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STORMY SCENE IN PARLIAMENT

Speaker Declares "Boozorium" Not Parliamentary

SOLICITOR GENERAL CONCLUDES SPEECH

Speaks for Over Three Hours in Reply to Hon. G. P. Graham.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, *March 26.*—The debate on the National Transcontinental railway report was continued in the house today by Hon. Arthur Meighen, solicitor-general, and William M. German, Liberal member for Welland. Mr. Meighen, who spoke for over three hours, devoted all his attention to the speech made by Hon. George P. Graham, the former minister of railways, who made the motion of censure which is now the subject matter of discussion. Mr. Meighen covered in detail all the phases of the dispute. He contended that the Gutellus-Staunton commission was one which it was quite proper for the government to name. The Liberals had never been satisfied with commissions named by themselves, so it was not to be expected that the Conservatives would be able to suit them.

Mr. Meighen defended the findings of the commissioners in regard to the manner in which contracts had been let, the Transcona shops, their criticism that money had been wasted on steel bridges, lower grades and longer curves than were necessary. He contended that the commission named by the late government was not one which any railway company or any other government would have named to construct a transcontinental line. He maintained that the record of the original construction commission had been one of extravagance and waste and that everything in the report of the commission named by the present government to find the cost was justified.

Mr. German, who followed, said that the report was a partisan finding from beginning to end. It was designed only to hurt the Liberal party and the Grand Trunk Pacific. The cry that the road would not pay was the cry of little Canadians who had no faith in their country. The changing of the grades, he said, would mean serious difficulties for the government in the future, because the Grand Trunk Pacific could not be compelled to take over the line. Mr. Chamberlin had never agreed to the change, and his letter of protest stands as a menace to the government in the future. Mr. German declared that he had confidence enough in Canada and the country through which the National Transcontinental railway will run, to believe that it will pay within a few years.

The adjournment was moved by J. E. Armstrong, Lambton, who will speak to morrow. The debate will not be concluded this week.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson produced in the house again a red poster, signed by Col. P. C. Carey, 74th regiment, Westmoreland, in which he asked for the names of all who were prepared to enlist for mobilization in case of war. He asked for an explanation from the minister.

Col. Hughes, in reply, said that from time immemorial the divisional officers asked for certain information. Col. Hughes read over the regulations. He added that this enthusiastic and capable officer at his own expense had taken this mode for securing the information. He hoped the hon. member for Westmoreland would be one of the first to enlist.

"What about the member for Brockville?" asked the Liberals, referring to gossip that Col. Hughes and John Webster, of Brockville, had had a wrestling match in the office of the minister of militia.

"I did not disable him completely," retorted the minister of militia, while the house roared with laughter. "I just took two out of him and he took one out of me."

Edmond Proulx, Prescott, was responsible for the next incident. Holding a morning paper in his hand, he asked about the cablegram which Capt. Tom G. Wallace, Centre York, had sent to Sir Edward Carson, stating that thousands of loyal Canadians were prepared to go to fight for Ulster. The mention of Capt. Wallace's name was greeted with Conservative cheers.

Mr. Proulx was proceeding to read the cablegram when Dr. Sproule called him to order.

"Well, I will put it this way," persisted Mr. Proulx: "He is a captain in the militia and I would like to ask the minister of militia if he has taken cognizance of this cablegram."

Premier Borden intervened at this point and suggested that the question be put on the order paper.

"I rule that this is a proper question to put on the order paper," interposed the speaker.

"All right," added Mr. Proulx, "I will do that."

Stormy Scene

Col. Hughes rose on a question of privilege. A statement had appeared in the press which had been made by his old friend, Hamar Greenwood, in the British house to the effect that there was a strong feeling in the overseas dominions against British

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TWO FOR MAYORALTY IN MONTREAL

Sixteen Candidates for Controllership and Seventy-five for Aldermen—Malversationist for Mayor.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MONTREAL, March 26.—Two candidates for one job at $12,000 as mayor, 16 for four $7,500 jobs as controllers, and 75 for 31 $1,000 jobs as aldermen, have filed their nomination papers and deposited each $200 for the civic elections which will be held Monday, April 6. The mayoralty aspirants are Major George W. Stephens, ex-chairman of the harbor board, and Ald. Mederic Martin, M.P., who figured in Judge Cannon's report on the "23" malversationists at the city hall some years ago. The citizens' organization has made up a slate of Controller Ainey, Ald. Emard, Messrs. McDonald and Roy, commissioners. Five aldermen go in by acclamation, leaving 26 seats to be contested. In centre ward six candidates will fight it out, while four men appear in each of four other wards.

VILLA IN RETREAT NEWS FROM FRONT

Rebel Forces Have Seven Hundred Killed—Other Reports Tell of Rebel Success.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MEXICO CITY, March 26.—Confirmation of the reported defeat of Gen. Villa's army at Torreon by federal forces under Gen. Velasco was given in a message received at the Mexican war office at noon today. The rebel losses are placed at 700 men killed. The rebels are said to be retreating to Bermejillo, 20 miles north of Torreon.

At the war office it was said that the message was sent from San Pedro de las Colonias, a town 37 miles northeast of the battlefield, and was filed by a federal officer. It was the first despatch to come through from the fighting zone.

A telegram from a newspaper correspondent at Saltillo reports severe fighting at Artega, to the east of that city, in the state of Coahuila, where 247 rebels are said to have been killed by the federals.

The same correspondent also reports fighting at Cienegas, to the west of Monclova, but gives no details.

The banks here today curtailed their exchange operations owing to the uncertainty of the situation.

Wagonloads of Wounded.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LAREDO, Texas, March 26.—Twenty-five wagons loaded with wounded or dead reached Nuevo Laredo today with the remnant of Gen. Guardiolas' federal command, which was defeated on Monday at Guerrero, while en route to attack Matamoras.

Fighting Resumed

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

EAGLE PASS, Tex., March 26.—Following the repulse of Gen. Francisco Villa and his rebel army, fighting has been resumed in the attack on Torreon at Noe, a few miles north of Gomez Palacio.

This is the substance of a brief despatch to federal headquarters at Pedras Negras late today, said to have come direct from the battlefield. The message was sent by Gen. Joaquin Maas.

An earlier message, which, it was explained, related to events of last night, said: "Our army victorious at Gomez Palacio. More than 2,000 killed and taken prisoners. Cavalry pursuing."

Federal officers at Pedras Negras interpreted the latter message as meaning that Villa was retreating to the northward.

The federal despatches reached Pedras Negras over the government line in Monterey. No details were obtainable as there is no communication at that point.

Constitutionalists Claim Victory

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

WASHINGTON, March 26. — The constitutionalist agency here tonight gave out the following telegram from Rafael Musquiz, constitutionalist agent at El Paso: "Gomez Palacio and Lerdo are in our hands and Torreon is completely surrounded. We are expecting victory at any hour."

Position Unchanged

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHIHUAHUA, *Mexico, March 26.*—An official report today says the rebels have established headquarters within the city of Gomez Palacio and are trying to get closer to Torreon. Firing was heavy today, but the relative position of the opposing armies with respect to Torreon was practically unchanged.

IMPERIAL NATURALIZATION BILL IS ADVANCED

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

LONDON, March 27.—The Imperial naturalization bill passed through the committee of the house of lords yesterday without modification and has been reported for the third reading next week.

HIGH COMMISSIONERSHIP TO BE HAD FOR ASKING

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—From a statement made by a prominent politician tonight, there is now no doubt that Sir Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, can have the commissionership of Canada for the asking. In fact, the party referred to goes so far as to state that he has it in his pocket and has had for some time.

HUDSON'S BAY STORE GUTTED

Nearly Quarter Million Loss in Fort William

FIREMEN FALL FROM LADDERS

One of The Oldest Business Places in City--Aid From Port Arthur.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., *March 26.*—Damage of about $200,000 resulted from a fire which gutted the Hudson's Bay store this evening. One-half of the building and the entire stock was entirely destroyed by the blaze, which started from an explosion in the furnace at 6:10 p.m. as the store closed.

Eating its way along the basement, the fire spread through the entire building and clouds of smoke pouring out prevented the department getting near the flames. The blaze spread up the old elevator shaft to the second floor and broke out in the women's clothing department. That end of the building proved a total loss. But the other end was kept from destruction, although the stock was damaged by heat and smoke.

Falling coping knocked one of the firemen from the ladder on which he was standing and broke several of his ribs, while another was knocked down by the nozzle of a hose which got out of control and fell about 25 feet, but escaped injury.

The part of the building destroyed was one of the oldest business places in the city, being erected 22 years ago when the business section of the city was at the north end. The other half of the building was erected seven years ago, and although the fire started in the liquor department, its better construction saved it. The fire was witnessed by upward of 5,000 people, who lined the street. Street car service was interrupted by the lines of hose across the tracks, and passengers were compelled to transfer while the street car system was operated as a stub line on both sides.

Fire fighting continued for seven hours, both the stations in the city responding to the call, and the fire chief from Port Arthur aiding in the direction of the work.

SPECULATION IN TICKETS PROHIBITED

Detailed Statement of Election Expenses to Be Sent to Ontario Returning Officers

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, March 26.—The Ontario Election act is to be amended so as to make it illegal for a candidate for the legislature to receive a contribution, payment, loan or gift, before, during or after an election otherwise than though his official agent, and to make it imperative that a detailed statement of all his election expenses be sent to the returning officer for publication on payment of a fee of 25 cents, also to make it illegal for any corporation, license holder or public contractor to contribute to a candidate's election expenses. Bills covering these aims were introduced in the legislature this afternoon by Hon. W. H. Hearst, minister of lands, forests and mines, and they will probably pass with little or no opposition, as N. W. Rowell, leader of the opposition, has already taken somewhat similar ground.

A bill to stop the practice of speculating in tickets to amusements, etc., was introduced by G. H. Gooderham, Toronto. The penalty of offering a ticket for sale at an advance upon the proper price is to be from $5 to $50.

The government's redistribution bill was introduced today by Hon. W. J. Hanna, who announced that the intention was to send it to a select committee of the house after it had passed its second reading. In answer to a question from Mr. Rowell, leader of the opposition, as to whether or not it was the intention of the government to change the number of representatives in the house, Mr. Hanna said it was likely that there would be a small increase in numbers. However, nothing definite could be known until the committee had done its work.

RECRUITS AND MONEY FROM WINNIPEG FOR ULSTER

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

WINNIPEG, March 26.—Five thousand Orangemen from all over Manitoba will meet in Winnipeg next week to discuss the situation in Ulster and decide upon what action the Manitoba Orangemen will take to aid the men of Ulster. It is understood that recruits will be enrolled for a contingent that will go to the support of the Ulster volunteer army, and arrangements will be made to send a cash contribution to the anti-home rule section of Ireland.

EDMONTON GROWING.

EDMONTON, Alta., March 26.—Edmonton's population shows a growth of 12 per cent, according to the city directory.

INCREASES FOR POSTAL CLERKS

Minimum to Be Six Hundred Dollars With Annual Increases of One Hundred Dollars

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, March 26.—Hon. L. P. Pelletier gave notice today of resolutions on which bills will be based providing for an increase in salaries to clerks in city post offices, offices of post office inspectors, offices of superintendents of railway mail service, money order exchange offices and of railway mail clerks.

For clerks in the first four named services, the salaries are to be $600 to commence with, with an annual increase of $100 per year. No maximum is mentioned. Railway mail clerks, when appointed on probation, get $600 per year and on confirmation $700 per year, with an annual increase of $100 until a maximum of $1,400 is reached. Temporary mail clerks are to get $600 a year and living allowance. Any temporary mail clerk is eligible for increase until his salary amounts to $1,000, unless he passes an examination. Clerks who on April 1, 1914, are getting less than $600 will, on that date, receive that amount.

DRIVER RECOGNIZED KRAFCHENKO

Tells of Flight of Man Loaded With Bundles of Bills and Bags of Money

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MORDEN, Man., March 26.—William Dyck, who carried away in his livery automobile the Plum Coulee bank robber and murderer of H. M. Arnold, today retold on the witness stand the story of his fear-compelled drive with the bandit. He told of meeting John Krafchenko, the prisoner now charged with the robbery and murder, the night before the crime, and said Krafchenko had compelled him at the point of a revolver to promise to drive a friend of Krafchenko's who had got into trouble with the police away from Plum Coulee on the morrow. Krafchenko, swore Dyck, had given minute directions which the following day at noon he followed out to the letter. Krafchenko said his friend would come down the lane behind the Queen's hotel, would be dressed in a black coat and wear a beard and look like an old Jew. Dyck was to drive him away immediately he got into the car.

The next day, the day of the robbery, Dyck's car was standing in the promised spot, the engine running and Dyck ready at the wheel. A man dressed as described the night before by Krafchenko, came out of the lane, jumped in the car and, pointing his revolver at Dyck, forced him to drive furiously away. Dyck speeded up his car and on the stand today he described the route taken, told of the "man in black" being loaded down with bundles of bills and two bags of silver, of his taking off his beard when they cleared the town, and of his recognizing him as John Krafchenko.

Dyck told of Krafchenko counting the money and of his finally taking off the black coat and hiding it in some willows. He identified the coat which was produced in court—this coat being the one which was yesterday identified by witnesses as the one found under a clump of willows by detectives taken there by Dyck. It is also the same coat identified this morning by Winter Humboldt, an actor, and his wife, as the coat lent by him to Krafchenko and which Krafchenko had never returned.

Dyck said that Krafchenko told him as they sped along that he hoped he had not killed the "son of a ——."

Dyck asked him who.

Dyck said Krafchenko replied, "Arnold. I shot him through the shoulder."

The court adjourned with Dyck still in the box.

Winnipeg Interested

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, March 26.—Interest in the Krafchenko case, which has simmered during the progress of a number of minor witnesses, burst into flame again today here when Dyck, the crown's star witness, went into the box. Local papers published extras from hour to hour as the story from Morden developed.

FOUGHT WITH POLICE DIES OF WOUNDS

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 26.—Ernest McWilliams, 15 years old, died today of wounds he received on Tuesday in a 45-minute pistol fight with the police.

McWilliams was caught in the gun store of E. Teetzel, and the police suspected he was there for the purpose of theft. The boy, however, declared he was there to get even with Teetzel, who had refused him employment.

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George Lansbury Supports Angry Militants

EVIL SMELLING BOMBS EXPLODE

Women Smash Glass, Break Furniture, Create Pandemonium.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, March 26.—An extraordinary disturbance occurred today at a meeting of the Poplar borough council, which had voted adversely to letting out council halls for suffragette meetings. With shouts of "cowards" and other offensive epithets a large number of women invaded that section of the hall reserved for the councillors. Bombs containing evil smelling chemicals were exploded by the score; a bag containing similar substances was thrown from the gallery; bags of flour and stones were flung at the members. The councillors were soon struggling with the infuriated women, many of whom were armed with bludgeons and bottles.

Shrieks and shouts, the smashing of glass and the splintering of chairs completed one of the worst scenes of pandemonium in the history of the suffragette movement. The police were sent for, but for some reason refrained from interference.

Lansbury Throws Furniture Around.

The mayor retained the chair in a vain endeavor to resume the council proceedings, but finally the council beat a retreat, leaving the women in possession of the hall, with a few Socialist members of the council, who remained to hear speeches delivered by Miss Emmerson and others.

While Miss Emmerson was speaking the council ventured to return to the chamber and carried a resolution excluding the public from the chamber for three months.

George Lansbury, a member of the council and a strong supporter of the militant movement, fiercely protested against this proceeding as irregular and threw the town clock, books and papers to the floor, amid cheers from the suffragettes. The council then adjourned.

WILL COLONIZE INTERIOR FARMS

Salvation Army Proposes to Buy Tract of Land in Southern British Columbia

(Special to The Daily News)

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 26.—The "back to the land" movement undertaken by the Salvation Army when it established Coombs colony on Vancouver island, is to be continued by that organization through the plotting of additional small farm tracts at Coombs and the acquisition of one or more large areas for farming purposes elsewhere in southern British Columbia. Officers of the army have already looked over one or two tracts in the southern portion of the province with the intention of establishing other colonies similar to the one at Coombs, which is said to have been successful.

It is proposed also to subdivide about 800 acres at Coombs adjacent to the property already disposed of on the special colonization plan of the Salvation Army. On the island the army is selling its farms in 20-acre pieces and has already subdivided about 300 acres. It is not known just what size the farms in the upper country tracts will be.

Staff Captain White, the newly appointed head of the army's immigration work in British Columbia, says the army will not this year bring nearly as many immigrants to British Columbia as in either of the two previous years and no laborers at all will be brought in.

SECURES JUDGMENT AGAINST FATHER

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

SASKATOON, Sask., March 26.—Mary Figaro, who in 1912 secured damages for $5,000 against James Pinkey, Jr., for breach of promise to marry her, today sustained her case in the supreme court here before Justice Lamonte, that the execution obtained in 1912 should be valid against the property of the defendant's father, James Pinkey, Sr., who, she held, had become the registered owner of the son's property for the express purpose of preventing the execution of her former judgment.

Justice Lamonte upheld her contention. The Pinkey family are Hungarians, doing extensive business in the Plunkett district.

MUST FACE TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man., March 26.—Ernest Boyd was committed for trial for the murder of Alex Seede, the Assyrian peddler, near Edrans, in January last, by Magistrate Marshall, late this afternoon. Charley Fulford, who was also charged with the murder, was acquitted. Boyd will stand his trial at the next assizes.

PROSECUTING PEERS WITHDRAW CHARGE

Lord Murray Declares Interest of Repaying Party Funds Lost by Broker's Absconding.

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 26.—Before the select committee of the house of lords which has been inquiring into Lord Murray's transaction in Marconi, Lord Murray stated that in consequence of the absconding of the stock broker, Fenner, and his own transactions, the party funds lost a large sum of money while he was chief whip. He was going to repay it all, though it would take several years.

Lord Halsbury, the chairman of the committee, refused to allow questions regarding the source of the Pearly Trust fund.

The prosecuting peers withdrew their charge that Lord Murray used his influence to get the house of commons to pass the contract with the Marconi company without discussion.

EAGLE TREMBLES WHEN LION ROARS

Formerly Lined Its Nest With Mane of British Lion, Says Republican Representative.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, March 26.—A rule to limit the debate on the Panama canal tolls exemption repeal bill to 20 hours was presented to the house at 4 o'clock. A vote on the rule was taken before adjournment.

By rule the debate was limited to three hours, one-half under Chairman Henry and one-half under control of Representative Campbell, ranking Republican member of the rules committee, 40 minutes of the time to be allotted to the Progressives. Representative Henry opened the argument for the rule. He declared that the free tolls plank of the Baltimore platform did not represent Democratic sentiment and pointed out that when the Panama act was passed only 72 Democrats in the house voted for free tolls, while 94 voted against the provision.

Representative Campbell, Kentucky, Republican, opened the argument for the opponents of the rule.

Representative Campbell concluded his argument with the question that if the old American eagle lined its nest with the mane of the British lion why does the young American eagle tremble with fear when the British lion only growls.

Representative Pou, North Carolina, argued that the question involved was purely if the United States proposed to carry out its contract made with Great Britain and other nations as regards the Panama canal.

Progressive opposition to the rule and to the repeal bill was voiced by Representative Kelly, Pennsylvania, the Progressive member of the rules committee. He declard that the three political parties had all pledged themselves to the free tolls provision in the 1912 platforms, and said that the people had expressed their approval of the provisions in the election.

Progressive Leader Murdock opposed the rule, while the president's position was defended by Representative Sherley, Kentucky.

Minority Leader Mann said that the importance of the measure merited a more complete deliberation and more thorough consideration than could be given under the proposed rule. He cited a dozen instances in which he said that this government had construed the contested treaty provision and said that no "gag rule" should prevent free discussion of a proposal to reverse these constructions.

"The question of honor involved," replied Representative Flood, chairman of the foreign affairs committee. "It is not that of Great Britain, but a question of our living up to a contract we have made and consented to."

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO BRIBE POLICE COMMISSIONER

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

REGINA, Sask., March 26.—Heinrick G. W. Birkenstock, laborer, employed in the provincial telephone department here, was arrested shortly after 1 o'clock tonight, charged with attempted bribery. The arrest was made by Acting Chief Roach and Detective Thomas, at Birkenstock's home.

Information was sworn out by Roach acting for the city of Regina, and at the instigation of Mayor Martin. The warrant was issued at 8 o'clock. Birkenstock was formally charged with attempting to bribe Ald. Wessel, former chairman of the police commission. The information contained in the warrant makes no mention of the amount of the bribe, but alleges that John Birkenstock did offer James Wessel, alderman of the city of Regina during the month of October or November, 1913, money, to influence his vote and position as chairman of the police commission, in having Theodore Zeats, chief of police, relieved from the office, and have C. A. Mahoney appointed at a salary of $500 in excess to that paid the former official.

TWENTY THOUSAND BAIL FOR ALLEGED MURDER

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 26. — Bail for the release of Claude Ingram, alleged murderer of Ralph Saunders, negro, was fixed tonight at $20,000, divided into three parcels, $10,000 and two sureties of $5,000 each.

REGINA SHACKS CONDEMNED

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

REGINA, Sask., March 26.—On the recommendation of Dr. Bow, medical health officer, some 160 houses or shacks are to be condemned and torn down. All others must secure water and sewer connections within two months.

RESIGNATION OF SIR JOHN FRENCH

Adjutant-General Also Resigns Commission

OUTLOOK GLOOMY FOR GOVERNMENT

Rumor that Republicans Plan Coup d'Etat--Seely To Go.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—That the government is still facing a situation of extreme difficulty is proved by the fact that Premier Asquith was not in a position tonight to make his promised statement in parliament, and it was consequently postponed until tomorrow.

The air is full of extravagant rumors, among the most credible being the report that Col. Seely is, after all, to quit the war office by an exchange of portfolios with Right Hon. Lewis Harcourt, secretary for the colonies.

The only new facts in the situation today are to be found in the resignation of Field Marshal Sir John French, chief of the Imperial general staff, and Sir John Spencer Ewart, adjutant-general for the army council. The rumor persists that other members of the army council have resigned, but this cannot be confirmed.

Negotiations and conferences between Buckingham palace, the war office and Downing street were carried on throughout the day and it was shown that the strongest efforts were being made to induce Field Marshal Sir John French and Gen. Ewart to reconsider their action. The prime minister called a hurried meeting of the cabinet at his residence after it was decided to postpone the statement to parliament. Later it was announced with a show of authority that both French and Ewart had at last consented to withdraw their resignations.

In Ireland no change has occurred Belfast remains quiet, and although it is asserted that the officers at the Curragh are determined to resign because of the repudiation of Col. Seely's guarantee by the government, no actual resignations, so far as known, have occurred.

Talk Early Dissolution.

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 26.—The Standard (Conservative) declares this morning that the government has decided upon an early dissolution, this meaning a general election late in May or early in June.

The ministers, it says, intend to push the home rule and Welsh disestablishment bills without delay, and then appeal to the country with the cry, "Down with the army."

The Daily News (Liberal), which the day before yesterday counseled a dissolution, this morning says that a general election in the near future is merely a possible development of the situation, but the Daily Chronicle, another ministerial organ and believed to voice the sentiments of Lloyd George, admits that the possibility of a general election in July has been strengthened by recent developments.

Says Republicans Have Plans.

A correspondent of the Financial News states that the city circles, which are fairly well informed publicly, believe that Premier Asquith's stern repudiation of republican manifestations in the house of commons is not merely the official utterances of the premier, but are profoundly and personally inspired. It is beginning to be surmised that there is on foot an effort to secure a recrudescence of the republicanism ripe 40 years ago. The idea is that King George has not acquired his grandmother's supreme personal dominance nor his father's unbounded personal power. It is conjectured that while King George is comparatively young on the throne there is a chance to effect a coup d'etat, placing at the head of affairs a president whose identity well informed people can guess. He would be assisted by a vice-president whose essential qualifications would be coarse language and coarser actions. The writer admits that these conjectures need not cause anxiety, though he thinks it is worth while to know the kind of joints that are cooking in the political pots.

The Times says that Lord Haldane is drafting an explanatory document to be sent by Gen. French to Gen. Gough and which will satisfy both.

Sir John French authorizes the Daily Mail to deny the report that he has withdrawn his resignation, adding the information that his resignation has not been accepted. The Mail adds that it is reported that Col. Seely has resigned a second time as secretary for war and insists upon it being accepted.

Decision Left With Speaker.

The Daily Express says that the cabinet has asked the rulings of the speaker of the house of commons as to whether a dissolution could break their power to pass the home rule bill under the Parliament act. If the speaker decides that a dissolution would nullify the operation of the parliament the government will continue in office until the home rule bill is

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ELKO NOTES

Mrs. E. B. Holbrook, Elko's pioneer merchant, and Miss Taylor, principal of Elko's rural temple of learning, visited the Martin Harvey show in Fernie and report it was the best they had seen in the pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayre and family motored to Baynes and Waldo this week.

We are sorry to announce the death of Dr. Hugh Watt, who died on Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at his residence in Elko, and on Monday the body was taken to Fort Steele for burial. The citizens of Elko wish to express to the family their deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

A sudden change at God's command he fell,
He had no chance to bid his friends farewell;
Affliction came, without warning given,
And bade him haste to meet his God in heaven.

Considerable real estate is being turned over around Flagstone and the Roosville valley; in other words, plowing is general.

George H. Scott of Nelson, who owns a big ranch at Roosville, is breaking a bunch of fine two-year-old colts for the Chahka Mika pack train parade.

William Murdock, manager of the Roosville Valley Sawmill company, was a Flagstone visitor this week.

Fred Roo was visiting Gateway, Roosville and Flagstone last week.

Mr. Younger, a new settler in the Flagstone district from Illinois, is proving himself a live wire and making things move. Mr. Younger is looking up locations for several other families who expect to arrive at Flagstone some time in April.

A large party of Elko's young people attended the 17th of Ireland dance at Baynes Lake and report a splendid time. The people of Baynes are royal entertainers.

A. E. Ingham of Sheep mountain, who has been undergoing an operation for appendicitis at Calgary, returned on Monday and it is really hard to believe that he had anything the matter with him and speaks very highly of the treatment he received at the Calgary hospital and at the hands of our old college chum, Dr. Newburn.

It's bad for the country to have one party in power all the time, says Jim Thistlebeak, unless it happens to be our own party.

Mr. Harby, manager of the Roosville Cash store, Flagstone, is building a fine residence on Riverside avenue, opposite the mouth of Gold creek.

J. M. Agnew of Elko was a Flagstone visitor this week.

A big bunch of lumber jacks are hanging around Flagstone waiting for the Bonners Ferry company log drive on Gold creek.

The farmers around Flagstone propose forming a company for the purpose of building a large irrigation ditch, and have called a meeting for Saturday night, Mrach 28, in the board of trade hall, at 8 p.m.

The hardware dog seems to be the popular dog in the pass just now.

Some men are so smooth that they can give you a jack knife and make you think you are getting a fruit farm with the fruit on the trees.

GRAND FORKS BOARD THANKS MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

(Special to The Daily News.)

GRAND FORKS, B. C., March 26.—A regular meeting of the board of trade was held last night in the board of trade rooms. There was a good attendance, considering the stormy night. After routine business the matter of a crossing over the Canadian Pacific railway track at Como street came up and the secretary was instructed to write to the railway officials regarding same. Regarding rural free delivery in this district the secretary was instructed to write to the secretary of the farmers' institute saying that the board had all the information necessary regarding the establishing of free delivery, and as it more closely affected the members of the institute than it did the members of the board, they could have all the papers and take the matter up direct with the postoffice department. The chairman of finance brought in his estimates of the amount required for the current year. The secretary was instructed to write to Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, Ottawa, thanking him for the trouble taken in the various matters the board had asked his assistance. The secretary was directed to write to the ministers of the different churches in the city saying that the board would be pleased to have them attend the regular meetings. The publicity committee was asked to make a recommendation to the board as to new matter for advertising purposes. Mr. Chandler brought up the matter of the delay occasioned by having to send all deeds for transfer of property to Kamloops for registration and thought something should be done. On motion a committee was appointed to confer with Ernest Miller, M.P.P., on the matter.

The cement works owned by W. J. Galipeau have been converted into a joint stock company for the purpose of increasing the plant and extending its operations generally. The company is issuing 10,000 shares of a par value of $10 each. The preliminary meeting of the shareholders will be held in a few days for the purpose of electing officers, etc.

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BLAIRMORE NEWS

(Special to The Daily News)

BLAIRMORE, Alta., March 26.—The district court was held in the Miners' hall here on Wednesday, Judge McNeil of Macleod presided. Several cases were tried, most of which were claims for small amounts. One case was Sawyer versus the McLarin Lumber company, both of Blairmore. Dr. Sawyer, a veterinary surgeon, claimed a bill for $92 for treatment of one of the defendant's horses, which he stated he had cured of a fractured bone in one of its front legs. Mr. Barnes, manager of the Lumber company, in giving evidence, stated that he had only received a bill for $20 for the service rendered by Dr. Sawyer and also that the horse had died within 30 hours of its being returned to the owners. He stated that he had not paid the doctor's bill, as defendant claimed the horse's condition had been misrepresented when returned. C. H. Moore appeared for the defendant and L. H. Putnam for the claimant. Judge McNeil gave judgment for $20 in favor of Dr. Sawyer.

J. W. Gresham, who already holds several important offices both under the government and in the town of Blairmore, has been appointed to the board of health.

At a meeting of the school trustees held this week it was decided to ask the principal of the Blairmore public school to withdraw his resignation until the end of the present term, owing to the examinations which are about to commence. This summer the school will have several large flower gardens dug for the purpose of instructing the pupils in the art of raising and caring for plants. Arrangements have also been made for having basketball teams in connection with the school, and screens have been ordered to cover the windows on the ground floor.

The Independent Order of Good Templars are arranging for a concert to be held in the new Odd Fellows' hall on Friday evening, March 27. A program consisting of a sketch, solos, quartets and instrumental music is being arranged.

SLOCAN CITY NEWS

(Special to The Daily News.)

SLOCAN CITY, B. C., March 26.—Mrs. Pendry and family are moving to the Van Roi mine, near Silverton, where Mr. Pendry is employed.

Mr. Parnham, compressor man at the Ottawa mine, went to New Denver hospital on Thursday morning with a smashed nose, the result of an accident at the mine on Wednesday.

Mrs. George Long and son Melville went to Nelson on Wednesday for a few days.

J. C. Moen was down from the Black Prince mine on Wednesday.

Kurt Zimmerman came down from the Westmount on Tuesday and made a business trip to the Black Prince on Wednesday.

Kootenay and Boundary

BANK LICENSE TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS

Rossland Council Gives Second Reading to Liquor License Bylaw—Tenders Received.

(Special to The Daily News)

ROSSLAND, March 26.—At the regular meeting of the city council last evening the mayor was in the chair and Alds. Armstrong, Pitt, Cranston, Dunn, Stevens, Robertson were present.

The Liquor License bylaw was read for the second time and the Rev. Mr. Sarkissian addressed the council in regard to the amendment. He asked that the time elapsing between endorsements be two or three years instead of one as the bylaw states. The second reading was passed.

The new Traders' bylaw was given its first reading. The bank license was fixed at $200, wholesalers $50 and for occupations not otherwise specified $10. Messrs. Lafferty, Langford and Sprague appeared as a delegation on behalf of the local banks and asked that the bankers' license be placed at $75 or $100 per year.

In regard to the M. Henderson's spur Mr. Henderson withdrew the offer as passed at the last meeting of the council after discussing the matter for some time. The matter now stands as it did when first taken up. Dr. Chandler presented a tender of $120 for lot No. 4, block 51. This tender was accepted. In regard to tenders from C. J. Miles for putting new roof on the fire hall, it was decided to repair certain parts only and not the entire roof.

The West Kootenay Power & Light company presented a tender of $260 and Richard King of Nelson a tender of $190 for installing the proposed new fire alarm circuit. The matter was referred to the fire, water and light committee. O. Savard tendered on three firemen's uniforms at $35 each. The tender was accepted. Applications for the sanitary department driver were received from A. Bowcott, C. Lawrence and J. R. Bican. The latter was referred to the chairman of the board of works committee. In regard to purchasing lumber the matter was referred back to Deschamps and Barrie for new tenders. The council decided to instal four lights on Third avenue over the Nickel Plate bridge. It was moved and carried that the whole council be appointed a committee for the purpose of looking into the feasibility of building a new bridge to replace that recently collapsed. A communication was read from August Dahlman, Richard Sando and Thomas Reed asking for repairs to the sidewalk near their homes on Butte street and Fifth avenue. This was referred to the board of works. A communication was read from the deputy provincial secretary stating that Samuel Potter had been appointed a member of the board of license commissioners in place of C. F. Pincott, resigned.

A communication was read from the Rossland Water & Light company re the meter question stating that it was immaterial to the company whether they put in meters or not, and asking the council to advise them what they wished them to do. This was left over to be discussed at a special meeting to be held next Wednesday night.

Dr. J. W. Coffin submitted the following report after inspecting the milk, Nichols 3 3-5 butter fat; Nimsie 4 1-5; Horwell 3 2-5; La Rue 3 2-5; Endersby 3 3-5; Hancock 3 4-5; Haydon 3 2-5; Millet 3 1-5; Drake 4; Stone 4; Sharp 3 4-5; Dahlman 3 2-5; Berg 3 4-5.

Leave was granted to introduce at the next meeting the 1914 Tax Sale bylaw and it was decided that the assessor commence the assessment roll of the city on March 26 and complete the same before April 10. The following accounts were ordered to be paid J. F. Charron $96.25; board of works pay roll, March 14, $85.80; board of works pay roll, March 21, $68.25; Thomas Mills $52.50; civic salary list for March $1,065.00; school salary list for March $1,317.50; Sisters' hospital $53.75; M. Donovan $3.00; G. W. Urquahart $19.55; city treasurer, petty cash $16.85; Bank of British North America $282.20; Bank of British North America $900.00; Bank of British North America $13.85.

Mrs. J. H. McDonald is confined to the house with a bad attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. E. Montgomery and child have returned from Montreal where they spent the winter.

NEW DENVER NEWS

(Special to The Daily News

NEW DENVER, B. C., March 26.—The marriage took place on Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock in the Methodist church, New Denver, of Elsie Pauline, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Webber, to Lionel William Sells, both of New Denver. Rev. W. R. Welch officiated and Miss Ada McDougald played the wedding music. The bride looked very charming in a dress of white ninon with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a handsome shower bouquet of carnations and lilies of the valley with maidenhair fern. The bridesmaid, Miss Athlyn Vallance, wore a dress of pale blue satin de chene and carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations and maidenhair fern. Colin Harris supported the groom and the bride was given away by C. F. Nelson. After the ceremony the bridal party partook of a dainty breakfast at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple, amid showers of confetti, left on the south boat for Spokane, Seattle and Vancouver. The bride's traveling costume was a navy blue tailored suit with hat of Copenhagen braid, trimmed with flowers in shades of burnt orange. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, a great number being from friends and relatives in England. After the honeymoon they will reside at their home on Seventh street.

W. A. Cameron, manager for the Consolidated company, returned on Wednesday from a business trip to Rossland and Trail.

Mrs. P. Meredith of Sandon came in on Wednesday on her way home from Nelson.

R. B. and Mrs. Thompson of Prince Albert, Sask., came in on Monday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Thompson.

SCHOOL POPULATION AT NAKUSP GROWING FAST

(Special to The Daily News.)

NAKUSP, B. C., March 26.—Extensive improvements are being made to the school grounds by the board of trustees. Flower gardens are being laid out and the old schoolhouse will be repainted and repaired in anticipation of it being required as another classroom after the summer holidays. The present schoolrooms are already found to be inadequate for the accommodation of the pupils and a third teacher will probably be required next term.

The debate held at the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening was one of the best of the series and the interest taken by the pupils in the popular weekly event continues unabated. The question was: "Resolved, that a discontented man is of more service to a community than a contented man." Affirmative, C. Gregory and A. Harvey Smith; negative, R. A. Quance and J. Bailey. Result: Points equal, but affirmatives won on elocution. For next week's debate: "Resolved, that co-operation is better for mankind than competition." Affirmative, W. Carruthers and A. Harvey Smith; negative, B. Parkinson.

The funeral of the late Alfred Carlson took place on Saturday. The deceased was a native of Sweden and was 28 years of age. His brother, Frank Carlson, who nursed him through his last illness, will return shortly to his ranch at Cape Horn.

HALCYON NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

HALCYON, B. C., March 26.—J. A. Nicol, Port Arthur, Ont., with Mrs. Nicol, Miss Alberta Nicol and Miss A. Nault stopped over here from Monday to Wednesday on their way home from the coast, where they have been on a holiday trip for the past two weeks. They went east by the Crows Nest route.

E. E. Lyday, manager of the Maytag Manufacturing company, Winnipeg, left on Wednesday very much improved in health by his stay of three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Murdoch, Kelowna, left on Wednesday, and G. A. McKay, Kelowna, on Tuesday, all very much benefited by their stay of nearly two weeks.

E. Martin, Erickson, left on Tuesday.

W. R. Hamilton and R. A. Ross, Winnipeg, stopped off from Tuesday till Thursday on their way east.

Jack Kennedy, Nelson, and S. V. Henrickson, Rossland, arrived on Wednesday for a short stay.

Asa, better known as "Ace," Mesker, Midway, left on Wednesday very much benefited by his stay of nearly a fortnight.

Mrs. A. Birnie, Vernon, stopped off for a day on Tuesday on her way to the Boundary to visit friends.

Dr. W. J. Knox and P. Du Moulin, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Kelowna, returned home on Tuesday.

J. R. Greenfield, post office inspector, Vancouver, wrote from Nelson on Tuesday: 'Do not reserve room for me as I feel entirely well and will not return to Halcyon before leaving for the coast."

A bitter north wind has been blowing here for several days, and Thursday morning the thermometer showed 22 degrees of frost.

Rev. W. Stephens, Nakusp, conducted divine service as usual on Wednesday evening.

Capt. J. Fitzsimmons, Trout Lake, came down here on Sunday last to relieve Capt. Forslund, of the steamship Minto.

BAYNES NEWS

(Special to The Daily News)

BAYNES, B. C., March 26.—Peter Backs of the Baker Lumber company, Waldo, left last week for work at Nicola and his family left yesterday to join him there.

There will be no meeting of the Baynes and District Farmers' institute this month, but members are requested to make a point of attending the April meeting.

J. Radford of Baynes Lake hotel returned last week from his visit to Vancouver, greatly benefited by his much-needed rest and change.

A reception of the Baynes and Waldo Ladies' guild was held at Elko last week by Mrs. A. E. Bruce, when 10 members, headed by the secretary, Mrs. A. J. Joule, took part in the function.

On Sunday J. Barnard took a photo of the Anglican congregation worshipping at Baynes for the British Columbia Church Aid society, when a representative congregation mustered for the occasion.

Rev. J. R. Colquhoun is expected to return here early next month.

All are looking forward to the lecture on Waterloo and entertainment to be given by Rev. J. Philp at the Adolph hall on Tuesday, April 7, in aid of the free reading room and library at Baynes.

Mr. Ingham of Sheep mountain returned on Tuesday after a successful operation for appendicitis.

Walter Haughton of Calgary, who has been here some months for his health, left on Wednesday to take over the charge of a printing office in Bassano, Alta.

The fortnightly dance of the Entre Nous club takes place on Friday at Adolph hall. An enjoyable practice dance was held in Baker's hall, Waldo, on Friday last.

The St. Patrick's dance at Adolph hall, Baynes, was a credit to the managing committee of the Entre Nous Dancing club and in particular the secretary, J. Welsley, deserved the thanks and appreciation. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. P. Smith, Mrs. Nutt and Mrs. J. Piper provided the music. The numerous costumes were particularly good, as follows: Mrs. Smith, folly; Miss H. Toule, a ghost; Miss Nutt, a butterfly; Miss Alvyn Nutt, a coolie girl, Miss Eva Welsby, summer; Miss Radford, little Bo-Peep; Miss W. Radford, a nurse; Mr. Smith, an Irish boy; Mr. Edmundson, Irish boy from Donnybrook fair; John Welsby, an Arab; J. Fisher, Indian chief; Stanley Radford, Chinese boy; Jocelyn Nutt, an Irish "Flapper"; P. Ayres, Hooligan of the comic cuts; James Welsby, white-eyed Kaffir; Pierrots, Messrs. Davis, Rawlinson, Stanhouse and Pye; Miss Ellen Bridge, Chinese boy. The costumes of Mrs. Smith, Miss Toule, the Misses Nutt, Miss W. Radford, Mr. Edmundson, Messrs. John and James Welsby and P. Ayres deserve distinction, and the general excellence of all the costumes added greatly to the enjoyment of the gathering.

Gloom was cast over the district by the death of Dr. Watts of Elko on Sunday morning. The serious illness also of Mrs. F. Adolph sr., now at Los Angeles, Cal., during the last two weeks, and of F. Adolph jr. has also created anxiety and sympathy in the district.

Jocelyn Nutt left for Calgary on Wednesday, March 18.

FIRST YEAR PUPILS WIN PACKING COMPETITION

(Special to The Daily News.)

BOSWELL, B. C., March 26.—The government apple packing classes, held under the direction of R. Walthers, terminated last week. Two first year pupils secured the first places, the results of the examination packs being as follows: S. Simpson Frank, 91; Miss A. Wilson, 90; B. W. Smith, 89; J. H. Smith, 86; Miss H. Kennedy, 85; J. Wilson, 85; Mrs. Mackie, 84; F. J. Oatts, 84; C. S. Bourne, 80; W. F. Nack, 79. During the week tests were held for speed in packing unwrapped and later for speed in wrapping and packing. Owing to the open weather several members who had given in their names were unable to attend, being employed on the land.

Mr. and Mrs. Deveson and baby arrived from the old country on Thursday last to take up their residence in Boswell. Mr. Deveson, who has served in the Tenth hussars, is engaged upon Earl Grey's property, under the management of A. Mackie.

Miss C. G. White left on Friday evening on a visit to Nelson.

R. Walthers left for Proctor on Friday evening.

Last Friday afternoon there was a further slide on the government road on the Westmoreland ranch frontage, close by the recent slide which had just been repaired. G. H. Bartley, the local foreman, is waiting instructions or a personal visit from the road superintendent before putting the repair work in hand. Meanwhile the road to the landing is impassable for horses and pedestrians can only get along over a couple of planks thrown over as a temporary foot bridge.

The fruit fair committee held a meeting last Friday evening at the residence of G. H. Bartley. A long list of prizes has been arranged and the program will shortly be in the hands of those interested.

The Boswell Social club will hol a dance in the schoolhouse on Satur day evening next, all members and friends being welcome.

Rev. J. S. Mahood of Queens Bay conducted morning service on Sunday last. The next service will be on Palm Sunday, when holy communion will be celebrated.

After experiencing mild, open weather for the last three weeks and work on the land having been started on several ranches, there was a sudden return to winter conditions on Tuesday night and Wednesday, when snow fell steadily without ceasing and on Thursday morning 13½ inches had fallen, putting an effective stop to all early work on the land again.

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PLANS FOR UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS APPROVED

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

SASKATOON, Sask., March 26.—At a meeting of the board of governors of the University of Saskatoon today, the plans for the new resident building which, when completed, will have cost $250,000, were approved. This year work amounting to $150,000 will be done on this building, and a start will be made on two other buildings for physics and chemistry. Tenders for the resident building will close April 20, and work will be commenced as soon as the contracts are awarded.

FACES TRIAL FOR MURDER OF VANCOUVER NEGRO

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 26. — Claude Ingram, charged with the murder of a negro named Saunders last Saturday night, was up in police court this morning for hearing. Miss Goldie Wright, the girl in the case, also told her story but did not go into her past as fully as she did at the inquest.

Ingram's counsel reserved his defence and Ingram was committed for trial by Magistrate Shaw.

LAKE NAVIGATION OPENS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SARNIA, Ont., March 26. — Lake navigation was opened today by the freighter Harvester, which left here on a trip to Detroit, breaking through fairly heavy ice in the St. Clair river, and Lake St. Clair.

Tomorrow the Reid wrecking tug Fisher will follow the freighter out. The Harvester's clearance constitutes a record for early opening of navigation.

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Lot 130 of Lot 397—One mile by government road from town of Nakusp, B. C. About six acres cleared. Over one hundred trees coming into bearing. Small one-roomed log house; modern frame poultry house. New two-roomed school and Methodist church across the road. About twenty families within mile circle. Overlooks several miles of the beautiful Arrow Lake. Splendid value at $2,000.00 cash. Address James J. A. Munro, Box 167, Fort George, B. C.

THE LATEST SPORTING NEWS

CRANBROOK BOWLS HERE TONIGHT

Strong Quintet of Pin Smashers Will Represent Local Y.M.C.A. in Series With Crow Boys.

Tonight the Cranbrook Y.M.C.A. bowling team will arrive on the Crow boat and as soon after the arrival of the boat as possible will commence a series of games with the quintet which has been picked to represent the local Y.M.C.A.

In the previous meetings between the two associations the Cranbrook boys have been victorious twice and the locals once, but it is stated in Y.M.C.A. circles that the local association has never been represented by as strong a quintet as will represent it tonight, and this fact makes the officials look forward to the evening up of the bowling honors of the district.

Last night N. H. Johnson, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A., had a number of the boys working out on the alleys under the tutelage of C. E. Richardson, who will captain the team, and it is expected that fully two teams will be used during the series of games. The team which will bowl tonight will be picked from the following players: W. Ebbs, F. W. Sterling, H. Brett, J. H. Allen, C. E. Richardson, H. Gibbs and E. Meyer.

The games will be open to the men of the city on both Friday and Saturday.

WINNIPEG DOG WINS MOOSE JAW CHAMPIONSHIP

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MOOSE JAW, Sask., March 26.—Champion Chipstone's First Shot, owned and shown by J. C. Fletcher, Winnipeg, won a notable and popular victory here tonight when Judge Thompson of Dumfries, Scotland, adjudged him the champion dog of the third annual show of the Saskatchewan Kennel club. It was a keen competition between five dogs, a bulldog, wolfhound, St. Bernard, airedale and pomeranian.

Treford Bullacity, owned by L. C. Mahan of Edmonton and shown by Deniel Thody, was reserve winner. The Winnipeg dog was on his best behavior and showed beautifully. A big cheer went up when the judge exclaimed: "The airedale wins," and First Shot had won his seventh championship in open competition with the best dogs in the business.

Challenge cups were competed for during the evening. The president's trophy for the best sporting dog or bitch owned in Saskatchewan went to C. W. Taits of Moose Jaw, with Ch Hyndburn Vixen, his airedale bitch. Mr. Taits also annexed the Doughty cup and the Brunswick hotel trophy with the same entry.

The Royal George hotel cup for the best pointer dog or bitch went to Winnipeg, but the result was somewhat of a surprise, Lu Pearlstone, the Melstone kennels, Winnipeg, defeating Dr. Johnstone's crack Yuma Tonti. The Robin Hood kennels, Moose Jaw, took the Cecil hotel cup for the best St. Bernard dog or bitch, when Awaga Bruce won. Dr. Reid, Edmonton, won the Empress hotel trophy with his Russian wolfhound Ch Genst, of Rosseau. The Calgary brewery cup for the best Scotch terrier was won outright and goes back to Calgary.

Ch Abertay Emmigrant, owned by G. H. Hull, Calgary, and shown by W. Simpson took the cup, as he did last year. The show just concluded was the most successful one in the history of Saskatchewan.

PRACTICE GAMES

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

ATLANTA, Ga., March 26.—New York Americans 12, Atlanta 3.

MACON, Ga., March 26.—St. Louis Americans 13, Macon South Atlantic, 13. Tie.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 26.—The Philadelphia Americans today beat the Raleigh Carolina leaguers 10 to 1.

JOHNNY EVERS HEADS BOSTON NATIONAL NINE

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MACON, Ga., March 26.—Johnny Evers today was chosen captain of the Boston National league team here by Manager Stallings, succeeding William Sweeney, who was sold to the Chicago Nationals.

PLAYS BRILLIANT GOLF

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

PINEHURST, N. C., March 26.—Playing brilliant golf, Mrs. Florence L. Harvey, of Hamilton, Ont., golf club, today won the trophy of the annual united north and south golf tournament here and defeated Miss R. M. Barlow, of the Merion Cricket club, Philadelphia, 1 up in 18 holes.

ALLAN CUP REACHES REGINA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Sask., March 26.—The Allan cup reached Regina today from Winnipeg, and will have a place of honor at the winter fair building tonight when the world's champion hockey players are to be publicly honored.

RANGERS BEAT PORTSMOUTH

(Canadian Associated Press Cable)

LONDON, March 26.—In a southern league game today Queen's Park Rangers beat Portsmouth by 1 to 0.

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ROD AND GUN CLUB ORGANIZED

Will Be Big Factor During Chahko Mika Week—Affiliated With Nelson Gun Club

Members of the fishing and shooting fraternities of Nelson to the number of about 30 gathered in the parlors of the Hume hotel last night and decided to amalgamate the Nelson Gun club and the proposed angling club into one association, to be known as the Nelson Rod and Gun club.

A. M. Johnson was elected president of the new association and the other officers elected were:

Hon. President—W. R. Maclean, M. P. P.

Vice-President—W. A. Ward.

Secretary-Treasurer—R. J. Campbell.

Executive Committee—C. D. Blackwood, E. E. Robinson, H. R. Cramer, A. Williamson, Mr. Salter an Donald McLeod.

A. M. Johnson was in the chair at the meeting and before the election of officers several addresses were made on the benefits that might accrue to the fishing and game interests of the district with the organization of a rod and gun club. H. E. R. Bedford, of Proctor, spoke on the great success of the Outlet Sports club of that place, which had done a great deal toward the betterment of fishing conditions in that locality and of the many lines along which the club worked. He was confident that if a rod and gun club should be formed in Nelson it would meet with success and would be a boon to the sportsmen of the city. If the club were organized he urged upon all members the necessity of always considering themselves as deputy game wardens, so that the game laws might be enforced and the sport preserved in the best possible manner.

W. A. Ward spoke of the benefits that might accrue through the affiliation of the gun club with the anglers and pointed out to the meeting the present standing of the gun club. A big shoot was to be pulled off in Nelson during Chahko Mika week and he was sure that with the shooters and anglers organized in one association a great many other activities might be carried out during the big week of celebration. They could co-operate with the Chahko Mika committee and publicity could be given to the fact that there were ideal fishing resorts in this vicinity. The club would make preparations to point out to visitors where they might find suitable fishing, the kind of tackle most suitable, supply boats and guides and see that fishing parties were properly conducted. In this manner the club would be a great boon during Chahko Mika.

A. M. Johnson spoke along similar lines and suggested that the Chahko Mika committee be approached and the objects of the club laid before it so that if possible an additional grant to the one already promised the gun club might be secured in order that it may be possible to carry out the proposed plans during Chahko Mika. A committee was appointed to attend the general meeting of the Chahko Mika committee, which will be held tonight at Chahko Mika headquarters.

Those who attended the meeting last night and all members who join the society within the next 30 days will be considered charter members of the association.

The president announced that he would immediately take steps to obtain copies of the constitutions of the Outlet Sports club and the Creston Rod and Gun club so that the executive committee could get to work immediately at drawing up the constitution of the new club.

A vote of thanks was passed at the meeting to George Benwell for the use of the parlors of his hotel for the meeting.

FEDERALS ENTER ACTION.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—William Killifer, catcher for the Philadelphia Nationals, was summoned tonight to appear in the federal court of Grand Rapids, Mich., to show cause why he should not be enjoined from playing with the National league. The action was brought by the Federal legaue for alleged breach of contract.

LATEST LIGHTHOUSES ARE WONDERFULLY MADE.

Some of the most modern lighthouses which have been erected along the coast in France and other countries have now been brought to such perfection that they will send a beam for 50 or 60 miles out at sea, and on a few of the largest lighthouses this beam gives as much as three billion candle power; for instance in the La Coubre lighthouse erected on the Atlantic in the region of Bordeaux or the newer one at Virgin island, the highest in the world (230 feet) at the entrance of the channel. Both of these use a powerful electric arc lamp which is surrounded by sets of lenses.

The Kennery light in India reveals the method of mounting the great lenses around the central light. The table carrying the lenses is made to revolve bodily by means of a suitable motor device, so that in each revolution there are sent several beams; that is, one from each lens, and mariners know from the speed and the number of flashes what lighthouse they are approaching. In this case the light is given by an incandescent mantle with reflector, using oil vapor which is a rival of electric light in this field, especially where it is not convenient to set up electric machines for giving the current. Electric light is, however, used in the great Hantsholm lighthouse in Denmark which is situated in the Skager Rak at the northwest coast of Jutland, this point being a dangerous one for mariners on account of bad weather and heavy seas Ships in great numbers pass this point in going from the north to the Baltic sea.

The set of lenses is quite a complicated one, and the whole is mounted on a platform so as to rotate bodily around the central arc lamp and thus produce a succession of flashes. At one side will be seen the powerful arc lamp with its regulating mechanism which is here removed from its position inside the lenses. It is naturally a difficult matter to rotate such a heavy body as the platform with the lenses. Here it is mounted on a set of rollers so as to turn around.

BIG FIELD FOR GRAND NATIONAL

Over Score of Horses Likely to Go to Post for Famous Steeplechase.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—A great deal of uncertainty characterized the Grand National market today, chiefly because of doubts as to probable starters. On the race course at Liverpool today the French contingent was strongly supported, and especially M. de Mumm's Trianon III., who recently in the Hurst park championship steeplechase quite unexpectedly took the measure of both Covert Coat and Lutteur III., winners of the Grand National last year, and who until then had been joint favorites for tomorrow's big race. The three met at Hurst park at even weights, whereas the handicap for the Grand National gives Trianon a 12-pound advantage over Covert Coat and 11 pounds over Lutteur.

It is pretty certain a big field will go to the post, probably nearer 30 than 20, for nothing seems to daunt the ambitious owner of a chaser who wants to see his colors in what is generally recognized as the hardest race in the world. The formidable fences and ditches, with sharp turns of the Aintree course of 4½ miles, coupled with heavy going, are the most severe test for any horse, and the presence in the field of a bunch of second raters generally leads to a chapter of disasters, when loose and riderless animals bring down real good horses who with a clear field may be relied on to negotiate the country. Last year but three out of a field of 22 finished, and in 1911 but four horses finished, and of these Glenside, the winner, was the only horse who had not fallen.

This is the seventy-fifth renewal of the race, it having been run continuously since 1839. Great names associated with the race are those of Cloister, Manifesto and Jerry M., who each won under the then top weight of 12 stone 7 pounds, in 1893, 1899 and 1912, respectively.

CHINA COCK WINNER OF LIVERPOOL CUP

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—The Liverpool spring cup, a handicap of $5,000, one mile and a quarter, was won today by P. Nelke's China Cock, a four-year-old carrying 102 pounds and starting at 8 to 1. Lord Rosebery's, 112 pounds, 20 to 1, third. The same owner won the Lincolnshire handicap yesterday with Outram.

RESIGNATION OF SIR JOHN FRENCH

(Continued from page one.)

passed, but if the decision is that dissolution would not affect the operation of the Parliament act the government will go to the country on the proposition of the army against the people, while the counter cry of the Unionists would be, "If you want civil war and bloodshed in Ulster vote Radical."

There is a rumor this morning that Col. Seely will go to the colonial office, his place at the war office being taken by Right Hon. Lewis Harcourt, now colonial secretary, and that both Generals French and Ewart will withdraw their resignations if Col. Seely leaves the war office.

Seely to Go.

(Western Associated Press Cable)

LONDON, March 27.—At midnight Field Marshal French authorized the statement that he had neither had his resignation accepted nor withdrawn. Nothing is likely to be known officially until Premier Asquith makes his statement in the house tomorrow, when it probably will be found that the removal of Col. Seely from the war office is the price paid for the withdrawals of the resignations of Sir John French and Gen. Ewart and that the arrangement of this matter was the reason for the postponement of the premier's statement.

According to the best information the conference at the war office yesterday of all the principal commanding generals of the army was called to enable French and Ewart to explain that their resignations were personal matters, arising solely from the fact that they signed the Gough memorandum, which the government had since repudiated and they urged that all the other officers should remain at their posts.

General's Ultimatum.

Then followed interviews with the ministers and audience with the King, with a view to inducing them to reconsider their action. Both Sir John French and Gen. Ewart, however, remained firm in their decision that it would be impossible for them to retain their posts while Col. Seely remained secretary for war. They were willing, however, to withdraw their resignations if Col. Seely was removed.

Burns Secretary for War.

Faced by this ultimatum and the knowledge that a strong feeling against Col. Seely existed among a large section of the radical supporters of the government, the prime minister seems to have arrived at the conclusion that he must abandon Col. Seely. The difficulty in rearranging the ministry has caused the delay in Mr. Asquith's statement. There has been talk of appointing John Burns, who is now president of the local government board, secretary for war, and a report has also been current of an exchange of portfolios between Lewis Harcourt, and Col. Seely. It is generally believed however, that it will be found that Col. Seely has again resigned and that his resignation has been accepted; that Lewis Harcourt has been selected to replace him, and that Lord Emmott, under-secretary for the colonies, will be promoted to colonial secretary.

Another cabinet council will be held tomorrow before parliament assembles, so it is quite possible that there will be other, perhaps unexpected changes in the kaleidoscopic situation.

Much interest is being shown in the almost daily conferences between Chancellor Lloyd George and James Ramsay Macdonald, the Independent-Labor member, which is interpreted in some quarters as meaning a coalition between the Labor party and the extreme Radicals, who place the land question and social reform in the forefront of the battle.

Determined to Resign.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

DUBLIN, March 26.—A majority of the cavalry officers at the Curragh adhere to their determination to resign rather than obey orders and serve against Ulster. They are indignant at what they claim the bad faith displayed by the government in repudiating the agreement made with Brig.-Gen. Gough, commander of the third cavalry brigade.

Outlook Gloomy

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 27.—The outlook for the government has distinctly darkened as the result of the developments of the last 24 hours. The statement of the premier today in reference to the resignation of high officers of the army is keenly awaited, and it may decide the government's fate. It is understood that the prime minister will state that the government declined to accept the resignation of Sir John French and of Gen. Ewart, though it is doubtful if they will continue to act as members of the army council after the repudiation of the compact with Gen. Gough. The wildest rumors are in circulation. It is asserted in some quarters that the whole army council has resigned, but this cannot be confirmed.

It is significant that the government has declared its intention of securing the royal assent to the consolidation fund bill on Tuesday next, the day on which the debate on the home rule bill will be resumed.

Army Versus Nation

The Unionists assert that the cry of "the army versus the nation" has been deliberately raised by the Liberals and Laborites for use in an early general election, and no one would now be surprised if there were to be a dissolution just as soon as the Irish and Welsh disestablishment bills have been passed over the veto of the house of lords, and, as previously stated, the abolition of plural voting bill may be added.

Election in June.

LONDON, March 26.—Many renewed rumors appear in the morning papers of the resignation of officers at Aldershot and Curragh, but none have yet been confirmed.

The Chronicle, a government organ, insists that any such gross resignations must be dealt with by instant dismissal. The Chronicle also says that it is no longer possible to talk of postponing the dissolution of parliament until next year. "A general election," it says, "must come shortly, and the issue of popular freedom versus army dictation is bound to dominate it."

This probably means that the election will be held in June, directly after the home rule and Welsh disestablishment bills are passed.

The Times understands that Lord Haldane is engaged in drafting an explanatory document which may be addressed by Gen. French to Gen. Gough, to the satisfaction of both. The Times' parliamentary correspondent alleges the existence of documentary evidence proving that the majority of the infantry officers in Ireland only agreed to go to Ulster on being informed that this was in accordance with the King's wishes and in loyalty to his majesty and the army. Before this statement was communicated to them they had expressed their willingness to be dismissed rather than go.

WANT AD HOROSCOPE MARCH 27

If you have artistic or musical ability, cultivate it for many of the finest artists and musicians come under the government of the planet Mars, which controls this birthdate.

The sign is Aries. It is called the sign of sacrifice and is represented by the "Ram" in the Zodiac.

You will be swayed by your sympathies for the characteristics of this birthdate are intuition, generosity, keen knowledge of human nature, impatience and impulsiveness.

Every woman of this birthdate is inclined to jealousy and, unless carefully eradicated, this will hinder her from being a charming, attractive woman. The men of this birthdate are stubborn, quick-tempered and capricious, but make excellent husbands.

For the coming week, use the Want Ads to obtain clerical positions. Office workers and telephone and telegraph operators are all well-favored by planetary influences.

Born, on March 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Stolpe, Latimer street, a son.

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RUSSIA'S MARRIED TEACHERS

Supervising Class Only Filled by Widows and Spinsters.

In Russia, teachers are encouraged to marry and bear children, as a recent case in New York seems to show that American teachers are not. Madame Rosenoff, an instructor in Russian literature in the government gymnasium in Moscow, who is over here to study our educational methods, tells us this fact in Leslie's, writes Kate Upson Clark. The authorities probably feel that a mother is likely to understand children a trifle better than others, and can therefore teach better. They allow an absence, with full pay, for a period of from two to four months, whenever a teacher becomes a mother. Then the government takes charge of the baby and provides for its education.

There is only one class of offices in the Russian schools which must be filled by spinsters or widows—a sort of supervisory class. At the end of 25 years of teaching, both men and women are pensioned by the government. Madame Rosenoff adds that in nearly all cases women and men receive equal pay for equal work in Russian schools.

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On the other hand, have you noted how an audience will lean forward and grasp the chair-arms when the speaker reveals enthusiasm?

Enthusiasm is the buoyant expression of truth. To impart belief in anything, a man must believe it deeply himself. We call such a man an enthusiast.

This applies to the written word also---particularly to advertisements. When the manufacturer really believes in his wares, his enthusiasm will almost inevitably find expression in Advertising. And enthusiasm will be contagious—his audience—the readers of the newspaper—will, figuratively speaking, "lean forward and listen intently."

To be convincing an advertisement must convey an unmistakable impression of enthusiasm. This it will only do when the article advertised has inherent worth.

Thus we have:
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Three mighty forces, close-linked.

If you are doing a local business talk over your advertising problems with the Advertising Department of this newspaper. ¶ If you are doing a provincial or national business it would be well for you to have the counsel and assistance of a good advertising agency. A list of these will be furnished, without cost or obligation, by the Secretary of Canadian Press Association, Room 503, Lumsden Building, Toronto.

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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.

FRIDAY, MARCH 27

SIR RICHARD AND THE HIGH COMMISSIONERSHIP.

The statement contained in a dispatch from Victoria that Sir Richard McBride can have the position of high commissioner for Canada in London for the asking, if correct, means that Sir Richard will remain premier of British Columbia, a position which he has filled with exceptional ability now for some eleven years.

During that time he has given his whole heart to the work of developing the province and he has at no time given any indication that he is tired of his work in this direction or that he regards it as completed. Beyond this, those who know Sir Richard know that he is not likely to become a suppliant for the position of high commissioner. If the high commissionership remains vacant until he asks for it, Canada is likely to remain for a long time unrepresented in the heart of the empire.

What Sir Richard would do or what answer he would make if he were offered the position, if, indeed, this has not been already done, The Daily News is not able to say. He might refuse the offer with thanks or he might accept it, or he may have already done either.

This much The Daily News can say, however, that should Sir Richard become high commissioner he would prove a worthy and an able representative of the Dominion. There is probably no man in Canada who could better fill the position.

CHAHKO MIKA GOES ALONG WELL

Preparations for the Chahko Mika celebration in Nelson are going along steadily and smoothly and the prospects are that it will be what it was originally intended it should be, the greatest carnival of sport and enjoyment ever attempted in the interior of British Columbia.

One point of particular satisfaction is the interest being shown by people in the surrounding districts and on the outside. The encouragement from the people of Kootenay and the Boundary which is being met on every side is particularly appreciated by those in charge, who are doing their best to provide a program that will meet the expectation of their friends generally.

While a lot of good work has already been accomplished, the strenuous work of organization is just commencing. It is to be hoped that the same interest and willingness to assist that has been manifest among the people of Nelson from the start will be continued from now until the last days of the celebration. This is all that is now necessary to make the event the success which it should be.

KEEP THE CHILDREN'S BOWELS CLEAN NOW

If Tongue Is Coated, Stomach Sour, Breath Feverish, Bowels Clogged Give "Syrup of Figs."

Children dearly love to take delicious "Syrup of Figs" and nothing else cleans and regulates their tender little stomachs, liver and 30 feet of bowels so promptly and thoroughly.

Children get bilious and constipated just like grown-ups. Then they get sick, the tongue is coated, stomach sour, breath bad; they don't eat or rest well; they become feverish, cross, irritable and don't want to play. Listen Mothers—for your child's sake don't force the little one to swallow nauseating castor oil, violent calomel or harsh irritants like Cathartic Pills. A teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs will have your child smiling and happy again in just a few hours. Syrup of Figs will gently clean, sweeten and regulate the stomach, make the liver active and move on and out of the bowels all the constipated matter, the sour bile, the foul, clogged up waste and poisons, without causing cramps or griping.

With Syrup of Figs you are not drugging or injuring your children. Being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics it cannot be harmful. Full directions for children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the package.

Ask your druggist for the full name "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna" prepared by the California Fig Syrup Co. This is the delicious tasting, genuine old reliable. Refuse anything else offered.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

The Only Flies.

Don't be fooled by this talk of an early spring — the only place where they are swatting flies is the southern training camp.—St. John Standard.

Preserve Us!

Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria is to visit Canada, so a revival of the more picturesque styles of dress seems to be inevitable.—Montreal Daily Mail.

Shattered Illusions.

A Toronto lady refused to answer questions of immigration officials in Detroit and was not only deported to Windsor, but was forced to pay a fine of $29.50. Two illusions are thus rudely shattered—that a woman can never remain quiet, and that silence is golden.—St. Thomas Journal.

Red Tape Costs Money.

This red tape costs money. A member of parliament told the electoral corruption committee that to unearth rascality in his constituency it had cost him $6,000. Thus we see that where a whole constituency is taken from its rightful owner the owner himself must ferret out the men who took it from him. He must engage the detectives and the lawyers. If he fails to prove his case he must pay the court costs as well. What a premium to put upon dishonesty in elections! Is it a thing impossible that the system of justice that affords protection in everything but in this matter of politics should be extended also to the cleaning up of party politics—London Free Press.

THE WEATHER

WINNIPEG, Man., March 26.—Fine, cold weather prevailed yesterday throughout the western provinces but conditions are now favorable for a rise in temperature.

	Min.	Max.
Nelson	14	28
Atlin	-4	18
Prince Rupert	22	38
Vancouver	30	40
Kamloops	10	30
Edmonton	-12	12
Battleford	-12	10
Prince Albert	-23	14
Medicine Hat	-2	14
Moose Jaw	-10	13
Regina	-16	10
Qu'Appelle	-16	8
Winnipeg	2	14
Port Arthur	0	18
Parry Sound	32	48
London	42	58
Toronto	41	55
Kingston	36	48
Ottawa	34	48
Montreal	38	50
Quebec	24	36
St. John	32	40
Halifax	32	40

Unsettled in London.

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 27.—London unsettled; maximum 51, minimum 41.

Paris unsettled; maximum 50, minimum 43.

STEAMER ARRIVALS

At New York—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from Bremen.

At Boston—Cretin, from Genoa.

At Liverpool—Merion, from Philadelphia; Victorian, from St. John.

At Havre—La Torraine, from New York.

At Gibraltar—Caroina, from New York.

At Bremen—Berlin, from New York.

At Trieste—Kaiser Franz Josef I., from New York.

From Patras—Pannanera, from New York.

At Portland—Scotian, from Glasgow.

At St. John, N. B.—Batsford, from Sunderland.

CANADIAN MONEY IS BEING LOANED ABROAD

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, March 26.—The most noticeable feature in connection with the bank statement for February, issued by the finance department today, is an increase in the call loans outside of Canada. These stand at slightly over $141,000,000, as compared with a little less than $109,000,000 in January. Deposits in Canadian banks outside of Canada jumped from $95,000,000 to upward of $119,000,000. There was an increase of approximately $5,000,000 in the notice deposits, which stand at slightly less than $640,000,000, while demand deposits decreased by about $2,000,000, the total being $337,000,000. Circulation for February stood at $97,500,000, an increase of $1,000,000. There was practically no change in the amount of money out on call loans in Canada, the figures standing at $71,000,000. Current loans at slightly less than $812,000,000 and current loans outside of Canada at $56,000,000, are practically the same as they were in January. The assets of the banks during the month increased from $1,449,392,966 to $1,535,980,490. Liabilities increased from $1,255,444,559 to $1,289,216,072.

ADVANCE GUARD OF LAND SETTLERS ARRIVE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SASKATOON, Sask., March 26. — The advance guard of the land settlers from the south reached Saskatoon today, 27 young men from Winnipeg, arriving in the city. They will leave for the Kindersley district in the morning.

STORMY SCENE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

(Continued from page one.)

officers. He stated that there were no British officers in Canada, and Col. Hughes had appointed himself commander-in-chief.

Col. Hughes said he had not appointed any commander-in-chief. There was no such office, but he had appointed a chief of staff, and in so doing he had consulted Sir John French and Col. Seely, the British war minister, thought it was not necessary to do so. They had 70 British officers in Canada. He paid a tribute to their ability and hoped it would be a long time before Canada was left without any British officers. Col. Hughes next referred to a despatch which had appeared in the Yorkshire Post and had been cabled to Canada, to the effect that he had given assurances that 1,000 Canadians leaving for Ulster in May would not be stopped. Referring to this cablegram, Col. Hughes started: "Someone in the house the other night brought up one of the many slanderbund cablegrams which are being sent out from the boozorium, or ——"

"Montreal Star," yelled some one from the opposition side.

Fred Pardee, chief Liberal whip, jumped excitedly to his feet on a point of order, and asked what the minister of militia meant by using the word "boozorium." "I read the cablegram in question," said Mr. Pardee. "He says it came from a boozorium or a slanderbund. He knows that in making such a statement as that it is absolutely false."

House in Uproar

The house was immediately in an uproar. There were cries of "Withdraw," and "Order."

Speaker Sproule was finally heard to say that he thought Mr. Pardee had gone too far.

"You mean the minister of militia?" shouted back Mr. Pardee.

"You heard him say boozorium," interjected Sir Wilfrid. "Is that in order?"

Speaker Sproule was heard to say something about the desirability of keeping within the rules.

"That's just what I was trying to do," replied Mr. Pardee. "I rose to a point of order. I demand the withdrawal of those words."

Speaker Sproule added that he had not heard the hon. member use them. There were Liberal cries of "Oh, oh." If he had heard them, he would ask for their withdrawal. He did not think they were suitable to use in the chamber. This statement was followed by Liberal cheers.

Col. Hughes rose and said that if the language was unparliamentary he would willingly withdraw it. He proceeded to state that the Liberals had used this statement in the Yorkshire Post without any verification. In closing, he declared, "I never violated the constitutional rule of interfering in another country's affairs, either directly or indirectly, by sending a cable in regard to the volunteers going from Canada to Ulster. If there were volunteers going, none of those who had discussed this matter in the house would be amongst them."

French on Postcards

The question of C. A. Wilson, Laval, which caused the division of the house on Wednesday, was answered by the premier. The question as the speaker allowed it to be asked, was whether the government or any of the ministers had received a protest from Orange lodges against the use of French on postcards.

Mr. Borden replied that a copy of the protest was received today, but that no answer had yet been sent.

Solicitor-General Resumes

The debate on Hon. George P. Graham's motion for censure relating to the report of the commission which inquired into the cost of construction of the National Transcontinental railway was resumed by Hon. Arthur Meighen, solicitor-general. He first paid some attention to the former minister of railways. The ex-minister evidently objected to the appointment of the commission to inquire into this matter. He had reiterated the statements of the Liberal press, whose chief objections to Mr. Lynch-Staunton, one of the commissioners, are, first, that he is a Conservative, and, second, that he spells his name with a hyphen.

Mr. Meighen went on to say that the ex-minister had failed to show any occasion on which Mr. Lynch-Staunton had expressed himself as being opposed to the National Transcontinental railway. Mr. Meighen then dealt with the objections taken by Mr. Graham to the appointment of Mr. Gutelius. The ex-minister admitted, however, that the Canadian Pacific railway was a well managed road, and kept good officers.

Mr. Meighen argued that it was not possible for the government to name a commission which would have been satisfactory to the Liberals.

Turning to the details of the report, Mr. Meighen dealt with the charge made by Mr. Graham that Hon. S. N. Parent, former chairman of the commission, had not been allowed to see a copy of his own evidence, although it had been promised him. He said that this was due to an oversight of Mr. Lynch-Staunton's secretary.

Commission Incapable

Proceeding, Mr. Meighen said that the member for South Renfrew had contended that the management of railways is not necessarily placed in the hands of engineers. The managers surrounded themselves with a good engineering staff. He had argued that when the company started out to build a new transcontinental railway, it was justified in placing the work in charge of a box manufacturer, a couple of lawyers, and a grain merchant from Deloraine. He would defy Mr. Graham to show a single instance where such a thing had ever been done before.

Dealing particularly with the matter of entrance to Winnipeg, Mr. Meighen said that the ex-minister had declared that the present route had been chosen because he would not play second fiddle to any other railway. The result was that a detour had been made and a sky line constructed through the Canadian Northern railway property at St. Boniface. The National Transcontinental railway was so situated at Winnipeg that it could not get a pound of freight from the business section without playing second fiddle to the Canadian Northern railway. The Canadian Northern railway, he said, owns the terminal facilities, the National Transcontinental railway is paying rental.

As a result of crossing the Canadian Northern railway property, that company had taken action in the exchequer court for damages. Eminent engineers from the United States had given evidence to prove that these damages amounted to $10,000,000, or for whatever amount the judgment of the court is given, the man responsible for the expenditure involved was the former minister of railways. Referring to that part of the report dealing with the construction of the Transcona shops, Mr. Meighen reminded Mr. Graham that in 1908 he had stated to the house that the shops would only cost $1,500,000. He now laughed at the assumption that $4,500,000 was too much.

While the government had the utmost respect for the findings of the investigating commission, it was recognized that the official opinion favored building such shops for the use of the National Transcontinental railway. It had, therefore, been decided, even in the face of the report, to go on with the Quebec shops, but it was not intended that they should be built for the use of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and the estimated cost of these was only $2,500,000.

Mr. Graham had scoured the continents of Europe and America in search of an engineer who would say that momentum grades should not be used on the National Transcontinental railway. He had had eight years in which to search and yet he had not been able to produce a single man. Not a man could be produced. Not a line could be produced by Messrs. Cooper or Berry, or the American Association of Engineers to show that. The report of the latter body showed that Mr. Graham was wrong; it showed that there were places where momentum grades might be used with advantage.

Mr. Graham—I have always admitted that there were cases where momentum grades might be used, but not in a country of frost and snow or on new lines.

Mr. Graham, replied Mr. Meighen, had quoted engineers that there should be no "indiscriminate" use of momentum grades, and then he had inferred that there should be no use of them at all. Mr. Gutelius had said that there were cases where momentum grades were of great value. The National Transcontinental railway commission had proceeded on the principle that they were never of value.

Mr. Meighen stated that Mr. Graham had objected to the Quebec bridge being included in the cost of the road, but Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance in the late government, while acting minister of railways, was on record as having said: "Some part of the cost of construction of the bridge was properly chargeable to the Grand Trunk Pacific," and had assumed that the proper proportion was about $2,000,000. Mr. Meighen calculated that it was fair to add $18,000,000 to the cost of the road from this source.

No provision in the estimate had been made for betterments, and yet, said the solicitor-general, there were places on the road where the rails were rusting and the ties rotting, and where heavy expense would have to be incurred before the road could be as good as it was at first.

Mr. Graham made a comparison with the Canadian Pacific railway and lines in the United States. He compared the bare line of the National Transcontinental with the Canadian Pacific railway fully equipped, with telegraphs, telephones, steamships, lands and hotels.

Mr. Graham—I did not make use of any of those things.

However optimistic we might be as to the traffic to be developed on this line, there was no justification for expecting at the outset the traffic carried by the Canadian Pacific railway. Yet, as the investigating committee pointed out, tenders had been sent out with equating tables in which it was assumed that the National Transcontinental railway at the outset would receive double the traffic now handled by the Canadian Pacific railway. On that hypothesis the road had been built at a cost which would defeat the object for which it was built. Mr. Graham, proceeded the solicitor-general, had said that the National Transcontinental had such low grades, as originally planned, that it could carry wheat at one-third of the cost on the Canadian Pacific railway. Mr. Ames had asked him what about the rental, and Mr. Graham had said he would come to that later. But he had not come to it yet.

Taking up the question of momentum grades, Mr. Meighen said that nobody disputes the general principle that the lower the grade, the cheaper you can operate a road. But it was necessary to keep in mind the question whether the low grade was worth interest on the cost. That was what Mr. Graham had not done. That was what the engineers of the National Transcontinental commission were forbidden to do.

Mr. Graham's declaration of momentum grades had sounded as if they were actually dangerous to life. Did he know that the maximum grades allowed without deterioration to the standard of the road had a depth of only eight feet? Why, on the Canadian Pacific railway from Ottawa to Carleton the grades had a depth of 30 feet, and yet there was no great disturbance in going over them, as every member knew. The ruling grade on the National Transcontinental was four-tenths of 1 per cent, against eastbound, and six-tenths of 1 per cent against westbound traffic. The momentum grades introduced had been determined by the consideration of the relative cost of the two methods. The question was whether the interest on

Proceeding to take up what Mr. Graham had quoted from the American engineer, Mr. Boyer, Mr. Meighen remarked tht he might be of international deputation, but he had never heard of him. He knew of a number of American engineers who had secured an international reputation very suddenly.

"You have one on your commission," retorted Mr. Graham.

Mr. Boyer, declared Mr. Meighen, had stated that there were cases where mountain grades should be used and he made it clear as day that there should always be an equation made of the relative value of the two plans. That was what the National Transcontinental railway commission had not done.

Mr. Meighen stated that there were only two cases which Mr. Boyer could find where it would not be advisable to introduce momentum grades. Mr. Meighen read the testimony of Gordon Grant, chief engineer of construction, to the effect that it was only after he had received direct orders from Ottawa that he had built on a non-momentum plan at a much greater cost to the country.

In reply to the statement produced by Mr. Graham from Mr. Boyce, the Omaha engineer, that momentum grades were not practicable in countries where there was snow and frost, Mr. Meighen read a letter which he had recently received from Engineer Grant, who stated that cold and snow affected momentum grades only to the same extent as it did other grades.

The letter wound up: "There is nothing to your southern friend's contention."

"Does Mr. Grant or you say southern friend?" asked Mr. Graham.

"Mr. Grant does," replied Mr. Meighen, "his only error is that he thinks he is my friend instead of the member for South Renfrew."

Mr. Meighen then took up contracts 16 and 17, which had been let to the Davis firm for $7,000,000, and which they later sub-let on a 10 per cent. profit. He said that these contracts were let at a high figure on account of the difficulty of their location. They were to be finished in two years after they were let in 1910, yet they did nothing. Mr. Graham, he said, argued that they were not canceled because the commission said there might be grounds for action.

Mr. Meighen said there were no grounds for action and said there was no doubt that the commission would have been justified in canceling the contract. The commission had a contract, which said that the work should commence at once and be proceeded with diligently. This clause of the

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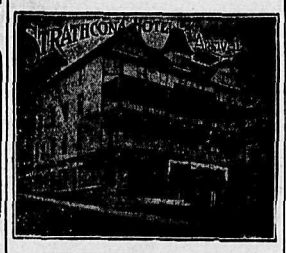

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STORMY SCENE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

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contract was violated. The penalty clause provided a fine of $5,000 per month for violation of the contract. Mr. Carvell had argued that this government should have collected that $5,000 per month. He read from a minute passed by the former commission to show that the company had been released from the conditions of the penalty clause for the reason that the commissioners did not consider that the public interest had suffered.

The report of the commissioners stands unmolested and undisturbed by the attacks of the member for Renfrew, said Mr. Meighen, in conclusion. "He has abused its authors and has turned the vials of his wrath upon them. *But he has not shaken a single* assertion or shown that the savings pointed out could not be made without affecting the utility of the road. When the road was first projected, the present leader of the opposition declared that he desired it to be his monument, but this report had shown that it was not such a monument as he would desire to have pressing down upon him."

W. M. German opened by complimenting Hon. George P. Graham upon his handling of the report. He had left it standing, said Mr. German, in all its hideous nakedness. He had listened with much interest to Mr. Meighen, who had been described as the rising hope of the Conservative party. He had been anxious to hear how high that hope would rise, but if *it could not rise higher than the solicitor-general*, it would not reach any great height of political splendor. (Laughter.)

A Conservative—Too high for you to reach.

Mr. German described Mr. Meighen's speech as rather narrow pleading, and then went on to pay his respects to the report of the investigating commission. There was not in it, from start to finish, said he, a single indication that the commissioners realized their responsibility or had any desire for an impartial investigation.

Mr. German described as "slanderous and disgraceful," the criticism of *the Grand Trunk Pacific and the* statement that they had encouraged extravagance because they profited by it as contractors. This was an insult to Mr. Hays and Mr. Smithers, both men of the highest character, and ability.

Mr. Meighen had criticized the high embankment going into Winnipeg. That was ordered by the railway commission. He might just as well say the Canadian Pacific railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific railway should not go into Toronto over a viaduct. As to the Transcona shops, he admitted that Mr. Lynch-Staunton was a good lawyer. But in this instance, he had *the department of justice against him.*

He admitted that there was a difference of engineering opinion on the question of momentum grades. But the grades adopted by the National Transcontinental railway commissioners had been adopted for good reasons. They had been adopted because the Grand Trunk Pacific had expected to get the best road in America.

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(Special to The Daily News)

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The lead was struck on Wednesday night, but no news was given out until the president, Conrad Wolfle, could make an examination and confirm the reports, which he did this afternoon, accompanied by newspaper men. The vein has been crosscut for a distance of 27 ft. without reaching the footwall. The high grade ore, which measures 30 inches, lies on the east side of the vein as it is now exposed and is apparently a better ore than that on the 600 ft. level. The tunnel has been driven a distance of 4,220 ft., giving a depth of 1,100 ft. on the lead. The *company has ore enough* in sight to keep the mine in operation for 20 years above the present levels, which means to Chewelah a permanent camp, it is declared.

MINING NOTES

"Those of you who follow closely the fortunes of the Van Roi mine will have noticed that the last monthly returns show a steady and progressive improvement, and there is every reason to believe that this improvement will continue to be maintained. It is a hopeful feature that our property is one of considerable extent," said the chairman at the annual meeting of the Van Roi Mining company.

Rossland Man Bonds Claims.

Charles Connell of Rossland has bonded a group of claims in Leadville, a camp which will be provided with transportation facilities by the Kettle Valley railroad, to Col. Robert Stevenson of Chilliwack.

Have Platinum Process.

H. I. Goldsmith and Carl Croul, New York mining engineers, who claim to represent a syndicate which has control of a secret process for extracting platinum from black sand, are examining placer claims at the mouth of Bear creek, on the Tulameen river. If the values warrant it a gold and platinum dredge is to be installed.

Recognizes Rossland Revival.

Speaking of the California mine, in the White Bear addition at Rossland, Toronto Saturday Night says: "The *property of the California Gold* Mining company is considered good, though not being worked, but capitalization is excessive. There is a revival of mining in Rossland, B. C., where this property is situated, and I am informed that there is a prospect of something being done with it by interests who are considering taking it over along with the debt liabilities standing against it. Shares may realize anything from $2.50 to $10."

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(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, March 26.—Following are the bank clearings for the week ending today of the principal cities of the Dominion, with comparisons with the corresponding week last year:

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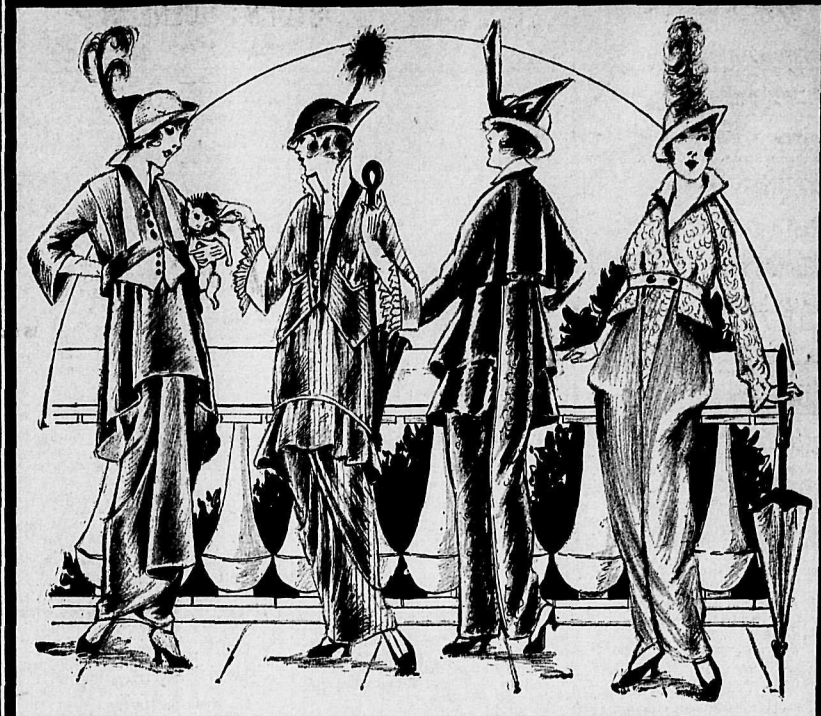
Montreal	$ 45,108,911	$ 37,506,170
Toronto	37,136,900	29,856,289
Winnipeg ...	20,544,111	19,278,676
Vancouver ...	9,882,263	9,104,388
Calgary	3,006,991	3,766,958
Edmonton ...	3,340,105	3,118,372
Ottawa	3,404,365	2,702,275
Hamilton	2,584,570	2,472,713
Victoria	2,412,656	2,760,961
Quebec	2,305,335	2,044,461
Regina	1,749,915	1,818,240
Halifax	1,643,866	1,266,699
Saskatoon ...	1,086,421	1,407,848
London	1,409,724	1,340,109
St. John	1,373,572	1,094,577
Moose Jaw ..	783,996	929,439
Ft. William ..	538,850	567,744
Brantford ...	538,865	460,367
Brandon	444,086	368,005
Lethbridge ...	430,458	430,295
Totals	$139,941,276	$122,747,281
Med. Hat	383,209	.....

JOHN AND MARY

A French journal has been digging *into the soul of the "jeune fille," and* asking her what she wants in a husband as to color, age and name. The vast majority of 50,000 reply that they want a dark man of 27, and his name should be the French equivalent of John. None of your Algernons or Erics for the cautious damsel. None *of your Hippolytes or Pauls*—mercurial or subversive persons. They want John when it comes to husbandry. And we shall have to reconsider the *title of a famous play and call it "The* Importance of Being John."



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There are only two really serious forenames that have come down through the centuries—John and Mary. The French girls are right in demanding the solidarity of a John (which has sometimes degenerated into a more genial Jack). On the other hand, the good Catholic girl has always Mary somewhere before her surname, even though the frivolous pervert it to Molly or Polly. But a John and a Mary (not Jack and Polly) should always be prosperous and happy.—London Chronicle.

MONSTER DEPUTATION TO WAIT ON GOVERNMENT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, March 26.—*Four special* trains started out from Toronto last night bearing members of the deputation of 2,000 prominent men of west*ern Ontario, who will wait on the Do*minion government tomorrow with reference to waterways and radial railways. Besides these four special trains, there were the regular trains on the Grand Trunk railway and Canadian Pacific railway lines, filled to capacity, and trains from outside cities with their quotas of delegates passed through Toronto on their way to the capital. The deputation is regarded as a record-breaker in size and influence.

To urge on the government the necessity for deepening the St. Lawrence river so as to make it an ocean-waterway, to urge government subsidies to the projected 6,400 miles of hydro-electric radial railway lines in Ontario, and to gain the government's sympathy in the further development of electrical energy in this province are the things the delegation are going for.

THREE KILLED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

DALLAS, Texas, March 26.—Three persons were killed and three seriously injured when an automobile swerved, left the road and plunged 40 feet into a ravine near here today.

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Any one wishing to add to their weight, improve their color and restore a normal condition of the stomach and nerves, should adopt the wonderfully successful treatment known to physicians and druggists as "3-grain hypo*nuclane tablets," put up in sealed* packages with full directions for home use. Red lips, pink cheeks, and 10 to 30 pounds increase in weight are not *uncommon results from several* months' usage. Ask your physician or a well-stocked druggist for them.

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NEWS OF THE MARKETS

POLITICS DISTURBS LONDON MARKET

Political Situation Dulls Appetite of Investors—Press Comment on Winnipeg Loan Is Favorable.

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 26.—The stock market concluded the settlement uneventfully and trading was dull, narrow and nervous, politics obscuring the outlook. Consols flattened, but rallied, helped by a fresh decline in bill rates, and closed at 75½.

The Canadian scrip touched 7-16 and closed at 9-16 premium. A Queensland loan for $15,000,000 is expected shortly.

Brazilian securities strengthened one-fourth on rumors that a Brazilian loan has been arranged in Paris on favorable terms. Brazilian exchange was also firmer, a report that martial law was at an end in Rio de Janeiro being reassuring.

Home and American rails were heavy and neglected. Canadian Pacific railway opened lower and then slumped on New York and Montreal selling, touching 211 3-4 and closing at 212½. Grand Trunk was dull. Hudson's Bay closed at 9½. South American Traction was cheerful in sympathy with Brazilian.

Canadian industrials were not so firm, but Cobalt shares had a rally on repurchases.

Shipping shares were firm, the Cunard having declined 1 per cent, the same as last year.

Call money was in demand, touching 3 per cent and closing 2 3-4, the stock exchange settlement having accentuated the pressure.

The Bank of England loaned heavily into April at 3½ per cent. Bill rates easy, three months paper being quoted at 1 7-8.

The lists for the Winnipeg loan will close automatically tomorrow, but subscriptions are slow and there is no hope that the loan will be fully subscribed. The underwriters are, however, prepared to take 50 per cent or upward, being confident that they will soon be able to dispose of the scrip. The press comments are favorable, describing the loan as a first-class investment, owing to Winnipeg having an estimated debt of $43,770,000, as against a rateable valuation of $266,525,000.

The fact is the public appetite for investment is dulled by the political crisis. Any comparison with the brilliant success of the Belgian loan is invidious, as the latter was largely subscribed in advance.

STOCKS

NEW YORK SPIRITLESS WITH TENDENCY LOWER

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, March 26.—The slow decline in stocks continued today. It was a spiritless market.

Attention was again drawn to the less favorable position of the railways by further poor statistical returns. Southern Pacific February gross earnings fell off $602,000 and net $464,000. Lehigh Valley gross last month decreased $758,000 and net $572,000. Pennsylvania was reported to have decided upon extensive economies including the laying off of 1200 shop men at one plant.

Diminished earnings and unsatisfactory outlook were given as reasons for ommission of the dividend on railway steel.

P. C. C. & St.L. which slumped violently yesterday, rallied more than 13 points today.

The following New York stock market quotations are supplied by Osler, Hammond & Nanton, Winnipeg:

	Open	Close
Amalgamated Copper	76	75¾
American Car Foundry	51	50½
American Locomotive	..	34
American Smelting	69⅝	69¼
American Sugar	101¾	101
American Tobacco	..	252
Anaconda	36¼	36
Atchison	97½	97⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	90⅜	90⅛
Brooklyn Rapid T.	92⅛	92
Canadian Pacific	207¾	206½
Chesapeake & Ohio	53½	53⅛
Chicago & Alton	..	8½
Chicago M. & St. Paul	99¾	99¾
Chicago & Northwestern	..	134
Consolidated Gas	..	132¾
Delaware & Hudson	149⅝	149
Erie	29¼	29⅜
Erie 1st pfd.	45¾	45½
Erie 2nd pfd.	..	36¼
General Electric	..	146⅛
Great Northern pfd.	127⅛	126¾
Great Northern Ore	36½	36
Illinois Central	..	111⅛
Interboro	14¾	14¾
Kansas City Southern	..	25⅛
Lehigh Valley	148¼	148
Louisville & Nash	..	137
M. St. P. & S.S.M. (Soo)	..	127
Missouri Kansas & T.	..	17
Missouri Pacific	25	24½
New York Central	90¼	90⅜
Northern Pacific	114⅜	114⅜
Pennsylvania	110⅞	110⅞
Reading	165¾	165¾
Southern Pacific	95	94⅞
Southern Ry.	25¾	25⅝
Tenn. Copper	35	35
Texas Pacific	..	15
Twin City	..	105
Union Pacific	159¼	159
U. S. Rubber	..	61¼
U. S. Steel	64	63¾
U. S. Steel pfd.	110⅛	110
Utah Copper	55¾	55⅞
Wabash	1	1⅞
Western Union	62⅛	62¾
Wisconsin Central	..	46

Total sales 202,700.

MONTREAL IRREGULAR INCLINED TO HEAVINESS

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MONTREAL, March 26.—Much the same irregularity was displayed in the local stock market today as on Wednesday, Brazilian and Iron continuing to display an improving tendency on the one hand, while on the other, C P. R., Power and Richelieu were again reactionary.

Brazilian's rally was continued with more confidence in the early trading, when after opening a full point higher at 82¼ on higher prices in London a good demand carried the price t 83. Profit taking on the advance forced a reaction to 82, but stock was again well taken on the decline and in the late afternoon there was a slight rally to 82⅛. At this level the stock closed with a net gain of ⅞ on dealings in about 2,200 shares.

The balance of the day's business was scattered over a fair number of issues, none of which came into great prominence. Iron moved up to 33½ in the morning but fell back to 32¼, and finished there, closing bid firmer at 32⅝, or ½ up from the previous day.

C. P. R. was easier in London and weakened further in New York, where the price touched 206⅜. Dealings here were light, but closed 206½, or off ¾ on the day. Richelieu fell ½ to 102, and after rallying ¾, closed weak offered at 102, with 101¾ bid. Shawinigan fell 1 to 136, but recovered ½.

The balance showed few changes. Cement hung around 30½, Textile around 81½ and Laurentide around 183½. British Columbia Packers was firm at 139¼.

WINNIPEG STOCK EXCHANGE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, March 26. —

	Bid	Asked
Can. Fire	150	...
Com. Loan	...	110
Empire Loan	108½	110
G. W. Life	250	...
G. W. Perm.	128	...
Home Investment	138½	...
Man. & Sask. Coal	...	90
Nor. Can. Mort.	...	125
Nor. Crown	88	90½
Nor. Mort.	104	105
Nor. Trust	130	...
Occidental Fire	105	110
Standard Trust	...	170
Union Bank	143	145½
Winnipeg L. & M.	150	...
Winnipeg P. & G.	...	110

Sales listed—20 G. W. Perm. 128.

VANCOUVER MARKET.

(Special to The Daily News)

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 26. —

	Bid	Asked
Nugget	$ ...	$ .29
Kootenay Gold	...	.07
Dominion Trust	1.06	1.12
B. C. Perm. Loan	1.30	...

SPOKANE MARKETS.

(Reported by Sharp and Irvine)

SPOKANE, Wash., March 26.—

	Bid	Asked
B. C. Copper	$ 1.50	$ 1.60
Caledonia	.54	.58
Consolidated	102.00	...
Granby	88.00	89.00
International	.37	...
Lucky Jim	...	.04
McGillivray	.14	.16
Rambler	.21½	.27
Snowstorm	.20	.27
Standard	1.65	1.80
Stewart	1.30	1.35

TORONTO STOCK SALES.

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

TORONTO, March 26. — Brazilian 1,700 at 82⅝ to 82; Barcelona 130 at 28¾ to 29; Toronto Rails 135 at 139; Steel Corporation 200 at 32¼ to 31; Nipissing 420 at 5.98 to 5.96; La Rose 100 at 1.66.

Unlisted—Peterson 4100 at .46; Jupiter 5000 at .11½ to .13; McKinley 1500 at .47; Dome Lake 1500 at .46½ to .47; Cochrane 500 at .57.

STOCK EXCHANGE MEMBERS TAKE YEAR'S HOLIDAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—Slackness of of business is expected in financial circles here to lead many members of the London stock exchange to drop their membership for a year. Twenty-one resignations have thus far been posted.

The members have until April 14 to decide what they are going to do, as their subscriptions do not fall due until that date.

Under the rules, members may retire for a year and resume membership without paying an entrance fee

METALS

NEW YORK METAL MARKETS

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

NEW YORK, March 26. — Copper steady; standard spot and May 13.75 to 14.37; Electrolytic 14.62; Lake 15.00, nominal; Casting 14.37; London quiet, spot £65; futures £65, 7s, 6d.

Tin irregular; spot 38.12 to 38.50; June 38.62 to 38.75; London easy, spot £174, 15s; futures £176, 15s.

Spelter quiet, 5.25 to 5.30; London £21, 7s, 5d.

Iron steady; No. 1 northern 15.25 to 16.00; No. 2 northern 15.00 to 15.75; Cleveland warrants in London, 50s, 7½d.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Silver 58.

LONDON, March 26.—Silver 26¾; lead £19, 5s.

PRODUCE

MONTREAL PROVISION MARKET

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MONTREAL, March 26.—Demand for butter is fair; cheese quiet; eggs weaker at a decline of 2 cents per dozen, owing to large receipts.

Cheese—Finest westerns 14¼ to 15; westerns 14 to 14¼.

Butter—Choicest creamery 29 to 29½; seconds 28 to 28½.

Eggs—Fresh 23 to 25.

Pork — Heavy Canada short mess barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, 29; short cut back barrels, 45 to 55 pieces, 28½.

GRAIN

WHEAT MARKET DULL WITH FLUCTUATIONS NARROW

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, March 26.—The wheat market was extremely dull, little or no business being transacted in most departments.

Trading in options was light, and fluctuations were within narrow limits. Winnipeg futures opened unchanged to ¼c higher, on steady Liverpool cables, and closed unchanged to ⅛c lower. Minneapolis market was influenced to some extent by the heavy receipts in the south, while Chicago was firm, caused by some apprehension regarding deficiency of moisture, and dry winds prevailing in the southwest.

Minneapolis opened ¼c lower to ⅛c higher and closed unchanged to ¼c advance.

Chicago corn opened ⅛c lower for all months. Liverpool cables closed unchanged to ⅛c higher. Paris unchanged to ½c lower; Budapest ¾c lower and Antwerp unchanged.

The cash demand for all grains was quiet, and no export inquiry. Cash wheat closed unchanged to ¼c higher for contract grades. Cash oats closed unchanged. Cash barley closed unchanged. Cash flax closed ⅛c lower for all grades.

Winnipeg wheat close—May 92½; July 94¼; Oct. 88½.

Oats—May 36¾; July 38.

Flax—May 1.41½; July 1.44⅜; Oct 1.45¼.

Minneapolis wheat close—May 90⅞; July 92⅝; Sept. 89¼.

Chicago—May 93¼; July 89⅛; Sept 88⅝.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER wishes position; thoroughly competent; can also assist with bookkeeping; willing to accept small salary to commence with. Apply box 617. *296-6

WANTED—Position as chambermaid. Write P. O. Box 443, Nelson. *296-6

WILL LADY who took umbrella by mistake at K. P. ball kindly leave at "Elite" and receive own. *296-2

EXPERIENCED canvasser at once; young man; good hustler and pleasing personality, to sell coupons in new and exclusive territory; big money and steady employment to right party. Phone or wire Albert Art Photo Studio, Trail, B. C. 295-3

WANTED—Position by married man; bookkeeping diploma; 6 years actual experience general store; excellent references. A. B. C., Daily News. 294-6

FIRST CLASS COOK wanted at once; no other need apply. King George Hotel, Kaslo, B. C. 294-6

WANTED—Elderly English woman desires position as housekeeper to a widower or as help in very small family; domesticated and good plain cook; free April 1st. E. J. C., care Jas. Gregory, West Demars, B. C. *294-6

LAUNDRY BUSINESS. I want white family to rent or purchase established laundry business in growing country town; pays from $125 to $150 per month at present time; new five roomed house, outbuildings, etc. Apply box 234 Daily News. 293-6

WANTED—Position as general servant, by young lady. Phone 417, P. O. Box 1125. *292-6

MAN AND WIFE, young, want position as cook and cookee, sober and reliable, state wages. Stote, Cranbrook, B. C. *292-6

WANTED — Position as filer either band or circular; best of references. Apply A. T. W. Daily News. *288-9

WANTED—Teacher for Gray Creek assisted school; salary $70.00. Apply Wm. Linton, secretary school board. *287-9

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Apply Daily News. 285-tf

WANTED—Position with lumber company as shipping clerk or yard foreman; 10 years experience; good references. Reply stating wages to B. B W., Daily News. 284-12

LADY BARBER SHOP, 508 Stanley street, near Baker. *271-26

ONE RELIABLE MAN WANTED in every town to take orders for best custom made clothes in Canada. Highest commission. Rex Tailoring Co., Limited, Toronto, Canada. 231-26

NOTICE

The strike at the Queen mine, Sheep Creek, B. C., is still on. All working men are warned to stay away until the strike is settled.

By order of the Ymir Miners' union
W. B. M'ISAAC.
Ymir, B. C., June 27th, 1913. 65-tf

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories, and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district of which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

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.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

POULTRY AND LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—One team horses; 4 years old; weight about 2400 lbs.; one wagon, good as new; one set harness; price $550. W. G. Andrews, Fruitvale, B. C. *294-8

MAPLE LEAF POULTRY FARM—Eggs for hatching from our prize winning stock; Buff Orpingtons our specialty; Anconas, Barred Rocks, White Leghorns, White and Golden Wyandottes; Mammoth Pekin Ducks, Bronze Turkeys; we won over 60 prizes this winter; special price for two weeks' exhibition eggs $2.00 per setting; utility $1.50 per setting. H G Creed, Kaslo, B. C. *295-6

FOR SALE—Barred Rocks eggs from vigorous eastern stock, $1.50 per 15. T. Roynon, Somerset Poultry Yards, Selwyn street, Nelson. *295-12

BUFF ORPINGTONS—Eggs for hatching; 1913 winnings, Trail 1st pen: 1st, 2nd, 3rd. 4th pullet 2nd cockerel, Nelson 1st pen; 1st., 2nd, 4th pullet; 1st cockerel; specials best Orpington pen; best male in English class; best female in English class; provincial 1st and 2nd pullet; 2nd cockerel from four entries in strong class; eggs from best matings $3.00 per 13. Silver Campines, few settings for sale at $3.00 per 13. J. Buchanan, Trail, B. C. *295-6

BARRED ROCKS setting eggs from good laying strain, $1.50 per 15 on rail or boat, Robson. Wickham & Mitchell, Robson, B. C. 282-12eod

WHITE ROCKS—Best in the interior winnings at provincial two 1st, one 2nd, one 3rd special best pen; special best pullet, Nelson three 1sts, three 2nds; special best pen Trail, three 1sts, three 2nds, three 3rds; eggs from selected pen $5.00 per 15. R. S. Day, Trail. *296-6

FOR SALE — Shetland pony, three years old. Apply Mrs. J. A. Miller, box 150, Phoenix, B. C. *296-6

FOR SALE—Eggs from imported stock pure bred utility S. C. Rhode Island Reds, $2 per 15; infertile eggs returned in 15 days carriage paid will be replaced. J. McClure, 611 Railway street, Nelson, B. C. *288-26

FOR SALE—One team horses 5 and 6 years; weight about 2700. J. Dumont, Bridesville, B. C. *289-9

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds and Buff Orpington cockerels, $3.00 each. Chas. R. Walker, Empire hotel, Nelson. *292-6

PIGS FOR SALE eight weeks old; five dollars each. Apply J. D. Yeatman, Slocan Junction. *292-6

DAY OLD CHICKS 25c; White Orpington, White Leghorn, White Wyandotte; eggs of same $2.00 per setting. E. Peacock, 1323 Kootenay street. *294-12

IF INTERESTED in S. C. W. Leghorns write or see me; eggs $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 per 15; all clear eggs replaced; chicks April 1, 25 cents each; a few pullets for sale; also White Orpingtons, $2.00 per 15. R. B. Hay, O. K. Bakery. *281-26

1650 WHITE LEGHORN and Pekin duck eggs in incubators from the heavy laying Cowichan and Rankin strains; let me book your orders for day old chicks and eggs. B. W. Leen, Crescent Valley Poultry Farm, B. C. *294-6

FOR SALE — Mammoth Pekin duck eggs, $2 per setting; 2 first and best pair Nelson winter show: 2 first, 1 second; best pair provincial show, Grand Forks. A. Cameron, Proctor, B. C. *294-6

FOR SALE—Holstein Freizian bull calf; heavy milking strain; also White Orpington cockerel. W. E. Robinson, Castlegar, B. C. *294-6

BARRED ROCK EGGS for hatching from Canada's champion egg laying pen of four birds; 1049 eggs in eleven months, ranging from 253 to 276 eggs each at $1.00 each; from 225 to 250 egg pens at 75c each; 200 to 225 egg pens 50c each; 150 to 200 egg pens $3.00 per 15 eggs; trapnested; a fine pullet breeding male for sale worth $35; will let him go for $10.00. Passmore's Poultry yards, Apple Grove, Edgewood, B. C. *292-6

FOR SALE—Chester white pigs, 7 weeks old; price $4.00 each. H. Nixon, Perry Siding. *291-9

SETTINGS—S. C. White Leghorns, Tancred strain $1.50 for 13. Mr. Leu, Cemetery Road. *292-6

KELLERSTRASS White Orpington hatching eggs, $2.00 per 15; excellent layers. Mrs. D. R. Thomas, near shipyard, Nelson, B. C. P. O. box 727 *291-6

FOR SALE—White Wyandottes; list of winnings for 1913, Trail; 1st championship utility hen, Nelson; 1st exhibition pen 1st cockerel Grand Forks Provincial show 1st exhibition pen 1st and 3rd hen; special for best pen Wyandottes; special for best pen American class; special for best pen in show second utility pen; a few cockerels for sale; eggs for hatching in season James Williamson, Trail, B. C. 281-tf

FOR SALE—Three Holstein Friezian bulls from five to eight months old from high grade stock. Apply H. S. Brown, Edgewood, B. C. *287-30

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FOR SALE — Cuthbert's raspberries $2.50 per hundred, black currants one year old, 10c; 2 years 20c; well rooted and dry stock. T. Roynon, Selwyn street, Nelson, B. C. *295-12

FOR SALE—A good hammerless 12 bore gun by well known London maker; scarcely used; price $60.00 with case and accessories. L. H. Barnard, Kokanee, B. C. *293-6

FOR SALE—One "Iron Giant" grub and stump machine, with about 130 feet of ⅞ in. cable in working order. L. H. Hoyle, Queen's Bay, B. C. *293-6

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

Land Registry Office,
Nelson, B. C., 14th Nov., 1913.

In the matter of a certain agreement of sale and purchase of Sublot 2 of Block 1 of Lot 302A, Group 1, Kootenay District, Province of British Columbia, Map 928, dated 5th June, 1911, and made between William E. Wasson of the one part as vendor and Alex Holoboff of the other part as purchaser (Registered Charge Book, Vol. 17, Fol. 491, No. 5687D).

Whereas satisfactory proofs of breach of convenants and of re-entry and recovery of possession by the vendor has been produced to the Registrar and filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that, at the expiration of thirty days from the date of the first publication hereof, I shall cancel the registration of the said agreement upon the registers of this office, in pursuance of section 150 of the "Land Registry Act," a reprint of which section is endorsed hereon.

SAML. R. ROE
District Registrar

To Alek Holoboff.

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KOOTENAY LODGE NO. 16, I.O.O.F. —Meets every Monday night in Oddfellow's hall at 7:30 o'clock.

QUEEN CITY REBEKAH LODGE No. 16, I.O.O.F., meets first and third Tuesdays, Oddfellows' hall, 7:30 o'clock.

NELSON ENCAMPMENT No. 7 I. O. O. F., meets second and fourth Thursdays in Oddfellows' hall at 8 o'clock.

CANTON CORONA No. 7 meets every second Tuesday in Oddfellows' hall at 8 o'clock.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS MEETS Tuesday nights in K. of P. hall, Eagle Bldg.

L.O.O.M. NELSON lodge No. 817 meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8 p. m. in Eagle hall.

F.O.E. Nelson Aerie No. 22 meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in Eagle hall.

A.O.F. Court Royal, Nelson No. 9204 meets on 2nd and 4th Mondays each month in K. P. hall at 8 p. m. Ladies' Court meets first and third Wednesdays.

C.O.F. Court Kootenay Belle meets 2nd and 4th Fridays in K. P. hall, Eagle Blk.

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NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Mayor John J. Malone has returned from a visit to Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Miller, of Vancouver, are at the Strathcona.

S. A. Speers, the Creston merchant, registered at the Hume last night.

Born, on March 24, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Owens, 1013 Water street, a daughter.

P. W. Walker, of New Westminster, came in last night and registered at the Strathcona.

Born at the Kootenay Lake Maternity hospital, on March 22, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Francis, a daughter.

Born at the Kootenay Lake Maternity hospital, on March 26, to Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Grey Creek, a daughter.

Born on March 22, to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Humsden, a daughter.

Classes today at the Y. M. C. A. are: High school 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock; professional men 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock; young men 8:15 to 10 o'clock.

Let me write your furniture insurance in the London Assurance Corporation (Est. 1720) C. W. Appleyard, 505 Baker street, box 626, Nelson, B. C. 291-6

Awning, all descriptions, house, carpet, window and chimney cleaning. Nelson Vacuum Cleaning Co., phone 438, box 166. 284-26

The Canadian Order of Foresters will meet tonight at 7:15 in order to get through the regular business of the court before the social and dance which will begin at 8:30 sharp. All members are requested to attend. The social and dance is for all members and their friends, so come and enjoy the tango which is to be one of the features of the evening. 296-1

There will be a meeting of the members of the Nelson Equal Suffrage league in Miners' Union hall this evening at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be open to members of the league only.

How Nervous Men Get Most Out of Life

(From "Successful Men.")

Every normal minded man wishes to get all he can out of life—but many a man knows that he is falling far short.

The successful man, works, eats and plays with the keenest enjoyment, because his nerves are keenly sensitive. He tastes hears, sees and feels all with the highest emotions of vigorous healthy nerves. As a consequence he has stamina, endurance and personal magnetism which makes those near and dear to him, worship his manliness, chivalry and strenuousness.

Without keen, sensitive, well nourished nerves, such a man would be an object of pity, and not the brilliant success he is. All men should have well nourished nerves, but if the blood and vital organs do not supply the chemical or substance known as nerve fluid then the waste of the nerves is not renewed daily and hourly as it should be. The nerves become exhausted, giving rise to such symptoms as trembling hands and limbs, cold feet and hands, melancholia, hysteria, timidity, nervousness, sleeplessness, dizziness, heart palpitation, pains in the back, headache, languor and weariness at all times. A most valuable nerve treatment restorative in every sense is to be found in the following prescription emanating it is said, from a brilliant and successful specialist on nervous ailments.

The treatment can be prepared in the privacy of home and thus cause no one any embarrassment. First get three ounces of syrup of sarsaparilla compound in a six ounce bottle. To this add one ounce of compound fluid balmwort, shake well and let stand two hours. Then add one ounce of tincture cadomene compound (not cardamom) and one ounce of compound essence cardiol. Mix. Shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring.

It is astonishing to feel the new nerve force, the steadied nerves, and the control of every muscle in the body after using this. Overworked office men and the many victims of society's late hours and dissipation will surely find in this the restorative rejuvenating force they are sorely in need of. The ingredients are used in various prescriptions and any good druggist can supply them.

Miss B. G. Choquette, 808 Carbonate street, private lessons in French and music. *293-6

R. A. Beck will leave this morning for Kaslo where he will open a branch of the Imperial College of Music. 295-1

NELSON EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE.

There will be a business meeting for members only tonight of the above society in the Miners' Union hall at 8 o'clock. All members are urgently requested to attend. 259-1

ALBANIA THROTTLED BY THE BLOOD FEUD

Almost Every Male Inhabitant Has Enemy Who Seeks His Life—Each House Fortress.

TORONTO, March 26.—Four special picture of the newest and most unknown of European kingdoms, Albania, is drawn by a correspondent of the Times, who has just made a tour in the country. The times remarks the district of Mat suggests the Khaibar rather than Europe, and Prince William's trouble will probably begin when he tries to obtain local revenue as a substitute for the doles of interested powers.

These are some of the things that exist in the new kingdom:

In central Albania, as among all Pathans, the land is so completely throttled by the blood feud that ordinary human intercourse is almost impossible.

The houses are great fortresses, the only windows of which are loopholes for Martinis. In these prisons families, sometimes of 100 people, lead self-centred lives.

There are no villages, only houses dotted at intervals of nearly a mile, high up round wide valleys.

Every one has killed, and all have enemies who seek their blood.

Many men have not left their houses for years, and food has to be brought in to them by their friends. Others, again, have taken to flight after killing their enemy, and, unable to sleep in their homes or to till their fields, exist by brigandage.

Agriculture is Despised.

There is no dishonor whatever attached to brigandage, and to this day there continues in Albania that primitive society in which the life of the fighter, the freebooter and the shepherd is held in honor, while agriculture is despised.

Sometimes a truce is granted and a man who has been in hiding for years will ask his enemy for 15 days' respite in which to visit his friends or undertake a journey, but delay in vengeance is held dishonorable, and the man who lets years pass without killing his enemy becomes himself an outcast.

For a stranger it is only possible to pass under the protection of the men of the district, who conduct him to "blood friends"; but if he meet the enemies of his friends he is himself counted as an enemy, and to kill him is to avenge an old murder.

On the other hand, the murder of a stranger puts the latter's protectors under the unusual obligation of killing not one, but seven of the murderer's family.

Rich in Natural Resources.

In some districts there are lanes like England; the hedges thick with blackberries and sloes, hips and haws, cape gooseberries and wild strawberries. Stunted willows fringe the river beds; above there are oak, walnut and beech trees and sometimes stately avenues of poplar.

Maize and melons, vines, peppers and marrows grow in the fields; but the cultivation is poor, for the mountaineers carry the gun, and the work is for the most part left to the women. Also the men cannot work safely in the fields, whereas the women can, for the Albanians do not kill women and the blood feud passes them by.

There is plenty of surface coal, but no one burns it. There is iron, too, but no one mines it.

Herdsmen bristling with weapons are almost the only human beings to be met with. Save for their arms, they make a perfect Homeric picture, tending their flocks of sheep and goats with fierce barking dogs.

ROBIN HOODS BEAT MOOSE

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

MOOSE JAW, Sask., March 26.—In the first of two games to decide the hockey championship of the city the Robin Hoods tonight defeated the Moose, 8 to 7. The ice was keen and a good crowd was treated to a fast exhibition of six-man hockey. The Millers led at half time by five to two. The second game will be played on Monday, total goals scored counting.

PRODUCTION OF DOUGLAS FOR LUMBER INCREASING

British Columbia Contains As Much Timber As All Rest of Canada

The production of Douglas fir lumber has increased 38 per cent. in the last two years, according to a recent publication of the Dominion forestry branch on the forest products of Canada. This percentage is double that of any other leading Canadian wood for the same period. This tree made up 67.7 per cent. of the total lumber production of British Columbia, which province is estimated to contain as much timber as all the rest of Canada. The importance of the Douglas fir is exemplified by a statement made by Dr. C. S. Sargent, the leading authority on American trees, who says: "No other American tree of the first magnitude is so widely distributed, or can now afford so much timber, and the rapidity of its growth and its power of reproduction under favorable conditions make it the most valuable inhabitant of the great coniferous forest of the northwest."

Hickory is the strongest Canadian wood. When properly seasoned a hickory column will support a weight of 12 tons per square inch cross-section, which is considerably more than what could be borne by a pillar of cast iron or steel of the same length and weight.

The natives of Ceylon eat copra and a are 60,000,000 cocoanut trees on are 60,000,000 million cocoanut trees on this island, and the surplus production of nuts is chiefly used to make copra, the dried "meat" of the nut, which is a valuable source of vegetable oils. It is estimated that there are produced yearly 600,000 to 700,000 tons of copra, valued at $60,000,000. One-quarter of the world's production comes from the Philippine islands.

Canada has trebled its production of paper in the last three years.

In the 157,400 square miles recently added to northern Ontario there is very little timber of any present value. J. B. Tyrrell, reporting on his trip through this new district of Patricia, says: "Most of the timber was small and much of it has been burned. Larch, or tamarack, is associated with white and black spruce to the northern limit of the district, but unfortunately most of the trees are dead."

Weather forecasts were used last summer by the Dominion forestry branch in regulating the fire-protective patrol in the railway belt, British Columbia. As the prevailing winds were westerly the weather to be expected in the interior of the province could be foretold by telegraph many hours in advance, and if there was little danger to be expected, the district fire inspector would permit a temporary decrease in the railway patrol.

In British India the forest service derives an annual revenue of over $1,250,000 from the rental of grazing privileges on forest areas under government administration. The United States forest service last year secured a revenue of over $1,000,000 by the same method. But in Canada, during the last fiscal year, the issuance of grazing permits on Dominion forest reserves netted the forestry branch less than one hundred dollars. The Dominion government, however, recently passed new grazing regulations which will not only permit the full utilization of the grass lands on the reserves, but will at the same time substantially increase the future revenues of the Dominion forestry branch.

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FIREMEN KILLED

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, March 26.—Frank Fulton and Sealey Lawton, firemen, were killed, and three others slightly injured, and between $300,000 and $400,000 damage was done in a fire which swept the quarter block at the southeast corner of Fourth and Nebraska streets, the heart of the business district, early today.

The blaze broke out in a five-storey building occupied by the Anderson Furniture company.

The firemen were fighting the flames from Fourth street when the wall fell and two of them were caught under it and killed.

STEAMER PILOT DIES FROM TYPHOID

Capt. Fred Swanson Was in Canadian Pacific Lake and River Service for Ten Years.

News reached the local office of the Canadian Pacific railway lake and river service yesterday afternoon of the death of Capt. Fred Swanson, giving the time of his death as 6:45 o'clock on Wednesday evening. The cause apparently was typhoid fever, against which the deceased had made a brave fight for several weeks, but a sudden relapse proved fatal. The late captain was held in high esteem by all his fellow officers as well as by the officials, and was known to be a conscientious, hardworking officer.

His entry into the service dates back to March 20, 1904, and he passed through the various ranks until he was relieving captain. His last command on Kootenay lake was the tug Ymir, but he also handled the Movie for a season. Up till the time of his illness he was running as pilot on the steamer Minto, a position which he held for several years. He was generally released from the Canadian Pacific railway service during the summer months in order to assist in the handling of the steamer Revelstoke in the Big Bend district, operated by another company.

The deceased for a long time was shipmate with the late Capt. Alfsmo, whose sudden death occurred on board his command at West Robson on September 27 last. Capt. "Fred" will be sadly missed by all his colleagues, as well as by the regular travelers on the Arrow lake steamers. His death took place in the hospital at Revelstoke. His home was at Arrowhead.

Flags of the Canadian Pacific railway lake and river fleet will today fly at half mast as a mark of respect to the deceased captain.

NAVIGATORS TAKE SPECIAL POST GRADUATE COURSE

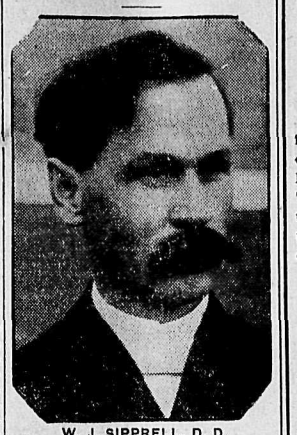
Something new in schools is that now being conducted at Owen Sound by the Canada Steamship Lines, Limited. It is for the benefit of its own men—a course in higher navigation. Last month the school opened in Toronto, and after a few weeks' session at Owen Sound, it will be moved to Midland. The course of instruction is, in effect, a post-graduate one, the examinations set by the Canada Steamship Lines for its navigators being 50 per cent higher than the government standard.

NELSON TENNIS CLUB TO MEET THIS EVENING

A meeting of the Nelson Tennis club will be held this evening in the Bank of Montreal chambers at 8 o'clock for the purpose of making necessary arrangements for the forthcoming season and for the appointment of officers and committees. All interested, whether members or not, are invited to attend.

NOTED DIVINE TO PREACH HERE

Rev. Dr. Sipprell, Former President of Columbia College, to Speak at Trinity Church.



W. J. SIPPRELL, D. D.
Who will preach at the anniversary services at Trinity Methodist church on Sunday.

W. J. Sipprell, D.D., formerly president of Columbia college, New Westminster, who since took a two years' post-graduate course in Europe and who is now pastor of the Mount Pleasant Methodist church at Vancouver, will preach at the fifth anniversary services at Trinity Methodist church on Sunday. Services will be at 11 o'clock in the morning and 7:30 o'clock in the evening. There will be a mass meeting at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon for parents and children of the Sunday school.

On Monday evening Dr Sipprell will lecture on "Rambles Through Europe With a Lantern."

NELSON MAN MARRIES AT COAST

R. A. Weir and Miss Lillian Ellis of London, England, Married in Victoria.

(Special to The Daily News)

VICTORIA, B. C., March 26.—R. A. Weir of Nelson and Miss Lillian Ellis of London, England, were married at Christ Church cathedral, Victoria, on Thursday, March 26. They will spend some time visiting the coast cities before returning to Nelson, where they will take up their permanent residence. Mr. Weir has resided in Nelson for many years, where he has a host of friends.

The Atkins Saw company has donated a prize for log-sawing at Chahko Mika.

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We have just procured some very fine nuggets, which we have mounted into Scarf Pins, Nugget Necklaces and Gent's Double Chains. This is an exceptional opportunity to be able to make a selection from the nicest nugget goods we have ever stocked.

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UNIVERSITY CREWS HAVE GOOD PRACTICE

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—Both of the boat race crews put in some hard work under delightful weather conditions today. Each confined its efforts to short stretches of fast work. Cambridge, who showed some improvement over yesterday, after paddling to below Wandsworth bridge, returned and had a couple of starts from the stage boat, pulling 11 strokes in 15 seconds each time. On both occasions they got smartly away and soon settled down to a long swinging stroke, which took their boat through the water at a fast pace.

Oxford, not starting from the stake boat, rowed 10½ strokes in 15 seconds, afterward starting from the stake boat they had a minute row, in which they pulled 30 strokes, and their work gave general satisfaction.

SASKATOON HOPES FOR CANADIAN NORTHERN SHOPS

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

SASKATOON, Sask., March 26. — Mayor Harrison and Aldermen Potter and Anderson left tonight for Winnipeg where they will meet General Manager Macleod of the Canadian Northern railway, and bring all possible influence to bear to assist A. A. Silverwood, owner of the townsite of Factoria, to secure the location of the Canadian Northern railway shops on his property. Factoria adjoins Saskatoon on the north, and is in the immediate vicinity of a half section of land owned by the railway company. It is understood here that the Canadian Northern railway has large plans in the making in connection with its western shops, and that it is only a matter of time until an announcement will be made that Saskatoon will be the location for these.

JUDGE OBJECTS TO GRATUITOUS ADVERTISING

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

WINNIPEG, March 26.—An adjournment until Saturday was granted this morning by Mr. Justice Curran, when he will decide on whether or not he will grant a reserve case in the Hagel-Westlake trial. No less than 34 counts are contained in R. A. Bonnar's application, which was handed to the court this morning on behalf of Hagel. Judge Curran stated that both in the east and west there had been given a "great deal of gratuitous advertising, which he strongly resented."

OUTSIDER WINNER OF LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP

(By Daily News Leased Wire)

LONDON, March 26.—The Lincolnshire handicap, over the straight mile, was won by an outside, P. Nelkes' Outram, carrying 98 lbs. and starting 25 to 1. F. L. Davis' Cuthbert, 102 lbs., 8 to 1, was second, and E. Herz' Short Grass, 100 lbs., 40 to 1, third.

LONDON SOCIETY NEWS

(Western Associated Press Special Cable.)

LONDON, March 26.—George Fenwick Owen, the famous big game hunter, a son of Lady Owen Mackenzie, was married today to Miss Bettina Rawnsley. Lord Wodehouse was the best man.

The engagement is announced of Lord Gerald Wellesley to Miss Dorothy Asheon, the daughter of Lady Scarborough.

Prince and Princess Louis of Battenburg attended Lady Saltoun's dance last night. Ladies Sligo, Strathmore and Donoughmore and others gave dinner parties before the dance.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor have gone to Vancouver for a short visit.

The postoffice is using a stamp advertising the Nelson fruit fair.

Mrs. James Marshall will receive from 3 to 6 o'clock this afternoon.

Harry Broadwood, of Bonnington, was a guest at the Hume last night.

The school board will hold a special meeting at the city hall at 8 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. J. W. Ford, of Edgewood, who has been at her summer home across the lake for several days, expects to leave for home next week.

Anthony Kuzzshen and his brother, Ferdinand Kuzzshen, of Sandon will leave on the Crow boat this morning for Winnipeg en route to their old homes in Vienna, Austria.

F. I. De Grey, of New Westminster, inspector of the provincial board of health, was in Nelson and made an inspection of the Kootenay Lake General hospital on Wednesday.

Murdoch McLean of New Denver, road superintendent for the Slocan riding, arrived from Kaslo last night and registered at the Hume. He will leave for his home this morning.

J. Bevill Acland has arrived from Victoria to take a position in the government office and has rented through St. Denis & Lawrence, J. W. Ford's summer home on the north shore.

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