpore after the massacre, and in Central India.

The splendid calor and endurance of the Delhi field force were the decisive factors in the suppression of the mutiny; and although the inhabitants fled expecting the reprisals to which their sad history had enured them they soon returned, resuming their occupations and possessions. Indeed, the treatment of the rebellious city impressed its people as much as the achievement of victory against tremendous odds.

And thus Delhi, although not even the capital of a province, draws popular imagination in India, and our national pride to its thrilling history and its splendid architecture. In no city have greater deeds been done, from none has the cry of shed blood asking for peace and good government been more urgent. Her defenders in the past have failed to protect her, and the populations of India that lie behind her from the scourge of invasion It is meet that from her walls should go forth to Asia the solemn assurance of the good-will and protection of the King of the United Kingdom. On the January 1, 1903, when Lord Curzon read at Delhi the gracious message of King Edward VII, he thus summed up the ideas and aims of British rule—"to have won such a dominion is a great acheivement. To hold it by fair and righteous dealing is a greater To weld it by prudent statesmanship into a single and compact whole will be the greatest of all. May we hope that Delhi, the city of great deeds, and of great proclamations, may in the years to come enjoy the fulfilment of the solemn assurances.



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Royal Purple will permanently cure the Bots, Colic, Worms, Skin Diseases and Debility, and restore run-down Animals to plumpness and vigor.

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MR. ANDREW WEGRICH, of Wainfleet, Ont., says: "This is to certify that I have tried your Royal Purple Stock Specific for two weeks, on one cow. On the 16th I weighed her milk as 17 pounds. I noticed a change after 5 or 6 days, as there was an extra weight of milk. On the 29th, I carefully weighed the milk, and she gave 22 pounds. I am giving an order for 5 boxes, as I consider it the best I have ever used."

"Stock Food" will not do this. Because "Stock Food" is nothing more or less than a mixture of the very things which you, yourself, grow on your own farm.

It is not more food your Animals need. They must have something to help their bodies get all the nourishment from the food they are getting. So that they will fatten, and stay fat, all the year 'round.

They need something to prevent disease, to cure disease, and to keep them in the best of health, all the time.

Not a Stock Food

Royal Purple is not a "Stock Food," nor a "medicine." It is a Conditioner.

It does not contain Grain, nor farm products. Nor does it contain "Dope," or any other injurious ingredient. Royal Purple does not merely temporarily bloat or inspire the Animal. It fattens and strengthens it, permanently.

No other Specific known adds flesh so quickly as Royal Purple. It makes 6-weeks-old Calves as large as ordinary-fed Calves are at 10 weeks.

Royal Purple makes naturally-thin Animals fat and heavy. And it builds up the health and restores the former plumpness and vigor of run-down stock, in little or no time.

The very best time to use this Conditioner is NOW. It digests the hard food properly and prevents the animals getting indigestion or losing flesh.

50 per cent. Cheaper

One 50-cent Package of Royal Purple will last one Animal 70 days. This figures a little over two-thirds of a cent per day.

Most "Stock Foods" in 50-cent Packages last but 50 days, and are given three times a day.

But Royal Purple Specific is given only once a day, and lasts 50 per cent. longer.

(A $1.50 Pail, containing four times the amount of the 50-cent Package, lasts 280 days.)

So, you see, it is only necessary to give Royal Purple Specific once each day.

Just think of making each Animal worth 25 per cent. over its cost! What will that mean to you, Mr. Stock Owner!

It makes the Hens lay Eggs in Winter as well as in the Summer.

MRS. WM. BURNHAM, Sanford, Ont., says: "Dear Sirs,—This is to certify that I have used two boxes of your Poultry Specific for my hens. They laid so well while feeding it to them, I wondered if you would mind sending me word how or where I could get some this winter. I bought it from your agent last winter. I had 32 hens, and some days I got two dozen eggs a day in February and March, while feeding them the Specific."

Royal Purple Poultry Specific prevents Fowls losing flesh at moulting time, and permanently cures every poultry disease. It makes their plumage bright and keeps them always in prime condition.

It makes your Poultry worth more than they could ever be without it.

Yet one 50-cent Package will last 25 Hens 70 days. Or a $1.50 Pail will do 25 Hens 280 days. This is four times more material at only three times the cost.

Centralia, Ont., Feb. 7,

The W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.:

Gentlemen,—We have been using Royal Purple Poultry and Stock Specific for the last three weeks, and must say that results are remarkable. Am feeding the Stock Specific to two milking cows, and they have increased 30 per cent. in their milk. The Poultry results are even more marked than this. We have about 60 hens, laying age. When we commenced feeding, we were getting five and six eggs a day, and in the last five days the same flock of hens laid 150 eggs, almost an average of 31 each day, and those five days have been the coldest this winter.

You can see results plainly in two or three days after the use of "Royal Purple," and the poultry have the same hustle and appearance now as in the summer time. With cows and poultry, am using exactly the same feed and care as before starting to feed "Royal Purple."

When farmers and stockmen get acquainted with Royal Purple, it will have a greater demand than all other tonics and stock foods on the market combined.

Yours truly, ANDREW HICKS.

Aug. 28,

W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont.:

Gentlemen,—Last Fall we had in our stables a young mare belonging to Miss Clouston, of Montreal. We could not feed her any bran on account of causing violent scouring, consequently causing her to become weak and thin. We commenced using your Royal Purple Stock Specific, and the results were wonderful. After using it three weeks, we found we could feed the animal bran or any other soft feed without scouring her, and she actually took on in this time twenty-five pounds of flesh, we working her at the same time through the hunt. I can heartily recommend your Stock Specific.

TOM SMITH,
Trainer for the Hon. Adam Beck.

Royal Purple
STOCK AND POULTRY SPECIFICS

Royal Purple creates an appetite for food, and helps nature to digest and turn it into flesh and muscle.

As a Hog fattener, Royal Purple has no equal.

Never Off Feed

Dan McEwen, the horseman, says: "I have used Royal Purple Stock Specific persistently in feeding 'The Eel,' 2.02¼, largest winner of any pacer on Grand Circuit in 1908 and 1909, and 'Henry Winters,' 2.10¼, brother of 'Allen Winters,' winner of $36,000 in trotting stakes in 1908.

"These horses have never been off their feed since I started using Royal Purple Specific. I will always have it in my stables. Your Cough Powder works like magic."

For Poultry

Royal Purple Poultry Specific is our other Specific. It is for Poultry—not for stock.

Make This Test

Every ounce of Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specific is guaranteed.

To prove that Royal Purple has no equal, we want you to make this test:

Feed Royal Purple to any one of your Animals for four weeks. And at the same time feed any other preparation to any other Animal in the same condition.

If Royal Purple does not prove to you, by actual results, that it is the best you ever used, we'll return your money.

And we'll ask no questions—make no excuses. You will be the judge—not us.

This is an honest test, isn't it? We ask you to make it because we know that Royal Purple is the best Conditioner on the market.

If you are not satisfied, after testing it, you don't lose anything, do you?

We also manufacture:

Royal Purple Lice Killer	25c.
Royal Purple Gall Cure	25c.
Royal Purple Sweat Liniment	50c.
Royal Purple Cough Cure	50c.

Our Cough Cure will cure any ordinary cough in four days, and will break up and cure distemper in ten to twelve days.

If your dealer cannot supply you with our Royal Purple Brands, we will supply you upon receipt of $1.50 a pail, prepaid, for either poultry or stock, or if you want any Liniment, Gall Cure or Cough Powder, we will send it by mail, postpaid, upon receipt of price.

W. A. JENKINS MFG. COMPANY, LONDON, ONTARIO

FORESTRY PRESS BULLITIN NO. 44

An interview with an engineer given recently in a western paper to the effect that there is abundant timber on the line of the Hudson Bay railway is an illustration of the misapprehension in regard to this matter that exists in the public mind. Because there are large areas of land in the north on which there is timber of some kind, the conclusion is reached that it is all of present value and that the country has an unlimited supply. As a matter of fact a careful inspection of the timber along the line of the Hudson Bay railway made in the years of 1919 and 1911, by the forestry branch of the department of the interior, shows that there is not enough mature timber along the line of that railway to build the road. There are no prairie districts of any extent along the route, there are trees everywhere, but owing to repeated fires the forest is, except on the merest fraction of the area, too small for commercial purposes and unless it can be protected from fire until it reaches maturity, will never be of any use to the country. Explorations in other parts of the northern forest districts tell the same tale. Everywhere fire has worked havoc, and the forest is a mere wreck of what it might have been if fires could be prevented. And unless adequate measures are taken now to protect the young and immature forests which form the major part of the stand, the outlook for the future is none too good.

If the northern forests are to continue to be a permanent source of wealth to the conutry, it is absolutely necessary that the fire ranging system should be extended and that proper methods of management of the forest should be applied, and public education to the value of the forest is even more necessary.

In Sweden, which has large extents of northern forest, practically uninhabited, similar to those in northern Canada, has about eliminated the fire danger in such districts mainly by educating her people to the value of the forests.

A Few Suggestions in Dainties for Dinner

Brookfield Eggs, doz	45c	Spring Chicken, lb.	28c
Brookfield Sausage, lb.	25c	Stewing Hens, lb.	25c
Brookfield Butter, 2 lbs.	75c	K. C. Brand Mincemeat,	15c
Daisy Butter, lb	30c	lb, 5 lb. pail	65c

SEALSHIPT OYSTERS in Sanitary airtight tins, per tin 50c and $1.00

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You are sure of warmth and comfort with a Perfection Smokeless Oil Heater.

The Perfection is the best and most reliable heater made.

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It is ready night and day. Just strike a match and light the wick. The Perfection is all aglow in a minute.

The Perfection Oil Heater does not smell nor smoke—a patent automatic device prevents that. It can be carried easily from room to room and is equally suitable for any room in the house. Handsomely finished, with nickel trimmings; drums of either turquoise-blue enamel or plain steel.

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For the Girls and Boys

Batger's celebrated Santa Claus stockings, packed full with toys.
Batger's crackers in great varieties.

FOR THE TABLE

Metz Fruits.
Crystalized Cherries in pound boxes.
Preserved Glazed Cherries in pound boxes.
Crystalized Pineapple, lb. 75c
Crystalized Cherries, lb. 60c

Armour's "Star" Bacon and Hams

We are just in receipt of a large consignment of the above famous hams and bacon. Order these seasonable requirements now and get a first selection. See our windows.

Famous Hazelwood Butter

Alberta Government Creamery butter, per lb.....40c.
Empress Creamery Butter per lb. .....40c.
Fresh Alberta butter, excellent quality, per lb. .....30c.
Selected candled eggs, doz..35c.
Finest Canadian Cheese, lb..22½c.
King Oscar Sardines .....15c.
Fine new cooking figs, 2 lbs.25c.
New meaty California Prunes.
Campbell's Soups, can ....15c.

Home-made Mincemeat

Nelson Brand in fruit jars, extra fine quality, per jar 25c.

Candied Peels

Citron, Orange and Lemon, per lb. 20c.

Our Fruits and Vegetables Are Fresh Daily

Cabbage, Parsnips, Turnips, Carrots, Sweet Potatoes.

Famous Sunkist Oranges

Oranges, dozen ....35c. and 50c.
New Fard Dates, 2 lbs.....35c.
Fresh, ripe Pineapples.....50c.
Tokay and imported Malaga Grapes, superb stock.
Cranberries, 2 lbs. .....35c.

Nuts

New arrivals of Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts, Brazils and Pecans.

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Direct from London. Specially recommended to lovers of fine sweetmeats.

Prompt Delivery Service

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Store of Quality

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

W. F. Mawdsley left yesterday morning for England.

Chief Justice Hunter, who has been a guest at the Hume, left last evening for Vancouver.

The exchange of the Women's Institute will be open this afternoon. Tea will be served.

Rev. Dr. Spiner, of Vancouver, will conduct the morning services in the Presbyterian church and Rev. E. S. Logie the evening service tomorrow.

The annual meeting of the Charity organization will be held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parish hall of St. Saviour's church. There will be important business for discussion.

Bartou & McKay have dissolved partnership in the Manhattan saloon, Dan McKay continuing to carry on the rooming house above the offices of the Western Canada Investment company at the corner of Baker and Josephine streets.

Arrangements have been completed for a field day in Nelson tomorrow in behalf of the cause of moral and social reform. The services of Dr. Ernest Hall, medical specialist of Victoria and Rev. Dr. Spencer of Vancouver, have been secured for the Methodist church at both morning and evening services and will also address meetings in the Gem theatre with the use of the picture machine at 4 p. m. for women only and at 8:45 p. m. for men only. Rev. Dr. Spencer will preach in St.Paul's Presbyterian church at 11 a. m., and in the Baptist church at 7:30 p. m. He will also address a meeting for men in the Methodist church at 3:30 p. m. and in the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Collections will be received at these meetings for expenses.

Today all children will be looking out for Santa's arrival at the Variety Store. More particulars on page two.

Tickets for the Rebekah dance, which is being held Tuesday, Dec. 12, will be 50 cents each. 203-1

Select your Christmas presents now, at Thomson's, and have them put away till you want them. 194

There is skating three times daily, 10 to 12, 2 to 5, and 7 to 10, at the Alice Roller Rink, Baker street. 153-tf.

Ask or write for the Hudson's Bay company's grocery price list. 161-tf

Send a personal Christmas card to your friends. The News Job Department has some swell lines this year. Have your own verses or name printed on them. See our selection.

Do you want a real treat for afternoon tea? Try Scott's home-made Scotch shortbread. On sale at Elford's Boat company and leading grocery stores.

Ring up Phone 88 for quick messenger service. 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. Room 7 Mara block. 199-6

Cut down your fuel bill this winter by putting up storm windows. We make them to any size. Prizes reasonable. Waters & Pascoe, Kootenay Lake Sash and Door Factory, Front street. P. O. Box 835, Phone B194. 124-tf.

DANCING SEASON

The following combination can be engaged on the most reasonable terms: Carl Meyer, violinist; Leon McCandish, clarinet, Arthur Oehler, drums; Irvin G. Johnson, pianist. All communications to Gem Theatre or P. O. Box 348.

Christmas cards with a suitable emblem and your own name printed at The News Job Department make a suitable remembrance. See our samples.

The Union Grocery, corner Hall and Baker are offering with every $20.00 worth of goods purchased your portrait enlarged free of all cost. This is a special Christmas inducement and is good only for a limited length of time. 204-1

MARKETS

SOUTH AFRICAN WARRANT SELLS FOR THOUSAND DOLLARS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—The wheat was of a quiet nature in options, cash and export until immediately before the close, when the American market reacted and became much firmer. British cables were higher and Winnipeg followed suit in options. December closing ¼c, May ½c and May (old) ⅜c over Thursday's figures. With light offerings the cash demand was poor until the close. The export trade is principally in low grades with the prices trending lownward. Chicago closed unchanged to ¼higher on May and July. Minneapolis also closed higher on all months.

Canadian Fire, F. P.	120	...
City and Provincial Loan	115	...
Commercial Loan	...	110
Great West Life 55 P. C. P.	300	325
Great West Permanent	123	126
Home Investment	128	...
Commercial Loan P. P.	...	115
S. A. Warrants	950	1000
Crown C. F. E.	87	...
Northern C. F. E.	100	103
Northern Mortgage 20 P. C. P.	115	...
Northern Trusts	...	153
Standard Trusts	162	...

Sales of listed stocks: 1 S. A. Warrant at $1,000; 1 S. A. Warrant at $1,000.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Silver 25⅝. Lead £15 15s. 0d.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Silver 55¼. Standard copper, 12.15 to 13.00, firm but quiet.

THREE GENERATIONS

Kept Healthy By Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

Over fifty years ago people began to find out the effectiveness of Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills in correcting constipation and toning up the system.

Since then the popularity of this reliable old family medicine has grown steadily, and the increase in sales during the past year was the greatest in the whole half century.

As long as livers get sluggish, bowels constipated or kidneys inactive, just so long will

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

cure these conditions and banish their distressing effects for those who are wise enough to use them.

Sick headaches, coated tongues, indigestion, biliousness, dyspepsia, rheumatism and similar disorders are almost invariably caused by impurities which should be removed from the system by the bowels, the kidneys and the pores of the skin. By toning up these organs so that they can do their work properly, *Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills* cure, or prevent altogether, a large proportion of the common everyday ailments which keep so many people miserable.

Made by W. H. Comstock Co., Limited, Brockville, Ont., and sold by all dealers at 25c. a box. 29

Don't Forget

This is Xmas and if you have any engraving to do, don't forget that our engraver is a past-master at the art. Bring your work in early.

J. J. Walker

OPTICIAN AND JEWELER

SANTA CLAUS

has forwarded a large stock of seasonable groceries and toys to Joy's. Come and see them or phone 19:

Toys, 5c. to $1.25.
Candies, 15c. to 60c. per lb.
Bananas, 40c. per dozen.
New Figs from 12½c. to 25c. per lb.
Mail orders promptly shipped.

Joy's Cash Grocery

Corner Mill and Josephine Sts.
Phone 19 P.O. Box 637

To Eczema Sufferers

We would not recommend any remedy for Eczema, Psoriasis, or any other trouble with the skin, unless we knew that it was scientifically compounded, that its ingredients could not possibly harm the most delicate skin, and that it would give instant relief.

We have many remedies in our store and make it a point to handle only those that can be relied upon, but we especially recommend the D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema to all our patrons who have any form of skin trouble, because we know what it will do. We can vouch personally for the merits of the D. D. D. Prescription.

If you want instant relief from that torturing, itchy Eczema or would like to have your face freed from unsightly blotches and pimples let us tell you about this D. D. D. Prescription, and the wonderful D. D. D. Soap that is used with it.

Remember, we know the D. D. D. Prescription will give you instant relief.

Better call today and let us tell you more about this wonderful remedy.

Or sit down at once and write the D. D. D. Laboratories, Dept. No. 49 Colborne St. Toronto, for a free trial bottle.

Sold in Nelson by The Poole Drug Company, Limited.

Sharp & Irvine Co. Brokers

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The shares of the Slocan mines continue to be the most active of any handled on the Spokane exchange. There has also been good trading in the coal stocks of British Columbia and Alberta.

Great interest is being shown in the sales of Slocan Star Mines, Ltd. It is well known that this company now owns and is operating, in addition to other properties, the old Slocan Star group, one of the group of mines that made the Slocan district famous.

Write us for prices or information on any active shares.

Today we advise the purchase of Slocan Star, Rambler-Cariboo, McAllister, International Coal & Coke and McGillivray Creek Coal & Coke.

STOCKS

WE OFFER		WE WANT	
1000-2000 Lucky Jim Zinc	$ .26½	100-200 Canadian Marconi	$2.00
200 Sunset Mills	1.75	100 B. C. Copper	4.25
100 Standard Silver-Lead	1.55	10 Granby	29.50
500 Slocan Star	.50	1000 Cariboo-McKinney	.01½

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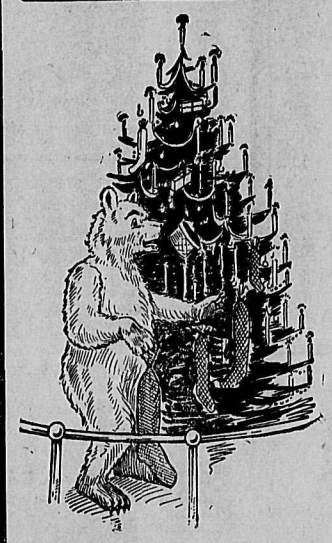
Hudson's Bay Stores

A rest room for ladies is provided upstairs, where they can rest, meet their friends and attend to their correspondence.

Send a postal for our Grocery price list. A complete assortment of Tom Smith's Crackers just received.



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Is Busy at the Big Store Taking Orders

Gifts Suitable for Ladies

COLLARS, BELTS AND TIES—
An endless assortment at from 25c to $3.50.

ENGLISH UMBRELLAS—
From $1.50 to $6.50.

EIDERDOWN COMFORTERS—
In sateen and silk, the genuine article; from $4.00 to $17.50.

GLOVES—
These are always appreciated.
Dressed kid, silk lined.....$1.50
Mocha, wool lined.....$1.50
Mocha, fur lined.....$3.00

HANDKERCHIEFS—
Hand embroidered, initialled, pure linen, put up in fancy boxes of one-half dozen; per box, $1.25.

AMERICAN SHIRT WAISTS—
With stiff collars and cuffs, plain and fancy fronts, at $1.50.

SILK WAISTS—
In all the leading styles and shades, from $3.50 to $7.50.

FURS—
A beautiful assortment at prices to suit any purse.
Muffs from $5.50 to $135.00.
Stoles from $5.50 to $150.00.
All fashionable furs are represented.

SILK UNDERSKIRTS—
In shot taffetas, all shades, at $3.50.

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS—
Imported, beautifully made, all colors, at $3.95.

SWEATERS—
In plain and two tone effects; all wool; at from $2.75 to $10.50.

Gifts Suitable for Men

We have a very large number of lines to choose from, but for want of space can mention only a few

PURE SILK UMBRELLAS—
Silver mounted, excellent value at $5.00—Christmas price, $2.50.

NECKTIES—
About 125 dozen to choose from. All the new styles and colorings are represented. At from 50c to $1.25.

FANCY ARMBANDS—
From 15c to $1.00. Fancy boxes containing Braces, Armbands and Garters, at from 90c to $1.75 per box.

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—
At from 50c to $1.00.

HEMSTITCHED LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—
At from 10c to 35c each.

GLOVES—
A nice assortment, some lined with wool, some with silk, and others with fur, at from $1.75 to $3.00.

Gifts Suitable for Children

DOLLS—Dressed and undressed, from 20c to $5.50 each.
ESKIMO DOLLS — 25c to 75c each.
RAG DOLLS—25c each
DOLL MUFFS — $1.50 to $2.00 each.
POPGUNS—25c each.
TARGET GUNS — 25c to 65c each.
TOOL CHESTS—25c to $1.35 each.
DRUMS—15c to 35c each.
TEA SETS—25c to 50c and 75c each.
MECHANICAL TOYS of all kinds, from 25c to $1.00.
RAILWAY TRAINS—
Complete with track and switches, from $1 to $2.50.
SPINNING TOPS. NOAH'S ARKS, HORSES, DOGS, CATS and all kinds of animals in large assortment. All kinds of toys at about half the prices you used to pay.

Wine and Spirit Department

We have made special efforts to have this department stocked with the very choicest of wines and spirits. Our ports and sherries are imported direct, and are equal to any that come across the Atlantic in lighter wines we offer Burgundies, Clarets and Sauternes. All procured from the most reliable firms in Europe.

In Champagne we have Pommery, Cliquot, Moet & Chandon, and Mumm's, and in German wines we carry Sparkling and Still Hocks and Moselle.

Scotch whiskies we have in great variety, including all the leading brands, the foremost among them our own "Specially Selected," which is well and justly known as the "Best Procurable."

Special attention is also drawn to that best of all tonic wines for invalids—

WINCARNIS—
at $1.25 per bottle or $12.00 per case.

Rye Whiskies, Brandies, Gin and all other liquors are in stock in different grades.

Send for our Wine and Spirit price list—a post card will bring it to you

Christmas Groceries

Fancy Malaga Grapes—30c per lb.
Fancy Hawaiian Pine Apple—50c each.
New Navel Oranges—Per dozen, 40c and 50c.
New Smyrna Figs—Choice 20c per lb.
New Smyrna Figs—Large fancy, 30c per lb.
Crystalized Cherries—Very choice, per one lb. box, 60c
Glace Cherries—Very choice, per lb. box, 60c.
Crystalized Fruits—Assorted, per one lb. box, 75c; per two lb. box, $1.50.
Crystalized Pine Apple—Sliced, per lb., 60c
Cadbury's and Fry's Chocolate Creams arrived this week; in fancy boxes, from 5c to $1.25.

Now Is the Time to Choose

Tom Smith's Crackers

From 25c to $1.50 per Box

We have the best assortment ever shown in Nelson.

New Nuts

Almonds, Brazils, Chestnuts, Filberts, Peanuts and Walnuts, at 25c per lb. Assorted nuts, 5 lb. for $1.00.

Hockey Boots

FOR MEN
FOR WOMEN
FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Men's Box Calf Hockey Boots at $3.50
Men's Mulehide, lightning hitch, $3.75
Ladies' Box Calf Hockey Boots at$3.
Boys' Box Calf Hockey Boots at $2.75
Boys' Mulehide, lightning hitch, $3
Extra quality ankle supports at 35c a pair.

SKATES ATTACHED FREE.

N. B.—Bearpaw Snowshoes, best quality, at $3 per pair.

Hudson's Bay Co.'s Gift Certificates

This Is How They Solve the Gift Problem

Suppose you have someone to whom you are going to give a present at Christmas. You pay in cash to us the amount you desire your present would cost. We make out the certificate, stating amount deposited, the name it is in favor of, and your name. On a slip attached to the certificate you may express your Christmas regards. So you see it is a Christmas letter as well, and a gift combined. You slip the certificate into an envelope provided, address, and away it goes.

The recipient presents it at any of our stores, where it will be honored for the full amount. In this way it allows the person individual selection. These certificates are on sale in this store.

The Company has stores in the following places, where they will be honored: Calgary, Edmonton, Fort William, Kamloops, Kenora, Lethbridge, Macleod, Nelson, Pincher Creek, Portage la Prairie, Qu'Appelle, Vancouver, Vernon, Yorkton, Winnipeg.

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Six small subdivisions lying between Kootenay river and the Granite road, with excellent river frontage and beach; they contain from four to 10 acres and are very suitable for pretty summer homes; th . each have from three to seven acres of first class land. We shall be pleased to show them and quote prices.

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Domestic, lb. .....35c.

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MATINEE 2:30
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Nelson, B.C.

Pickard's Hand Painted China

NEW GOODS—NEW SHAPES—NEW DESIGNS

These goods are recognized as a work of art. No two pieces alike.

WE WISH TO SUGGEST:

Plate, Strawberries	$ 5.00	Cream and Sugars, Poppies	7.50
Plate, Violets	5.00	Syrup Jug with plate, Easter Lily	11.50
Plate, Double Violets	5.50	Syrup jug with plate, Platinum and gold	11.25
Plate, Crab Apple	5.00	Cake Dish, Easter Lily	12.00
Bon-Bon Strawberries	6.00	Pudding Dish, with cover Dalia	18.00
Bon-Bon, Pond Lily	6.00	Chop Tray, Dalia	14.00
Bon-Bon, Violets	5.50	Bowl, Tulip	12.00
Bon-Bon, Rosebuds	6.75	Bowl, Raspberry	10.50
Bon-Bon, Orange Blossoms	6.00	Bowl, large, Strawberries	16.50
Jug, medium, Easter Lily	8.50	Bowl large, Poppy	10.50
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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

F. C. Merry, manager of the Silver Cup mine, is registered at the Strathcona.

The city police have a pair of spectacles, found on Baker street, and are seeking the owner.

The fair directors will meet in the office of the secretary, opera house block, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

J. S. Gordon, provincial school inspector, has been in the city for the past two days examining the pupils of the high school.

Frank Fletcher has been appointed inspector of public works in Nelson by the Dominion government, Edward Ferguson having resigned.

The Presbyterian Ladies aid will hold their bazaar on the afternoon and evening of Dec. 15. There will be for sale handkerchiefs donated from England, Ireland, Scotland, Australia, the United States and Canada. The Young Girl's club will have a booth of dolls and fancy articles. There will also be a candy booth.

Malcolm Sellis was sent to jail for three months on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, by Police Magistrate Irvine yesterday morning.

K. H. Fessenden returned last night from an extended visit to England, the maritime provinces and the east. He will leave shortly for the coast.

All over the city the electric light globes are being replaced with new ones in readiness for the holiday season, and as a consequence the streets are presenting a very brilliant and well lighted appearance.

A paper on the Canadian navy question will be read by R. Smillie at this evening's meeting of the University club, which will take place in the assembly room of the public school. This gathering will be the annual meeting of the club.

There will be a special mteting of the Nelson Improvement association in the board of trade rooms at 7:30 o'clock on Monday evening to consider a means of co-operating with the publicity bureau in the new Kootenay correspondence corps scheme.

The B. I. L. of A. will give a dance at the Eagle hall on Dec. 29. This will be the first annual dance given by the bartenders of the Nelson local branch, No. 435 A turkey supper will be served during the evening and the Gem orchestra will supply the music.

The will be a full dress rehearsal of "The Pirates of Penzance" at the opera house at 8 o'clock this evening. Those who cannot be present at the commencement of the rehearsal are asked to endeavor to attend later. A dress rehearsal will take place on Monday evening.

The choir of St. Paul's Presbyterian church will render the anthem "O Zion That Bringest Good Tidings," by Sir John Stainer, at tomorrow evening's service. A quartette by the same composer "God So Loved the World" will also be sung by Mrs. Ireland, Miss Will, Mr. Rylatt and E. Lupin.

In the bank of Montreal vs the Hall Mines smelter, E. C. Wragge in supreme court chambers yesterday obtained a final order in a foreclosure suit. Fred C. Moffatt in Brown and Bayley vs the Mother Lode Sheep Creek Mining company was successful in an application to strike out portions of defence as being embarrasing. E. C. Wragge appeared for the defendant company.

CHURCH SERVICES TOMORROW

All changes for church service announcements must be handed in or phoned to The Daily News office before 6 o'clock on Friday. If not received by this time the notices will be omitted from Saturday's issue.

ANGLICAN—St. Saviour's, corner Ward and Silica. Second Sunday in Advent. 8 a. m., Holy Communion, 11 a. m., Matins and Litany; 2:30 p. m., Sunday School and Bible class; 7:30 p. m., evensong; 9 p. m., Churchman's club. Rev. Fred H. Graham, rector.

PRESBYTERIAN—St. Paul's corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets. Rev. Dr. Spencer, of Vancouver, will preach in morning, and Rev. E. S. Logie in evening. *Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday* school, 2:30 p. m

ROMAN CATHOLIC—Corner Ward and Mill. Low Mass, 8 a.m.; High Mass, 10.30 a.m.; evening service, 7.30 p.m. Rev. J. Althoff.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Corner Stanley and Silica streets. Sunday morning service at 11.30 o'clock; Sunday evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Subject of the lesson service, "God, the Preserver of Man." Reading room open daily 3 to 3:30. Visitors welcome.

METHODIST—Rev. A. E. Smith, pastor. Residence beside the church. Sunday Dec. 10. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., at which addresses will be given by Dr. Ernest Hall of Victoria, a medical specialist. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30, Men's meeting at 3:30, with Rev. Dr. Spencer, of Vancouver present. Monday, 8 p. m., Epworth league—open debates on "Church Union." All people welcome.

BAPTIST—Regular services, public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject "Nehemiah, the Man Who Would Not Come Down." Dr. D. Spencer will address the evening service. Tuesday, 7 p. m., Junior Young People's meeting; 8 p. m. Senior Young People's meeting. Thursday, 8 p. m., midweek service of prayer and praise. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor, C. W. King. Residence corner Hoover and Josephine streets. Phone A469, box 396. A cordial welcome to all.

SALVATION ARMY—Victoria street Sunday school, 10 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Praise service, 3 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

Y. M. C. A.—Rev. Dr. Spencer, of Vancouver, superintendent of Local Option League of British Columbia, will address a men's meeting at 4 p. m.—Subject, "A Man's Job a Man's Pay." Special music by the Nelson Symphony orchestra. All men cordially invited.

AT THE THEATRE

In "The Pirates of Penzance" at the opera house on Monday, two of the features will be the great policemens' chorus and the pirates' "stealthy tread." Special scenery has been prepared and painted and special lighting effects are being arranged, making the production an artistic as well as a musical treat. Box plans for all three nights will be open to ticket holders only today and to the general public from Monday onwards.

The subjects in the program at the Gem thtatre this evening are: "The Loves of David Copperfield," the third of the series by the Thanhouser company "Daivid's love affairs, his domestic happiness and sorrows" and "The Machinations of the Unspeakable Heep;" "Mutt and Jeff Discovers a Wonderful Remedy;" "Dippy Advertises For a Pup;" "Snakes and Reptiles." and "Wiffles Sad Mistake." There will be the usual Saturday matinee at 2:30

Among the interesting subjects in the change of program at the Empire tonight are the following: "Cosinne in Dolly Land," Solax; "Rambles in Southern and Western Germany;" "Albream in the Wax Makers Show" Great Northern; and "Texas Ted's Defence," Bison.

SANTA CLAUS COMES TO TOWN

Little Folks Flock to Variety Store to Make Friends and Receive Gifts

A crowd of over 300 children and grown ups blocked the sidewalk without and filled all the available room within the Variety store yesterday afternoon when Santa Claus paid the shop a visit. Indeed there were so many who demand his attention that the old gentleman was quite overcome with exertion and was finally forced to retire for rest with the promise that he would meet his little friends again today at 2 o'clock and present everyone with a present worth at least 25 cents. When not on view St. Nicholas is spending all his time making up his packages, for he is very anxious that every child should receive a suitable gift, even though Christmas has not yet arrived. Although the store is open to all free of charge, 25 cents must be paid to get a glimpse into Santa's house, which is very much like his real house back-of-beyond.

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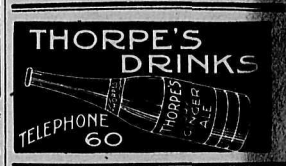

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