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MADERO AND SUAREZ MEET VIOLENT DEATH

Deposed President and Vice-President Shot in Street

TALE TOLD OF FIGHT WITH GUARD

Widow Refused Permission to See Body--City Remains Quiet

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 23.—Francisco I. Madero and Jose Pino Suarez are dead. In a midnight ride under guard from the national palace to the penitentiary they were killed. The circumstances surrounding the death of the deposed president and vice-president are unknown, except as given in the official accounts, which do not conform in all cases. The only witnesses were those actually concerned in the killing.

Fight With Guard.

The provisional president, General Huerta, says that the killing of the men was incidental to a fight between their guard and a party attempting to liberate them. The minister of foreign relations, Francisco de la Barra, adds that the prisoners attempted to escape. Neither make a definite statement as to which side fired the fatal shots. It is not impossible that neither knows. An investigation has been ordered to determine the responsibility and solemn promises have been made that the guilty will be punished.

Not unnaturally, a great part of the public regards the official version with doubt, having in mind the use for centuries of the notorious, "Ley Fuga," the unwritten law which is invoked when the death of a prisoner is desired. After its application there is written on the records, "prisoner shot trying to escape."

Senora Madero, the widow of the ex-president, received the first definite information of his death from the Spanish minister, Senor Cologany Cologan. She already had heard reports that something unusual and serious had occurred, but friends had endeavored up to that time to prevent her from learning the whole truth.

Widow Refused Admission.

Soon afterward, accompanied by her brother, Jose Perez, and Mercedes Madero, a sister of Francisco, Senora Madero drove to the penitentiary, but was refused permission to see the body of her husband. Senora Suarez was also denied admittance to the mortuary, where physicians, in accordance with the law, were performing an autopsy.

In contrast to the widow, whose grief was of a pitiably silent kind, expressed in sobs, Mercedes Madero, a beautiful young woman educated in Paris, who has been a brilliant society leader since the revolution of 1910, was dry-eyed and tigerish.

Besides the two women whose husbands had been killed the girl hurled accusations at the officers who barred the entrance.

"Cowards," "assassins," she called them, her voice pitched high. The officers stared impassively.

"You are the men who fired on a defenceless man, you and your superior officers are traitors."

No effort was made to remove the women, nor did the officers attempt to silence them. Senora Madero continued weeping and the girl did not cease her hysterical tirade until the arrival of the Spanish minister and the Japanese charge, who came to offer their services.

The minister spoke with the officers in charge, but was told that on account of the autopsy it would be impossible for anyone to see the bodies. Later they said the request would be complied with. The diplomats then conducted the women away from the prison.

Madero's father and Rafaelo Hernandez, former minister of the interior, and other friends, made efforts early in the day to recover the bodies, and it was stated this afternoon that American Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson had interested himself and secured the promise of Minister de la Barra that the bodies should be delivered to their families for burial.

Midnight Tragedy.

The tragedy occurred shortly after midnight. Madero and Suarez who had been prisoners in the national palace since their arrest on Tuesday last, were placed in an automobile, which was accompanied by another car and escorted by 100 Rurales under the orders of Commandant Francisco Cardenas and Col. Rafaelo Pimiento.

Story of Fight.

With instructions not to outdistance the escort, the cars moved slowly. No incident occurred until they had reached a point near the penitentiary, where in an open place, the guard's attention was attracted, according to the official version, to a group of persons following. Shots were fired at the escort out of the darkness. The Rurales closed in and ordered the prisoners out of the car. Thirty of the guards surrounded the prisoners, while the remainder disposed themselves to resist the attack. About 50 men, some afoot and some mounted, threw themselves upon the detachment guarding the cars and the exchange of shots lasted 20 minutes, when the attacking party fled.

Bullet Through Head.

The dead bodies of Madero and Suarez were then found. The body of Madero shows only one wound. A bullet entered the back of the head and emerged at the forehead. The body of Suarez shows many wounds, entering from the front. Of the male members of the Madero family only two are now in the capital. One is Francisco Madero, the father, who bitterly opposed his son's conducting a revolution in 1910, and rode across Mexico in an effort to dissuade him; the other is Ernesto Madero, the former minister of finance, an uncle, though only a year older than the late president. Gustavo Madero was obliged to submit to the fugitive law the day after the deposition of the president and was shot down in the arsenal. Senora Madero and the two sisters of the ex-president, Mercedes and Angola, are tonight at the Japanese legation.

Pitiful Monuments.

Not far from the penitentiary there are two small piles of stones, some 20 feet apart. They mark the spots where the men died who a few days ago ruled Mexico. Holes in the wall of the penitentiary show where some bullets lodged.

The stones were piled by groups of sympathizers of the lower class, whose curiosity early drew them to the scene. From the top of each pitiful monument tonight flickered candles, placed there and lighted by those who thus thought to pay the last rites of the church for the souls of the dead.

Investigation Promised.

After the engagement on the road to the prison, Commandant Cardenas reported to the military commander who conducted him to General Huerta. The president summoned his cabinet, and after apprising his ministers of the occurrence, issued an official announcement.

News Received Quietly.

Both president and ministers deeply deplore the affair and decided upon a full investigation to fix the responsibility and to punish the guilty. Already formal action has been taken by the authorities and the members of the escort are under arrest pending the inquiry. In his capacity as minister of foreign relations, Senor de la Barra addressed a note to the diplomatic corps giving an account of the killing and assurances of a thorough investigation.

There are no signs of a demonstration in the central part of the city during the day. The news was received quietly and apparently philosophically. This was due perhaps not only to the fact that the majority seems to be in favor of the present government, but because the people are still overawed because of the developments of the last two weeks.

Over 100 members of the British colony have sent a memorial to the American ambassador expressing "appreciation for the able manner in which the ambassador has handled the delicate situation caused by the recent disturbances."

The memorial extends sincere thanks "for the help afforded all foreigners by the American embassy without distinction of nationality, and more especially all British residents."

Deeply Deplored.

Francisco de la Barra, the foreign minister, sent an official statement to the foreign diplomatic representatives, in which he said:

"The department of foreign relations desires to make known, as already announced to the ambassador of the United States, the British minister and other members of the diplomatic corps on various occasions that the government decided that all acts relating to Madero and Pino Suarez should be adjudicated strictly according to law, as was due, and that in consequence the accusation process, if such had taken place, would not have departed one iota from the legal measures, as applicable to the case. That after making this decision the government agreed to remove Madero and Suarez to the penitentiary, where they would have the necessary security, consideration and comforts.

"That yesterday morning the minister of foreign relations so informed Ambassador Wilson, saying that the government would proceed as always in accord with the law and that the removal of the ex-president and the ex-vice-president to the penitentiary would be for the reason afore-indicated.

"That it is expected that with the passing of time passions would be subdued and calm contentment would come to the republic.

"I desire to give all the facts of which I am cognizant connected with the affair of last night, which is deeply deplored both for sentiments of humanity and because of the affair which has surprised the government and the importance of which is not underestimated by the government.

Liberation Attempted.

"Last night about 11.30 o'clock I was called with all haste to the national palace by the chief staff of the president. An automobile was sent with an aide to take me, as well as the secretary of the interior, Alberto G. Granados. Surprised by the unusual call, I attempted to talk by telephone with General Blanquet, the military commander, who made known that something serious had occurred. On our arrival at midnight at the palace the president explained that Francisco Madero and Jose Pino Suarez, while beng conducted to the penitentiary in automobiles, were killed in an encounter which the escort, guarding the prisoners, had had with a group of individuals who attempted to liberate the two men.

Investigation Ordered.

"Other members of the cabinet having arrived, it was agreed that it was an absolute necessity for the honor of the government that not only should it proceed into a minute investigation of this act, according to the law, but, going further, that immediate notice should be given to the chief attorney of the military court, Jose Vasquez Tagle, that he, with the judge advocate, should make investigations and consign those responsible whoever they might be to custody, and that he proceed to examine them in conformity with the law. It was agreed also that Attorney-General Castonnellos, whose energy and competency are well known, should take action in this most unfortunate affair.

Fired on Escort.

"According to the reports which President Huerta received and communicated to his ministers, a group of five persons at a point about halfway between the palace and the penitentiary fired upon the chauffeur of one of the automobiles which was under escort. The order was given for more speed. Shortly afterward another group more numerous, sallied from the cross streets, firing on the escort. It seems that Madero and Suarez at this point attempted to escape.

"President Huerta communicated to the ministers the news of the death of the ex-president and ex-vice-president, adding that there was another person killed and two persons wounded, according to the information he had at the moment, without being exact as to which group these belonged. He also informed the ministers that there had been some arrests.

Punishment Promised.

"The secretary of foreign affairs, echoing the feeling of the government and moved by the personal sentiments which have caused him to view with horror the shedding of blood outside of those cases wherein the law has imposed the punishment, not only laments the affair, but is convinced that the honor of the republic demands a careful investigation and exemplary punishment for those who may be found guilty of this act."

ASKS CATHOLICS TO VOTE FOR SUNDAY CARS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SASKATOON, Sask., Feb. 23.—The Sunday cars in Saskatoon would not only be a benefit to the people of the city but that they were practically a necessity, was the stand taken by Rev. Father Lacoste in speaking to the congregation at St. Paul's church on the subject today. It would be a great advantage to churchgoers and he asked all Catholics to vote in favor of the bylaw when submitted to the people.

TAFT PRESENTED WITH PEACE MEDAL

American Executive Declares Southern Republic Presents Sorry Picture.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—President Taft, guest of honor at a peace dinner tonight, at which a medal was presented to him in token of his services in the cause of universal peace, spoke frankly of conditions in Mexico as he knew them and declared that it was his desire to avoid intervention in the affairs of that government. The medal, given by the National Institute of Social Science at the dinner of the American Peace and Arbitration league, was presented by Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain.

"Mexico for two years," said Mr. Taft in his address, "has presented a very sad picture to every lover of his kind, to every supporter of popular government, to every man hopeful of establishing peace under a stable government. But we must not despair. We must not, in a case like Mexico—for it differs from the Central American republics—take such action as shall give them cause to believe that we are moved by purposes that would arouse them to opposition to us. We must avoid in every way possible that which is called intervention and use all the patience possible with the hope that some power may arise there to bring about peace throughout that great country. We have to take precautions and these have been taken."

MILLER HOPES FOR LIBERTY

Will Answer Question if Form is Altered—Former Civil Servant Got Money

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—The case of R. G. Miller, the state prisoner, will, quite probably, come before the house again this week. Conferences were held on Saturday between Mr. Miller and his Montreal counsel, A. E. Harvey, K.C., and E. B. Proctor, barrister of Ottawa, who has been retained. It is intended to approach the authorities of house tomorrow with the suggestion that if the question is somewhat altered Miller will answer. The stand he takes is that in his dealings in the matter, the public interest was not involved and any expenditure of money in connection with the matter was made to a private party whose engineering experience was required. It is alleged that the party was a former government employ who at the time the contracts were entered into had left the government service and has since died. No action by way of habaes corpus has been instituted, and Miller hopes that his third appearance before the bar will be his last. If anything like a satisfactory explanation as to the payment of the money is given the house, it will be accepted and the prisoner released.

ALFRED CULLEN IS DISMISSED

Board Gives Months Salary in Lieu of Notice

WAS TEACHING UNDER PERMIT

Trustees Need New Salary Schedule--Increases Effective First of Year

Alfred Cullen was on Saturday dismissed from the teaching staff of the Nelson public school and is given one month's salary in lieu of notice. His place will be filled by William Grey, who is without work at the high school since R. Smillie, principal, resumed charge of a class at that institution when Robert Thompson was reappointed principal of the public school.

The action of the board leaves only one teacher at the schools who has not a certificate, Mrs. Cryderman, who is teaching under a permit. It is proposed to appoint that teacher as a permanent substitute, the board having come to the conclusion that there is sufficient work for a teacher in that capacity.

In recommending the dismissal of Mr. Cullen and the transferring of Mr. Grey to the public school staff, George W. Hale, chairman of the school management committee, explained that the action had become necessary owing to there being under present conditions an extra teacher at the high school.

"We do not advocate any further changes at present in view of the investigation which will take place next week. There may be some further changes, but we do not think them advisable at present," said Mr. Hale.

The report was adopted on motion of William Johnston, seconded by Mr. Hale.

At the suggestion of Dr. A. V. Jones, and with the concurrence of the other members of the board, it was decided to make the $5 increases in salary which were granted at last meeting effective from Jan. 1. Those who received increases are: Miss Best, Miss Laura Wade, Miss M. Taylor and Miss Lillian M. Foote. It was pointed out in connection with Miss Best that she had been granted an increase of $5 because she had had an understanding with Dr. E. C. Arthur, ex-secretary of the board, that she would receive $80 this year. No record of any such promise could be found in the school letter book, but Mr. Johnston and Dr. Jones thought that if Miss Best had understood she was to get the increase she should have it, even although the trustees did not appear to be in possession of a copy of any written promise. "We must not break faith even though we were not responsible and the matter did not come before the old school board," said Dr. Jones.

Miss S. E. Keatley and Miss Alberta Middleton were paid $75 per month and Miss Lillian Foote $70, it appeared from the records of the old board, and it was decided that the last named was also entitled to $75 per month. For new teachers the salary schedule calls for $70 per month, but the board thought that all the teachers under similar conditions should be treated alike.

Schedule Shot to Pieces.

"The schedule is pretty well shot to pieces," said Mr. Hale after it had been pointed out that Miss Kate Scanlan was receiving $30 per month above the amount allowed for the length of time she had been teaching and that other teachers were getting $5 per month above the schedule, the board being tied down by contracts or engagements of other kinds made by the old board.

"We'll have to get a new schedule," thought Dr. Jones. The schedule upon which the trustees are attempting to work was passed in 1911.

In reference to the letter from R. F. Goldfinch, manual training instructor, in which he stated that he had a contract to receive $150 per month for his third year at the Nelson school, it was stated by the secretary, Fred L. Irwin, that he had been unable to find anything in the minutes or letter book with regard to the engagement of this teacher. There was apparently nothing to show that he had ever been engaged, said Dr. Jones.

The chairman, W. J. Labadie, favored leaving the matter over. If Mr. Goldfinch had a contract he could produce it and the board would take action, he said. Dr. Jones and Mr. Johnston agreed that the board had to work on business principles.

Wants Additional Towels.

Dr. Jones asked for further details from the janitor, who put in a requisition for some panes of glass, ammonia, towels and doormats. She thought that ammonia might be purchased more cheaply than by the bottle. She was against the purchase of more towels unless the necessity for them could be shown. Mr. Johnston thought that there should be a supply of towels for the use of the teachers, but agreed that the matter could be looked into. It was agreed to purchase the articles asked for, with the exception of the towels, after the chairman of the school management committee had investigated. The towel question will be looked into by the committee.

Mr. Thompson, principal of the public school, agreed to investigate the alleged ill-treatment of a son of R. C. Barker by some fellow pupils. The matter was brought up by the chairman, who said that it had been reported that the boy had been seriously "beaten up" by some of the other children. Mr. Thompson pointed out that a teacher supervised the children at recess time.

The board decided to give public notification to all organizations using the public school or any part of it that they must re-apply to the board for permission to continue to enjoy such privileges. At present the trustees have no record of what organizations are using the building.

Detailed Financial Statement

Expenditures last month for public and high schools totalled $3,559.22, of which $530.51 represented hold-over accounts for 1912. In detail the expenditures were:

High school—	
Teachers' salaries	$ 540.00
Maintenance	85.95
Repairs	13.78
Equipment	2.40
Total for high school	$ 642.13
Public school—	
Teachers' salaries	$1,360.00
Maintenance	188.03
Repairs	194.25
Equipment	10.95
Wood	8.50
Coal	213.20
Total for public school	$1,974.93
Manual training—	
Salary	$ 140.00
Equipment	8.50
Maintenance	2.85
Total, manual training	$ 151.35
Domestic science—	
Salary	$ 100.00
Equipment	5.35
Maintenance	23.50
Total, domestic science	$ 128.85
Medical health officer, salary	50.00
Office expense, salary (secretary	25.00
Stationery	2.20
Total, office expenses	$ 27.20
Asbestos covering hot water pipes	$ 54.25
1912 accounts	530.51
Grand total	$3,559.22

All the members of the board were present, with the exception of John Hamilton, who is confined to his residence with an attack of la grippe.

PREMIER GUEST OF GOVERNOR

People of Canada Not Likely to Change Opinion on Reciprocity—At Executive Mansion

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Governor and Mrs. Sulzer entertained at dinner tonight in honor of Premier and Mrs. R. L. Borden of Canada. Other guests included L. K. Jones, deputy minister of Canadian railroads; Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Martin H. Glynn, and Mr and Mrs. Carl Von Mayhoff of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden are guests at the executive mansion. They attended services today at the First Presbyterian church. The premier will speak at a dinner of the University club of Albany, after which he will return to Ottawa. He said today he believed the people of Canada would not change their opinion on reciprocity.

MONTREAL WOMAN FOUND MURDERED

Husband With Jaw Broken and Teeth Knocked Out Dies Later—Uncle Accused

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—Early this morning in the home of Francois Vautour, 18 Grand Trunk street, directly across from the Grand Trunk street police station, Mrs. Vautour was found murdered in her bed and her husband, who died later in the day, was found walking around the house with a gash in the side of his face, his jaw broken and teeth knocked out. There was blood all over the house. The bed on which the body of the woman lay was saturated with blood, while there was a large quantity of blood on the pillows in the bedroom which the six children occupied, ranging in age from three to nine years.

Capt. Coleman of the Grand Trunk street police station is holding Alfred Michaud, 35 years old, a brother of the murdered woman, in connection with the tragedy. The husband of the dead woman was also under surveillance of the police until he died.

Early this morning Theodore Vautour, nine years old, entered the Grand Trunk street police station and informed Lieut. Bellefleur that his mother was dead and his father was badly injured. The police found the woman lying dead in bed with three wounds in her throat. Vautour was standing in the kitchen with a blood-stained towel wrapped around his face. He was rushed to the hospital and although hardly able to speak, informed Capt. Coleman that he could not tell what had happened. He said that some time during the night he received a heavy blow. When he regained consciousness he found his wife dead in bed beside him and his own face smashed open. He could not say who had committed the crime. A bottle containing brandy was found in the house. Vautour admitted he had been drinking.

Theodore Vautour, the nine-year-old boy, told Capt. Coleman that he was awakened about 3 o'clock by a man with a lighted lamp in his hand, who walked into the room occupied by his brother and sisters. The man placed the lamp on the kitchen table and turned the light down low. Then he came back into their room and caught him by the throat and threatened to kill him, and that he also caught hold of his brother Victor, two years younger, threatening him in the same manner. Theodore said he recognized the man as his Uncle Fred Michaud, his mother's brother. The boy told the story in the presence of his father, while waiting for the ambulance. Capt. Coleman asked the father if he had seen Michaud around during the night. Vautour said that he could not tell. He thought he did, but was not sure.

When the father had been taken to the hospital, Theodore told the police that when he saw his uncle in the house he had an axe in his pocket and that he used the axe to break open the door at the head of the stairway leading from the street. An examination of the door disclosed no sign of having been tampered with. The boy, although questioned closely, maintained that his story was correct.

Alfred Michaud, brother of the murdered woman, was located by Capt. Coleman. Michaud declared he had not been at his sister's house for weeks and had not been out of his boarding house on Saturday night. His statement of not having left the house during the night was corroborated by Mrs. Duverney, the boarding house mistress, and some boarders. Capt. Coleman took Michaud to the Grand Trunk street station.

ADRIANOPLE MUST SOON SURRENDER

Unable to Hold Out for More Than Week

PEACE EXPECTED IN THREE WEEKS

Turkey and Allies Negotiating Secretly--Imperial Jewels Removed

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The correspondent at Belgrade of the Daily Mail says he learns from a reliable source that Turkey and the allies are secretly negotiating and that peace is likely to be concluded by the first week in March. An uncensored despatch from Constantinople to the Dail Mail says that the correspondent hears that Shukari, Pasha the military commandant at Adrianople, has informed Schefket Pasha, the grand vizer, that he will be unable to prolong the defence of Adrianople beyond another week, and that the grand vizer replied urging Shukari o hold out for three weeks, by which time he said he hoped peace would be concluded.

This predicament partly explains why Shukari refused to allow foreigners either to enter or depart from the city. He fears they may reveal the real conditions there. The correspondent says the imperial treasury, including the magnificent jewels and the pearl studded throne, has been secretly removed from the Stamboul palace to Brusal in Asiatic Turkey.

Situation Unchanged

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The mission to London of Hakki Pasha, the Turkish ex-grand vizer, thus far has had no definite result and the position between Turkey and the Balkan allies remains unchanged.

Vague rumors are in circulation here of an important Bulgarian victory at Bulair, but Sofia is silent regarding it and according to an official statement issued in Constantinople nothing important has happened either at Bulair, Adrianople or along the Tchatalja lines. Bulgaria has refused to censent to the formation of a neutral zone at Adrianople. Therefore, the consuls and foreigners must remain inside the city unless the Porte reconsiders its refusal to permit them to pass the Turkish lines.

An uncensored despatch received here brings the interesting news that the Porte has abandoned the idea of making an offensive or flanking movement, and will confine the operations of its troops to defendig the Tchatalja and Bulair lines, hoping that time will operate in Turkey's favor. At the same time the despatch says Turkey is making small concessions concerning Adrianople, and will endeavor to persuade the powers and the allies of the advantage of an early peace settlement. The Porte claims that Adrianople will be able to resist another three weeks.

Offer of Mediation Accepted

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SOFIA, Feb. 23.—Representatives of the powers today strongly urged the premier to submit the dispute between Bulgaria and Roumania to the six great powers for settlement. The cabinet accepted the offer of mediation. The only member of the cabinet to dissent was the minister of agriculture, who left the council chamber with the declaration that he had decided to resign owing to the lack of regularity displayed.

Turks Bring Down Aeroplane.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 22.—A Bulgarian military aeroplane while reconnoitring over the fortress of Adrianople today, was hit by a Turkish shell and fell inside the lines. It was piloted by a Russian officer, Lieut. Nikolas, who was made a prisoner by the Turks. The wireless report from the Turkish commander does not state whether Nikolas was injured.

CANAL CHANGES TOURIST TRAVEL

Spokane's Most Wealthy People go to Florida and Indies Instead of California—Deacon Here

Spokane's most wealthy people are deserting California as a winter resort and going to Florida and the West Indies, declared W. H. Deacon, formerly city passenger agent for the Canadian Pacific railway at Nelson and now in charge of that company's office in Spokane, who was at the Hume last night.

The attention which is being paid to the Panama canal is, in Mr. Deacon's opinion, one reason why the West Indies and Florida are attracting so many tourists, as many of the trips include the canal district.

Spokane is experiencing one of the coldest winters in its history, he said. Since Dec. 15 that city has been suffering from the heavy snowfall, and in the higher portions of the city the streets are in a bad condition owing to the snow and ice.

He will return to Spokane this morning.

FOR ABOLITION OF POLL TAX

Taxation on Banks to Be Increased

LEVY ON MINING INDUSTRY REDUCED

Budget Speech Expected Today--Session Ends on Saturday

(Special to the Daily News.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 23.—The bill to amend the taxation act introduced in the legislature abolishes the poll tax reduces the special tax upon coke from 15 to 10 cents per ton, increases the taxation on banking business to $1,500 instead of $1,000 as at present, and from $125 to $250 in the case of branch banks. The bill gives effect to clear definitions for timber lands of every grade and class, and provides for a simplified collection from timbermen of the cost of forestation and fire prevention services. For canneries the graduated scale of assessment abolished and respecting them provision is made for an annual special assessment of four cents per case, a minimum charge of 75 cents a tierce on mild cured salmon, with 10 cents for each additional hundredweight on tierces exceeding the minimum 15 cents per barrel on pickled and cured salmon, and five cents per hundredweight on dry cured salmon. Whale oil and by-products of this industry will pay 10 cents per barrel of 46 gallons of whale oil, and 20 cents per ton on fertilizer, whale bone and bonemeal.

Mining Tax

The changes in taxation on the mining industry as affected by the amendments to Taxation act follow out the recommendations of the royal commission, as far as coal and coke are concerned, the tax on the latter being reduced from 15 to 10 cents per ton. The tax of 10 cents per ton on coal as at present remains in force. In regard to the other branches of the mining industry the tax of two per cent which is at present levied on the gross value of the ore as per smelter assays, deducting therefrom all charges incurred between the mine's mouth and the market remains in force. In future, however, the personal property tax and the income tax on those engaged in the mining industry as far as their operations are concerned is abolished. The legislation in this respect goes beyond the recommendations of the royal commisson, which did not specifically recommend this alteration regarding taxes on those dealing with minerals. Witnesses before the commission urged that owing to the unfavorable condition of the metal market the two per cent tax should be suspended for a term of years, but the government did not see the wisdom of such action.

The budget speech will be delivered tomorrow following the bringing down of the estimates. Indications are that the woman's franchise bill introduced by J. W. Place of Nanaimo will be among innocents slaughtered at the end of the session which takes place on Saturday next.

MILLION DOLLAR DAMAGE BY STORM

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Damage caused by the sleet storm which gripped this city for 30 hours was today estimated at $1,000,000.

DIFFERENCES OF SHIPPERS ARE STILL UNSETTLED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 22.—Differences principally bearing on the question of the fees to be charged between the Dominion Marine association and the Lake Shippers Clearance association were aired before the grain commission today.

The matter was regarded as so important by the chairman, Dr. Gill, in relation to its effect upon the prompt handling and dispatch of grain that a further hearing would be held at a date to be set later, of which all concerned would be notified.

SUMMER RESORT TOWN AT MERCY OF FLAMES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 23.—Fire raged yesterday at Echoboth, Delaware, a summer resort town on the Atlantic coast about 100 miles below this city. It started in a garage and as the town has no water system or fire apparatus, its progress was unchecked. By 11 o'clock a hotel and 12 cottages had been destroyed. Most of the cottages were unoccupied. There are about 500 cottages and a gale blows in the town. Fire engines from other Delaware towns were sent to the rescue.

MILITANTS HOWLED DOWN POLICE PROTECT WOMEN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Despard and other militants were howled down by the audience at a suffragette meeting at the Herdnon Heath tonight. The police were compelled to interfere to protect the women. They cleared the hall.

BOOKSTORE NEWS

Popular Music 25c

Here are only a few of the pieces to select from:

"I Wonder How the Old Folks Are at Home," "Don't Do That," "Homeland," "Oh! Mister Man in the Moon," "Jim-a-Do," "Jeff," "My Old Plantation Home," "My Girl From Tennessee," "Back at the Dear Old Home, Sweet Home," "Sly Old Moon," "Good-Bye Dad," "Which Way Did My Mamma Go?" "A Letter From the Front," "It's the Way They Dress," "There's a Charm About the Old Love Still," "My Jane," "Da Hoo-Doo Man."

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BISHOP CONDEMNS CHURCH VOICE

Recommends Pin Under Chin for Clergymen With Theatrical Throat —Voice Training Needed

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Four bishops expressed their views in the upper house of convocation of Canterbury on the present style of intonation by the clergy in many parishes and a resolution was adopted to the effect that evidence of training in the production of the natural voice in public reading and public speaking should be regarded as a necessary preliminary requirement for admission to the deaconate.

The Bishop of Chichester condemned "the church voice." Many a time, he said, one came across a clergyman who spoke very nicely outside of the church, but immediately he got on his legs or on his knees in the church he lost his natural voice, and spoke in the miserable "church voice." His lordship suggested a remedy for the theatrical throat, which he said, was cultivated by bowing the head when reading.

"I wish," he continued, "that every young clergyman would have a pin with its point upward just under his chin. It is simple, but a cure for those clergy who lower their head during the reading of the lessons, which," he added, "is the most melancholy thing in the church today."

MARCONI COMPANY DENOUNCES GOVERNMENT CONTRACT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Godfrey Isaacs, manager-director of the Marconi company, has informed the postoffice that after March 1, the Marconi company will no longer consider it is bound to the contract of July 19 last, and that when a definite decision is taken in regard to the building of the imperial stations the company will be pleased again to consider the matter.

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CRAWFORD BAY FRUITGROWERS ENDORSE RESOLUTION

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRAWFORD BAY, B. C., Feb. 23.—At a meeting of the fruitgrowers of the district a resolution was unanimously passed endorsing the resolution adopted at the Central Farmers' institute convention at Victoria, asking the government to institute a central selling agency for the whole of British Columbia. It is felt that if all the fruitgrowing districts in the four states to the south, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana can combine to form such an agency, it is not too big a scheme for the whole of British Columbia. And further, if district selling agencies only were formed, of which at least half a dozen would be needed throughout the province, competition in prices and improper distribution would still ensue; a central selling agency for all the district organizations, appearing the only remedy for these two evils.

A number of ranchers were very much disappointed that the change in steamer schedule came just before the fruitgrowers meeting in Nelson on Tuesday, as they would greatly have liked to have attended same; but to do so under the present service would have entailed spending three nights in Nelson.

There is considerable difficulty being experienced at present to locate a site for the new government school here, which would meet with general approval. At a meeting held recently to endeavor to come to some definite decision in the matter Commander Harrison and W. B. Strathearn were appointed to look over the various sites offered, and failing any agreement on their part, W. Fraser was elected to act as referee.

Much interest was felt locally in the announcement appearing in Tuesday's issue of The Daily News as to the Canadian Pacific railway's decision to build a fast and commodious gasoline launch for the West Arm service, as it is confidently anticipated that this point should materially benefit in transportation facilities when same is placed in commission.

CRESTON MASONIC BALL IS FASHIONABLE FUNCTION

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, B. C., Feb. 23.—The Creston lodge No. 54 A. F. & A. M., gave their second annual at home on Friday last, which was by far the most successful dance of the season, the hall being beautifully decorated for the occasion. The music furnished by the Edison orchestra, was all that could be desired.

There were many handsome costumes worn by the ladies which added a brilliance to the scene. Mrs. Henderson wore nile green silk with point lace trimmings; Mrs. R. S. Bevan, champagne silk with lace insertion trimmings; Mrs. G. A. M. Young yellow silk with overskirt of voile; Mrs. McMurtrie was in black with gold lace; Mrs. P. B. Fowler in turquoise blue silk with which she wore white carnations and fern; Mrs. R. S. Smith wore white embroidered muslin with a beautiful corsage of red carnations and asparagus fern; Miss Creelman was in light green silk; Mrs. E. Mallandaine wore orange satin with overskirt of ninon with bugle fringe and insertion; Mrs. R. M. Reid was in buttercup silk with touches of black with which she wore white roses; Miss Callendar in nile green embroidered silk; Miss Jessie Dow wore blue silk organdie with overdress of chiffon with silver bugle trimmings; Miss Ella Dow also in blue silk organdie trimmed with lace; Mrs. George Mead yellow silk with black net; Mrs. J. B. Moran wore white silk; Mrs. M. Young wore primrose silk with black chiffon overdress with touches of black passementerie; Mrs. Howard wore black satin; Miss Kendal was in white satin; Mrs. H. Downs in black brocaded silk; Mrs. Speers wore a pretty pale blue silk frock; Miss Annie Hamilton in white muslin with touches of blue. Other ladies noticeable were, Mrs. J. F. Rose, Mrs. W. Watcher, Mrs. J. Spratt, Mrs. Blinco, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Poole, Mrs. W. K. Brown, Mrs. McMahon, Mrs. McIlvon, Mrs. R. J. Long, Miss Long, Mrs. George Huscroft, Miss Ethel Huscroft, Mrs. Hilton Young, Mrs. Leach, Mrs. C. C. French, Miss Ruby Palmer, Mrs. James Compton, Miss Lamont, Miss Gibbs, Mrs. Collis, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. E. C. Gibbs, Mrs. G. M. Gunn, Miss Ida Gunn, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Benny. Mrs. James Cherrington wore a handsome black dress; Miss McLaughlin was in lavendar silk with lace fichu; Mrs. Charles Moore wore pink silk with point d'esprit trimmings.

Miss N. McLaughlin of Medicine Hat is visiting Mrs. Howard.

H. Bullis of the Calgary Clothing company is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Reid.

GAY SOCIAL SEASON

(Special to The Daily News.)

INVERMERE, B. C., Feb. 23.—The social season in this part during the period which is now closing has been a brisk one. It has witnessed the formation of two social clubs, one of Invermere and one of Athalmere. They have given several functions, including popular subscription dances for the latter and sleighing parties, dances and skating party for the former. The Windermere district board of trade proposes giving their first entertainment shortly. It will be in th form of a subscription dance. The invitations are about to be sent out. The Invermere Hockey club scheduled a carnival but it had to be postponed on account of the uncertainty of the weather, a heavy thaw having recently set in.

Work has been commenced on the magnificent new traffic bridge which is being built by the provincial government to span the Columbia river at Athalmere. This bridge is a further step to the perfecting of the main traffic automobile road which passes through this part and connects with the International Automobile highway.

The thermometer touched a temperature of 54 degrees one day last week. Much of the snow in this immediate vicinity has gone for this time, and winter in its worst aspect is over. Windermere lake is once more a glare sheet of ice in good condition for iceboating or long distance skating.

Work on the construction of the Kootenay Central branch of the Canadian Pacific railway is being proceeded with. The construction of the dump has been brought forward to 54 mile post and steel has been laid to 41 mile post. Work on the southern extension in this direction is being pushed along.

GLENBANK NOTES

(Special to the Daily News.)

GLENBANK, Feb. 23.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardner was the scene of a very enjoyable whist party on Feb. 13.

At the third quarterly official board meeting of the Methodist church a hearty invitation was extended to the pastor, Rev. Mr. Allen, to return to the church for the coming conference year.

Much pleasure is felt at the remarkable recovery of Miss J. Allen, of the parsonage, who for the past six months has been so ill that little hope was held of her recovery.

John Peters, sr., and family, since leaving Glenbank some 18 months ago, have tried the merits of both Oregon and the prairie provinces, but his return would seem to indicate that the Kootenay is good enough

Miss Annetta Bowes entertained the younger set at home on Feb. 18. A most enjoyable evening is reported.

B. Parkinson met with a rather serious accident while unloading a car of hay on Saturday last, falling through a scuttle in the Home ranch. His back received a bad wrench. He is now able to be about.

In the future two ladies will be appointed each month by the Nakusp Women's Institute to visit the Glenbank school with a view to aiding the teacher or trustees in any matter which it may seem wise for the Women's institute to take up.

On Kirk's hill, when a heavily loaded bobsleigh came down in the semi-darkness, without the usual warning cries, Miss O'Bannon of the Nakusp post office, not perceiving its approach, was thrown onto the crust at one side of the slide, but suffered no injuries other than some slight cuts about the mouth.

ENJOYABLE WHIST PARTY GIVEN AT TAGHUM

(Special to The Daily News.)

TAGHUM, B. C., Feb. 23.—An enjoyable whist party was given by M. C. Monaghan to the neighbors and friends of the host at his comfortable and commodious ranch home in this settlement. A delightful evening was spent by all present.

Mrs. Marsden drew the first ladies' prize, an Mr. Marsden the gentlemen's. Mrs. Morton won first consolation for the ladies', and Mr. Epsom the one for the gentlemen.

A rousing vote of thanks was given the host. G. W. Laslett sang an amusing solo, F. W. Wooton sang a comic song, and delivered a fine recitation. M. S. Dickson followed with a humorous song, while others sang and told of old time happiness.

Those present were: Mesdames Dickson, Dawson, Marsden, Kemp and Morton; Misses Murphy, Dawson, and Brown of Nelson; G. W. Laslett, G. O. Epsom, Robert Bell, J. M. Macleod, W. Landrigan, M. C. Monaghan, F. W. Morton, — Marsden, and R. H. Kemp.

Trail News

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B.C. Feb. 23—On Tuesday, Feb. 25, in the Star theatre a free concert and entertainment will be given to the public of Trail. Mr. Le Clair, president of the label union, is responsible for this concert, and the object of it is to form a branch of the league to promote the use of the union label and general enjoyment of its patrons. Interesting discussions will take place on child labor, prison labor, home industries and the union label. The ladies are specially invited to attend as many points of interest to them will be considered. Children under 16 years of age will not be permitted to attend if not accompanied by their parents. J. A. Mackinnon will be chairman, while the mayor and city council, committee on entertainment and the officers and executive board of Trail Mill and Smelter union, will occupy seats on the platform. A very good program has been made out and consists of the following: Music, Trail orchestra; welcome, Mayor Thom; vocal selection, M. and S. Male choir; lecture, L. Le Clair; vocal solo, Mrs. Larson; address, Rev. E. A. Chester; comic song, H. Jackson; vocal solo, W. J. Kennedy; moving pictures; stock and exchange, L. Le Clair and H. Jackson (correct comic imitation); vocal solo, Mrs. F. G. Morin; selection, W. Thompson; actual experience in prison life by a citizen of Trail; vocal solo, Mrs. A. McLean; sketch, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," Mrs. E. Harkness has kindly rendered her services as pianist.

N. W. Burdette, head accountant at the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company's property at Kimberley, British Columbia, is paying a visit to Trail.

Messrs Williamson, F. W. Brown, L. F. Lyons and J. A. Mackinnon drove to Rossland on Friday to play in a final curling game that was postponed from the carnival.

Sheriff R. T. Evans of Rossland, was a visitor to the town on Thursday.

On Monday night a bonspiel will be held at the local rink known as the president's bonspiel. James Buchanan, president of the Trail Curling club, has donated four handsome silver spoons for the event.

YMIR NOTES

(Special to the Daily News.)

YMIR, B. C., Feb. 23.—Prof. Lakes, father of A. Lakes of the Wilcox mine, returned home this mornnig after a couple of weeks in Nelson.

Mrs. D. E. Grobe has returned home after a few days in Nelson where she has been a delegate to the Sunday School convention.

Mrs. William Clarke is spending a few days in Nelson with friends.

Rev. W. G. Blake, now of Creston, but formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church here, spent a couple of daws in town recently renewing old acquaintances.

J. W. Rudd, grand master A. F. and A. M., of British Columbia, spent the night in town on the 20th, reviewing the work of the local lodge of masons here. A banquet and lunch was in order at the Waldorf after the completion of the evening's work, where a most jolly time was enjoyed by all members and visitors.

Mrs. A. A. Strong will return today after a couple of weeks in the hospital under the care of Dr. Rehberger.

The little son of Mr and Mrs. Strong suffered a severe attack of acute indigestion a few days since, but is now about again.

W. B. Isaac is on his monthly trip to the adjacent mines on business connected with the miners' union.

Mrs. T. J. Price is confined to her bed and is being treated by Dr. Rehberger.

CONCERT AT FRUITVALE IS BEING ARRANGED

(Special to The Daily News.)

FRUITVALE, B. C., Feb. 23.—A concert is being arranged for March 1 to be given under the auspices of the Fruitvale Athletic association. Mr. Wynne, the secretary, has the affair well under way, and has secured some excellent talent for the occasion. A good program is prepared for which rehearsals take place nightly. The proceeds of the concert will go to the funds of the association, which has a large membership.

S. Brewster and W. Neilson went to Nelson to attend the meetings of the shareholders of the Fruitgrowers union.

Mrs. William Neilson has returned after visiting at Rossland and Waneta.

Miss Palmer of Vancouver, who was the guest of Mrs. Brewster for a couple of months returned to her home last week.

R. Swift and family have returned from Erie and have taken up their home on the ranch.

H. C. Davis, of the Fruitvale Trading company, has been having the interior of his store lined and painted throughout. The decoration is carried out in white.

SLOCAN JUNCTION NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

SLOCAN JUNCTION, B. C., Feb. 23.—At the close of the weekly meeting of the Bible study class on Wednesday evening at which there was a good attendance, the class was formed into a parish guild. Mrs. Gerald Ashby was elected president and Ronald Greyson, secretary-treasurer, while the following were elected members of the committee: Mrs. O. W. Humphry, Miss Chamney, Mr. Meineruk, Mr. Humphry. A committee meeting will be held next Wednesday evening before the Bible study class to draw up a constitution for the government of the guild. The subject for study next week will be the "Life of Abraham."

The Rev. J. R. Kennedy will preach at St. Mary's, Bonnington, on Sunday morning at 10:30, and at Slocan Junction at 7 o'clock in the evening.

P. J. Gallagher had a carload of hay shipped from Nelson on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cummins of Upper Bonnington left on the Boundary train for Greenwood on a visit to Mr. Cummins' parents.

Miss Kathleen Horner of Nelson is spending a few days with Mrs. O. W. Humphry.

ROCK CREEK NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROCK CREEK, B. C., Feb. 23.—There will be a meeting of the Overseas club at Hanson hall on March 1 for the purpose of forming a committee.

Several 10-acre lots have been sold on the Nicholson irrigated fruit lands. Some of these will be planted in fruit this spring as soon as the irrigation plant is completed.

H. K. King is back on his fruit ranch from a trip to Montreal. He prefers the boundary climate to that east of the Rockies.

It has been exceptionally mild this winter in the vicinity of Rock Creek. No damage from frost is yet reported.

OUTLET ENJOYS GREAT SPORT BOB SLEIGHING

(Special to the Daily News.)

PROCTOR, Feb. 23.—A week ago the weather was so mild that people began talking about the snow disappearing in a fortnight, and amateur gardeners were already planning the planting out of their gardens. One enthusiastic gardener, whose garden last year was the envy of Proctor, has been scouring the neighborhood for geranium cuttings, and it is probable that these will be at a premium in these parts when the spring arrives. On Monday, however, the frost returned, much to the delight of those who are keen on bobsleighing, of which sport there has been very little this winter.

On Wednesday people were out "bobbing" on both sides of the river, and on the Balfour side there was what might have been a nasty accident. A party were coasting down the hill from Edmondson's ranch to the beach, when, on nearing the bottom of the hill, something went wrong with the works, and the bob left the track, struck a fallen log and sent the whole party flying in all directions. Miss Deolin of Balfour, injured her ankle rather seriously, tearing several of the ligaments and is confined to her bed, but the rest of the party escaped with a few bruises. The bobsleigh was smashed to pieces. A minor accident occurred on the same evening on the Proctor side, Miss Young being the chief sufferer.

On Thursday evening a party of about 30 members went out trying the club run on the Balfour side from the Canadian Pacific hotel to Balfour church, which was found to be in excellent order, and the sport was carried on until about midnight.

Friday was the night. The secretary of the Outlet Sports club, R. S. Francis, had given notice of a club meeting to be held on the road from Holmes' ranch to Ford's landing, and a large party of some 60 enthusiasts turned up, including many ladies. The meet was held at the junction of two roads, about half a mile up the hill from the Canadian Pacific railway track, and a curious assortment of sleighs of all sorts and sizes arrived, from the flexible flyer to hold two, to the old bus to hold six. The sleigh for real sport was one made by an amateur at Balfour, the runners being all in one piece about six feet long, and no steering apparatus. This, when done at all, was done by leaning, the front man calling out to those behind him "right," "left." Sometimes it negotiated the journey in safety, much to the delight of its owner and occupants.

At the top of the run the secretary and a few friends had thoughtfully provided refreshments in the shape of hot coffee, cakes, buns, etc., which with the thermometer at 10 above zero, were much appreciated.

A magnificent moonlight night, a huge bonfire with billy cans suspended above, a circle of bright-eyed happy young people seated and standing round it sipping coffee, and little parties of twos and threes sitting on fallen logs or standing outside the circle in the shadow of the surrounding trees—such is the picture which will be long remembered by all those who took part in this most enjoyable evening. There were several spills, but owing to the excellent arrangements made by the committee for starting the sleighs and returning, and keeping the course clear, there were no accidents whatever.

GOOD SEASON FOR WINTER SPORTS AT INVERMERE

(Special to The Daily News.)

INVERMERE, B. C., Feb. 23.—The winter sports in this immediate neighborhood are about over for this year, but the season has been one of moment and an impetus has been given them which will carry them well over and make a good foundation for the year of 1913-1914. Since winter started a series of games in hockey have been played between rinks from this place, Athalmere, and Wilmer. A new comer was introduced into the ranks in a team from Spillimacheen. This team played an exhibition game on the local rink against the Invermere aggregation, which is looked upon as the strongest of the three local clubs, and beat them in a good, clean match with a score of six to one. One of the strong men on the visiting team is Gardiner, who is credited with having played on some of the strong teams in the east.

The game of curling has been taken up by the giving of the second district bonspiel under the auspices of the Wilmer club. There are propositions under way for the construction of more than one covered rink to be ready for the next winter. The one furthest advanced to date is that of Athalmere, the shareholders of which held a meeting last week, and after reviewing the work of the past year and considering the finances passed a strong resolution urging the newly-elected directors to go ahead and complete in as far as possible as early as convenient the building which has been under way for some time.

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EARLY OPENING OF NAVIGATION EXPECTED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Feb. 23.—There is every possibility of navigation opening on April 1, according to Fort William marine men, for there is little ice in the great lakes. Cargo insurance does not go into effect until April 15, but it is believed that arrangements can be made so that vessels may leave on April 1.

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News of Sport

QUEBEC RETAINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Hockey Match With Canadeins Extremely Rough—Personal Feeling Runs High

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Feb 23—Quebec fought its way to victory over the Canadiens on Saturday night by a score of 7 to 6 before the record crowd of the season. In doing so they secured for themselves the title of champions of the National Hockey association for the second time.

The game was the roughest played here this winter, the players slashing cross-checking and roughing it generally, regardless of the penalties handed out. Personal feeling between the players came out prominently, and an exhibition of rowdyism was enacted by Hall and Lalonde. During the greater part of the game these players were nagging one another until matters were brought to a climax in the second period when Lalonde cut Hall's eye open. The Quebec player refused to retire and Lalonde was given a major penalty.

The Quebec's player's idea of remaining on the ice was soon made apparent. When play was resumed he started in to rough it up. The first time Lalonde came down the ice Hall handed his a severe cross-check. This he followed up by deliberately skating across the ice and struck Lalonde over the head with his stick. He then jabbed Lalonde in the face with the butt end of his stick, for which he was given a double major and ruled off for 20 minutes. The penalty was too lenient, but under the playing rules the referee could do nothing more.

In the second period things warmed up considerably, and Lalonde, who already had a major penalty started in to use his stick for cross-checking purposes rather freely, and drew the second major, which meant his being ruled off for the rest of the game. Dubeau, Laviolette and Povey were others to draw majors for roughing it. Mummery, for using his weight in rather an unnecessary rough manner, was given three minors. Although the play was rough it furnished more excitement than any of the previous local games, due to the see-saw manner in which the goals were scored. The Canadiens started off without the services of Pitre, who is under suspension, which did not appear to weaken the line. Berlanquette, his substitute, played a very good game. Line up:

Canadiens	Position	Quebec
Vevina	goal	Moran
Dubeau	point	Hall
Laviolette	cover	Mummery
Berlanquette	wing	Marks
Lalonde	centre	Malone
D. Smith	wing	T. Smith

Referee: Riley Hearn; assistant, Dave Powers.

PLAYED JOKE GAME BEFORE SLIM CROWD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—The Wanderers and Ottawas played a joke game before the slimmest crowd of the season at the arena on Saturday night. It ended in an easy win for the Ottawas—9-2. In the first period the Wanderers' line started well, but their defence men did not appear to try to check their men, with the result that before the first period was over the Senators had the score 5-0. In the second period it was almost as bad, the Ottawas adding three while the Montrealers got one.

The third period was the only one in which the Wanderers could at all cope with the home team. Line-up:

Ottawa.	Position.	Wanderers.
Lesueur		Boyes
	Goal.	
Merrill		Ross
	Point.	
Shore		S. Cleghorn
	Cover.	
Ronan		O. Cleghorn
	Centre.	
Westwick		Hyland
	Right wing.	
Darragh		Roberts
	Left wing.	

Referee—Harvey Pulford; judge of play, Russell Bowie.

BLUE SHIRTS WINNERS OF ROUGH GAME

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—The expected reversal of form did not materialize at the arena on Saturday night, the Blue Shirts having the long end of a 5-3 score. As this was the last meeting of the two teams, and as a number of grievances had to be settled in some way, the game was naturally not ladylike. There was only one bad accident, however, Horace Gaul of the Indians, who relieved Corbeau in the second period. Although Gaul was only a short time he had a number of unfriendly arguments with Davidson. In a headon collision with Davidson after about 10 minutes of play he was badly shaken up and had to be carried off the ice. Both McNamaras tried hard to get away with much lighter opponents, but were checked. Corbeau gave McGiffen a nasty slash across the foot, which brought blood. A long argument ensued over the penalties.

The line-up:

Toronto		Tecumseh
Holmes	Goal	Nicholson
Marshall	Point	G. McNamara
Cameron	Coverpoint	H. McNamara
McGiffen	Centre	Vair
Neighbor	Left Wing	Throop
Davidson	Right Wing	Corbeau

Referee, Dr. Wood; Judge of play, H. Sproule.

BANKERS AND Y. M. C. A. PLAY DRAWN GAME

Saturday's game between the Y. M. C. A. and Bankers hockey aggregations resulted in a draw, both teams notching two goals. The game was the best exhibition which has yet been given by these teams and steady improvement is being shown by the players all round.

The first period of the game resulted in no score, but the pace was fast and some classy hockey resulted.

The second period resulted in each team scoring. For the Y. M. C. A. Graham tallied, while for the Bankers Thompson notched one.

The third period was a repetition of the second period, both sides scoring, the Y. M. C. A. through Graham and the Bankers through Cummins. Ten minutes overtime were played but the score remained the same.

For the Y. M. C. A. Graham, Pitts and Ferguson starred, while for the Bankers Cummins, Armitage and Thompson were the shining lights.

The teams lined up as follows:

Y. M. C. A.	Position.	Bankers
Pitts	goal	Riley
Ferguson	point	Johnstone
McQuarrie	c. point	Cummins
Graham	rover	Armitage
Francis	centre	Thompson
Oliver	r. wing	Forrest
Gilker	l. wing	Phillips

C. G. Grizzelle refereed the game satisfactorily.

THREE HOCKEY GAMES AT TRAIL RINK

Rossland Midgets Beaten—Girls Too Good For Boys—Fast Juvenile Game.

(Special to The Daily News.)

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 22.—Friday afternoon was a regular children's day at the local rink, as there were three hockey games held that afternoon. The first one was between the Trail and Rossland Midgets, and the latter proved too strong for the local boys, and won out by the score of 3-2.

The girls then played the Trail Midgets after and this caused a good deal of merriment, as the girls were new at the game, but they proved too much for the boys and won by the score of 3-2.

The next game was between the Rossland and Trail juveniles, and it proved to be a very fast game. They played two 30-minute periods, and every minute was full of thrilling and exciting moments. Weir scored Trail's only game, while Rossland failed to count at all, thus giving Trail another victory. Score, 1-0 in favor of Trail. The teams lined up as follows:

Trail.	Position.	Rossland.
G. MacKinnon		Charron
	Goal.	
Howard		Bridgeman
	Point.	
R. Weir		Carlson
	Cover.	
M. Bohle		L. Stewart
	Rover.	
M. Butorac		Fox
	Centre.	
F. Brown		Gregory
	Left wing.	
J. Schofield		R. Stewart
	Right wing.	

Messrs. MacKinnin, J. Williamson, F. W. Brown and L. F. Tyson went to Rossland on Friday afternoon to play in the final curling game of the Centre Star series that was postponed from the winter carnival. They won out by the score of 12-0, and thus won the Centre Star cup and four pieces of cut glass.

BOUNDARY WINNER HERE ON FRIDAY

One of Most Important Hockey Games of Season is Arranged—Two Cups at Stake.

Nelson senior hockey team, champion of the West Kootenay section of the West Kootenay-Boundary league, will play the winning team of the Boundary section on Friday. The game will be in Nelson and will commence at 8.30 o'clock in order to allow arrivals on the evening trains to attend.

Dr. M. J. Vigneux, manager of the local team, announced last night that the game had been arranged. Tonight and Wednesday Phoenix and Grand Forks will play off for the championship of the Boundary section, and it will be the winner of these contests which will be seen in Nelson on Friday.

It is expected that the match will be by all odds the fastest and most exciting of the season, because upon its result will largely depend the championship of the interior of the province of which the Sir Richard McBride and The Daily News cups are emblematic. "The McBride cup has reached Grand Forks and they tell me it is a dandy," said Dr. Vigneux last night. The local boys are in splendid form, he said.

MAKE TRIP TO SILVER KING MINE

Winter Sports Club Members Find Lake at Summit Ideal Spot For Skiing

A party of members of the Nelson Winter Sports club took a trip up to the Silver King mine yesterday. The party was composed of E. C. Wragge, H. D. Birkbeck, F. F. Elliott, Will Haldane, George Benwell and F. Montgomery. After visiting the mine the lake at the top of the mountain was found to an ideal spot for skiing. The party then broke up into three groups and the return journey was commenced. Some showshoed, some skied and others came down on bobsleighs. Many interesting incidents took place on the return.

The final contingent did not reach the city until 7 o'clock in the evening.

FAMOUS TRAPSHOOTER DIES FROM PARALYSIS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—Isadore H. Desiauriers, for many years one of Canada's leading trapshooters, died here last night of paralysis, aged 82. He was for a great number of years steward of the Canadian rifle team at Bisley. He had crossed the Atlantic more than 50 times with the Bisley team.

WANT TO ARRANGE KOOTENAY BOUNDARY FINALS

The management of the local hockey team is endeavoring to make arrangements whereby the champions of the Boundary division of the West Kootenay and Boundary Hockey league will meet the locals in the first of a series for the possession of The Daily News and Sir Richard McBride cups, emblematic of the championship of the interior of British Columbia.

The Boundary championship has not yet been decided definitely, and word is being anxiously awaited by the hockey enthusiasts of this city as well as the local hockey management as to the final standing of the Boundary clubs.

BRITISH FOOTBALL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Following are the the results of the league football games played today:

First Division

Bradford City, 2; Chelsea, 2.
Tottenham Hotspur, 1; Sheffield United, 0.

Second Division

Birmingham, 3; Hull City, 1.
Blackpool, 1; Lincoln City, 1.
Bristol City, 3; Glossop, 3.
Bury, 2; Leicester Fosse, 2
Fulham, 4; Wolverhampton Wanderers, 2.
Grimsby Town, 4; Stockport County, 1.
Notts Forest, 0; Clapton Orient, 0.
Leeds City, 5; Preston North End, 1.

Southern League

Brentford, 0; Millwall Athletic, 0
Gillingham, 2; Portsmouth, 0.
Southampton, 1; Brighton and Hove Albion, 1.
Stoke, 2; Merthyr Town, 0.
Plymouth Argyle, 4; Coventry City, 1.
Norwich City, 1; Exeter City, 1.
Northampton 0; Queen's Park Rangers, 0.

Scottish Cup—Third Round

Glasgow Rangers, 1; Falkirk, 3.
Patrick Thistle, 1; Dundee, 3.
Celtic, 3; Peebles Rovers, 0.
Clyde, 1; Quuen's Park, 0.
Paisley St. Mirren, 1; Airdrieonians, 5.
Kilmarnock 1; Hearts of Midlothian, 2.
Raith Rovers, 2; Hibernians, 2.

English Cup

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Third round of the English cup:

Reading, 1; Blackburn, 2.
Liverpool, 1; Newcastle, 1.
Sunderland, 4; Swindon, 2.
Briston, 0; Everton, 4.
Aston Villa, 5; Crystal Palace, 0.
Burnley, 3; Middlesboro, 1.
Oldham, 0; Manchester, 0.
Scotland, 29; Wales, 14.

International Rugby

Scotland, 29; Ireland, 14.
Bradford, 2; Sheffield Wednesday, 1.

Rugby Union

Northampton, 8; Gloucester, 6.
Bath, 19; Cheltenham, 3.
London Scottish, 33; London Irish, 0.
United Service, 12; Harlequins, 5.
Cambridge University, 12; Blackheath, 0.
Rosslyn Park, 24; Oxford University, 6.
Swansea, 8; Newport, 0.
Coventry, 28; London Hospital, 3..

Rugby Results.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The following were the Rugby results on Saturday:

Cardiff 49, Bristol 0.
Leicester 25, Richmond 8.
London Welsh 6, Streatham 3.
Birkenhead 30, Liverpool 3.
Abertillery 3, Neath 0.

Northern Union

Barrow 6, St. Helens 2.
Dewsbury 25, Bramley 2.
Brantford 10, Keighley 10.
Coventry 3, Broughton Rangers 23.
Hull 2, Wagan 0.
Hunsley 16, Hull Kingston Rovers 2.
Halifax 6, Leeds 13.
Rochdale Hornets 6, Runcorn 3.
Sanford 3, Warrington 0.
Santon 6, Widens 3.
York 20, Huddersfield 2.

DOUBLE HEADER BASKET BALL AT Y.M.C.A. TOMORROW

A double header of basketball will take place at the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow evening, when two picked teams from the gymnasium classes known as the Meteors and Comets, will meet and the Brigadiers and Methodist Bible class aggregations will clash.

The last game between the Meteors and Comets resulted in some of the best basketball ever seen at the local "Y" and an even keener contest is looked for tomorrow.

FOUGHT TWENTY TERRIFIC ROUNDS

Battle Ends in Draw—Both Fighters Sustain Severe Punishment —Near Collapse

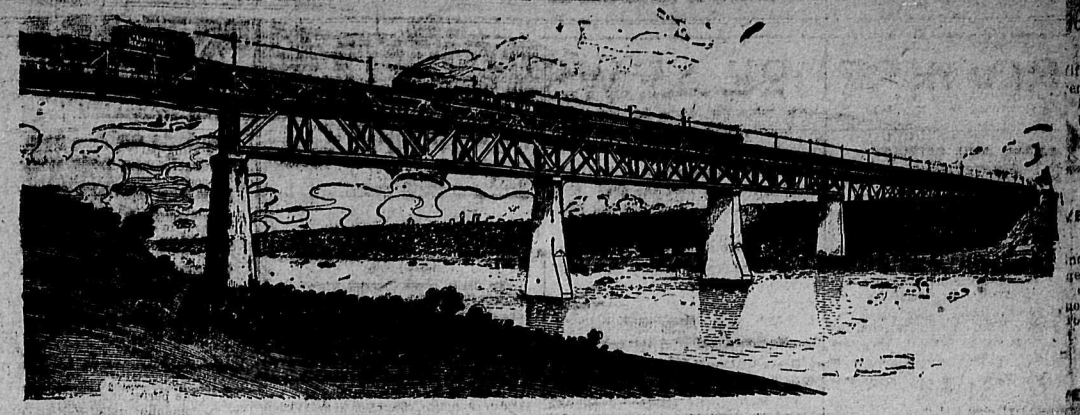
(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., 23—"Harlem" Tommy Murphy of New York and former lightweight champion Al. Wolgast, fought 20 terrific rounds to a draw this afternoon. For the first 10 rounds, Murphy had the better of the battel, but he tired and Wolgast evened up affairs by inflicting severe body punishment as the fight neared the final round. Both men sustained considerable punishment and were weakening fast as the end drew near. Experts express the opinion that Wolgast had completely recovered from his operation. The decision was popular.

Wolgast literally fought himself to the point of collapse in the gruelling 20 rounds. Murphy, too, was tottering when the fight ended, but it was apparent that his reserve was greater than that of his opponent. Wolgast fought his best battle since his illness of two years ago, but the old dash was lacking. Systematical application of tremendous right and left drives to the body in the final rounds enabled Wolgast to earn a division of the honors. Throughout the 20 rounds there was little, if any, idle time. Murphy took the bit in his teeth at the outset and it was not long before he had battered his man's face almost to a pulp. Rapid fire rights and lefts to the face delivered at close range, seldom went amiss, and when the contest was half over the Harlem boy seemed in a fair way to win.

Wolgast meanwhile was content to husband his strength, although the punishment he landed carried more than his opponent. Wolgast's only hope lay in this direction, and from the 10th devoted his attacks almost entirely to Murphy's mid-section. Time and again after being worked in heartbreaking rallies, which all but carried the belligerents from the ring, he would reach his opponent's stomach with rights and lefts, the impact of which was heard in the remotest corner of the arena. Murphy could not escape these onslaughts, although they served only to accelerate his fighting spirit.

In the 19th round Wolgast, fighting with the ferocity of an animal at bay, landed so frequently that Murphy welcomed the sound of the bell, whilst Wolgast smiled at his friends about the ringside as best he could with puffed face and split lips. The last round resulted in a question of the survival of the fittest. Science was forgotten, the men going all round the ring head to head, shoulder to shoulder and slugging away as though the fight had just begun, with Referee Griffin frantically trying to pull them apart. Three minutes of this work found them on the verge of collapse, with only the rope strands saving Wolgast from dropping to the mat from sheer exhaustion, while Murphy was eagerly watching for the timer to clang his gong.



CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY HIGH LEVEL BRIDGE AT EDMONTON

The third of the gigantic structures that have been built in western Canada by the Canadian Pacific Railway company in the past few years, the other two being the viaduct at Outlook over three thousand feet in length, the latter opened for traffic in 1912.

The length of this bridge at Edmonton between abutments of north and south approaches is 2560 feet. The extreme height above mean water level is 153 feet, while the piers are 103 feet high. The bridge consists of an upper and a lower deck, the width of the upper being 39 feet and that of the lower 43 feet. The upper deck will carry a railway track and double street car tracks; the lower will be used for vehicular and pedestrian traffic, the sidewalks having a clearance of eight feet and the roadway 23 feet.

FIGHT FURIOUS AND SENSATIONAL

New York Lightweight Decisively Beaten—Referee Stops Mill in Tenth Round.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 22.—A deadly right swing four times repeated ended the scheduled 20-round bout at Vernon today between "Knockout" Brown, the New York lightweight, and Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles, with a victory for the Mexican before the end of th tenth round. It was the first defeat for the blonde German whose sobriquet had been earned by the manner in which he had won scores of fights, and it was decisive.

Five times Rivers sent Brown to the mat with his vicious right swing in the closing round, three times for the count of nine. The fifth time Referee Eyton stopped the fight without counting. It was a sensational match and a furious encounter, in which the Mexican and Teuton battled viciously for the opening. Brown's awkward style of milling, due to the fact that he fights left handed, was soon solved by Rivers, who blocked cleverly with elbow and open glove. Brown's best blow was a left drive to the body which he used effectively.

Brown forced the fighting in nearly every round, but his open manner gave the Mexican opportunities to punish him about the head. Punishment which would have stopped many, only seemed to act as a spur to the easterner's aggressiveness. Brown began leading in nearly every round. Sometimes Rivers would allow the German to do the fighting the first minute, only to cut loose with both hands at a savage clip that clearly bewildered the New Yorker as well as punishing him badly. In the clinches Rivers had all the better of it.

After taking a hard drubbing for five rounds, Brown came back strong in the eighth. A vicious rally in the last 10 seconds by Rivers did not overcome Brown's lead in this round. Both seemed tired when they came up for the tenth. Brown sent two hard lefts to the head and a right to River's stomach. Then the Mexican caught Brown on the point of the jaw as the latter ducked. Brown went spinning half way across the ring and fell heavily. Four times he arose, only to be sent down again. He was "out on his feet" when the last savage swing sent him to his back in the centre of the ring and the fight was stopped.

A STYLISH MODEL.

Dress for misses and small women. Taupe broadcloth, with a vest of green and white striped silk and revers facing of green satin, was used for this design. Brown serge would also be appropriate, or blue velvet with satin trimming or braid in self color. The pattern is cut in five sizes: 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 years. It requires 4½ yards of 44 inch material for a 15 year size.

Each pattern can be obtained by sending 10 cents to the office of this paper. In some cases the illustration contains two patterns, each number representing a different pattern. In such cases 20c should be enclosed.

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Town .....

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ALBERTA HORSE SHOW IN CALGARY NEXT APRIL

The twelfth annual Alberta Horse show will take place at Calgary from April 8 to 12 in the new $50,000 horse show building in that city. The prize list has been issued.

ROSSLAND CURLING AND HOCKEY MATCH RESULTS

(Special to the Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, Feb. 23.—Last night's scheduled curling games were between Gilmore and Cruickshank, and Smith and Cameron; Gilmore and Smith winning out.

The Rossland bonspiel curling game between Williamson of Trail and Grigor of Rossland, which was postponed during the carnival to allow the players to see the hockey matches, was played last night, Williamson winning on the 13th end, and so carried home four nice cut glass prizes. The rinks were made up of McKinnon, lead; Brown, 2; Tyson, 3; Williamson, skip; McKenzie, lead; Roberts, 2; Townsend, 3; Grigor, skip.

The final scheduled games of the Rossland Curling club will be played on Monday evening between Grigor and Gilmore, the two highest rinks. This will complete the curling matches for the president's cup, the two above mentioned rinks playing the best two out of three games to take the cup.

The Rossland Juvenile hockey team drove to Trail on Friday to play the Juveniles there and were beaten by a score of 1-0.

The Rossland Swifts played hockey in Trail on Friday and won out by a score of 3-2.

At the curling rink on Friday night the drawings were made for the Colts rinks, which were as follows: Loux, Anderson, Robson, Potter, skip; Michaely, Grue, Evans, Kilbourn, skip; Buisson, Morrish, Sutherland, Newton, skip; Jordon, Macnaughton, Owen, Watson, skip; Wilmot, Langfurd, Archibald, Dunn, skip; Gill, Maclaughlin, Adams, Graham, skip. The competition will start on Monday night, Pincott's rink against Kilbourn's, and Watson's against Graham's.

MILLION WORKING DAYS LOST BY STRIKES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—Some additional statistics with regard to strikes which occurred during 1912 were issued on Saturday by the department of labor, which shows that the loss in working days for the year was only about the same as in 1911, though amounting to over 1,000,000 days. This covers the whole of the Dominion. There was a larger number of strikes but the great majority were short and involved only a small number of men. Altogether 40,500 employes went on strike in 1912. The Disputes Investigation act applies only to disputes involving pubic utilities and practically all of the abovementioned disturbances were outside its jurisdiction. Altogether about 19 threatened strikes were referred under the act in 1912, settlements being thereby effected in all but three cases.

FIVE CITIES IN PRAIRIE BASEBALL LEAGUE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CALGARY, Alta., Feb. 23.—President Frang Gray of the Western Canada Baseball league, is in the city, and announced tonight that the league will comprise teams from Calgary, Edmonton, Medicine Hat, Moose Jak and Saskatoon.

EBBS IS CANDIDATE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PERTH, Ont., Feb. 23—John C. Ebbs, a prominent farmer of Drummond township, was chosen by the Liberal-Conservative association of South Lanark in convention this afternoon, as candidate for the vacancy in the legislature, caused by the death of the late Col. Hon. A. J. Matheson.

CRUSHED TO DEATH BETWEEN STEELROLLERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MEDICINE HAT, Alta., Feb. 23.—William Campbell, while working in the Alberta steel rolling mills on Saturday, slipped and fell into the big steel rollers, being drawn nearly the full length of the rollers. Death was instantaneous.

TORONTO PUBLICATION NOT REGISTERED IN ENGLAND

Counsel Complains of Publication of Gross Libel—Defendant Contends Exemption From Law

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Meredith McKim of Charing Cross was summoned here yesterday as the agent of a company called the Saturday Night, Limited, for not filing with the registrar a certified copy of the memorandum of the articles of the company as required by the Companies' act.

Comyns Carek, who served the summons, said Saturday Night was a Canadian newspaper published in Toronto and the defendant was the London agent. The issue of Jan. 25 contained, counsel said, a gross and scandalous libel concerning A. M. Dubeck, managing director of another Canadian newspaper. He had consulted Lewis & Lewis with a view to taking proceedings but it was found that the company had not filed at Somerset house the particulars mentioned in the summons. Letters sent to the defendant pointing out the omission and asking for the name of the company's solicitor were unanswered. Defendant's counsel submitted that the defendant was not amenable to this section inasmuch as the company, although carrying on business in England, had not established business in this city. All that was done at this branch office was to sell papers and receive advertisements. The magistrate adjourned the case to consider his decision.

LIBERTY OF SUBJECT BASIS OF APPEAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—The liberty of the subject will form the basis of an appeal to the supreme court at Ottawa from the refusal of the supreme court of British Columbia to realese William Dean, who is charged with the theft of $270,000 from the Bank of Montreal in New Westminster.

The accused's objection to having been held on this charge is based on the fact that the crown did not prefer an indictment at the first court of assizes following the committal to trial. E. F. B. Johnston, Toronto, will represent the attorney-general of British Columbia in opposing the appeal.

RAILROAD RUMOR LACKS OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—The Winnipeg report that the Canadian Northern Railway company would take over the Alberta & Great Waterways railway, involved in the suit which went to the privy council, lacks official confirmation here. Sir Donald Mann stated today that Hon. C. W. Cross, attorney-general for Alberta, who has been in the city for the past few days, had not mentioned the matter, although it was rumored in Winnipeg that the government was anxious to have the Canadian Northern railway take over the line.

SUFFRAGETTES THREATEN CANADIAN MAILS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 23.—Postmaster Macpherson yesterday received a letter purporting to be from a suffragette sympathizer, threatening that damage would be done to letters in the mail boxes.

CONSTITUTIONALISTS BOLT REDUCE GOVERNMENT MAJORITY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TOKIO, Feb. 23.—The diet will meet on Feb. 25. Count Gombei Yamamoto, the premier, today addressed the members of the Sei Yukais, or Constitutional party, promising them to adhere to the general principles of the party, but 25 of the extremists, including Yukio Ozaki, one of the leaders of the Constitutionalists, bolted and joined the Kakumintoo, thereby reducing the majority of the Sei Yukais. Katsura, the former prime minister who the emperor summoned to the palace and thanked for his services to the throne, is now busy organizing a formidable new party in opposition to the Sei Yukais. A considerable section of the press is opposed to Count Yamamoto, taking the ground that he represents the bureaucracy element. The best opinion in Japan, however, supports the cabinet.

BRIGADE ORDERED SOUTH MAY SEE FOREIGN SERVICE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The fifth brigade, second division of the reorganized army, consisting of four infantry regiments, commanded by Brigadier-General F. A. Smith, has been ordered to Galveston, Texas, to be in readiness for foreign service.

HINDUS WANT TO BRING WIVES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 23—Hindu residents in British Columbia are getting ready for another onslaught on the federal government to obtain permission to bring their wives from India. Deputations are to be sent to Ottawa and London.

GASOLINE LAMP EXPLODES BUILDING IS DESTROYED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BREDENBURY, Sask., Feb. 23.—Fire last night destroyed the building occupied by McCluskey Brothers' bakery with the contents and a large stock of flour in the adjoining warehouse. The blaze was caused by the explosion of a gasoline lamp. The loss is about $3,000 with no insurance except on the flour.

COBOURG PASTOR COMES WESTERN CANADA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—Rev. John Garbutt of Cobourg, who has been in charge of the Cobourg Methodist church for the past two years, was appointed by the executive committee of the Temperance and Moral Reform from the Methodist church as field secretary in western Canada. Mr. Garbutt expects to take up his residence either in Calgary or Regina some time in July next.

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Legal Advertising (includes municipal and government notices)—12 cents per line for the *first insertion*, and eight cents per line for all subsequent insertions.
In certain cases, however, for the convenience of the public, flat rates have been set, as follows:—

Applications for Liquor Licenses:—Once per week for four weeks, $5; daily for month, $30.

Applications for Transfer of Liquor Licenses:—Once per week for four *weeks, $7.50; daily for month, $45.*

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Land Lease Notices:—Once per week for 60 days, $7.

Certificate of Improvement Notices:—Once per week for 60 days, $12.50

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Duplicate Certificate of Title Notices: Four insertions, $8; eight insertions, $14.

Water Application Notices:—Four insertions up to 100 words, $6; over 100 words in proportion.

Where any of the above applications contain more than one application or notice, each application or notice will be charged for as a separate advertisement.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24.

GOVERNMENT'S TAXATION PROPOSALS.

There will be particular satisfaction throughout the province with some features of the government's taxation measure introduced into the Legislature on Saturday. Particularly will the abolition of the $3 poll tax be welcomed. This tax has been regarded as most obnoxious by many, and its collection from every man in the province liable to pay it has, in addition been a difficult matter.

This tax has been found particularly objectionable by new-comers to British Columbia from other parts of Canada, the Old Country and other parts of the world where a direct government levy of the kind is unknown. In this connection, it may be pointed out, it has not been the amount of the levy as its principle and the manner in which it was applied that has called for most criticism.

In order to make up for the loss of revenue sustained by the removal of this tax, the government has increased the tax on banks, and is asking additional return to the province from those engaged in exploiting the country's natural resources. Exception in this respect is made in favor of the mining industry, the situation in regard to which the government has apparently taken into consideration.

The government's proposal, as a whole, will receive the support of the public, although there may be instances in which those directly affected feel that they are being asked to bear more than their share. It can safely be taken for granted that the government has no desire to do any one any injustice, and that the decisions arrived at have been come to *only after full consideration.*

HOME PRODUCED FRESH EGGS

The movement of the poultrymen of this district to secure for themselves a distinct place in their own home market is one that should meet with the hearty support of all. Its success would mean the extension of the poultry-raising branch of the agricultural industry in this section carrying with it an increased measure of prosperity for the rancher, and what is equally desirable, a supply of wholesome fresh eggs and a regular supply of locally-killed fowl for the table.

The development of the home market will take some time, as would that of any other market. Apart from any other consideration, however, the local poultrymen have the advantage of being able to personally guarantee the freshness of eggs sold by them, while the appearance of their freshly killed table fowl will speak for itself. In the case of eggs all that is necessary is some guarantee of freshness that cannot be mistaken. This, it is gratifying to note, the members of the West Kootenay Poultry and Pet stock association are preparing to do.

Once they have undertaken this there should be no question as to the market. It will only be a question of producing enough eggs to supply it. The question of price will also adjust itself. The ordinary person will be found willing to pay a few cents more per dozen for eggs that are home-produced and that are guaranteed absolutely new laid.

With the introduction of the proposed guarantee that the eggs they offer for sale are new laid the poultrymen of West Kootenay will take the first step toward securing control of their home market. It is only right to point out, however, that is not the limit of the public's requirements of them. They must see to it that no eggs are offered for sale as new laid to which this term cannot be honestly applied. They must show themselves worthy the confidence of the public. *If they do this there need be* no question of the result. The public want home-produced, fresh eggs, and will buy them at a good price as long as they know they are getting what they are paying for.

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What the Press Is Saying

The Interesting Details.

You can keep track of the general news by subscribing for a newspaper. But to learn the intimate details of local events you must be on friendly terms with a woman.—Philadelphia Ledger.

An Experienced Player.

If Quebec has been trying to use a *deck of marked cards in her game* with Uncle Sam it was a foolish thing to attempt. Why, it was Uncle Sam *who invented phoney decks!*—Toronto Star.

The Exception.

Everybody seems to agree that there is too much concentration of *money except the entirely affable and* obliging concentrators. — Chicago News.

"Line Busy."

There are nearly 9,000,000 telephones in use in the United States, and yet it's almost a 10 to 1 bet that the line you want is busy when you *first call.*—Detroit Free Press.

Something Wrong With London.

What is the matter with London, Ontario? Fifty-five illegitimate children were born there in 1912, or about five per cent. of the total birth rate. The gospel of clean living needs to be spread there. Or is it that the pay of women is so small in that city that some of the unfortunates are practically driven to their own downfall? Such things have been known to happen elsewhere.—Kingston Standard.

Capt. Scott And His Comrades.

There are no scales to weigh the gift these men have given to their fellow men. Only we know that it is and will remain precious while men have need of courage, of steadfastness, of unselfish devotion, of sacrifice—and that will be while human life on this planet endures. Men serve mankind in infinite ways, but none as well as those who in the face of overwhelming disaster teach us how to meet the bitterest blows of fate erect, "without fear and without reproach."—Chicago Tribune.

Preserve the Spruce Forests.

It is to be hoped that a really vigorous effort will be made in Quebec—and everywhere else—to handle our *spruce forests intelligently.* A spruce limit is said to be able to reproduce itself every twenty years. In other words, if a good spruce limit be so handled that only one-twentieth part of the available mature timber be cut each year, the forest would be everlasting. Why should not government regulations be so framed and enforced, with regard to the size of timber allowed to be cut, as to make the forest perpetual? It is the German plan and in Germany the plan is made to work.—Ottawa Journal.

Cold Storage

Time does not right all wrongs—it merely heals the wounds.—Life.

Let yo' lights shine, but not hot enough fer burn up yo' good intentions."—Atlanta Constitution.

"He is a self-made man, isn't he?"
"He was."
"Then he is."
"No, the woman he married didn't like the result he had accomplished, and she has made him over."—Houston Post.

"I suppose you tried to save every penny when you started in business?"
"I did more than that," replied Mr. Cassius Chex, "I rescued a lot that other people were squandering."—Washington Star.

"What's become of the strong man?" asked the proprietor of the circus.
"He resigned," replied the manager. "Got a better job."
"What doing?"
"Working as a parcel post mail man." —Detroit Free Press.

"You say your husband contributes nothing to your support," said the lawyer.
"No, suh, nary a cent. That niggah jest natchally won't work. An' he's done got plenty of debility, too, if he only could use it."—Judge.

This Day in Canadian History

That notable trading organization, the "Company of New France" or of "The *Hundred Associates,*" was *formed in 1627* by Cardinal Richelieu to colonize and govern Canada. To it was granted a monopoly of all trade—except that of fisheries—and sovereign rights in an immense, vaguely described territory stretching from Florida to the "North Sea" in one direction, and indefinitely westward in the other. Conditions as to settlement of the country were laid down in the charter, but were rendered difficult to fulfill by the stipulation that all settlers should belong to the Roman Catholic faith. This shut out the Huguenots who, being peculiarly enterprising and independent, would have made excellent colonists. Under the company Samuel de Champlain was *continued* as governor of Canada until his death. But upon the whole this experiment of colonization was not a success. After a period of 30 years of the company's *management,* the population of Canada scarcely reached 2,000. A struggle between the officers of the company and the Jesuits over the question of the brandy traffic with the Indians hastened the end, and in a document dated Feb. 24, 1663, the company resigned its charter into the hands of the king, and New France was henceforth counted a royal province.

The Weather

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—The disturbance over the great lakes on Saturday has passed to the maritime provinces and higher pressure with lower temperatures has spread over Ontario and Quebec. The snowfall has been heavy from Ontario eastward excepting in southern districts, where rain fell. The weather continues cold in the west.

Nelson	18	36
Victoria	33	44
Vancouver	32	44
Edmonton	12	20
Calgary	10	20
Battleford	0	2
Moose Jaw	6	15
Winnipeg	*16	15
Port Arthur	*18	2
Parry Sound	*4	14
London	14	26
Toronto	7	16
Kingston	12	18
Ottawa	8	14
Montreal	12	20
Quebec	10	18
St. John	26	34
Halifax	22	24

* Below Zero

GREATEST PROSE WORK OF NINETEENTH CENTURY

Holbrook Jackson "T. P's Weekly" Gives Credit to Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus"

The greatness of a work of art, be it literature or painting, is not dependent upon technique alone, but upon the balance of technique and idea—upon a fine theme and a fine execution. Thus in endeavoring to indicate what is great in art, one does not confine oneself to craftmanship or to mere artifice, one desires acquaintance of the thought and emotion behind and within the work of art, one must know about the fullness of the idea for which it stands. Is it big or little? does it mean much for man, or is it but negligible? For fine artifice may enshrine a tribial thing, just as the same sort of artistic skill may enshrine symbols which are destructive of life.

I have tried to apply this attitude to the prose works of the nineteenth century in the hope that I might arrive at some conclusion as to the finest of such works, a conclusion which should at one and the same time satisfy my own judgment and prove itself worthy of the consideration of others.

Such judgments are necessarily subject to all the conditions imposed upon us by whim, mood and idiosyncrasy, and no one would suggest that they could in the last resort be other than personal, still, I believe there is less of whim and personal opinion in the conclusion that Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus" is the supreme British prose work of the last century, than in many other conculsions one might be inclined to form about many other subjects. Other books have better claims upon us by their grace and easiness, but "Sartor Resartus" does not depend upon such things.

It is not a smooth book, and it is not easy. Carlyle seems to have chosen the most difficult method, as though he desired the approval and comprehension of those only who were capable of winning through the formidable out-works of his thought. He had gazed long and pondered deeply the age in which he found himself, and declared it had to be bad. How then could he say so? Shoddy and hypocrisy on every hand, fools and blockheads everywhere, and a nation being bled to death by the mad onrush of mechanical inventions applied to commerce for financial gain.

Far away in Craigenputtock, Thomas Carlyle brooded over the chaos, and in 1830 his broodings brought forth the strangest worded piece of philosophy England had ever known. All the traditions of book writings were flouted. It was not only that Carlyle did not write down to the comprehension of the crowd, he did not write up to the comprehension of the select few, the savants, the scholars, the philosophically minded, he flouted all by transcending all. "Sartor Resartus" in those days, in the pages of "Fraser's Magazine," must have read like chaos, and many of "Fraser's" subscribers said so, demanding its suppression.

For just as it was not formal philosophy, so was it nothing else formal and familiar. People debated the existence of Teufelsdrockh; they wondered whether the book was a translation; it was thought too long; too ambiguous; too dull; too pedantic; too vague; flashes of poetry were admitted here and there, but on the whole it was badly written, over-vehement, an insane sort of a book which would win nothing but the forgetfulness of men. The critics were wrong, not for the first time or the last.

The Influence of Sartor

America, under the lead of Emerson, first recognized the prophetic qualities of the book, and later England followed. But there the matter ended so far as the nations, as nations, were concerned. The teaching of "Sartor Resartus" has been ignored and the evils denounced by Thomas Carlyle have developed and spread over the world. Yet few books have had so deep an influence. Its strong vision has penetrated many minds; its exalted prose has influenced many pens.

But the fact that its influence has been deep rather than broad is an earnest of its greatness. The ideal book would strike far as well as deep, but such books happen once or twice in aeons of time, not centuries; such books are Bibles, and "Sartor Resartus" is not that. On the contrary, it is a peculiarly local book; local to its day, and with some slight modifications, to ours. Its truths, like truth as conceived by the imagination, are eternal in essence, but modern in application; and yet one cannot conceive the time when such chapters as "The Everlasting Yea" and "Symbols" will be out-moded.

These are epic in philosophic vision, eternal so long as man exists, superhuman may discard them, but even that is doubtful. The greatness of "Sartor" depends upon bigness and brightness of vision couched in equal prose. Carlyle said in that book what most needed saying, and if he said it in such a way that few could understand him, it was not his fault. Few understood him because few cared *sufficiently;* few would take the trouble. Those who did were of the best—John Ruskin, for instance—and they saw with the seer of Craigenputtock—and that fact has to be recorded in Carlyle's favor.

High-Seriousness and Humor

But it is not necessary at this date to defend "Sartor" or Carlyle; the man and his books have stood the test of kicks and praise. No other book of the nineteenth century has anything approaching "Sartor's" high-wrought splendor of idea and craftsmanship. Its very faults of style and form, the complexities of its German framework, are but proofs of its greatness. The book as a book, the prose as prose, the idea as idea, survive all such hinderances and difficulties, and when you have said your worst for it, "Sartor Resartus" rises out of the trouble implacable and serene; a masterpiece among masterpieces.

The nineteenth century was rich in great prose works—John Henry Newman's "Apologia pro vita sua"; Charles Reade's "Cloister and the Hearth"; Pater's "Marius the Epicurean"; Ruskin's "Unto this Last"; Meredith's "Egoist"; Macaulay's "History of England"; Hardy's "Jude the Obscure," to say nothing of noble but less sustained masterpieces like the prefaces of Wordsworth, the essays of Lamb, Shelley, Hazlitt, Stevenson and Oscar Wilde, but none create quite the same impression of towering thought and inimitable art, nor do any of them approach the magnitude of harmony. Carlyle touches all themes in this amazing book; he plays the organ of thought equally well with all stops out and with one.

He thunders and frowns, scolds and fumes, but he can be as quiet as a whisper, as tender as a caress. No other book in the English language can combine such high seriousness with humor without falling into pomposity, sentimentality, or mere funniness. When you laugh with Carlyle you laugh with the gods. When you walk with him you walk upon Olympus. But you walk there and laugh there as a man; Carlyle does not arrogate himself greater power nor greater dignity than manliness. He is the last and biggest of the humanists, and though ever so big, he always meets you as a brother.

Keying-Up the Spirit

The strange and inspiring book which reveals the philosophy of clothes, reveals also Thomas Carlyle. But ingenius researches into its place names and other autobiographical characteristics are of little use. "Sartor Resartus" is the world of man apropos of Carlyle.

As such it has played its part and left its mark. Meredith conceived the art of the pen as a means of arousing the inward vision, and no other English writer of the last century strove more to that end than Carlyle—except perhaps, Meredith himself, who learnt much from him, learnt at least that vivid method of springing, as he said, "imagination with a word or phrase." "Sartor Resartus" does little else; it does not explain, it intimidates by flashing vision after vision upon the mind, by keying-up the spirit to ecstacy without losing touch with earth.

Since the book was written philosophers and scientists have sought out many inventions, but I know of no other work of its kind which has stood so well the test of time. This is due in no small measure to Carlyle's habit of standing high above catchwords and cant phrases.

He does not risk being pigeon-holed or imprisoned in a category; he keeps to the broad highway. Even his insistence upon duty and idealism — which might be questioned by the modern ammoralist—is not so old-fashioned as a superficial observation would lead one to believe. Carlyle is no advocate of blind and formal duties and ideals; duties and ideals for him are not less than the intuitions and needs of the moderns. They lie within the man and not without, and thus determine his value when expressed.

BRITISH SHIPBUILDING.

The returns compiled by Lloyd's Register of Shipping, which only take into account vessels actually under construction, show that, excluding warships, there were 542 vessels, of 1,970,065 tons gross, building in the United Kingdom on Dec. 31. This is about 123,000 tons more than was in hand at the end of last quarter, and exceeds by 451,000 tons the tonnage building in December, 1911. The figures are the highest ever recorded in the society's quarterly returns. Of the vessels under construction in the United Kingdom at the end of December, 410, of 1,499,488 tons, are under the supervision of Lloyd's surveyors, with a view of classification by the society. In addition, 123 vessels, of 528,085 tons, are building abroad under the society's survey. There are thus actually under construction at the present time under the supervision of Lloyd's Register, 563 vessels, of 2,027,573 tons, figures which surpass all records. There were 84 warships, of 496,875 tons displacement, under construction at the end of the year, of which 68, representing 342,035 tons, were in private yards, and 15, of a gross tonnage of 154,840, were in the Royal dockyards.

MEMORIAL TO BOOTH.

The Salvation army is endeavoring to collect a sum of $750,000 for the establishment of a training college to perpetuate the memory of the late Gen. Booth. Since the latter's death, many suggestions have been received as to the form the memorial to him should take. One proposal suggested the erection of a statue at the top of Queen Victoria street, close to the "Army" headquarters, in London. But he was always opposed to anything that was not of practical use. He once expressed a wish that any memorial to him should take the form of a stone *contribution box, prominently displayed,* so that money might be collected for the furtherance of the work to *which he devoted his life.* It is in sympathy with his father's wish that Bramwell Booth has promoted the *scheme of building a large training college* in London, where recruits of both sexes may be taught their work. The *scope of the existing centre at Clanton,* which was once the London Orphan asylum, is limited. In the pro*posed establishment it is hoped to train* thousands of men and women where hundreds are taught now. A new college, *accommodating 500 pupils, on a* site allowing of future extension, and a fund for the payment of salaries and incidental expenses, will necessitate the raising of about $1,000,000.

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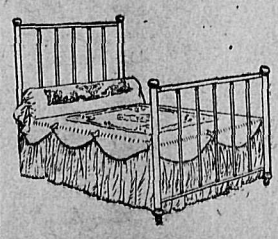

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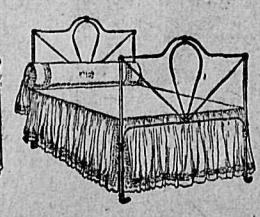

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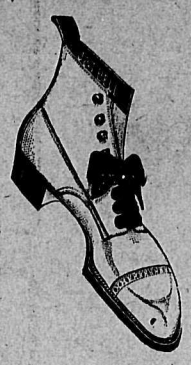

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NEW APPOINTMENT CREATES SENSATION

French Ambassador to St. Petersburg One of Strongest Men in France

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Feb. 23.—President Poincare's first act in appointing M. Theophile Delcasse, one of the strongest men politically in France, as ambassador to St. Petersburg, quite eclipsed his first words, and the sensation over the appointment of the former minister of marine caused the inaugural message of the new president to be almost ignored in the comments of the press.

The post at St. Petersburg has always been a difficult one for the republic to fill, as it needs a man who, besides being a competent diplomat, must also be wealthy. His work would be facilitated still more if he held a title or was a high military or naval officer. Such a combination is not easy to find. The Marquis de Montebello filled the bill while M. Loubet was president. M. Bompard, who followed him, was merely an excellent functionary. Armiral Louchard, who succeeded Bompard, was merely a fine sailor. Then came George Lewis, who had for a long time fulfilled the duties of permanent foreign secretary at the Quai d'Orsay. The success of the latter holder of the office may be gathered from the words attributed to President Poincare after his visit to Russia last August, when he said:

"We are not represented at the czar's court."

If current reports are to be believed, M. Briand tried to induce several to accept the office, among them being the Marquis de Breteuil, who was the host of the prince of Wales, before he asked M. Delcasse to take the place. The latter's acceptance of the ambassadorship is welcomed unanimously by popular opinion, which was pleased at his return to office as minister of marine in 1911. He considers his appointment as a further retaliation on Germany for forcing his retirement in 1905.

The Temps says all good Frenchmen rejoice at M. Delcasse's appointment. It credits the new ambassador with preparing the triple entente and says that history will eventually recognize him as the man who organized the Europe balance of power. It goes on to say:

"It would be superfluous to say that M. Delcasse would be in his place in any of our embassies, but he would be nowhere so useful as at St. Petersburg. It is no indiscretion today to reveal the fact that the members of the Russian royal family and the high Russian notables have often said since 1905: 'Why do you not send us M. Delcasse?'"

The comments of the Figaro are most interesting because the editor of that paper has been a most persistent opponent of M. Delcasse and has always ascribed the political troubles of France in connection with Morocco and all the navy disasters to him alone. This paper calls the appointment a clever measure. It admts that he possesses many qualities which are suitable to an ambassador although he was impossible as a foreign minister or premier. He possesses an immense fortune through his wife, who will receive with great affability in the name of France, and he will revive the lustre of the embassy in St. Petersburg, which has been somewhat dimmed since the time of the Marquis de Montebello.

The Figaro denies that M. Delcasse has effected anything since he has been minister of marine except what his predecessor had prepared. It says:

"The only place suitable for him was an embassy and the only embassy possible was the one to Russia. The others were closed against him by his famous policy of isolating Germany and his mania for secret treaties."

Premier Briand, whose relations with M. Delcasse have never been cordial, is accused by some, including M. Juarez, the Socialist leader, of having suggested the appointment because he wished to remove the strongest candidate who would be likely to replace him as prime minister. Juarez also says the czar had expressed a wish that Delcasse should be appointed to the post. He adds that M. Delcasse has repeatedly said within the past two years that the kaiser had become convinced of his (Delcasse's) pacific intentions.

Perhaps the czar's well-known antipathy to new faces had some influence on the appointment of the new ambassador. M. Delcasse has visited St. Petersburg on three different occasions and was at Compeigne when the czar visited France. M. Delcasse was an active journalist until about 20 years ago.

LORD KNOLLYS RESIGNS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Lord Knollys is about to resign as secretary to the King because of age. He has been an officer of the royal household for 44 years.

Lord Francis Knollys has been private secretary to King George V., since the latter's accession to the throne in 1910, and prior to that he served continuously as private secretary to the King's father from 1870. He is the second son of the late Gen. Sir William T. Knollys, K. C. B. He was born on July 16, 1937.

Lord Knollys was created a viscount in 1911 and the first baron of Caversham in 1912. He was groom in waiting to King Edward, 1866-1901, when he was Prince of Wales, and gentleman usher to Queen Victoria from 1868 to 1901.

MAKE MILITARY TRAINING OBLIGATORY DEGREE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—A remarkable proposal has been launched by 12 eminent professors of Cambridge university with a view of promoting military training. The question of national defence is being agitated every day. Some of the contributing factors are the German scare, Lord Roberts' campaign in favor of universal military service and the comparative failure of Lord Haldane's territorial scheme, which aimed to establish a great force of citizen soldiers or militia.

The Cambridge professors now suggest that no undergraduate shall be granted a degree until he has at least attained efficiency as a member of the officers training corps or territorial corps.

Sixty-three members of the university senate, which is the governing body, approved of the proposal and will shortly confer with Oxford and try to procure the co-operation of that university, which institution, if Cambridge adopts it, is expected to follow suit.

HOME RULE DISCUSSION BY IRISH PAPERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Two interesting opinions on home rule are forthcoming in yesterday's Irish papers. The Freeman's Journal, discussing imperial relations on the subject and American sympathy, expresses the opinion that "there was never any more truth in the legend that American sympathy with the Irish cause was moved and motived by hostility to the British empire than in the legend that all Irish home rulers were separatists bent upon the destruction of the empire. The present demonstration of sympathy proves that among those Americans who most strongly support the Irish cause are the men who feel most keenly an attraction of kinship to the British people. The fact proves how fruitful the seed of peace among English-speaking races for the conciliation of Ireland is bound to be."

The Belfast Northern Whig shows pronounced feeling in regard to the unopposed return of Major McAlmont for East Antrim to this effect:

"If the country was given peace for another 10 years, home rule would never be heard of outside of debating societies, yet the government seems foolish enough to risk civil war for a dying cause. East Antrim represents the opinion of protestant Ulster and when Major McAlmont goes to parliament next month, he will take a message to the government that Ulster will never submit to be ruled by a home rule parliament."

JEWS ARE BOYCOTTED IN RUSSIAN POLAND

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VIENNA, Feb. 23.—According to reports received from Warsaw a boycott on the Jews on political grounds is spreading rapidly through Russian Poland. Of the 21,600 commercial houses and stores in Warsaw, 9,700 are in the hands of Jews. In the clothing trade for instance, the Jews have 1,046 business places, while the Christians have 999.

It is a remarkable circumstance that in the financial institutions of Russian Poland the Jews are in a decided minority. Of 661 banks only 140 are Jewish. In the country districts the boycott is forcing Jews to leave their homes, the village authorities in several instances expelling them.

Polish peasants are refusing to rent their houses to Jews.

SIMPLE HANDFULS OF FLOWERS NOW FASHIONABLE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The second court of the season was held by the King and Queen at Buckingham palace on Friday evening and was largely attended.

The Queen wore a gown of pale nattire with blue brocade and with a design in gold and silver wreaths embroidered in silver. Her train was of gold and silver with Indian embroidery She wore a pearl and diamond crown and diamond ornaments.

It was noticeable how fashionable simple handfuls of flowers have become. Many women carried clusters of orchids, roses, lilies, carnations. There was a great display of jewels and many striking costumes.

PUBLIC HALL TO BE BUILT AT GRAY CREEK

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAY CREEK, B. C., Feb. 23.—At a well attended meeting of the Ranchers' union it was decided to build a public hall. The hall will be built near the mouth of Gray's creek and the inside measurements will be 20ft. by 30ft.

T. J. Oliver and S. Birkbeck were appointed, together with a building committee, to take charge of the work which has already been commenced.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson returned to their ranch early last week.

Rev. Mr. Mahood was here on Sunday, Feb. 16, and conducted the morning service followed by holy communion.

TRAVELLER TAKES PHOTOGRAPH OF AARON'S TOMB

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Julian Grande, a traveller, who has just returned from Egypt, Arabia and Palestine, asserted that he has entered a shrine at the top of Mount Hor, which is reputed to be the tomb of Aaron and to have photographed the interior, although he was covered by a rifle in the hands of an Arab fanatic.

The shrine is jealously guarded by Mohammedans and has never been examined by a competent archaeologist. Grande says he saw Hebrew inscriptions on the shrine. If this is so, it is presumed that they are ancient and very important, as no Jew has been allowed to approach the shrine for ages.

MISSING BARONET IS FOUND IN SPAIN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Sir Walter Strickland, Bart., who was missing for more than 10 weeks, has been found in Spain. Relatives and friends have been searching for him in the Riveria.

MINISTER OF INTERIOR TO VISIT ENGLAND

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Feb 23.—Hon. Dr. Roche, minister of the interior, has decided to visit the old country at the close of the present session, to make a personal first-hand study of the immigration problem from the British standpoint. He will also inspect the principal immigration offices and expects to visit France and Belgium. If the session closes in time Dr. Roche will leave in June.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS OF A DAY

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NEWS OF THE MARKETS

DECLARES LOCAL SUPPLY OF FRESH EGGS IMPROVES

"New laid eggs are not scarce as far as we are concerned," said Harry Amas, of the Bell Trading company, on Saturday, in connection with statements made at the meeting of the West Kootenay Poultry & Pet Stock association on Friday. "All our customers who bring in eggs report that the hens are beginning to lay freely and we have had a steady increase of supply during the past week. We do not import our fresh eggs at all but depend entirely on the local supply in order to give ranchers every advantage and at the same time supply our customers with strictly fresh eggs."

STOCKS

WINNIPEG STOCKS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 22.—Listed stocks.

	Bid	Asked
Can. Fire, F.P.	150	...
City & Prov. Loan	...	141
Empire Loan	110½	115
G. W. Life	290	315
G. W. Permanent	126	128
Home Investment	135	140
Nor. Can. Mort.	120	140
Nor. Crown Bank	96	96
Nor. Mortgage	110	115
Nor. Trust	110	...
Occidental Fire	105	110
Standard Trusts, ex-rights	170	...
Union Bank, ex-div.	150	153
Winnipeg P. & G., ex-div.	...	109
S. A. Warrants	1000	1250

TORONTO STOCKS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Feb. 22.—Brazilian, 94½.
Canada Steel, 23½.
Spanish River, 66½@67.
Telephone Rights, 3⅛.
Leaf, pfd., 90¾@90⅞.
Electric, pfd., 85.
Toronto Rails, 133.
Mackay, 83¾.
Canada Loan, 22.
Unlisted—Smelters, 3⅛.
Temiskaming, 40.
City Cobalt, 46.
Pearl, 51½.
Swastika, 11.

MONTREAL MARKET DULL AND LISTLESS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—The holiday in New York brought the local stocks virtually to a standstill today, business for the two hours being the lightest in a long period and price movement with a few exceptions without significance. What features there were were provided by Dominion Iron, which displayed a considerably firmer tone, and Canadian Pacific, which improved fractionally on the higher cables from London. There was little disposition here, however, to follow the Canadian Pacific's advance or make it a basis for bidding up prices at upper points on the list. Even Montreal Power, which usually reflects the Canadian Pacific movement, was dull and, and insteady of advancing eased off 1½ to 223½, closing firmer, however, at 223⅞ bid, 224 asked. Brazilian, likewise, reflected no inspiration from the London market, being inactive and quoted at 94½ bid at the close, the same as on Friday. Iron, which made the widest movement, opened ½ higher at 52¾, at that level showing a rally of 2¼ above the low on Friday and then eased off to 53¼. The price again firmed up before the close when Iron was quoted at 53¾ bid, 54 asked; a range of 1½ higher than Friday. The sharp selling pressure of the previous day was absent and buying of little more than 200 shares was sufficient to bring about the rally. Canadian Pacific opened ⅜ higher at 230¼, eased 2¼ and closed 20 bid, 230¼ asked. Cement was in fair demand and scored a gain of ¼ to 28. The cotton stocks were exceptionally quiet and virtually unchanged. Quebec Railway also closed level with Friday's price. Steel of Canada was ¼ higher at 23¾. Dominion Canners was a weak spot in the market, selling at 73, a new low level since the initial dividend two months ago. It closed weak, being offered at 73 with 72½ bid. Spanish River was also easier, being offered at 65¾ as compared with 65 bid on Friday.

Total business, 1,693 shares, 1,169 rights, 900 mining shares and $10,200 bonds and debentures. In unlisted securities, 445 shares.

GOOD TONE PREVAILED ON LONDON MARKET

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Money was in good demand today. Discount rates were easier. The stock market opened easy on rumors of trouble in various centres but hardened toward the close, when Paris supported its favorites moderately. Canadian Pacific was a feature of the Berlin buying. British and foreign bonds were quietly steady. Mexican securities were quiet owing to the holiday in New York. A good tone prevailed and prices closed from ⅛@¾ above parity. Canadian Pacific gained 2¾.

GRAIN

TRADING DULL ON WINNIPEG GRAIN ECHANGE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 22.—On the wheat market trading was extremely dull, very little interest being taken in business generally. Many of the members were attending the grain commissioners' meeting in the board room and showing the agricultural students around, and with American markets closed there was practically nothing doing. Export bids were ⅛c lower for cash wheat. Wheat options opened ⅛c lower for both months and closed unchanged. Oats opened unchanged to ⅛c higher and closed at the same figure.

Flax opened ¼@½c lower and closed at the opening figures. There was a fair cash demand, but with light offerings there was practically no business doing. Prices closed ¼c lower for contract grades and off or generally unchanged. Liverpool cables opened ⅛c lower and closed unchanged to ⅛c lower. Receipts were heavy, the inspections on Friday being 554 cars and in sight on Saturday were 400 cars.

Winnipeg wheat, close—May, 88¼c; July, 89⅜c.

Oats, close—May, 36c; July, 37c.

PRODUCE

BUTTER DEMAND FAIR EGG MARKET ACTIVE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—Demand for butter in a jobbing way is fair. Receipts this week are 657 packages as against 475 a year ago. Cheese is firm and stocks on spot are being steadily reduced. Receipts for the week, 106 boxes against 38 a year ago. Eggs, fairly active and steady. Receipts for the week, 2,727 cases as against 2,238 a year ago.

Cheese, finest westerns, 13c; finest easterns, 12¾@12¾.

Butter, choicest creamery, 28½@29; No. 2 stock, 15@16c.

Pork, heavy Canada short mess, barrels, 35@45; pieces, 29c; short cut back, barrels, 45@55; pieces, 28c.

MANY COUNTRIES TAKE PART IN RIFLE SHOOT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. — Russia, Ireland, Chile and possibly Canada are the latest countries to signify their intention of sending rifle teams to the United States to take part in the international rifle shooting competitions to be held at Camp Perry, Ohio, in September, according to the National board for promotion of rifle practice.

A letter just received from the National Rifle association of France, offered the American association six silver cups as prizes for the tournament.

CARDSTON TO HAVE BIG MORMON TEMPLE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CARDSTON, Alta., Feb. 23—An official letter from President John Smith of Salt Lake City, ecclesiastical head of the Mormon church, to President E. J. Wood, of the Alberta State of Zion, announces that the $100,000 temple for Canada is to be erected at Cardston in Southern Alberta. President Wood stated that operations would probably begin this summer.

BULLET EXTRACTED FROM HEART OF PATIENT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—At the Royal Victoria Hospital today Dr. George Armstrong performed the rare and remarkable operation of removing a bullet from the pericardium or outer membrane of Giovanni Colangelo's heart. Colangelo was shot by his son during a quarrel last Sunday. The bullet was located by means of an X-ray photograph and the only hope of saving the patient's life was by an operation. Late tonight the patient was progressing favorably and his ultimate recovery is looked for.

What Are Bargain Hunters

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THERE was a time when people imagined that the so-called bargain hunter was a fit subject for the joke-writer and the artist of the comic section of the daily paper.

But that idea has lost vogue.

The woman who, by reading the ads., and thus buying **intelligently** and **economically**, is able to give to every dollar of household expenses **an additional buying power**, is no more a subject of jest than is the wage-earner who is intelligently trying to increase his earning power.

A penny saved is a penny earned. Learn a little economy-wisdom and watch the store ads in The Daily News

Ore Production Sets Record For This Year

Output in Kootenay Boundary District is Over Fifty-two Thousand Tons—Consolidated Company's Smelter Receipts Exceed Nine Thousand Tons—Ten Slocan and Ainsworth Properties on Shipping List—Repair Tramway at Silver King.

Last week's ore production in the Kootenay and Boundary district totalled 52,707 tons, a record for the year, and the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company's smelter at Trail treated 9,098 tons, which is also a record for the year and one of the largest weekly totals ever handled by this company. A third new record established during the week was by the Queen-Victoria mines near Nelson, which shipped 1,060 tons of low grade copper ore to the British Columbia Copper company's smelter at Greenwood. This property's previous high record was 999 tons, produced a few weeks ago.

Chief contributors to the Trail smelter receipts were the Sullivan mine at Kimberley, which shipped 1,333 tons; the Centre Star and Le Roi mines at Rossland, which produced 3,920 tons and 1,115 tons respectively; the Standard at Silverton, which had an output for the week of 555 tons, and the Yankee Girl at Ymir which shipped 239 tons. The Le Roi No. 2 production for the week was 620 tons and the H. B. at Sheep creek shipped 194 tons.

Ten properties in the Slocan and Ainsworth district contributed to the total and five Rossland mines shipped. Washington, U.S.A., properties shipped to Trail were the United Copper, the Ben Hur and the Knob Hill.

At the Silver King mine near Nelson, which has been taken over by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company, the tramway standards and terminals are being repaired in readiness for shipping ore.

Ore production and smelter receipts in detail:

East Kootenay	Week.	Year.
Sullivan	1,333	5,938
Other mines		203
Total	1,333	6,141
Rossland.		
Le Roi No. 2, milled	350	2,800
Inland Empire, milled	90	720
Centre Star	3,920	20,150
Le Roi	1,115	9,937
Phoenix	11	25
Le Roi No. 2	620	3,373
Le Roi-Elmore	27	30
Other mines		87
Total	6,133	37,122
Boundary.		
Nickle Plate, milled	1,500	12,000
Granby	24,405	164,365
Mother Lode	5,474	47,429
Rawhide	5,300	35,810
Napoleon	620	5,249
Unnamed	60	607
Knob Hill	23	632
Ben Hur	350	1,105
United Copper	65	701
No. 7	166	388
Other mines		1,961
Total	37,963	270,047
Lardeau.		
Ajax	40	108
Other mines		29
Total	40	137
Nelson.		
Mother Lode, milled	500	4,000
Granite-Poorman, milled	250	2,000
Queen, milled	400	3,200
Second Relief, milled	200	1,600
Yankee Girl	238	795
H. B.	194	1,388
Emerald	64	341
Queen-Victoria	1,060	4,322
Other mines		319
Total	2,906	17,965
Slocan and Ainsworth.		
Standard, milled	500	4,000
Bluebell, milled	1,200	9,600
Van-Roi, milled	1,100	8,800
Kilo, milled	100	800
Rambler-Cariboo, milled	300	2,400
Richmond-Eureka	66	161
Standard	555	2,207
Bluebell	196	1,460
Ruth	74	190
Eastmont	32	59
Rambler-Cariboo	33	409
Van-Roi	63	253
Utica	28	118
Reco	34	64
Hope	51	90
Other mines		290
Total	4,332	29,901
Consolidated Co.'s Receipts. Trail, B.C.		
Sullivan	1,333	5,938
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Utica	28	118
Reco	34	64
Hope	51	90
Other mines		1,417
Total	9,098	51,239
Granby Smelter Receipts. Grand Forks, B. C.		
Granby	24,405	164,365
B. C. Copper Co.'s Receipts. Greenwood, B. C.		
Mother Lode	5,474	47,429
Rawhide	5,300	35,810
Napoleon	620	5,249
Unnamed	60	607
Total	11,454	89,095

Production for the week totalled 52,707 tons and for the year to date 361,333 tons. Smelter receipts for the week were 45,957 tons and for the year to date, 305,058 tons.

COPPER OUTPUT SHOWS SHRINKAGE

Utah Company's Production in Last Quarter of Year is Seventeen Million Pounds Short.

The Boston News Bureau, discussing the copper situation, says:

Over the last three months there has been a noticeable contraction in output of the big mines, particularly Utah Copper and Nevada Consolidated. Take Utah Copper, for example; its production in the last quarter of 1912 amounted to only 13,000,000 pounds, compared with 30,000,000 pounds in the third quarter, a reduction of 17,000,000 pounds. Part of this shrinkage must have been recorded in the January figures of the Copper Producers' association, but the greater percentage will enter into the calculations of February, March and April. As is generally known, an actual decrease in production by the mines is not reflected in the refinery output for from three to four months thereafter.

One producer estimates that February, March and April refinery output will not average much more than 125,000,000 pounds per month. If this estimate proves correct there will at least be no material increase in surplus stocks during that period unless there is a sharp contraction in deliveries.

At the present time the various concerns that consume copper are operating to full capacity. This applies to Europe as well as the United States. There has been only an infinitesimal shrinkage in Germany's consumption notwithstanding the Balkan troubles. The main trouble with German consumers has been their inability to secure adequate accommodations from the banks, and therefore have found it difficult to carry even normal supplies of copper. This condition may be remedial in the event of a settlement of the Balkan trouble.

VICTORIA MEN BOND PROPERTY

Kuhn Claims in Lardeau District are To be Developed—Mobbs Strike Rich Ore

Charles Kuhn's claims on Goat creek in the Lardeau district have been bonded by a Victoria syndicate which will employ a large force of men on development work in the spring according to C. O. Woodrow who was in Nelson last night. It is a free gold proposition.

At E. Mobbs' claim on Ranid creek, ore values have increased from $40 to $107 a ton under recent development, said Mr. Woodrow. He mentioned that the Cody and Strand claims at Blue lake on Cascade creek were being worked, the operation being on a big lode of silver-lead ore.

He will return to the Lardeau district, to resume charge of the Kuhn property for the Victoria syndicate, on Wednesday.

OUT ON STRIKE AT QUEEN MINE

Men Quit Work on Saturday—Wages Demanded Thought to be Reason for Walk-out

Miners at the Queen mine at Salmo went out on strike on Saturday, according to news which reached the city yesterday.

It is supposed, but not known definitely, that the men quit work through the refusal of the management, in accordance with the recent finding of the board of conciliation, to grant an increase of 50 cents per day in wages.

HAKKI PASHA IS UNOFFICIAL PEACE DELEGATE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Hakki Pasha, the Turkish ex-grand vizier, in an interview here today said he had no official mission to perform in London as a peace delegate, but that he had been sent here unofficially because he would be able to do things impos le of being done in an official capacity.

AN ECONOMY THOUGHT

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TIMBER SALE No. X10.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of March, 1913, for the purchase of Licence No. X10 to cut 12,130,000 feet B.M., 33,000 railway ties, 16,000 cedar poles on Lot No. 274, Group 1, Kootenay District, near Creston.

Particulars of Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C. 197-1 a.w.-13

TIMBER SALE No. X11.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of March, 1913, for the purchase of Licence No. X11 to cut 2,520,000 feet B. M., 46,000 railway ties 4,600 cedar poles on Lots 3877, 3878, Group 1, Kootenay District, near Creston.

Particulars of Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C. 197-1 a.w.-13

TIMBER SALE No. X12.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of March, 1913, for the purchase of Licence No. X12 to cut 6,440,000 feet B.M., 10,600 railway ties, 3,500 cedar poles, on Lot 491, Group 1, Kootenay District, near Creston.

Particulars of Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C. 197-1 a.w.-13

TIMBER SALE No. X13.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of March, 1913, for the purchase of Licence No. X13 to cut 4,160,000 feet B.M., and 600 cedar poles on Lot 231, Group 1, Kootenay District, near Creston.

Particulars of Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C. 197-1 a.w.-13

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 3rd day of March, 1913, for the purchase of Licences Nos. X1, X2, and X3, to cut timber estimated at 1,720,000 feet, 520,000 feet, and 340,000 feet B.M., respectively, together with 8,000 railway ties and poles from Crown land adjoining Adams Lake, Kamloops District.

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His honor the lieutenant-governor has been pleased to appoint his honor, Judge Lampman, of the county of Victoria, a commissioner to enquire into complaints made against Robert Thompson, principal of Nelson public school, and into the conduct of the school board.

Notice is hereby given that said commissioner will hold meetings commencing at 10 o'clock, Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1913, in the supreme court room, courthouse, Nelson, B.C., and that all persons desiring to give evidence herein are requested to attend.

H. E. YOUNG,
Provincial Secretary.
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The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

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TELLS OF MARVELS OF MODERN MEDICINE

Dr. E. C. Arthur Addresses Nelson University Club—Local Man to Speak on Conditions in Mexico

The University club held its regular meeting in the board rooms of the public school on Saturday evening. The attendance was small, those present being Dr. N. Wolverton, president; W. Clark Saundercock, secretary; R. Smillie, Dr. E. C. Arthur, G. H. Playle, F. J. Jarvis, and William Grey.

The program committee reported that the subject of the March meeting would be taken by J. M. McFarlane of Granite road. Mr. McFarlane was for some years Eiglish superintendent of education in Mexico, and will discuss some topic which will make more intelligible the recent revolution there. This meeting will be held on March 8.

In giving the paper of the evening, Dr. Arthur outlined the progress of surgery and serumtherapy step by step, from its humble emperic beginning to its recent marvelous triumphs of discovery, daring and technic. About the earliest discovery was that of vaccination, but for a long time, owing to neglect or ignorance of proper conditions of cleanliness, it fell into disrepute and suffered from its fall to this day. The principle involved had, however, gained evident recognition and today several other diseases, notably typhoid fever and diphtheria, were treated by the serum method, and the effort to conquer cancer, tuberculosis and other diseases took the form of a search for a suitable serum to prevent or counteract the effect of the invading germs. In the realm of surgery great help had been derived in emergencies from the transfusion of blood, as from the arteries of a mother to the veins of her child dying of summer complaint, said Dr. Arthur. Grafting of skin, bone and muscle was a commonplace event. Where the bone was injured by accident sections of bone might be taken from a sheep and incorporated in the human arm or leg. Dr. Carrell had found it possible to keep sections of skin, muscle or artery alive for three or four weeks and use them when the need arose. More recently he had found means to hasten the healing of wounds or fractures of bones, so that a broken leg would be healed in three or four days, and a flesh wound in a day.

The discussion that followed was participated in by nearly all present, many new points being brought out by question and comment.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

J. E. Bruce of Revelstoke is registered at the Queens.

F. Roach of New Denver is at the Grand Central.

Mrs. R. A. L. Forbes of Edmonton is visiting the city.

The third degree will be conferred tonight by Kootenay lodge No. 16 I.O.O.F.

A special meeting of Trinity Ladies aid will be held in the church parlor this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Paul's Missionary society will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Owing to the fact that repairs were being made to the substation the street cars did not run yesterday until after 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Today's classes at the Y. M. C. A. are as follows: Senior school, 4 to 5 o'clock; professional men, 5.15 to 6 o'clock; and business men, 8.30 to 9.30 o'clock.

Queen City Rebekah lodge is giving a social dance tomorrow. First class music will be furnished by an orchestra. Refreshments will be served. Dancing will take place from 9 to 1 o'clock.

The band will be at rink tomorrow night. 269-1

Ring up Phone 88 for quick messenger service. *266-6

Admission to the Rebekah dance Feb. 25 is 50 cents each, supper included. 269-2

The Gem orchestra, after the close of the usual program at the Gem theatre Tuesday., 25th inst., will proceed to the Eagle hall to assist in the entertainment being given by the Veterans in honor of Paardeberg Day. 269-2

W. G. Thomson is showing a line of crepe paper lunch sets that are nice for lunches, dinners or evening suppers. The set consists of large decorated table cloth, 12 decorated napkins, 12 decorated doilies, and 12 decorated plates. All fast colors. They are 45c a set. Also a large selection of daintily decorated tally and place cards at 15c to 50c a dozen. See them at Thomson's bookstore. 267-3

The Hudson's Bay company has just issued a revised price list of groceries and will be glad to send it on application. It would pay everybody to peruse it.

Poultry Keeping in the Kootenays

Artificial Incubation

(W. N. Scott, Trail, B. C.)

(Continued).

A typographical error in last week's article said "iron" instead of "inovo" thermometers. The usual practice in incubation is to turn the eggs twice daily. The laborious care with which some people perform this very simple operation is sometimes amusing. I have seen eggs carefully marked off by pencil into numbered or lettered sections and every egg had to be turned exactly so far and no more or less. Whether the mother hen had some mathematical instinct in the tip of her beak as she rustled the eggs around in her nest or whether she turns them at all more than once a day was not taken into consideration. "Directions" must be followed. Why do we turn the eggs anyway? Not, as most people suppose, in order to turn a cold side to the heat. The germ in a fertile egg, like the magnetic needle, always floats to the top or upper side of an egg, no matter in what position it is held, so that turning an egg in no way effects the growing chick in warming up a cold side.

The object of turning the eggs is to shift the relation of the germ to the shell. If the egg is not turned it will adhere to the shell and result in death to the chick. A very slight turn will accomplish all that is necessary. I find that by moistening the finger tips and drawing the hand across a row of eggs the entire row are quickly and easily turned.

Some machines are supplied with automatic egg turning devices in the shape of racks in which the eggs rest and are made to roll. If such are used they should be removed before hatching time, as they seriously hinder the free movement of the egg during the hatching process.

I never turn the first two days or after the 17th day. The chick comes away from the shell on the 18th day and becomes free to turn itself. It is a critical day and eggs should not be disturbed. As the temperature varies in incubators at front and back and is cooler on the sides than in the middle all single tray machines should be reversed end for end and in double tray machines I reverse end for end in the morning and side for side at night. During the first few days very little cooling is necessary, but as the hatch advances the time should be increased. A safe allowance is about one minute per day, i. e., a hatch that has been set for 10 days should have 10 minutes. When hatching in hot weather I have repeatedly left my nursery drawers, and occasionally the egg chamber door open for hours at a time. I wouldn't advise any beginner, however, to try this wrinkle. Edward Bellamy, the author, made £30,000 by "Looking Backward." Lot's wife tried the same game, however, and only made her salt.

Probably no factor in incubation is more important and at the same time less understood and more neglected than the proper control of moisture. The chick does not grow and develop upon the yolk of the egg as is commonly supposed, but upon the "white." The yolk is practically intact right up to hatching time and is absorbed into the intestinal tract just before the chick emerges from the shell. Everyone has noticed how the air cell of an egg increases in size as the egg increases in age. This is due to evaporation through the shell of the albumen. The same thing happens only in a more exaggerated form when incubation heat is applied to the egg. If it be "dry" heat it evaporates the albumen and the growing embryo has that much less substance to grow upon. The result is small, weakly chicks, that lack vitality. Many, however, never hatch at all as they simply chip the shell and then dry up and die.

The solution of weighing the eggs constantly and noting the evaporation is too laborious, while judging by the size of the air cell is often mere guesswork. Every operator of incubators should have a hygrometer if he wants reliable and exact data. It consists of a thermometer attached to a bottle of water, with a silk wick connecting the water and the bulb of the thermometer. It registers, not heat, but humidity. At a hatching temperature of 103 degrees it should show:

First week	65 degrees
Second week	63 degrees
Third week	55 degrees
Hatching	53 degrees

If it registers less moisture than this it should be added to the machine. The best form is to fill a shallow tray with wet sand and place under the egg trays, where no moisture pan is provided. Moisture will evaporate much quicker from wet sand than from water itself. It should be stirred up daily, however.

An invariable practice which I have followed for many years with splendid success is to dip my eggs on the 19th day. A dishpan of water, heated to 105 degrees is prepared, and the eggs removed from the trays and put in the water for 15 or 20 minutes to soak. Don't be afraid. You won't either drown or smother them. Every live chick can be picked out by the twitching or rocking movement of the egg. The soaking helps to make the shell rotten so that it chips readily and it stirs up moisture in the shell. The result is that during a hatch I can rarely read my thermometer as the inside of the glass door is dripping with moisture given off as the shell opens. Needless to say the old trouble of "drying up" in the shell is conspicuously absent.

White diarrhoea is probably the worst bane of chickendom and is responsible for more mortality among chicks up to three weeks of age than all other causes combined.

For many years our best poultry investigators have been seeking its cause and cure. Numerous theories have been advanced and exploded.

It is now generally recognized to be due to a bacillus which has been named basterium pullorum. Messrs. Retger and Stoneburn of the New York experiment station, to whose careful and painstaking work we are indebted for the discovery and isolation of the germ of this dread disease, after an exhaustive explanation of all their work, summarized their findings as follows:

1. The original source of infection is the ovary of the mother hen.
2. Eggs from infected hens contain the organism in the yolks.
3. Chicks hatched from infected eggs have the disease when born.
4. The disease may be spread through the medium of infected food and water. Hence normal chicks may acquire it by picking up infected droppings in food contaminated thereby.
5. Infection from chick to chick apparently takes place after they are three or four days of age.

It being impossible to detect the bacillus in a hen unless you kill her or in an egg unless you break it, and being very difficult to save the chicks once it has developed, the only practical method is to treat the eggs. This may be done in a twofold form or, what is surer, do both. Heat up the machine to hatching temperature, then spray the inside thoroughly with a 10 per cent solution of zenoleum. Close up tight, let the gas carbon dioxide generate, then slip in your trays of eggs and close up tight for 48 hours. This is my own invariable practice and I haven't had the disease for years except on odd occasions when my zenoleum supply ran out. Some claim perfect immunity by dipping the eggs in a five per cent solution.

Carbon dioxide is very strong in the nest of a setting hen. Numerous experiments at the Guelph agricultural college have clearly demonstrated that we get stronger chicks, more of them and that a greater percentage live by producing carbon dioxide artificially. Creolin is a good substitute if the zenoleum cannot be readily obtained.

PROVINCIAL FAIR DATES ELECTION OF OFFICERS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

EDMONTON, Feb. 23.—The principal business of the agricultural fairs convention today was selecting dates for provincial fairs during the coming summer.

Lethbridge dates are June 24-28; Calgary, June 30, July 5; Edmonton, August 11-16; Medicine Hat, Sept. 9-12.

The officers of the association were elected as follows: President, E. L. Richardson, Calgary; vice-president, E. N. Baker, Cardston; directors, J. Cook, Cochrane; Capt. A. Evans, Lacombe; R. Knights, Priddes; H. B. Atkins, Didsbury; B. Matkin, Magarth; H. Huxley, Lloydminster; secretary-treasurer, Ed. Green, Calgary.

Mr. McRae, Medicine Hat, extended an invitation to the convention to meet next year in the "Hat," but the convenion decided to adhere to the priciples of meeting alternately in Edmonton and Calgary. The next convention will be held in Calgary.

ASPHYXIATED BY GAS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Sask., Feb. 23.—The death took place tonight in the general hospital of Andrew Boyen as the result of inhaling coal fumes. His son Thomas was already dead when Mrs. Boyen staggered to the door and attracted the attention of passers-by to the pitiable plight of the family. The mother and two smaller children are expected to recover.

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Forestry Column

The forest branch of the department of lands issues its first report this week. The branch is only six months old, but even in the short time since its organization it has done much to advance the cause of scientific management of the forest resource.

British Columbia has a wooded area which produces annually, according to a general estimate recently made, five times as much as is cut. The wise development of the whole timber growth and its protection from fire are the objects of the forestry movement now afoot in this province. The most important portion of the work is the safeguarding of the merchantable timber already standing and the chief forester devotes the bulk of the report to a consideration of the ways and means of fire protection.

When the branch was established last summer the fire patrol force had already taken the field and it was therefore inadvisable to make radical changes in its methods of organization. Consequently the season's work was carried out under existing conditions. The work was remarkably successful in view of the small number of wardens employed, the weather being very favorable and only $300,000 damage being done to the standing timber. A great deal of damage to young growth which cannot be calculated in figures should be added to the foregoing estimate, since the area burned over was no less than 116,000 acres.

There were 347 fires altogether. The cost of patrol and fighting fire to the government and private companies and individuals aggregated $278,647. This does not include the money spent by the railway companies in patrol along their tracks and by private timber owners in building trails and telephone lines in their holdings.

Over 9400 permits for the burning of brush in land clearing, were issued and it is gratifying to note that only eight fires escaped, a result that shows that greater care is being exercised in slash burning.

The regular force of fire wardens in the past season consisting of 165 men, whose efforts were augmented during the most dangerous season by 48 special patrolmen.

The total area included within the 16 fire divisions of the province which were organized was about 125,000,000 acres, of which it is estimated that about 80,000,000 to 100,000,000 acres are covered with some kind of timber, and 50,000,000 to 65,000,000 acres are real forest land, covered with mature timber or valuable second growth.

The area patrolled last year averaged about 900,000 acres to each patrolman.

The railways, both those operating and those under construction, responded most satisfactorily to the requests of the provincial forest branch, and the board of railway commissioners, and gave attention to clearing debris from their rights of way and to their patrol.

The chief forester observes that in the nature of the country it is almost impossible to extinguish fires in many parts of the province without some means of getting men quickly on the ground. To this end trails, telephone lines, tool caches, and ranger cabins are absolutely necessary. He regards a total mileage of 295 miles of telephone lines and 163 miles of trail as indispensible for the coming year, and urges for construction in the very near future an additional 1020 miles of telephone line. Work on cabins and tool caches is to begin almost immediately. Already bids have been asked on six launches for coast patrol and two for the Kootenay and Arrow lakes.

The creation of forest reserves in which permanent improvements for the protection and harvesting of the timber can be made, is strongly recommended. In many districts these reserves are of most consequence for their influence in equalizing the flow of water needed for irrigation.

One of the most important duties of the forest branch is to investigate the lands which are supposed to be covered with timber and to report upon those which are more fit for agricultural crops than for trees. To this end, and to secure accurate data upon the extent of timber, the necessity for permanent improvements, etc., there were placed in the field last year 12 parties of reconnaissance surveyors, who covered about 4700 square miles, and are now sending in their returns to Victoria.

The timber of the province has been reserved from alienation since 1907, but under the new forest act of 1912 timber sales are being made on forest areas that have been cruised and surveyed for that purpose.

As yet only a beginning has been made, but nevertheless the sales already in hand will yield in royalty, upset price, and rental, about $176,000 to the government. The policy is to increase the annual cut up to the annual growth of the forest which is estimated to be about 6½ billion feet board measure.

During the year the government scalers scaled 1,105,383,751 feet board measure of timber exclusive of that cut on lands crown granted prior to 1887, on which one cent a foot is charged.

The total forest revenue for the year was $2,753,579. Included in this are the rentals of special licenses, amounting in all to $1,846,000.

The government expenditure, including the amount that constitutes the government's half of the forest protection fund was $278,647. To this should be added the half of that fund contributed by licencees and lessees of crown lands and owners of crown grant timber, and railway companies amounting to a further $127,570.

That is to say, the amount paid out from the public revenue of the province for the protection and management of the provincial forests was one-tenth of the total revenue received. The report points out further that out of every four dollars coming into the provincial treasury one is from the forest.

J. F. Mackay, a member of the conservation commission, in speaking before the Toronto Household Economic association emphasized the part which women are playing in the conservation movement at the present time. Not only are the matters of sanitation, pure food and milk, clean streets and other attributes of progressive home-making receiving the earnest attention of the majority of women as never before, but such nationwide interests as forest conservation are moving the women's clubs to ask for lectures from the Canadian Forestry association and other educative bodies.

Mr. Mackay said that forest preservation is a matter in which every householder has at least indirect interest; and in the case of women in provinces like British Columbia where the lumbering industry ranks high in the community, it is a matter of direct import.

Mrs. Annie A. Wilder, a Canadian, now resident in Washington, and an enthusiastic supporter of conservation, some time earlier was the guest of the Winnipeg Women's Canadian club, and in the course of her address showing how closely related the home was to the preservation of the forests, said: "Forest preservation is a moral question. The waste of our national resources, whether in Canada or the United States, is not only criminal but immoral. I agree with Andrew Carnegie, when he says that the land has been given us in trust; that we have a duty to succeeding generations in preserving the land and all its resources, and it is to this end that I am an active conservationist."

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

C. A. Burton of Victoria is a guest at the Strathcona.

Niel Macdonald of Merritt is a guest at the Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. DeWolf of Cranbrook are at the Hume.

Mrs. C. O. Woodrow has returned from a visit to the old country.

There will be a meeting of the Trades and Labor council tomorrow evening.

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers will meet tonight at 7 o'clock.

Mayor Deschamps of Rossland was in the city on Saturday evening, a guest at the Strathcona.

E. E. Brooks of Vancouver, formerly in the lumber business at Fernie, is a guest at the Hume.

Graham Cruickshank of Rossland was a visitor to Nelson yesterday. He was a guest at the Hume.

F. R. Wolfe of Spokane, manager of the Florence Mining company, Ainsworth, is at the Hume.

J. M. Carney of Salmo and Mr. and Mrs. A. Carney of Kaslo were guests at the Strathcona yesterday.

T. K. McDonald, of the Hume barber shop, is at the Kootenay Lake General hospital, suffering from a severe attack of the mumps.

A large number of skaters yesterday enjoyed the excellence which prevailed along the shores of the lake between the city and Five Mile point.

Charged with stealing $65 from rooms in a local hotel, Andrew Scott was remanded by Mayor Keefe in the city police court on Saturday until today.

The school investigation to be held by Judge Lampman of Victoria will open in the supreme court room at the courthouse at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

F. E. Trautman of Winnipeg, press representative of the Canadian Pacific railway western lines, and Max Enos, who holds a similar position on eastern lines, are in the city. While in this district they will visit Kaslo, Rossland, Phoenix, Grand Forks and Kelowna. Mr. Trautman is accompanied by Mrs. Trautman.

There will be a meeting of the Ancient Order of Foresters tonight at 8 o'clock. After the meeting there will be a social and concert. Juvenile members will meet at 7 o'clock.

There will be an entertainment at the Baptist church tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Volunteers of that institution. Music and readings will be included in the program.

Manley Jones, a member of Silverton Miners' union, died at the Kootenay Lake General hospital on Saturday evening from pneumonia. The body is at the Standard Furniture company's undertaking parlors awaiting funeral arrangements.

At the Veterans' smoking concert tomorrow night in the Eagle hall one of the many interesting items will be the story of Paardeberg told by the Rev. Fred H. Graham, chaplain to the 102nd Regiment. At the engagement General Cronje of the Boer forces was captured with a force of over 4,000 followers by General French. It was the first British victory in the Boer war after a series of reverses.

AT THE THEATRES

A criticism of "The Girl From Tokio," which is the attraction at the opera house on Wednesday evening, says: "Brimming of brand-new farcial predicaments, few of which may be accused of intimacy with the comedy of yesterday, "The Girl From Tokio," opened last night at the Salt Lake theatre. Almost from the rise of the curtain commences situations made keenly delicate by drawing room politeness. Cleverness and highly artistic portrayals prevail, the leading role being taken by Julia Morton, who won distinction in "What Happened to Jones." "The Girl From Tokie" was thoroughly enjoyed last night by a large audience, principally because of its newness, the fine mixture of character study and its portrayal of what might actually happen in real life should anyone fall in love in Japan come home and marry a new love and find at one's heels a muddled French diploma."

By command of King George, Charles Urban, the inventor of the wonderful Kinemacolor process of taking motion pictures in nature's own colors, went to india and obtained all the scenes and incidents of the durbar by means of this remarkable invention. The Kinemacolor durbar pictures have created a sensation in New York, where they are crowding the leading theatre, the New York theatre, at regular Broadway prices. The same durbar pictures have been secured as the attraction at the opera house for next Thursday, Friday and Saturday and will be shown exactly as in New York.

Tonight patrons of the Gem theatre will have the pleasure of witnessing a supremely magnificent portrayal of "Vanity Fair," suggested by the great novel of William Makepeace Thackeray, the world famed satirical delineator of character. These pictures have been spoken of with the highest praise, and with such actors as John Bunny and Helen Gardner taking the leading parts those who view them will certainly see as fine an interpretation as can be placed on the screen. The production is in three reels and is by the Vitagraph company, whose work as seen in "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" cannot be surpassed in big features. The remaining item of the program, "Betty Becomes a Maid," is a delightful and amusing comedy.

At the Starland tonight a most interesting and varied program of five reels will be shown. The management has secured at a great additional expense the famous Eclais feature in three reels, entitled "Tom Butler." This picture is one of the most exciting detective dramas with a powerful and realistic ending. Included in the program is, "The Lady Barber of Roaring Gulch," which is a delightful scream from start to finish, and "The Troubles of a Sailor" and "The Cowboy's Leap Year."

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Rossland News

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 23.—A car of lumber from Williams, Washington, to the Atlas Lumber company, Standard, Alta., passed through here yesterday.

James S. Sooman and son, who have been working at Deschamps' sawmill this winter, returned to their home at Colville on Sunday, the sawmill having shut down for a couple of months.

Mrs. J. Fitzwilliams of Tonopa, Nevada, is here on an extended visit to her son, Mr. Glen Marshall.

Mrs. R. G. Gordon left this morning for Spokane, via the Great Northern.

Mayor J. S. Deschamp left this morning for Calgary on a business trip. He expects to be away about two weeks.

George Denison has returned from Vancouver where he went to attend a convention of the Farmers' institute. On his way home he visited friends in Vernon.

Mrs. L. A. Campbell has returned from Spokane where she had been for the past few days.

Dr. Frank of Nelson is in the city on a professional visit.

Judge Forin of Nelson is a visitor in the city on legal matters.

The Knights of Pythias held their 49th annual roll call Friday evening. The lodge closed early in the regular way, and all strangers were made welcome by C. C. Thomas Embleton. Brother Eaves was then called upon for a piano solo, which he rendered in a very pleasing manner; after this John Sherman sang very capably "Thora," and Brother Slocan sang "Relief of Lucknow," in a like manner. The roll was then called and several letters were read from outside brothers expressing regret at being unable to attend, also sending best wishes. Those read were from Steve Brailo, Spokane, Washington; Charles Coffin, Spokane, Washington; A. G. Creelman, Calgary, Alberta; John Hicks, Monita, California. The program was then continued. Song by Charles Bostock, "When Father Bought a Box of Tools." The applause was so hearty that he sang as an encore, "Moving a Piano." Loux Bros. sang a duet, playing their own accompaniment on the banjo and guitar, entitled, "Ragtime Cowboy," and for an encore sang and played, "Down where the big bananas grow." Grand Chancellor Winn was called upon and delivered a short speech, dealing principally upon the finnacial standing of the order, and urging all young men to join some fraternal order. John Borman then gave a piano solo, after which the reports of 1905 and 1913 were read, showing the great progress of the lodge during the term of eight years. Thomas Davidson then sang in a very pleasing manner, "Just Plain Folks," and Brother Lawson gave a mandolin solo, and Isaacson Bros. sang "By the Old Mill Stream." Roll call was again proceeded with, and letters from the following brothers were read: David Johnson, Molson, Washington; Samuel M. Smith, New Westminster, British Columbia; George Schaidt, Spokane, Washington; H. K. McKenzie, Kimberly, British Columbia, and Jas Nicholson, Vancouver, British Columbia. Loux brothers then gave two ragtime selections, and Brother Douglas delivered a very witty and funny speech. John Sherman sang "Don't Judge a Man by the Clothes He Wears." C. Bostock, "The Laughing Song"; encore, "Mary had a Little Lamb," with variations. Brother Sloan sang "The Irish Schoolmaster." Brother James Barnes sang Only to See Her Face Again," and after much coaxing sang, "Lancashire Lassie." Loux brothers were heartily applauded after their rendering of a comic Italian song. Mr. Borman then gave a piano solo, and presided at the piano while the members and friends joined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne." During the evening refreshments in abundance were served.

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