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WOMAN SUFFRAGE IS FAVORED BY U.S. HOUSE--274 TO 136

Fight Won by Exact Majority Required

SPEAKER CLARK SAVES SITUATION

Battle for Support of the Senate Begun by Workers

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Woman suffrage won in the house tonight, with exactly the required number of affirmatives. While members in their seats and throngs in the gallery waited with eager interest, the house adopted by a vote of 274 to 136, a resolution providing for submission to the states of the so-called Susan B. Anthony amendment for national enfranchisement of women.

But for the promise of Speaker Clark to cast his vote from the chair for the resolution if it was needed, the change of a single vote to the opposition would have meant defeat. Republican Leader Mann, who came forward from a Baltimore hospital, brought the vote which settled the issue.

The house hardly had adjourned before the suffrage champions began their fight for favorable action on the senate side of the capitol. Recent polls there have indicated that the necessary two-thirds vote could not be mustered but encouraged by the house victory and counting upon the influence of President Wilson, who came to their support last night, the suffragists hope to bring the senate into line so as to have the amendment before the state legislatures the coming year. They feel sure at least of forcing it to a vote in the senate before the present session ends.

Advocates of the amendment have been confident of the result in the house after President Wilson advised the members who called upon him last night to support it. They were so confident that the close vote was received with amazement and some of the opponents were almost as much surprised.

BRITISH RAIDS ARE SUCCESSFUL

Three Carried Out Southeast of Ypres —Some Prisoners and Two Machine Guns Taken.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The official report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France tonight says:

"Early this morning we successfully raided three different points of the enemy's trenches southeast of Ypres, inflicting many casualties and capturing a few prisoners and two machine guns.

"The hostile artillery was active during the day south of Bullecourt, west of Lens and east of Ypres."

Six Enemy Planes Downed.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The following statement was issued tonight dealing with aviation:

"Four hostile machines were downed in air fighting and two others driven down out of control. Three of our machines are missing."

Berlin Report.

BERLIN, Jan. 10, via London British Admiralty, per Wireless Press.—The official statement from general headquarters today says:

"Western theatre: Southwest of Ypres there was a lively artillery duel in the afternoon. West of Zandvoorde a strong British reconnoitering attack launched during the night broke down. There was very little fighting on the remainder of the front.

"In December the enemy losses in air craft on the German front amounted to nine captive balloons and 119 airplanes, of which 47 dropped behind our lines; the rest were observed to fall behind the enemy's position. We have lost in battle 82 airplanes and two captive balloons."

GERMANS WILL INTERN 400 FRENCH WOMEN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 10.—A German official statement, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Central News, says:

"As a reprisal for the retention of inhabitants of Alsace-Lorraine against the law of nations, 600 French will be conveyed to Russia from Jan. 6 and within a few days 400 French women will be sent to the camp at Holzminden, Duchy of Brunswick.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE FAVORED BY LORDS

British Upper House Rejects Amendment Excluding Women from the Franchise.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The house of lords today rejected Lord Loreburn's amendment to the representation of the peoples bill, by which it was sought to exclude women from the suffrage. The vote against the amendment was 134 to 69.

The new franchise bill before the house of lords revealed strong opposition to woman suffrage. Earl Loreburn moved to omit the clause from the bill giving women the preliminary vote. After a two-day debate the amendment was rejected. The debate showed one important convert to the women's cause, in the Bishop of London, but Earl Loreburn, the Marquis of Lansdowne, Baron Findlay and Earl Curzon strongly opposed placing the names of 6,000,000 women on the voting register. They argued that the present house of commons, which had been extended beyond its natural life, had no mandate to decide such a momentous question.

Moreover, it was illogical if the vote was given, to stipulate the age of 30 years as a qualification. Lord Curzon argued that wherever women had been granted the vote a stimulus always had been given to Socialism.

PARKER WILLIAMS DECLINES TO RUN

Was Nominated by Liberals for Newcastle but Decides Not to Contest Riding.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 10.—Parker Williams, a member of the provincial workmen's compensation board, announced today that he has decided he will not contest Newcastle in the coming provincial byelection. Mr. Williams, who sat in the legislature for many years, was nominated by the Liberals of Newcastle as their candidate and had accepted. No reason is given for his change mind.

Partly Due to Mixup.

VICTORIA, Jan. 10.—Parker Williams' withdrawal from candidature in the Newcastle byelection is due partly to pressure that has been brought to bear on him by E. S. H. Winn, chairman of the workmen's compensation board, and partly to what he himself describes as a mixup regarding the nomination. Mr. Williams did not understand he was to have been selected by the Liberal party, but proposed to run as a Labor candidate. The action of Hon. William Sloan in bringing about his nomination as a Liberal is stated to have been premature. Mr. Williams wishes it to be made clear that the whole mixup is due to himself and cannot be laid at the door of any member of the movement. The Liberals of Newcastle have called a convention for Saturday when a new candidate will be selected. If possible it is proposed to bring out a man strongly identified with the interests of labor, owing to the fact that Newcastle is largely a workingman's riding.

MINES MAY CLOSE THOUGH COAL SCARCE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

REGINA, Jan. 10.—While a coal shortage is prevalent in eastern Canada, information has reached the provincial labor commissioner that there is a likelihood of the mines in the southern part of the province closing down because of lack of orders.

EXPRESS WAR AIMS OF LABOR

Gompers Endorses British and U.S. Statements

DEMOCRACY MUST RULE IN GERMANY

Until it Does Workers in States Will Keep from Peace Conferences

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—In a message of greeting cabled to W. A. Appleton, secretary of the British Federation of Trades Unions and other Englishing laboring men who are soon to visit the United States, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared today that the recent utterances of President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George regarding the war aims of the United States and the allies have expressed the "will and purposes of the workers of the United States and Great Britain."

Mr. Gompers also reiterated the determination of the American workingmen to refrain from participation in any international labor conference until democracy shall have been established by Germany.

In the course of his message, Mr. Gompers said:

"The declaration of the British labor conference at Westminster is in its principles identical with the declaration of the November conference of the American Federation of Labor at Buffalo. The Lloyd George declarations last week to the manpower conference and those of President Wilson yesterday to the American congress are in accord upon the question of vital issues and aims in this war. Thus the official representatives of our governments and the labor movements of our respective countries have expressed the will and purpose of the people, the governments and the workers of the United States and Great Britain."

U. S. HAS ARMY OF 1,500,000

Increase of Force in Nine Months Remarkable

FORMS RECORD CLAIMS BAKER

Says Substantial Portion is Already in France

(By Associated Press.)

The American army, which is to be sent into the battle to make the world safe for democracy, is rapidly being formed. In the nine months since the United States declared that a state of war existed with Germany, the army has risen from 212,030 officers and men to 1,500,000 officers and men.

This statement has been made by Secretary of War Baker, who declared that no army in the history of the world ever had been raised, equipped or trained so quickly. The secretary added that a substantial force of Americans already was in France and fit for active service and that full equipment is on hand for every man who will be sent to Europe during 1918.

ITALIAN PATROLS CAPTURE PRISONERS

Hostile Working and Armed Parties Dispersed—Trench Mortars Are Silenced.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ROME, Jan. 10.—The official communication today says:

"The artillery struggle generally is not intense, but became more violent at intervals. Our reconnaissance parties captured prisoners west of Coa di Sotto and provoked a long reactionary fire by the enemy. Hostile working and armed parties were dispersed and hostile trench mortars in the neighborhood of Saint Dona were silenced."

APPEAL TRIBUNAL HEARS LAST OF CASES; GIVES DECISIONS

JUDGE THOMPSON CLOSES COURT WITH 46 APPELLANTS HEARD FROM—DECIDES RESERVED DECISIONS — SETS ADJOURNED CASES FOR WEDNESDAY NEXT, WHEN LAST OBJECTORS WILL BE DISPOSED OF

The last of the 46 appeals from the decisions of the local tribunal was heard yesterday in the supreme court chambers yesterday afternoon and with it the appeal tribunal, presided over by Judge Thompson of Cranbrook, was brought to a close and adjourned until next Wednesday when several of the cases which could not be handled sooner, will be finally disposed of.

Before leaving the city for New Denver last evening, Judge Thompson gave to the Daily News the decisions of the cases heard during the sittting.

Allows Grant Appeal.

Fred R. Grant objected on the grounds that his father, aged 66, is proprietor of the Club hotel in the city and in need of his support. A brother, John, had enlisted in Nelson and a second brother was killed at the front.

Representative Crowe-Sword made no objection, stating that he understood that the information was quite correct. Without further questioning the court allowed the claim until "such time as class 2 or 3 were called as the case may be." This covers class 2.

Wants Justice Only.

M. Korkigian, watchmaker for J. O. Patenaude, in the city, claimed exemption on the ground of being a Rumanian subject. He had come to Canada three years ago, he said. He was not naturalized, although he had no papers to prove that he was not a Canadian citizen.

At this point in the proceedings Mrs. Papazian asked permissio nto speak on behalf of the appellant, whose command of English was limited. She said that Korkigian was not a citizen. Two of his brothers were at the front fighting for the allies. Both had gone, she said, with the understanding that the appellant stay at home and take care of his father and mother.

Asked where his parents were the appellant declared that he did not know. He feared that they might be among the recent earthquake victims when, he said, 6348 persons were killed.

Makes Statesmanlike Plea.

"Everything should be true and fair under the British flag," the woman speaker said, "and I am sincere in thinking that an injustice would be done if he were required to go."

Korkigian will be notified through the registrar what action will be taken, the court announced.

Fatherland Holds No Ties.

"I was born in Germany. I have no affection for that country but I have for my relatives," sobbed Mrs. Josephine Houston, as she testified in a plea for exemption of her son, Walter

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DECISIONS

Decisions of the cases heard at the military appeal tribunal held in the city Wednesday and yesterday were given to The Daily News by Judge Thompson last evening as follows:

Archibald Dewar Oakley, disallowed.

Fred C. H. Colebrook, allowed, by reasons of serious hardship in domestic affairs, until Feb. 15, 1918.

Fred J. Walton, disallowed.

Albert F. Laviolette, allowed by domestic reasons until April 1, 1918.

John Blent, disallowed.

Alfred B. Hill, allowed for domestic reasons until April 1, 1918.

Robert D. Boyer, allowed until Class 2 or Class 3 is called by proclamation.

A. M. Adie, disallowed.

R. M. Bard, disallowed but decision of December, 1917, local tribunal upheld and exemption allowed until Class 2 or Class 3 is called, as case may be.

D. L. Frieden, disallowed. Leave granted to appeal to the central appeal court judge.

Bailland Rodieo, disallowed.

Augustus McArthur, disallowed.

Fred R. Grant, allowed until Class 2 or Class 3 is called by proclamation.

Meran Korkigian, disallowed.

John A. Williams, disallowed.

Noel H. Ryley, disallowed with leave to appeal to the judge of the central appeal court.

W. L. Houston, disallowed.

C. Jonsburg, disallowed, with leave to appeal to the judge of the central appeal court.

W. K. Kettlewell, disallowed.

S. L. Marshall, allowed until class 2 or class 3 is called by proclamation.

A. E. Buffey, disallowed.

Hon. K. A. Aylmer, allowed until category "E" is called.

D. V. Anderson, allowed by reasons of business until Sept. 30, 1918, or until the appellant ceases to be the lessee of the White Water mine.

George A. Atrie, allowed until the appellant ceases to be employed continuously as a coal or metalliferous miner or class 2 or 3 are called.

H. Fairbank, allowed until category "C" is called.

James R. McBride, disallowed.

O. G. Willett, allowed by domestic reasons until April 1, 1918.

Thomas H. Lane, disallowed.

All other cases were adjourned until Wednesday, Jan. 16, when the tribunal will hold its final session in the city

TROTSKY TAKES THREATENING STAND AT PEACE CONFERENCE

JAILS OBJECTOR FOR CONTEMPT

Gorden S. Macgregor of Crawford Bay Comes to Grief When He Tells Judge

"YOU HAVEN'T GOT ME YET"

Later Prisoner Apologizes and Receives Freedom—Adjourns Case Until Next Wednesday.

Gordon S. Macgregor, an appellant before Judge Thompson at the appeal tribunal yesterday afternoon, was placed in custody for contempt of court and later released on the score of apologies made to his honor after he had spent some time in custody. On conclusion of the hearing Macgregor said, "I wished to give you notice of appeal here today and if you've got enough spunk to say so, I want your decision." He turned in the witness stand to step down when the judge replied:

"Do you know that I could have you placed in custody for that remark? I will say this, that if your brother had put up the same story I was intending to allow at least one appeal."

"You haven't got me yet," Macgregor said, as he walked toward the rear of the courtroom.

"Take that man into custody and keep him in a cell," the judge ordered.

Brother Disappears.

Macgregor was smiling defiantly at the time, but when Constable A. M. Pearman stepped up and placed him under arrest he said nothing. He was immediately taken out of the courtroom and at the door said to his brother, James, "They arrested me."

The brother, who was next scheuled to appear in appeal of the decision of the local tribunal, immediately left the building.

Without pause James Macgregor's name was called and the court constable cried his name three times in the halls and corridors as required. When the judge was told that the brother was not in attendance he adjourned the case until Wednesday, Jan. 16, without further comment.

As the Macgregor cases were the last ones scheduled for the tribunal sitting ,the court was adjourned.

G. S. Macgregor appealed the decision of the local tribunal on generalities of being needed at home. In his application for exemption he stated that before he went to war he wanted the government to state definitely the amount of money his beneficiaries would receive. A letter from the father, Alexander Macgregor, reviewed the amount of produce grown on the ranch near Crawford Bay and added that he was too old to work and needed the support of the son.

States Farm Revenue.

On questioning by Judge Thompson witness testified as to the amount of garden stuff and fruit harvested during the course of a year. The last year's potato crop had amounted to over 35 tons and about 200 boxes of boxes of apples were taken from approximately 400 trees on the ranch.

When Military Representative Crowe-Sword began cross-examination the witness showed signs of annoyance. The counsel brought up the subject of alleged utterances in the Crawford Bay district mentioning several statements with the intimation that they were credited to the witness.

"You don't believe in war?" counsel asked.

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816 OUT OF 2522 ARE ABSENTEES AT MONTREAL

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Out of 2522 men called up under the Military Service act, 816 men are reported as absentees, 377 from the English battalions and 439 from the French battalions.

CLAIMS REFUSED NUMBER 47,868

Official Figures on Operation of Military Service Act for Week Are Announced.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—A statement showing results of the operation of the Military Service act during the first week in January was given out tonight by the director of public information. The figures show that in the nine provinces and the Yukon there was a total registration of 404,895. Total claims for exemption numbered 380,510; claims for exemption allowed by local tribunals, 278,779; claims for exemption disallowed by local tribunals, 47,868; claims for exemption not dealt with by local tribunals, 53,788; appeals lodged against decisions of local tribunals, 67,122.

Claims for exemption allowed by local tribunals include all temporary exemptions. Some of these have already expired and others will expire from week to week.

Concerning the appeals lodged against decisions of local tribunals the explanation is made that these appeals are proceeding expeditiously and, under the regulations, take precedence of other business.

NIVELLE IS GIVEN ALGERIAN COMMAND

Appointment of Former Generalissimo Regarded as First Step in Way of Reparation.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Jan. 10.—General Robert George Nivelle has been appointed to command the army serving in Algeria. The appointment of General Nivelle is considered by the newspapers as the commencement of reparation to the former generalissimo for the discredit into which he fell as a result of the April offensive.

General Nivelle was in command of the French forces when the great offensive was launched against the Germans on a 25-mile front in April, 1917. Although big gains were made by the French troops there was much controversy over it. In the chamber of deputies it was discussed at length and many charges were made that the offensive had been checked and that the French had paid too dearly for the enterprise. M. Ribot, then premier, acknowledged that the attack had been costly, but declared that instead of having been checked it was a real success. Paul Painleve, the then minister of war, said he could not deny that serious faults had been committed and that the responsible chiefs, amongst them General Nivelle, had been relieved of their charges.

WANTS U. S. ARMY OF 2,000,000 AT FRONT

Senator Kenyon Urges Cutting Out of Red Tape and Quick Despatch of Troops

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Senator Kenyon of Iowa, who recently returned from a visit to the French front and to England, today warned the senate against Germany's peace offers and stories that the country was exhausted. "Nothing could assist Germany more," he declared.

"Those who are trying to help in bringing about a patched-up peace and lend their influence in that direction are weakening the American preparation," he said, "and they had best remember that it will cost us more now to lose this war than to win it.

"We must bring to the western front 2,000,000 men and have a million in reserve," Senator Kenyon declared. "We must do it as quickly as possible. We must cut out red tape, stop quarreling about guns and like things and carry this thing through on business-like principles. There is too much grandstanding and limelighting, too much patriotic posing and not enough sacrifice."

ALD. GALE ELECTED MAYOR OF VANCOUVER

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 10.—Ald. R. H. Gale was today elected mayor of Vancouver over his opponent, the present incumbent, Malcolm McBeth, by a vote of 6280 to 3105. The vote on the question of extending city money to complete the quarter of a million dollar Y.M.C.A. building, work upon which has been stopped for more than three years, was defeated.

BLAZE OCCURS AT OTTAWA COURTS; DAMAGE IS $500

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Fire, which started this morning in the basement of the supreme court building and which is believed to have been caused by a defective furnace, caused damages which are estimated at $500.

It was extinguished by the fire department after efforts to put it out with the building's own fire fighting apparatus had failed. Some concern was caused because of the valuable library of 74,000 volumes in the building, the loss of which would have been irreparable.

Insists on Its Being Transferred to Stockholm

BULGARS AND RUSS MAKE PEACE PACT

Bolsheviki Refuse Terms That Are Offered by Turkey

(By Associated Press.)

Unofficial despatches dealing with the deliberations between the Bolsheviki and the Teutonic allies at Brest-Litvosk indicate that for the present peace is not being discussed, but that the proposition of the Bolsheviki to change the scene of negotiations to Stockholm is the paramount issue.

Trotsky, the Bolsheviki foreign minister, is said to have threatened the delegates of the central powers that if they do not accede to his request for a transfer of the pourparlers to Sweden the voice of their own people and the strong arm of Russian democracy will be felt by them. The German delegates in Petrograd have requested Sweden to act as a go-between with the allies.

A despatch emanating from Switzerland asserts that Bulgaria and Russia have signed a separate peace compact, but that the Russians have rejected peace terms on the proposals offered by Turkey.

Meanwhile fighting continues in central and southwestern Russia between the Bolsheviki forces and the Cossacks of General Kaledines and General Dutoff. The latest accounts of these operations indicate that the Bolsheviki for the first time have the upper hand, both Kaledines and Dutoff having been compelled to flee after defeats in battle.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

BERNE, Jan. 10.—A separate peace agreement has been signed between Bulgaria and Russia, the Bund reports.

Trotsky Insists on Transfer.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Unofficial reports received here regarding the session of the peace conference at Brest-Litovsk, which was resumed Tuesday with Leon Trotsky, the Boleshviki foreign minister, at the head of the Russian delegates, say that Trotsky, in a speech, insisted upon the removal of the conference to Stockholm. Trotsky declared the Russians came to Brest-Litovsk not as the representatives of a conquered country and did not intend to ask pity, but would continue to act as true revolutionists. He is reported to have told the German and Austrian delegates that if they did not accede to his request they would feel the weight of the voice of the democracies of the central powers and the weight of the arms of the Russian democracy.

The Evening Post asserts that the Germans replied that they did not decline to carry on the peace negotiations but that they failed to specify where.

The German delegation in Petrograd is reported to have expressed the desire that the Swedish legation act as go-between with Great Britain and France. The Russian delegation at Brest-Litovsk includes, in addition to Trotsky, who is serving as its president, one woman, Madam Bithinko, a former exile, and M. Joffe, M. Kamnoff and M. Jokolosky and their counsellors.

Nikolai Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, has gone to a Finland sanitarium for several days' rest.

Cossacks Are Defeated.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 10.—Generals Kaledines and Dutoff, the Cossack leaders, the official news agency announces, have been defeated. General Dutoff is in flight, pursued by revolutionary soldiers and the Red Guard. General Kaledines is retreating.

The Workmen's and Soldiers' con-

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PAPER BOARD MAKERS TO SUSPEND USING COAL

First Order for Curtailment of Fuel in Industry Given by United States Administrator.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The first order for curtailment of the consumption of fuel in industry was given today by Fuel Administrator Garfield, directing all manufacturers of paper board to suspend absolutely the use of fuel in their plants between 7 o'clock Saturday and the same hour Monday morning. The paper board makers were among the first called in by Mr. Garfield for his conference with the manufacturers not engaged in war work, through which it is proposed to reduce coal consumption by perhaps 50,000,000 tons during the coming year. They estimated the amount of fuel they could save and agreed to cooperate in any plan that might be agreed upon.

Compliance with tonight's order is made obligatory under penalty. It is estimated that the actual saving of coal to be expected will amount to 15,000 tons weekly or 780,000 tons annually. Similar orders affecting other industries, probably nearly 100 in all, will be issued later.

SPIRIT ANIMATING ALLIES HAS NOT CHANGED--BALFOUR

British Foreign Secretary Emphasizes This Point in Praising Wilson's Speech.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Addressing a war aims meeting in Edinburgh tonight, Arthur J. Balfour, secretary for foreign affairs, referring to President Wilson's "magnificent announcement," said:

"The United States has now for the first time in its history entered the greatest struggle of civilization against barbarism, of freedom against tyranny I do not think that the new views of cooperation in the new world could have been introduced in a nobler manner than they have been introduced in the public pronouncements of President Wilson.

"I think that the day America entered the war was one of the most important in the annals of mankind. But it must be remembered that the pronouncements of Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson contain nothing that was not implicitly stated in the utterances of other statesmen, including the late premier.

The spirit that has animated Britain and her allies has undergone no profound modifications. We did not enter the war for selfish motives and we are not going to fight to the finish for selfish motives. I can see little improvement in the attitude of the central powers except that they now admit that it might be better for mankind if, in the future, wars were averted. That shows some improvement in the moral tone of the Germans, and so far as I can understand German pronouncements they have not begun to understand the moral horror which their procedure has instilled even into the most recalcitrant students of German methods and aims.

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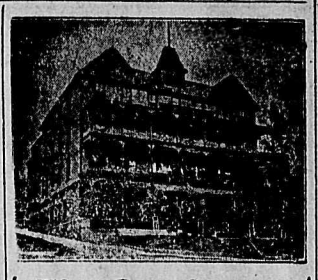

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SAYS WILSON'S SPEECH IS MAGNA CHARTA OF PEACE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The war aims of Canada as well as of the United States were given to the world in President Wilson's recent address to congress, the Duke of Devonshire declared in a speech tonight before the National Press club.

"The address delivered by the president two days ago," he said, "will stand out not only as a historic document in the prosecution of this war, but will stand for all times. I think it is being rightly described by the press in my own country as the Magna Charta of peace."

JAILS OBJECTOR FOR CONTEMPT

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"I don't believe in any war and any man who would leave parents for war, I consider a coward," Macgregor replied heatedly.

"Yes, you have taken that attitude during the last two years, and did you ever say—what about the remarks of shooting Premier Borden?"

"I don't want to shoot anyone and as far as I am concerned that's a lie."

Counsel then asked the witness what he would do if Fritz came over here and outraged mother and sisters. These things might happen. "And you've been preaching a great deal against this war?" he asked.

Word Battle Gets Hot.

Witness objected to reference about mother and sisters and stated that it would not happen. He turned to his honor saying it was unfair. The judge said that he would not object to that phase of the cross-examination.

"In fact you have been interfering?"

"I have been interfering with those who try to interfere with my liberties and those who try to make me go to this war interfere with my liberties," he asserted.

"You have a fairly good living?"

"Why shouldn't all of those who work hard?" witness replied. "And I feel very sorry for those fellows who go out to fight for I don't know what."

"What if Fritz came over here and your mother was outraged?"

"You have no right to make that statement."

The court allowed the reference.

"And that's what they would have done long before now if all men were like you and it's such men as you that we want," counsel added.

Talks to Judge.

"More persuasion and less brute force," Macgregor began to reply, but turned to the judge as the counsel sat down. His honor picked up the papers before him as he had done in previous cases before telling the appellant that notice of the disposition of the appeal would be received by registered mail. "I wished to give you notice of appeal here today and if you've got enough spunk to say so I want your decision," Macgregor said.

The remark caused a sensation in the court room.

Macgregor went to step down from the witness box when the judge started to speak. But without waiting to hear all of the warning the appellant walked on toward the rear of the court, smiling broadly. About half way across the room he said, "You haven't got me yet."

Constable Pearman took him to the provincial jail where he remained until 7:45, when as a result of action taken by James Macgregor Judge Thompson agreed to accept the apology of the appellant in settlement of the incident.

The judge stated last evening that he had accepted Macgregor's apology and that he would again hear his case at the same time that James Macgregor's will be heard, which has been set for Wednesday, Jan. 16, in this city.

TROTSKY TAKES THREATENING STAND

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ference at Rostov has been liberated. The Cossacks, the announcement adds, are unanimously against Kaledines whose troops, sent toward the Don river, are retreating.

Thinks General Peace Far Off.

ZURICH, Jan. 10.—Premier Weikerle of Hungary in an interview with the Berlin correspondent of the Neue Freie Presse of Vienna, said he hoped a preliminary peace would be reached with Russia. He did not think, however, that a general peace was near, as Great Britain was not inclined toward peace. He said he did not share the opinion that Premier Lloyd George's speech contained peace feelers, as it was still of a swaggering nature.

U. S. HOUSE APPROVES WOMAN SUFFRAGE LAW

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—The resolution for submission to the states of a woman suffrage amendment to the federal constitution was passed tonight by the house. It now goes to the senate.

The vote was 274 to 136 in favor of the amendment.

WIRELESS TRAINING SCHOOL IS TRANSFERRED TO OTTAWA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The department of naval service announces the transfer of the training school for wireless telegraph operators to Ottawa, the building occupied by the school in Halifax having been destroyed in the recent explosion. The school was reopened yesterday. The naval wireless comprises the operation of all naval coast stations in Canada and Newfoundland extending from British Columbia to the Atlantic coast and Hudson's Bay, the operation of the equipments on all H. M. coasts ships and patrol vessels in Canada and abroad and on H. M. transports plying to Canada.

MISSING STEAMER IS REPORTED ICEBOUND

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Word has been received by the marine department that the steamer Gaspescian, which left Gaspe Christmas day, bound for New York, and had not been heard of since, is icebound about 20 miles from Charlottetown. Efforts are being made to send the car ferry to release the Gaspescian and bring her to open water.

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WANTED TO USE SUB. TO TRANSPORT ARMS

This Is Revealed at Trial of Men Charged With Fomenting Revolution in India.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 10.—The use of a submarine to transport arms and ammunition from China to India, in order that British missionaries and agents might not become suspicious, was suggested by Indian revolutionary leaders, according to documentary evidence introduced at the trial here today by several Hindus and others accused of conspiring in this country to set up a Hindustani republic. The evidence also purported to show that $30,000 was obtained from the German foreign office to aid the work of the India revolutionists. Other revolutionary plans indicated by this evidence were:

Subsidizing of two Japanese dailies.

Formation of a treaty between China and Germany whereby the integrity of the former was to be maintained at all costs during the period of the war and for five years thereafter in return for an active Chinese participation in the India revolution. High Chinese officials, including the president of the republic, were said in this evidence to be favorable to such a treaty.

The sending of two shiploads of arms from Java to the Indian border under the direction and assistance of German agents.

The sending of shipments of arms and ammunition from Chinese points to India under the direction of the premier of the Chinese dynasty of Khelat, who was declared to be actively in favor of the revolutionary cause.

The evidence also indicated that Ram Chandra, leader of the revolutionary party from the Pacific coast, was receiving $1000 monthly from the German consulate here. It was stated in another of these documents that this money was being supplied by Hindu revolutionaries and not by the consulate.

SAYS STEEL TRUST BLOCKED PLANS FOR CHEAPER PLATES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Charges that "steel trust" officials blocked a plan by which the government was to get steel for ship plates at one-third to one-half less than it was paying was made before the senate commission investigating shipbuilding today by L. F. Featherstone, president of the Texas company.

WOULD PUT $3 TAX ON MONTREAL BACHELORS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Every single man in Montreal of the age of 21 years or over is to be taxed $3 a year, provided he pays no other taxes. So the legislation committee of the city council decided this afternoon to recommend to the council. This is one of the new sources of revenue the aldermen are working on in order to overcome the civic deficit of $2,000,000 or more.

WESTERN MEN IN CASUALTY LIST

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—There were nine western men and officers in tonight's casualty list. One was killed in action; one died of wounds, one died, four seriously ill, one wounded and one admitted to hospital. The list:

Infantry

Killed in Action—Lieut. G. M. Nickle, Weyburn, Sask.

Died—Lieut. H. Beattie, Easton, Pa.

Admitted to Hospital—Lieut. H. Rodger, Westboro, Ont.

Artillery

Ill—Lieut. G. M. Irwin, Owen Sound, Ont.

Wounded—Gunner S. W. Bothroyd, Surrey Centre, B. C.

QUEBEC SURPLUS PUT AT $158,440

Ordinary Revenue of Province Over $10,000,000—New Federal Flotation Order Criticized.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Jan. 10.—Hon. Walter Mitchell, provincial treasurer delivered his budget speech in the legislative assembly here today and besides dealing with the financial situation referred to the Dominion order in council respecting issues of bonds.

He announced that the province had a surplus of $158,440.61 on the financial operations of the year ended June 30 1917. The ordinary revenue was $10,441,113.71 and the ordinary expenditure was $9,847,153. To this expenditure, however, he added an extraordinary expenditure of $60,500 and $375,000 should be added on account of the $1,000,000 which was subscribed to the patriotic fund at the last session and the net surplus was $158,440.61.

Taking the federal order relative to bond issues, Mr. Mitchell showed that it had been declared ultra vires by the attorney general of Quebec, whose opinion was supported by E. Lafleur, K.C., and Aime Geoffron, K.C. of Montreal.

FRANCE WILL NEVER YIELD TO ENEMY

Statement Made by Chairman of the French Chamber in Speech That Rouses House.

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Paul Deschanel, presiding today at the reopening of the chamber, delivered an eloquent speech during which cheering greeted his references to each of the allies. There was an ovation when M. Deschanel declared that the United States from Washington to Lincoln and from Lincoln to Wilson has added brilliance to universal ethics as it has added new stars to its flag.

Cries of "Long live Wilson" and "Long live the league of nations" greeted the speaker's words.

The enthusiasm was renewed when in conclusion he declared that France would never yield to the enemy.

The chamber passed a resolution providing for the placarding of M Deschanel's speech throughout France

PREMIER BURDEN BACK AT OTTAWA

Cabinet Council Is Held—Plans Discussed for Solution of Big and Urgent Problems.

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The return of the prime minister to the capital this morning, after three weeks of holidaying in the south, was followed within a few hours by a full meeting of the cabinet council. Sir Robert met a majority of his colleagues for the first time since the election and for the first time had an opportunity of discussing with them general plans for the solution of the big and urgent problems of state, which have been left more or less, in abeyance since the ministers started out on the election campaign. At the conclusion of the two hours' sitting it was announced that there was nothing definite for publication now. There will be sittings of the cabinet daily for the next few weeks.

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APPEAL TRIBUNAL HEARS LAST CASES

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L. Houston, who works at the Nelson Ironworks.

"Do you want to see the allies win?" asked the court.

"I want to see the allies win with all my heart," she said earnestly.

The mother stated that she had come to the United States when she was seven years of age. She needed the assistance of her son, she said. The appellant was not present and on the judge's order he was requested to appear.

Houston Presents Case.

Houston said on taking the stand: "I think I am producing machinery which is useful in the prosecution of the war." In reply to questions as to whether his place could be taken by an older man witness said no. He was an apprentice and soon expects to get a card, he said. He would be willing to go elsewhere to do work of more national importance if the board thought it best to do so.

"Would you be willing to fight if the board thought it best?" asked the judge.

"If it wasn't for domestic reasons I would have been away long ago," he replied.

"I thought so," the judge said.

Appellant's father is ill and a brother was not in good health, he stated.

Counsel Crowe-Sword asked witness how it was that his younger brother who had enlisted had been discharged.

Witness said he knew nothing of it. Sentiment on the part of others had figured in his action, he admitted.

He was told that decision would be given through the provincial registrar.

Steamer Captain's Claim.

The case of C. Jonsburg, employed as mate in the Kootenay lake steamship service of the Canadian Pacific railway, was appealed by the employers. The appellant was represented by J. V. Ramsden, accountant for the Canadian Pacific railway in the local offices.

J. Crowe-Sword remarked that he thought it was the place of the superintendent of the lake service to appear in this instance so that figures might be given.

When asked, Major Anderson stated that the local tribunal disallowed the claim of this man because the claim was not asked for by the Canadian Pacific at the time of sitting. The railway company received no more consideration at the hands of the local tribunal than any other employer of skilled labor.

"I maintain the Canadian Pacific railway is not making the claim," said Counsel Crowe-Sword.

Counsel Scores C. P. R.

"In one case I had the experience of having 30 Canadian Pacific railway appeals and in only one case was exemption allowed. I have never had any instructions from the military authorities with reference to the Canadian Pacific railway."

Ramsden stated that Frieden who had appeared yesterday and Jonsburg in the present case, were exceptions. Others had been allowed but through routine these two had been missed.

Disallows Jonsburg Claim.

Judge Thompson again censured the railway company for the way in which they had acted in asking for exemption for their men. "An injustice is being done because three other C.P.R. men got off through the local tribunal. I cannot allow the claim. I don't think the local tribunal acted properly. Surely it was apparent to the C.P.R. 10 months ago, that men would be required for military service soon and they might have gone about this differently."

Reserves Kettlewell Decision.

C. K. Kettlewell asked exemption for the support of a widowed mother. A brother had enlisted with the 196th battalion at Vancouver. Witness turned over a greater part of his salary toward the support of the home. J. Crowe-Sword put questions fast and hard to the appellant and the case was disposed of by reserved decision.

J. Silverstone, a jeweler, asked exemption on grounds of conscientious objection.

I thought the Jews were great fighters," observed the judge. "You would be unique as a Jew if you didn't believe in combatant service."

Silverstone withdrew the objection and stated his case on point of citizenship. He was born in Germany 27 years ago, later going to Russia, he said. He had gone to the United States when he was aged 17. About 1½ years ago he had arrived in Canada.

He had not taken out papers, although he had no documents of any kind to prove his statements. He had never been given papers of any kind, he declared.

He had not received notification that he was to appear in court but he had seen his name in The Daily News.

Turning back to the matter of citizenship, the judge asked what port of entry he had come through. Waneta was the place, witness said. "Then you should get papers to prove that you came through Waneta."

Can't Be So, He Says.

"He hasn't got my name," witness objected. The judge assured him that records were always kept. Witness insisted that this was not so. The judge finally gave up persuasion by advising Silverstone to take a walk to a railway station and read an order in council passed about three years ago which he would find tacked to one of the walls.

The case was adjourned until Wednesday, Jan. 16 to allow witness to secure the papers showing he had come to Waneta as he claimed.

Police Force First.

John A. Williams, provincial constable with headquarters at Nelson appealed the decision of the local tribunal. The first point which he argued on the stand was that police constables were necessary.

The judge asked if witness did not think that the country's call came first.

"Yes, but if all the young men took that view what kind of a police force would you get?" the appellant quizzed his honor.

Witness said that he would withdraw that plea. He asked the court if he could criticize the medical board but the judge informed the witness that he had no jurisdiction on that score.

Counsel Crowe-Sword crossexamined the witness by firing peppery questions.

"You want to squeeze out on that police job?"

"No, I don't either," witness replied.

Knows Oil Business.

S. L. Marshall, teamster for the West Transfer company, asked for permission to stay at home. He had been on the job for two years and had been a teamster for eight years. His knowledge of oils made his services valuable. He has six brothers at the front; five had volunteered. He has five sisters, one unmarried. A part of his salary was sent to his sisters, he averred. When the judge asked what was his real reason for appealing, witness said he could not see out of one eye hardly at all and that he didn't have a fair medical examination.

On query of the judge, Counsel Crowe-Sword said he had no objection to a second medical examination. The court gave him permission to be reexamined by the local board. The case was adjourned to the close of the sitting.

He was found on reexamination to be in category "C" and was granted exemption until that class is called.

Court was adjourned until 2 o'clock.

Afternoon Session

Hon. K. Aylmer was the first appellant to appear at the afternoon session. On presentation of his medical certificate he was automatically exempted until Classes C and E are called up.

D. Anderson, employer of one man, in the operation of a mine near Retallick, appealed on grounds of national importance. His case occupied only a few moments of the time of the court, in which Counsel Crowe-Sword objected strongly to exemption.

Works in Coal Mines

George A. R. Atrie had been employed in the Bluebell mine and appeal had first been made through the management of the mine, stated his father, about 70 years of age, who appeared in behalf of the appellant. The mine had closed down, however, and Atrie had immediately gone to the Alberta coal fields and at the present time is employed there.

Questioned by the court, witness admitted that he had one of the largest acreages in the district. He had 1000 trees to prune twice during the season. The son's assistance had averaged in figures $80 per month, witness averred.

Another son had been promoted in the field to assistant signalling instructor. He had also contributed a part of his pay to the home. The ranch was involved.

Witness Refutes Statement

Representative Crowe-Sword asked the father why his son had stated at

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Mining and Markets

TRADING SLUGGISH ON SPOKANE MARKET

Both Utica and Slocan Star Are Unchanged—Standard Stock Not Quoted.

Trading was of a sluggish nature on the Spokane market yesterday. Both Utica and Slocan Star were unchanged, the former at 10 and the latter at 2. Rambler was quoted at 7 and Standard was not quoted.

Spokane Closing Quotations.
(Reported by St. Denis & Lawrence.)

	Bid	Asked
Cork-Province	$ .02¼	$ .02½
Rambler	.07	.08½
Slocan Star	.02	.02½
Utica	.10	...
Caledonia	.51½	.55

New York Curb Closing.

	Bid	Asked
Canada Copper	$1.93¾	$2.00
Ray Hercules	3.50	3.50
Standard	.37½	.43¾
Utica	.09	.11

New York Exchange.

	High	Low	Close
C. P. R.	139½	138½	138½
Chino	42¾	40½	42¾
Inspiration	47½	46¾	47½
Miami	31¼	31	31¼
U. S. Steel	96	93½	95⅝

Sales: C. P. R., 3400; Chino, 700; Inspiration, 3600; Miami, 600; U. S. Steel, 178,700; total sales, 537,900.

RECORD YEAR REPORTED FOR TORONTO RAILWAY

Carried 8,000,000 More Passengers Than in 1916—Receipts Exceed Best by $150,000.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—The 1917 report of the Toronto Railway, which will be presented at the annual meeting, Feb. 6 will show that it carried 157,340,000 passengers, or nearly 8,000,000 more than in 1916.

The passenger earnings of $6,193,562,67 are also a new high water mark, being $150,000 in excess of anything heretofore received. With other income added the gross earnings of the company for 1917 were in the neighborhood of $6,300,000.

While the earnings of the company have thus reached a new level, operating costs have also gone up. The figures for this have not yet been compiled, but it is stated that the percentage of charges to passenger earnings may this year be 60, as compared with 57 last year and 57.9 in 1915. This also would be a new high record for the company, due in the greater part to increased wages.

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PRICE OF SILVER AT NEW YORK 90 1-8

Quoted on London Market at 45⅛—Spelter Steady—Lead and Copper Prices.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Silver, 90⅛; at London, 45⅛.

Spelter steady; East St. Louis, spot, 7.75 to 8; at London, spot, £54; futures, £50.

Copper at London: Spot, £110; futures, £110; electrolytic, £125.

Lead: St. Louis, 6.42½; New York, 6.50; Montreal, 8.06; London, £29 10s

TO PROTEST NEW TAX ON THE MINES

Nelson Board of Trade Likely to Present Resolution to Associated Boards Next Month.

Nelson board of trade proposes to make a protest against the 10 per cent income tax which has been imposed by the provincial government on mining companies of the province, it was intimated at the meeting last night.

The details of the matter will be gone into later and the resolution presented to the associated boards of trade convention in Nelson next month.

Fred A. Starkey last night said the tax would work a great hardship and recalled that last year Hon. William Sloan, minister of mines, had promised that there would be no increase of taxation of mines.

WILL DIMINISH ISSUES ON CANADIAN MARKET

Sir Thomas White Plans to Make Advances to Provincial Governments on Obligations.

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—In order to relieve congestion in the Canadian investment market by reason of large offerings of provinces and municipalities which may come up during the remaining period of the war, Sir Thomas White will arrange, to the extent that may be necessary, to make advances to provincial governments to assist in meeting maturing obligations in the United States which may not be renewed there and for which the money must be found in Canada and toward meeting, in part, their other necessary committments. This arrangement will, to the extent it is availed of by the provincial governments, diminish the amount of their issues on the Canadian markets. By reducing the volume of these issues a better market will be provided for such provincial issues as will be offered and also for the large volume of municipal securities which must be sold during the coming year. When, later on, market conditions improve and securities are more in demand, provincial issues may be made and the advances made by the Dominion repaid.

UTICA MINE SHORT OF CASH; CLOSES

Kaslo Report Indicates Friction Between Caldwell and Williamson—May Let Contract.

KASLO, B. C., Jan. 10.—On Tuesday the Utica mine, which has maintained a hitherto unbroken record of six year's steady operation without a shutdown of any sort, ceased operations on all work, the crew being laid off and sent down the hill.

While exact information appears to be hard to obtain, it is evident that there is at present no money in the treasury to meet further payroll and other accounts incidental of the operation of the mine, says the Kootenaian. Money has gone into dividends that should have been retained to finish the driving of the long cross cut tunnel and for the opening up of the mineralized areas after contact with the veins. The long tunnel is now believed to be only a short distance from the big veins, which are expected to yield a large stack of profits once things are opened up.

Enquiry at the offices of the company here elicited the information that there are no more funds on hands to keep things moving, and in order to avoid running into debt, it has been determined to suspend operations temporarily. How long the suspension will last is hard to say, as much seems to depend upon the deal which has been arranged lately for the increase of capitalization of the company by one million new shares, and which, if finally concluded, as is hoped, will bring in the capital necessar yto continue operations until such time as the property can be developed to a profit producing basis once more.

Asked yesterday as to why the property had closed down, Manager C. B. White said: "We are just taking a holiday, that's all."

Charles F. Caldwell stated that the shutdown might be for only a few days, or it might be indefinite. He could not say anything for sure.

While it is not clearly marked on the surface, there is every indication of friction between Caldwell and V. D. Williamson, the latter having come into the Utica Mines, Limited, over a year ago, and whose entry was followed by a spectacular rise in stock from 5 to over 25 cents per share. Now the stock is selling down around 8 and 9 cents per share, with chances favoring a further drop soon, unless financing is arranged quickly.

There may be stock manipulation in the air and there may be stock manipulation to account for in the past, but the mine is there and those who are acquainted with the ground and have some knowledge of the possibilities of the property have every confidence in its future.

Has the Vein Been Struck?

Further information furnished by Mr. Caldwell was to the effect that there was a possibility of a resumption of work at the mine on a contract basis, but he could not state this as being an absolute certainty.

Manager Clyde B. White also furnished additional information to the effect that it was not a complete shut down, as two or three men were being retained on the payroll of the mine.

A report was current yesterday to the effect that the long crosscut tunnel had already encountered what was believed to be the east vein on the property. Being asked for information on this point, Mr. White stated that he could not say anything.

If the first of the veins has been found, the possibilities are that about 1000 feet of drifting will be necessary in order to get underneath the zones from which ore has been stoped in the upper workings.

SILVER MARKET PROSPECTS GOOD

New York Believes Government to Fix Price for Their Own Use Only.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—It is reported that when the governments of Great Britain and the United States fix a price on silver, as they probably will, the fixed price will be only for the government, while silversmiths and other users of the white metal must pay the market price, based on supply and demand. This means that silver producers will receive a remunerative price from the government for a large part of their output and on all above the amount they sell to the government they will receive the higher prices logically certain to follow in the open market. With the government of Great Britain and the United States as a large and steady customer of the mines, individual users of silver may find some difficulty in getting the metal in sufficient quantities and may be compelled to offer a premium. That silver will again cross the dollar mark and by a considerable margin, is freely predicted. Further under the existing financial conditions brought about by the war, bimetallism looms strongly as a probability.

Those mining men who have faith in the extended future of silver, and back their judgment very likely will reap large profits. All signs now point to that conclusion.

Not for many years has the future of silver presented such a hopeful aspect as it does at this time.

OUTPUT OF QUICKSILVER IN U. S. SHOWS INCREASE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. — Heavy increase in quicksilver productions largely used in munition manufacture was announced today by the geological survey, which placed the 1917 domestic output for the United States at 36,351 flasks of 75 pounds each. Its value is estimated at $3,857,000. Not since 1883 has so much been made.

PARIS EXCHANGE.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Trading on the Bourse today was calm. Three per cent rentes were quoted at 58 francs 29 centimes for cash. Exchange on London at 27 francs 18 centimes.

TRADING IN STOCKS STRONG AT CLOSE

Steels, Shippings and Some Active Specialties Make Gains of 1 to 3 Points.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Prices on the stock exchange today advanced and receded within a restricted area until the final hour when buying of steels, shippings and a few active specialties effected numerous net gains of 1 to 3 points.

Overnight developments and incidents of the day seemed to exert little influence, apart from the directors' report of the United States Steel corporation. This showed an increase of almost 500,000 tons in unfilled orders and marked the first gain since last April, when the high record for tonnage was established.

United States Steel scored an extreme advance of 2½ points from its minimum, closing at a net gain of a fraction. Independent steels and kindred equipments were more variable, ending with losses of large fractions to a point.

The strength of Steamship issues, oils and some of the motors resulted from a combination of professional activity and rumors of increased dividends. Total sales amounted to 535,000 shares.

Bonds were irregular and without especial feature. Liberty 3½s changed hands at 98.76 to 98.60; first 4s at 98.10 to 97.90, and second 4s at 96.62 to 96.44. Total sales, $4,450,000.

Closing Quotations.

Smelters	79⅞
Anaconda	62⅝
C. P. R.	138⅜
Nickel	29⅝
U. S. Steel	95⅝
U. S. Steel preferred	109⅛
Utah	81⅝

UNFILLED ORDERS OF U. S. STEEL SHOW INCREASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The unfilled orders on the books of the United States Steel corporation, Dec. 31, totaled 9,831,718 tons, an increase of 484,616 tons, compared with the orders on Nov. 30, according to the monthly report issued today.

This is the first time that the monthly figures have shown an increase since April, 1917.

PRICES TEND TO GO UPWARD AT TORONTO

Further Contraction, However, is shown in Dealings—Dominion Steel Leads.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 10—Further contraction in dealings in stocks on the local exchange took place today but the tone of the market continued fairly good with a tendency toward higher prices in a number of issues. Dominion Steel was the only stock in which the transactions reached the dimensions of a board lot, the shares accounting for 225 of the day's total turnover of 325 shares. Steel touched 56, closing at 55½, a gain of ¾. Steel of Canada showed firmness at 52½; Maple Leaf was buoyant at 93⅞; Toronto Railway sold again at 53½. The market appears to be paying scant attention to reports indicating that the approaching annual meeting will witness a clash of rival factions. A sale of 16 shares of Union Bank at 138, 5 points above the minimum, followed the announcement that the stock has been placed on a 9 per cent dividend basis. An odd lot of C.P.R. sold at 140, but the closing offer was 139½ with 139¾ bid.

Dealings in the war loans were limited to small blocks of the second and third issues at steady quotations for a total of $3000.

BANK CLEARINGS FOR CHIEF CANADIAN CITIES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—Following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion for the week ended today:

Montreal	$81,126,316
Toronto	64,395,261
Winnipeg	46,670,378
Vancouver	9,721,322
Ottawa	6,008,899
Calgary	7,981,649
Hamilton	5,326,584
Edmonton	4,619,571
London	3,203,418
Regina	4,317,261
St. John	2,518,818
Victoria	1,887,507
Saskatoon	2,118,841
Brandon	698,564
Brantford	922,677
Fort William	789,975
Lethbridge	812,548
Medicine Hat	543658
New Westminster	390,930
Quebec	4,139,220
Halifax	3,918,930

DOMINION IRON GAINS BUT SAGS LATER AT MONTREAL

Textile Strong—Brompton, Steamships and Cement Fair—Civic Power Is Active.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan 10.—Dominion Iron advanced to 56 today, on a tip that some good news about this stock might be expected shortly. It sagged back to 55½ later in the day. There is good dealing in Civic Power at 69. Other features were Brompton at 42½; Steamships at 40⅝ to 41 and Cement at 57.

The most striking price change was an advance of ½ in Dominion Textile to 82½. This stock has been strong and scarce for some time.

There was a brisk demand for the 1931 and 1937 war bonds at unchanged prices.

PEACE DEVELOPMENTS LOWER PRICES OF GRAIN

Market at Chicago Is Unsettled—Substantial Advance Is Recorded in Provisions.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 10.—Peace developments had a bearish effect today on grain. Corn closed unsettled ½ to ⅝ cent net lower at $1.27¼ for January and $1.25 for May. Oats lost ¾ to 1¼ cents. In provisions the result was an advance of 20 to 35 cents.

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—Oats, old contract: May, 84½. New contract: May, 84¼; July, 82½.

Barley: May, $1.48.

Flax: January, $3.22; May, $3.28½.

BUTTER MARKET FIRM.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Market firm for finest grades creamery butter. Trade in eggs active. Cheese market remains quiet.

Cheese: Finest westerns, 21¾; finest easterns, 21¼.

Butter: Choicest creamery, 45½ to 46; seconds, 44½ to 4½.

Eggs: Fresh, 54 to 55; selected, 48: No. 1 stock, 44; No. 2 stock, 40 to 41.

Pork: Heavy Canada short mess barrels, 35 to 45 pieces, 52 to 53; Canada short cut back, barrels, 45 to 55 pieces, 50 to 51.

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LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 10.—Cattle: Receipts, 26,000; weak. Beeves, 8.10 to 13.75; stockers and feeders, 6.80 to 10.75; cows and heifers, 5.75 to 11.75; colves, 8.75 to 16.

Hogs: Receipts, 50,000; weak. Light, 15.70 to 16.40; mixed, 15.80 to 16.50; heavy, 15.80 to 16.40; rough, 15.80 to 15.95; pigs, 12.40 to 15.25; bulk of sales, 16.10 to 16.45.

Toronto.

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Union stockyard receipts today consisted of 80 cars, with 523 cattle, 51 calves, 2798 hogs and 676 sheep and lambs.

The feature of the market today was the strong position of hogs. Keen competition on the part of one or two buyers forced the market up about 50 cents, making the fed and watered price at the close of the market 19. This was the highest for the past few months, but not up to the high water mark of last year when hogs came within 5 cents of reaching the $20 mark.

Butcher cattle continue in a strong steady market. Sheep, lambs and calves continue steady to firm.

Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—Union stockyard receipts today totaled 500 cattle and 3326 hogs. Cattle market was firm, with demand strong for butcher stuff. Hogs declined 25 cents a 10 pounds.

Butcher steers, 7 to 11; cows and heifers, 5.50 to 10; bulls, 5.50 to 8.75; stockers and feeders, 6.50 to 9; calves, 6.50 to 10.

Hogs, 17.50; heavies, 13.50 to 14.50; sows, 11 to 13.50; lights 14 to 15.25.

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100,000 FROM CLASS 1.

Figures showing the result of the operation of the Military Service bill up to the first week in January indicate that the government's belief that the full 100,000 men authorized by the act would be secured from Class 1 was well founded.

Men who reported for service totalled 23,885. Those refused exemption numbered 47,868. This makes a total of 71,753. Those who have been granted exemption total 278,779 and it is reasonable to assume that at least 15 per cent of this number have only temporary exemption—for one, three, six months and so on. This would bring the total Class 1 men eligible, exclusive of permanent exemptions, to well over the required figure. It is true that a number of appeals have yet to be heard, but as these include appeals entered by the military as well as those by draftees the result is not likely to affect seriously the grand total available for Class 1 call.

GOT THEIR WIRES CROSSED.

In the amusing mix-up over the Newcastle government nomination which has resulted in the decision of Parker Williams to stay with his job on the workmens compensation board, it appears that Mr. Williams and Hon. William Sloan got their wires crossed. The arrangement was that the nomination was to be from a Labor convention, as in Newcastle Mr. Williams has always played from that side of the table. But Mr. Sloan made quite a mess of things when he had the nomination handed out by a Liberal convention. He put his good friend Parker in a very awkward position.

But these mistakes will occur in the best regulated political families and as Mr. Williams is only a sort of a political foster son of the present administration and possibly does not speak quite the same language Hon. William Sloan's little error in tactics will be readily understood.

Mr. Sloan's misunderstanding of what was wanted may not displease Mr. Williams very much, when he comes to think the matter over. His work on the compensation board appears to have given satisfaction generally and the billet is a far more comfortable one than piloting a oneman Socialist-Labor-Liberal skiff through the stormy seas of provincial politics.

STANDING BY ITS PLANS FOR PAN-GERMANIA.

The Reuter despatch stating that Germany and Austria have reached an agreement under which Germany is to stand out for the retention of Alsace-Lorraine and the German colonies and that Austria is to be preserved intact, without relief to oppressed nations, such as Poland and Bohemia, and that it is in addition to be given control of Albania, Montenegro and Serbia simply means that the Teutonic empires are still dominated by pan-Germanic dreams.

To establish a German-controlled empire from the North sea to the Persian gulf, was the primary territorial purpose of Germany in beginning the war. With control of Serbia, Montenegro and Albania established and with its dominance of Bulgaria and Turkey the Germanic dream would become a reality, providing that the British could be driven out of Mesopotamia. It is only by preserving real, not pretended autonomy, for the Balkan nations, that Great Britain can hope to hold its barrier for India in Mesopotamia and keep Germany out of the Persian gulf. The Teuton plan is to offer Serbia, Montenegro and Albania the kind of "autonomy" which Austria gave to Bosnia when it absorbed that state nine years ago.

HOW THE BRITISH FINANCIERS REGARD ELECTION RESULT.

Canada's vote Dec. 17 for the maintenance of the position of honor among nations which its part in the first three years of the war won for it was not due to any desire for gain. Nevertheless the vote has undoubtedly had a great effect in Great Britain in strengthening the sentiment of kinship which has always existed between the motherland and this Dominion.

An example of this feeling and the material benefits that are derived from it is given in the following letter which has been received by the secretary of the Medicine Hat board of trade from the manager of a leading trust company in London:

"We take this opportunity of congratulating you on the excellent election results from Western Canada, which we note has gone solidly for the Empire. This fact will go further with the investing public of our country than the best and most beautiful of descriptive handbooks."

The Quebec Chronicle wants the government to name a commission to sit in the various provinces and investigate the cause of the difference of opinion between Quebec and the rest of Canada. Why waste a lot of time and energy and money inquiring for an answer which everyone knows?

A German paper thinks that President Wilson's peace terms are "brutal." The German plan to gobble up three or four nations of Europe and to gain unchecked power to oppress those of non-Germanic sympathies in the central empires is, of course, the only humanitarian and kindly peace proposal.

The vote in the United States house of representatives on woman suffrage speaks well for the progressive and enlightened spirit of the members. May the senate prove that it is equally in line with the trend of modern public opinion and open the way to speedy adoption of nation-wide woman suffrage. The United States would then be in the same position as Canada, which will have Dominion woman suffrage before another federal election is held. The Union government is pledged to it.

Anti-suffragists in the British house have just one really sound argument in their reactionary attempt to defeat woman suffrage. That argument is that it is illogical to grant the suffrage to men when they reach 21 years of age and withhold it from women until they reach the age of 30. Men and women should be placed on exactly the same electoral plane. To withhold the suffrage from women until they are nine years older than the age at which their brothers become eligible is indefensible.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

Saving the Coal

The parliamentary library and other buildings at Ottawa are being closed to save coal. The government is thus setting the whole country an example in war-time economy. It is possible that a great many public buildings, churches and schools will have to be shut until the return of warm weather. The essential problem is that of protecting the people against suffering in their homes.—Toronto News.

An Ominous Demand

The demands for a clean-up both in Saskatchewan and Alberta, reproduced in other columns of this issue from both the Estevan Mercury and the Calgary Herald, are ominous. They show clearly that in the cabinets of both provinces there are men who are hopelessly out of tune with the tone of public opinion, as expressed by the vote of Monday last. Ministers of the crown who go out of their way to defeat a great non-partizan movement, called into existence by a national crisis, need not be surprised if a demand for their removal is heard. By acting as they did Messrs. Motherwell and Langley in this province, and Messrs. Cross, Marshall and Smith in Alberta invited resentment. Having sown to the wind, what could be more natural than that they should now reap the whirlwind?—Moose Jaw News.

Why They Objected

Wounded Canadians, landed at an American port, had no complaints to make about their injuries, "but there was an almost unanimous howl of indignation because they were not permitted to spend a little time ashore before starting for home." Heroes are very human. The British Tommy will endure the hardships of the trench without a murmur, and call an indignation meeting if the quality of his tobacco doesn't suit him.—Rochester Democrat.

Women in New York

The newly-enfranchised women of New York City are becoming insistent in their demands that Mayor Hylan give adequate recognition to them in making appointments. It is evident that in politics the women are proceeding in the paths followed by their brothers. The worries of the political job givers are being multiplied.—Montreal Gazette.

COLD STORAGE

"Have you ever seen the pyramids or have any conception of how they look?"

"I have never seen them—no—but I have a pretty fair idea of how large they are since my wife has been away and I have taken a look at the dishes in the sink."

Was it envy that caused the elderly spinster to criticize so severely the home and furniture of her newly married friend?

Whatever it was the young wife was getting tired of it.

"Well, anyway," she said presently as she pointed to a pretty little china clock, "if you don't like my furniture you must surely like that?"

"Yes; it's rather nice," said the visitor grudgingly. "Who gave it to you."

"Oh, it wasn't a present," explained the bride. "I won it at a raffle."

"A raffle!" The spinster drew her angular figure rigidly up. "I never lend my face to such things."

"Perhaps that's just as well," retorted the younger woman as she gazed meaningly at the other's sour features, "because if you did I'm afraid nobody would buy the tickets."

IS THE GREATEST NOVELTY OF WAR

In Three Years of War Aerophotography Has Made Great Strides—New Powerful Weapon

OTTAWA Jan. 10.—Of all the many weapons used in this war that strike the public mind as novelties—the submarine, tanks, hand-bombing, airplanes, flame-throwing, poison gases—there is really not one so unique, so powerful and yet so little commented upon as the use made of the camera by the flying man. Three years ago the British had made no provision for aerophotography. Casual experiments with the camera before the war were abandoned as valueless. Today never a battle and scarcely ever a raid is undertaken without an elaborate photographing of the enemy's defenses. Before the battle of Cambrai airplanes soared above and behind the enemy's lines for days taking thousands of map-pictures of the territory to be under attack.

It is no exaggeration to say that rapidly as the airplane has developed under the exigencies of war, the camera and the photographic laboratory have kept pace with it. The number of trained experts now engaged in this branch of the British service alone runs into four figures. So progressive and efficient has this organization become that an observer moving over the enemy lines in an airplane has been known to return to headquarters, have a print taken showing troops lining a trench, and bring shell fire to bear on the enemy concentration within eighteen minutes from the taking of the photograph.

Thus the camera, allied with the airplane, has become one of the most powerful weapons now used in the war. It is a dependable, infallible informer of all enemy movements. Under the microscope the photograph reveals secrets that even the trained eye of an observer might never penetrate. And it makes a permanent record, which may be studied at any time at leisure and in a place of safety. No detail escapes notice. It picks out items often of great significance which no human eye can detect—reports every change in the landscape made by enemy engineers or camouflage devices.

It is in attempting to pry into enemy secrets that the airman often meets his greatest thrills. Pieces of enemy military construction that arouse the suspicions of the intelligence officer must be photographed. If the construction is of any importance the Hun will have a nest of anti-aircraft guns planted and battle-planes held in readiness to drive away any British machines. Naturally it takes nerve for an airman to go out on such a mission. But it has become a point of honor with squadrons of the Royal Flying Corps to get every photograph they are ordered to get. Upon a single photograph may depend the success of a whole operation involving weeks of planning and hundreds of lives.

ATHANASIAN CREED IS TO BE RECITED ONCE ONLY

This is to Be on Trinity Sunday—Important Change Made by Anglican Committee.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—The Anglican executive committee on prayer book revision, met yesterday under the primate, Archbishop Matheson. One item of great interest to Anglicans was the committee's decision that the Athanasian creed should be recited on Trinity Sunday only, instead of on 13 occasions, according to the old order of service. The text to be used is that commonly known as the "Lambeth Translation."

Many changes were made in words such as the substitution of the word "direct" for "prevent" in the passage "Prevent us, O Lord."

A form of family prayer was adopted by the committee in the report by the Bishop of Ottawa.

STEPS IN FRONT OF RED CROSS MOTOR; IS KILLED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 10.—Edward P. Vogel, a promoter, and member of a family socially prominent in this city, was killed by a Red Cross motor. He stepped in front of the machine and sustained fatal injuries before the driver could throw on the brakes. He was 54 years old.

THREE TRAINMAN INJURED BY EXPLOSION ON ENGINE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 10.—Three trainmen were injured and a Chicago Rock Island and Pacific freight engine was damaged by an explosion aboard the locomotive as it approached Harahan bridge here this afternoon. An investigation is being conducted to determine the cause. One fireman was seriously hurt, the others were not seriously injured.

BRITISH WEST INDIES WILL GET FOODSTUFFS FROM U. S.

Regarded as Cobelligerents Because They Have Sent Troops and Supplies to Britain.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—British island colonies in the Atlantic which depend almost wholly on the United States for foodstuffs and other supplies, will have their needs taken care of. This assurance has been given to Sir William Allarice, governor of the Bahama islands, who has been conferring here with British and American authorities.

The Bahamas, Jamaica and the Bermudas, as well as other small British West Indian colonies, have felt the effects of the recent stringent export regulations of the United States and as they are furnishing troops for service at the front they feel the United States should recognize them as cobelligerents.

CENTRAL AMERICAN POET DEAD; WROTE HYMNS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAN SALVADOR, Jan. 10.—General Juan J. Canas, dean of the Central American poets and author of Salvadorean national hymns, died last night.

AUTHORIZE SPENDING OF $1,000,000 AT HALIFAX

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 10.—Henry B. Endicott and a number of Boston gentlemen, who came to Halifax Sunday and went over the devastated district noting the buildings being erected, notified the committee in charge to expend all the million-dollar fund given for the relief of the Halifax sufferers donated by the committee.

MOTOR SHIP BURNED AT SEA—CREW SAFE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 10.—The motor ship Portland, which left Seattle Sept. 27 for South American ports, has been burned at sea, together with 1,500,000 feet of lumber, according to a cablegram received here by the marine department of the chamber of commerce. The crew reached Callao, Peru, today with no loss of life, the cablegram said. No details concerning the origin of the fire were given.

SIFTON HAS MAJORITY OF 2085 AT MEDICINE HAT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MEDICINE HAT, Alta., Jan. 10.—Returning Officer C. W. Smith announces the final result of the civilian vote in the constituency of Medicine Hat as follows:

Sifton, Unionist, 5598.
Reilly, Laurier Liberal, 3513.
Patton, Socialist, 460.
Hon. A. L. Sifton thus has a majority of 2085.

STEAMERS MAKE THEIR WAY THROUGH ICE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The four lake steamers which have for some time been icebound in the St. Lawrence river off Cape Chatte, are slowly progressing toward open water, according to advices received by the marine department here.

LIEUT.-COL. REDMAN FACES FRAUD CHARGES

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Jan. 10.—Lieut.-Col. C. E Redman, former commander of the 167th French-Canadians overseas battalion, today was bound over to the grand jury to undergo trial at the next term of the court of King's bench on 153 charges of forgery, false pretence etc., involving in all the sum of $4000.

VIRGINIA SENATE RATIFIES PROHIBITION AMENDMENT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 10.—The national prohibition amendment was ratified tonight by the Virginia senate by a vote of 30 to 8. A resolution to submit the amendment to a referendum was defeated 28 to 10. It is expected that the house of delegates will vote tomorrow.

MAN ARRESTED CLAIMS HE IS KAISER'S COUSIN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 10.—Paul Conrad, whom the police say claims to be a cousin of Kaiser Wilhelm, was turned over to the federal authorities here yesterday. Conrad was arrested last week for having made anti-American remarks. It is stated he will be interned.

THREE SUSPECTS IN MACHINE GUN CONSPIRACY ARRESTED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 10—Three men are under arrest here as the result of an investigation by the United States army intelligence bureau into an alleged conspiracy to sell machine guns, ammunition and clothing valued at $285,000.

ITALIAN SENTENCED TO HANG IS NOT TO BE REPRIEVED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The governor in council has decided not to intervene in the sentence of death passed on Natali Neri, an Italian found guilty of murder at Pictou, N.S. Neri is to be executed on Tuesday.

ELECTION IN ONTARIO LIKELY HELD IN JUNE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Sir William Hearst informed William Proudfoot K. C., the new Liberal leader in the legislature, that the government did not intend holding a bye-election in North Oxford to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Hon. N. W. Rowell, as it would entail the preparation of a special voters' list, which would not be worth while. This is taken to mean that a general election is to be held in the course of a few months, probably next June.

INDIA GAVE OVER HALF MILLION POUNDS TO RED CROSS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

DELHI, India, Jan. 10.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Estimates indicate that well over half a million pounds sterling was raised as a result of "Our Day" collections in aid of the Red Cross.

HUGHES CABINET TAKES OFFICE IN AUSTRALIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 10.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—The new Hughes cabinet has been sworn in with practically no changes. Hon. Frank Tudor has given notice of a motion of no confidence.

NEW ZEALAND'S REVENUE SHOWS BIG INCREASE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Jan. 10.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—The finance minister announces that the nine months' revenue has shown an increase of £170,000 sterling. Large payments made in the final quarter of the year put the revenue total in a strong and healthy position.

R. W. Craig, K. C., was elected chairman of the Winnipeg school board.

City Clerk Lusted of Windsor is of opinion that only male ratepayers are eligible to the city council.

URGES U. S. TO BUILD MANY BOMBING AIRPLANES

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Predictions that "there would not be much left of the war" if the United States could send a fleet of 500 night bombing airplanes into one attack over the enemy lines, was made in an address here today by Lieut.-Col. F. E. Clarke, head of the army aviation engineers division, before the convention of the Society of Auto Motive Engineers. There are four types of airplanes now in use in the American army in Europe, he said—observing machines, combat machines, pursuit planes and day and night bombing machines.

"The night bombers are by far the most effective," he said. "They fly every clear night, cannot be readily seen, can drop flares and carry from a ton to a ton and a half of high explosives. They are very destructive."

Major J. G. Vincent, introduced as the "real designer of the Liberty aircraft engine," said the new engine is made only for heavy battle and bombing machines.

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If elected our policy will be to uphold the police force in the carrying out of the laws of the province and the bylaws of the city to their full extent.

MAYOR OF SEATTLE BARRED FROM PRACTISING LAW

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 10.—H. J. Gill, mayor of Seattle, was barred today by the state board of bar examiners from practising law in the state of Washington for one year. Today's decision was reached following a hearing of charges that the mayor allowed the law firm of Gill, Hoyt & Frye to use his name in soliciting police court business.

J. E. Annable

Candidate for Mayor for 1918

At the request of a large number of citizens I again offer my services for mayor for a second term.

I have opened a committee room in the basement of the Annable block where all of my supporters are welcome.

J. E. ANNABLE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the legislative assembly of British Columbia at its next session for an act to incorporate an association known as "The Engineering and Technical Institute of British Columbia," with power to promote and increase the knowledge, skill and proficiency of its members in all things relating to the architectural, engineering, surveying and technical professions; and to that end establish and conduct examinations and prescribe such tests of competency and moral character as may be thought expedient; and to grant certificates of membership to those approved of; and to purchase or otherwise acquire and hold real and personal property for the purposes of the institute; and to dispose thereof and reinvest the proceeds in such manner as may seem fit; and to fix entry fees and annual fees or subscriptions to be paid by the members and to vary the same from time to time; and to provide for the management of its affairs by council to be constituted in such manner as may be provided for by bylaw; and to have its head office and hold its annual meetings within British Columbia; and to have, enjoy and exercise all power, rights and privileges necessary, usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 18th day of December, 1917.

BRADSHAW & STACKPOOLE,
Solicitors for the Applicant

NOTICE.

The fourteenth annual meeting of shareholders of the Nelson Brewing Company, Limited, will be held at the office of the company 510 Latimer street, on Thursday, Jan. 24th, 1918, at 3 o'clock.

GEORGE S. HAWTHORNE,
Secretary.

Nelson, B.C., Jan. 10, 1918.

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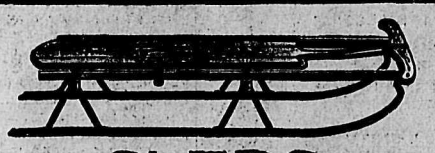

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Nelson that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall on Monday, the 14th day of January, 1918 at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and aldermen, on the Public School board as Trustees and on the Board of Police Commissioners as Commissioners of Police.

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality, as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1918, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m., and 7 o'clock p.m. at the City Hall, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as mayor of said City shall be such persons as are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years and are not disqualified under any law and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination, the registered owner in the land registry office of land or real property in the city of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of one thousand dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as aldermen for said city shall be such persons as are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years and are not disqualified under any law and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the land registry office of land or real property in the city of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge and who are otherwise qualified as municipal voters.

The persons eligible to be nominated for and elected as school trustees of the Nelson School District shall be any person being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years and having been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the land registry office of land or real property in the City School District of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment roll of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified to vote at an election of School Trustees in the said School District.

The persons eligible to be nominated for and elected as Police Commissioners of the said city shall be such persons as are British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years and who are not disqualified under any law.

Given under my hand at the City of Nelson aforesaid, the 7th day of January, 1918.

W. E. WASSON,
Returning Officer.

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. No more than 2560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for 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 shall 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 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.

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A MASS MEETING of the citizens of Nelson will be held in the Opera house on Wednesday night, Jan. 16, when I will give a statement of city affairs. Several other speakers will be invited, including a representative of the women voters.

J. E. ANNABLE

NEW TEACHERS START IN SCHOOLS AT KASLO

Harry Abey, Who Joined Flying Corps, Now at Training Camp in Texas

KALSO, B. C., Jan. 10.—The schools re-opened on Monday last with ttwo new teachers on the staff, Miss L. White taking the position of assistant high school teacher in place of Miss Maxwell, who resigned, and Miss Corcoran taking the primary division of the public school in place of Miss Vera Riddel, who has accepted a position in Princeton.

Harry Abey, who left here to join the aviation corps and who was in Toronto, has been transferred to Texas.

Mrs. Strathearn and daughter, who have been visiting friends in Trail and Nelson, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. James Anderson left Tuesday morning for Victoria, where she will visit friends and attend the marriage of Miss Kemball, second daughter of the late Col. A. H. G. Kemball, D.S.O., to Capt. Dukes.

The sum of $102 was collected by the Kalso branch of the Military Hospital commission command for soldiers' comforts, "J" unit. To the Balfour sanitarium they sent 35 pocketknives, 25 hair brushes and 25 shaving brushes. The families of the returned soldiers here each received a Christmas hamper containing a turkey, sausages, fruit, etc.

Miss Cora Murchison and Mr. Richmond B. Dimock were married at the Presbyterian manse here Monday evening. They left on the boat for Nelson, where they will spend a few days. Mr. Dimock expects to go overseas with the first draft.

YOU CAN'T FIND ANY DANDRUFF, AND HAIR STOPS COMING OUT

Save Your Hair!—Make It Thick, Wavy, Glossy and Beautiful at Once.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment. A small trial bottle will double the beauty of your hair.

LACK OF SNOW HINDERS LOGGING AT CASCADE

Collector R. G. Ritchie Reports $457 Contributed in District to Patriotic Fund

CASCADE, B. C., Jan. 10.—A well attended special service f prayer was held Sunday by Neil McKinnon of Ottawa.

Logging operations are greatly set back here by lack of snow. There is so little that autos are running between here and Grand Forks.

R. G. Ritchie, collector for the patriotic fund in this district, reports having collected for the year 1917, $457.50, which has been sent to the Grand Forks secretary of the fund.

Miss L. Giegerich returned from Kalso to take charge of the school here.

Misses L. Page, E. Ritchie and E. Carlson returned today to Grand Forks to resume studies at the high school.

ROBSON NOTES

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROBSON, B. C., Jan. 10.—Miss Wanda Johnson returned from Nelson to continue as teacher at the public school here.

Miss Gladys Clyde returned to South Slocan to resume her duties at the public school.

A. F. Mitchell and A. D. Clyde were Trail visitors on Friday.

Irvine Osborne, Dominion Express messenger at Cranbrooke, is visiting his parents here for a short time.

Miss Doris Mitchell entertained the young people of the valley at a social evening last Tuesday.

Marvin McDaniel of Pass Creek was a Nelson visitor for the week-end.

Mrs. R. Calder and children of Edgewood are visiting Mrs. C. A. Berry at the ranch at Wesley for a week or two.

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TO DEVELOP POWER ON PEND D'OREILLE

New Company Has Capitalization of $1,500,000—Preliminary Work Has Been in Progress.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, Jan. 10.—A certificate of incorporation has been issued to the Waneta Power company, limited, $1,500,000, Nelson.

The Waneta Power company is engaged in the development of a large waterpower on the Pend d'Oreille river, near the international boundary line. The manager is J. W. Falls, who has been engaged for some years in preliminary work at the site of the proposed new plant.

HANGS HIMSELF AT CRANBROOK

Body of K. Moeller Found in Shed—Told Hotel People He Came From Nelson.

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRANBROOK, B. C., Jan. 10.—A tragedy which appears to have been a premeditated case of suicide but for which no reason can at present be assigned, was discovered this morning. On Monday night K. Moeller, who stated that he came from Nelson, engaged a room at the Cross Keys hotel. Unable to gain admittance to the man's room on Tuesday afternoon the housekeeper notified the proprietor, J. Buchanan, who forced the door, which had been bolted on the inside. The bed appeared to have been slept in, and the occupant's hat, coat and boots were in the room, but he had disappeared. The matter was reported to Chief of Police Hersey this morning, and on making a search the body of the missing man was found hanging by a pair of suspenders in the loft over the woodshed in the rear of the hotel. Indications point to Moeller having left his room by way of the window in the early hours of Tuesday morning, and attempted to take his life in the woodshed. This attempt not being successful, he went up to the loft and there accomplished his purpose. Deceased was a man about 50 years of age, and is believed to have friends in Alberta. An inquest will be held on Thursday.

Only One "BROMO QUININE."

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CRANBROOK MAN VICTIM OF AIR RAID ON ENGLAND

Pte. Cornish, Now at Vancouver, Found Certain Towns as Dangerous as Battlefield.

VANCOUVER.—Pte. R. J. Cornish, who enlisted with the 242nd battalion in Cranbrook and left for overseas in September, 1916, found the streets of England to be quite as dangerous to him as the battlefields of Flanders. On June 8 Pte. Cornish was walking peacefully about a certain quiet place in old England, when the world suddenly was blotted out and he woke up on a stretcher.

"It was one of those air raids," he told a reporter of the Sun soon after his arrival with the crowd of 54 men who reached Vancouver this week.

CURLERS HAVE GOOD GAMES AT ROSSLAND

(Special to The Daily News.)

ROSSLAND, B. C., Jan. 10.—In the club curling games played last night at the curling rink R. W. Timms won from H. G. Oliver; S. Potter from McNeill; W. G. Ternan from E. Morison; C. H. Wallace from R. H. Townsend; T. H. Gilmour from A. Smith, and R. W. Grigor from M. Henderson. Good play featured the games.

R. C. Crowe of Trail spent Wednesday in the city.

Miss Mamie Supple was a visitor to Northport today.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Coffin gave a delightful dinner party last night at their home. The dining table was artistically arranged with chrysanthemums and candles. The color scheme was carried out in yellow and white.

Mrs. A. Newett and little daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Newett's mother, Mrs. Keating, for several weeks, have returned to their home in Wallace, Idaho.

Everett Peters left this morning for the coast, where he will report for military service.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Acorn left this morning for Victoria, where they expect to remain for some time.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Kingdom, a daughter.

Help the Soldiers!

Send your soldier friend a box of Zam-Buk, which for its great healing power and compactness is called "A surgery in a two-inch box." It is indispensable in France for bad feet, poisoned wounds, frost bite, cold cracks, chapped hands, chilblains and sores of all kinds.

Pte E. Westfield, of "C" Company, 3rd Worcester Regiment, writes home: 'I wish we could get more Zam-Buk out here instead of so much tobacco. We need Zam-Buk badly and nothing can take its place."

Be sure to include at least one box of Zam-Buk in your next parcel. All dealers or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. 50c. box, 3 for $1.25.

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CRESTON FARMERS HAD RECORD YEAR

Reports of Institute Show Turnover of $42,820, Almost $11,000 More Than Last Year

(Special to The Daily News.)

CRESTON, B. C., Jan. 10.—The annual meeting of Creston Farmers Institute was held on Friday last, President Cook presiding over a large attendance of members. The reports submitted by the various officers showed 1917 to have been the biggest year in the institute's history, the turnover in the trading department of $42,820.95 being almost $11,000 greater than the year previous, while the membership of 332 was only 10 smaller than 1916. In his address the retiring president strongly urged that the affairs of the organization be reorganized and a cooperative limited liability company formed to take over the trading end of the institute activities. For the directors, James Compton turned in a very satisfactory report. In addition to looking after routine matters, the directors were dickering for the purchase of a feed grinding outfit which would be operated at the institute warehouse, the grains for coarse feeds being brought in whole and ground here. He even favored investing in the necessary machinery to manufacture flour here, were the price of such equipment not too high. The membership fee was raised from 50 cents to $1 this year. In the election of officers there was a contest in every instance, except that of auditor, and the balloting was invariably close. Messrs. Goodwin and Littlejohn officiated as scrutineers and announced the following duly elected: President, James Adiard, vice-president, W. V. Jackson; secretary-treasurer (for the sixth term), J. A. Lidgate; auditor, W. S. Watson; directors, W. A. Pease, James Compton, F. Putman, D. Learmonth, George Hobden. The trading department statement shows the following items in the year's business: Flour and feed, $30,867; hay, $2970; sugar, $4026; seeds, $515; spraying machines, $1482; coal oil, $745; powder, $991; nails, $289; lime, $104.

The board of trade met in annual session on Tuesday night, with the biggest turnout this annual conclave has enjoyed for years. President Henderson gave a concise statement of the year's activities, emphasizing progress in such undertakings as reclamation of the Kootenay Flats and the preliminary steps at the irrigating of the valley from Arrow creek. The officers for 1918 are: President, S. A. Speers; hon. president, C. O. Rodgers; vice-president, Guy Constable; secretary-treasurer, C. F. Hayes; auditor, C. G. Bennett; executive, Dr. Henderson, R. B. Staples, J. W. Hamilton, James Compton, H. K. Ostway, R. S. Bevan. The statement of the year's export trade, which always features, the president's address was incomplete in a few details, but on fruit and vegetables, despite a 20 per cent lighter crop, the returns to the growers is about $2000 higher than 1916, the grand total of this trade being almost $90,000. There is a decided increase in the export of both cattle and horses, and also in lumber, posts and poles. The output of the two box factories is a considerable showing over last year.

At their annual meeting on Monday afternoon the Ladies Guild of Christ church elected the following officers: President, Mrs. C. G. Bennett; vice-president, Mrs. H. Lane; secretary, Mrs. R. Thurston; treasurer, Mrs. F. H. Jackson. Financially the guild had a very successful 1917, the annual bazaar last month along getting it just under $200.

Creston lodge, Knights of Pythias, elected officers at the meeting on Monday and will install at the next regular meeting. Dr. Henderson is the new chancellor commander.

For 1917 Registrar E. C. Gibbs states that he issued 14 marriage licenses. Donations to the Overseas Soldiers Tobacco fund for the year were $45.55.

Miss Laura Edmondson left on Sunday for Kingsgate, where she will teach school this term. Her successor at Erickson is a Mr. McCallum of Grand Forks. Miss Hardman, primary teacher, who was at New Westminster for the holidays, returned on Sunday.

Judge Thompson of Cranbrook and Capt. Crowe-Sword were here on Monday hearing appeals from the decisions of the local exemption tribunal. There were 12 cases. Total exemptions were given two, provided they stay on their ranches. Three others got partial exemptions and the balance disallowed.

Springlike weather has prevailed here for a matter of 10 days until Wednesday morning, when the mercury dropped down to about 8 above. The change was most timely as the buds on mose of the fruit trees were beginning to show signs of bursting. The absence of snow is retarding logging operations.

FERNIE DISTRICT GIVES $1254 TO PATRIOTIC FUND

FERNIE, B. C., Jan. 10.—The contributions to the Amalgamated Patriotic fund of Fernie district during the month of December amounted to $1254. They were:

Fernie and Coal Creek, general collections	$302.75
Corbin	117.00
Bull River	62.00
Jaffray	265.50
Waldo, Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Co. employees	501.00
Gateway	6.50
DISTRIBUTIONS	
I. O. D. E., Fernie Red Cross	$300.00
I.O.D.E., Baynes Red Cross	50.00
Red Cross, Jaffray	15.00
Military Y. M. C. A., Calgary	100.00
W. J. Goepel, treas. C. P. F. Victoria	774.75

A plebiscite to abolish the board of control was carried at London by 3052 majority, and another favoring the commission form of government by 2572.

Friday Bargains

At Meagher's

Ladies' High-Class Coats at $34.95

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These are splendid value at this money. All individual styles, in Serge, Cheviot and Gabardine. Colors Navy, Taupe, Green, Nigger Brown and Black. Sizes to 40 only. Values to $65.00. FRIDAY BARGAIN PRICE **$34.95**

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High Class Blouses, tailored or novelty styles. All colors in the lot. Values to $11.50. FRIDAY BARGAIN **$4.95**

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Black and Colored Underskirts, made of Extra Quality Sateen or Nearsilk. Full flounces, finished with frills or pleats. In all sizes. FRIDAY BARGAIN **$1.50**

Women's Combinations at $1.50 a Suit

Splendid Knit Combinations, good winter weights with nice fleecy lining; made with short sleeves and Dutch neck; ankle length; all sizes. FRIDAY BARGAIN, THE SUIT **$1.50**

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LONGBEACH CHILDREN GUESTS OF COMMANDER

(Special to The Daily News.)

LONGBEACH, Jan. 10.—On Tuesday Commander and Mrs. Hallett gave a delightful children's party, the little ones coming in fancy dress. Particularly picturesque were a Dutch girl, "Bluebird," "Red Riding Hood," "Boy Blue," a Fairy, two Gypsies and a wee sailor boy of the American navy. Miss Molly Hamilton of Harrop as a "Lady of the Harem" helped Mrs. Hallett to entertain the children.

Mrs. Homer spent the weekend at Balfour as the guest of Mrs. A. P. Hudson.

Nacie Trail has returned to the King Edward school at Cranbrook.

Miss S. Fowler of Riondel is staying with Mrs. Hallett for a few days.

Robert Hill and Miss Hill were visitors to Nelson on Wednesday. Miss Hill is leaving early next week on a visit to Vancouver island, to be the guest of Mrs. Blackwood-Wileman.

On Friday, Jan. 11, the Longbeach Dramatic society is performing "Jacques the Spy" or the "Laughter Bureau," at the Balfour s anitarium. Those taking part are Rev. and Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Crozier Bourke, Mrs. Hallett, Mrs. Homer, Mrs. Horsfield and Miss Hill.

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News of Sport

PETE HERMAN AND ERTLE SIGN FOR 10-ROUND BOUT

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 10.—Pete Herman of New Orleans, world's bantamweight champion, and Johnny Ertle of St. Paul have signed for a 10-round no-decision bout in February, it was announced today.

CICOTTE SIGNS CONTRACT WITH CHICAGO AMERICANS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 10.—Eddie Cicotte, star pitcher of the Chicago Americans, announced today that he had signed his 1918 contract.

HAMILTON BADLY BEATEN BY SARNIA

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 10.—Hamilton last night met their second defeat in the senior O. H. A. series, when they lost to the fast Sarnia team, 10 to 5.

SENSATIONAL GAME IS WON BY THE VIMYS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—A fast shot from the side by Cliff Abbott, one minute before time, scored a goal for the Vimys and gave them a one-goal margin over the Sommes, by a score of 7 to 6, tonight, in the most sensational game of the season in the Military Hockey league. The game was featured by the close and fast play and the uncertainty of the result. The Sommes started out by scoring two goals in a hurry, but the Vimys came back with five goals in a row, making the score 5 to 2 in their favor at the half way mark. In the second session the Sommes started a bombardment which netted them three goals and put them on even terms. The Vimys took the lead again only to have the Sommes come back with the equalizer. Both teams fought hard for the deciding goal, but the Vimys got in and made the race a three-cornered tie.

AT THE THEATRES

"The Spreading Dawn" Coming to Gem

In "The Spreading Dawn," which is the attraction at the Gem theatre Monday and Tuesday, Goldwyn Pictures present another famous actress as their star. She is Jane Cowl, reputed to be one of the greatest emotional stars in America, and lately distinguished as a dramatist through her coauthorship of the two Broadway successes, "Lilac Time" and "Daybreak." It was Jane Cowl who created the role of Mary Turner, heroine of "Within the Law," and played the leading part in "Common Clay."

This is not only the first appearance of Miss Cowl as a Goldwyn star, but also her screen debut. It is said that she photographs admirably and rises in superb fashion to every opportunity afforded her in a remarkable role. "The Spreading Dawn," in which she appears, is an adaptation of the story by Basil King which lately appeared as a tremendously popular story in the Saturday Evening Post. It provides Miss Cowl with the part of a society belle of the civil war period.

SCOTCH CONCERT COMES SATURDAY

The Winnipeg Telegram speaks of the Scott Family of Entertainers who appear at the opera house here Saturday, as follows:

"It looked like old times to see T. J. Scott on a Winnipeg platform, where he was so well known some years ago. The Red Cross society made no mistake in engaging Mr. Scott and his family of entertainers, as they have no equal as first class artists in Canada today. His eldest daughter, Fiona, has a beautiful high set soprano, rich tones and of good volume. Mr. Scott, with his humorous stories, brought forth roars of laughter, and his singing in duets with his daughters brought to an end one of the finest concerts the writer has listened to in Winnipeg. The Red Cross, under whose auspices they ran, must have piled up a few hundreds—being one of the largest houses we have had this season."

"STUFFY" M'INNIS GOES TO BOSTON AMERICANS

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—John ("Stuffy") McInnis, first baseman and last of Connie Mack's famous world's champions, goes to the Boston Americans in a straight trade for players. The names of the players and how many will come to Philadelphia in the trade was not announced.

C. P. R. MAINTENANCE OF WAY MEN MOVE FOR HIGHER PAY

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—Dissatisfied with the award of the conciliatory board in regard to their demands for increased rate of pay and regulations generally, the Canadian Pacific railway maintenance of way employees have submitted their case to the cooperative committee with which these employees are affiliated.

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SCHOOL TEACHER GIVEN EXEMPTION

Montreal Judge Decides Work Second Only in Importance to That of Men at Front

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Exempting Jules Geoffrey, a school teacher, from military service yesterday, Justice Coderre said:

"The occupation of this man is of the most importance, second only to the work of soldiers at the front. Here is a case in which the future of the country is at stake for there will be no leaders in the army, no officers finished in their studies to grasp the varied problems with a practical mind if we remove the school teachers.

"Therefore, I grant this exemption on the grounds that this man is of national importance inasmuch as it is absolutely necessary that schools should remain open and that competent teachers be held to their important post of teaching the young mind."

Signed His Own Medical Sheet.

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Dr. H. W. Avery, a civilian examiner at the armories, signed his own medical sheet categorizing him as an "A" man. His application for exemption today was disallowed by the local tribunal and he already was gazetted as a lieutenant in the R. A. M. C. Since his personal examination he has discovered that his knee was causing him considerable trouble and so asked for a reexamination.

"You put yourself in category 'A,' doctor, so I think we'll let that stand," said Jude Denton. Dr. Avery asked for some time to fix up his practise and collect his accounts, but was advised by the military representative to leave his affairs in the hands of lawyers. No extension was given despite the doctor's plea.

COUNSEL SCORES C. P. ASSOCIATION

Complains About Withdrawal from Investigation Into Question of Newsprint Prices

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—The action of the Canadian Press association in withdrawing from the newsprint investigation some months ago was the subject of some general observations by G. H. Montgomery, K.C., counsel for the paper manufacturers before Justice Pringle this afternoon.

At the morning sitting an adjournment has been made to permit of the manufacturers settling among themselves the basis of adjustment for the compensation which those who export to the United States will pay to those who, at lower rates, have to keep the home fires burning by supplying the Canadian newspaper offices. It was announced that the parties, unable to agree, had decided to leave it to the commissioner and the accountant, Mr. Clarkson. The amount involved is variously figured from $250,000 to $800,000.

Then Mr. Montgomery drew attention to what he called a very undesirable situation under which they had been laboring for some months. At an early stage in the inquiry, the publishers had dropped out. To the minds of the manufacturers, the excuse was flimsy. This withdrawal had been followed by a series of unfair articles attacking the commissioner and Mr. Clarkson. He hoped the criticism had been ignored.

Mr. Pringle said it certainly had been so far as he was concerned and Mr. Clarkson added that there were only one or two things with which he was concerned.

Mr. Montgomery went on to say that the press association evidently did not regard this investigation as of much import and was making the case out of court. They were making it with the commissioner and Mr. Clarkson.

"I want to say here," said Commissioner Pringle, "that in this inquiry I have listened to everyone interested and desire to obtain every possible information in the matter. I hope you appreciate, as I appreciate, that this is a subject of great importance to the manufacturers, the newspapers and the public. Any information anyone can give—from either side, I will be glad to get."

WAR AIMS OF FRANCE WILL BE DISCUSSED TODAY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

PARIS, Jan. 10.—The government has accepted discussion of its diplomatic conduct of the war for tomorrow. This announcement was made in the chamber today. The Socialist deputy, M. Mayras, expressed the hope that the government would make a definite decisin. He regretted that the French statesmen had allowed themselves to be antiripated by Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson. President Wilson, he said, had once more spoken to the world as he would have liked France to speak. Victorious since the Marne, declared M. Mayras, it was France's place to speak.

APPEAL TRIBUNAL HEARS LAST CASES

(Continued from Page Two.)

the Kaslo tribunal that his father was an invalid. He had not, the father declared. The Kaslo tribunal had reported so, the counsel said. Witness again refuted the charge.

Major L. E. Borden was responsible for the medical fitness of both men, witness said, for both of his sons were unfit at one time on account of goitre.

Counsel asked witness why his son had gone to Alberta. Was it to get away from this case which was coming up? asked Mr. Crowe-Sword.

Witness replied warmly that his son had twice volunteered before and he had not been accepted. His son was not trying to get out of it. He was only filling in time, he declared, and he termed counsel's intimation as "a nasty suggestion."

Mine Manager Testifies

Mr. Fowler, manager of the Bluebell mines, was called to the stand. Mr. Fowler said he had only happened in the court and had not prepared to give evidence. Atrie had been employed at his mine and had been a highly valued man, especially in the waterpower department of the company. Atrie would be considered a mucker, not being a full fledged miner.

"That might mean brute strength, might it not?" asked counsel.

"I'd like to put you at the end of a muck stick," Fowler added, to the amusement of the court.

Decision reserved.

Exemption Automatic

E. Fairbanks presented his medical certificate entitling him to category "E." Exemption was automatic.

Mrs. McBride of Trail took the witness stand in behalf of her son. She said she needed her son, James, who had been called. She had a mother past 70 to support, besides the children. Her son sends her $40 a month. His honor and counsel discussed the exact attitude of the government in the case.

"This is another instance of that narrow view and as in the case of yesterday I would want to know, absolutely, that this case would apply," the court said.

His honor then said, addressing Mrs. McBride, "In event of my deciding that your son should report for service you should tell him to go at once to the paymaster and assign his pay to you. And you should make application to the patriotic society. But I only tell you this. You will be notified as to my decision by the provincial registrar."

For National Service.

R. B. Dimock, aged 31, mine foreman of a concentrator at Ainsworth. He had about 10 years experience. Witness asked exemption on ground of being employed in a service of national importance. He produced a letter from his employer supporting his claim.

His honor went into the question with the witness of there being a real shortage of mining workers. He had evidence before him on one occasion of 40 men having been turned away from the Sullivan mine unable to get work at that mine.

In speaking of his services witness said that skilled labor was scarce, but he hardly expected the mine would close down if he enlisted.

A brother is at the front. Mother and three sisters live in Nova Scotia. He said he was not employed at the present time, but expected to go to work soon as foreman.

"Then must a man give up everything and go to the coast and then come back if he fails to pass the examination and look for a job?" he asked.

The judge stated that he might have another examination and that decision was reserved for the time being. Jobs should not be given up until an actual call is made, he said.

Appeal for Son.

Wm. Willetts appeared for his son, O. G., whois a rancher at Winlaw. A living was not made off the land in its present state, although the son had been employed steadily. He had sold 380 dozen eggs. One son was at the front.

"Wasn't there a lot of sentiment attached to the impulse in writing Gen. Mewburn?"

"I didn't write it," witness said. "But if you want my sons I think the government should buy my land back."

"What if the government doesn't get the men and Fritz gets the land for nothing?"

"Well, if you want my two boys, will you let me in, too, and the three of us will go," the old gentleman replied.

Decision was reserved.

D. H. Lane runs a train of pack horses at Ainsworth. His father and mother live in the city. Mr. Lane, Sr., is caretaker at the city cemetery and is 52. Witness said he was 32 years of age and all he had was represented in this business which catered to seven mines. He packed horses 20 miles a day, which required a man physically fit. He had a brother who did not come under the military service and it would be difficult for the brother to fill witness' place. Decision was reserved.

SUGGESTS UNITY OF CANADA BOARD

Quebec Paper Puts Forward Proposal for Successfully Solving Threatening Problems.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUEBEC, Jan. 10.—As a tentative solution of the problems which are threatening the unity of Canada at present, the Quebec Chronicle will submit tomorrow for the consideration of the press and the people a scheme whereby the merits of the whole case may be impartially investigated and fully established, once for all.

"This solution," says the Chronicle, "is nothing more or less than a commission so constituted as to command unanimous acquiescence in its authority, competence, and justice, which shall sit in the capital city of each province successively, taking evidence and receiving complaints from representative organizations upon which to base a finding that shall not be one merely of law, but of absolute equity.

"To this commission Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier should each nominate six members, three French and three English Canadians, the individual members of each group to be representative of law, religion and education, and the whole presided over as chairman by Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of the supreme court of Canada.

The Chronicle stipulates that no active politician shall be eligible to sit on this commission.

PREMIER BREWSTER WILL ACT AS PROVINCIAL SECRETARY

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VICTORIA, Jan. 10.—Provincial appointments gazetted are:

F. G. Calvert of Nelson to be inspector of schools and Premier Brewster to be acting provincial secretary during the absence of Hon. Dr. McLean at Ottawa.

VOLCANIC ERUPTION DESTROYS ECUADOR TOWN

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

QUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Jan. 10.—The volcano in Tungragua, in Central Ecuador, has been in eruption for several days past emitting showers of stones and ashes. The population in the region is alarmed at the demonstration in activity from the crater.

It was reported that the town of Banos, at the foot of the volcano has been destroyed.

OFFICIALS OF HAMBURG-AMERICAN LINE JAILED

Three Punished for Sending Supplies to German Cruisers Early in the War.

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

NEW YORK(Jan. 10.—Karl Bunz, George Kotter, Adolph Hachmeister and Joseph Popenhouse, of the Hamburg-American line, received prison sentences today after their conviction of violating the customs laws in sending supplies to German cruisers early in the war, was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals here.

The first three received terms of one year and a half each and Popenhouse a year and a day in the Atlanta, Ga., penitentiary.

The Hamburg-American line, also a defendant, was sentenced to pay a fine of $1.

MEAT SITUATION AT LONDON IS IMPROVED

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The meat situation, which has been so acute during the last week, was greatly improved today. Large consignments of beef and mutton reached Smithfield last night and all retailers applying received supplies this morning.

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA CASE

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Judgment was reserved in the case which came before the Ontario license board yesterday concerning the British Columbia Hop company and the Berlin Lion Brewing company. Under section 84 of the Ontario Temperance act no person shall take action for the purpose of enforcing a contract made for the purchase of hops when the contract was made prior to April 27, 1918, unless permission be granted by the Ontario license board. It is this permission which the hop company requested, in order that it may sue for payment of the difference between the contract price at which the hops actually were sold when the brewery refused to take them.

MACEDONIAN LOSES LIFE WHEN CAFE BURNED DOWN

PETERBORO, Ont., Jan. 10.—Gus Kaustantino, a Macedonian, who was employed in the kitchen of the Boston cafe, lost his life when that building was destroyed by fire early today. He is believed to have lost his way during the fire.

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MARK L. REQUA IS NAMED OIL CONTROLLER

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Mark L. Requa, of Oakland, California, was today appointed head of the newly formed oil division of the fuel administration, which will handle government control of oil. The first work will be an investigation of the entire petroleum situation.

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Appellants who receive notice that their appeal from military service has been allowed until a stated time, should not give up their positions to become effective on that date, but should only be prepared to leave in case they are called then, Judge Thompson stated at the military appeal tribunal yesterday afternoon.

"When temporary exemption is allowed," the judge said, "it does not necessarily mean that the one affected will be called on that date. It only means that he cannot be called before that date. I would advise men not to throw up positions to become effective on the date mentioned on the advice which claimants will receive from the provincial registrar."

The notification will be sent to the appellant by registered mail.

PICTURES OF DISTRICT SCENERY TO BE SHOWN EAST

By resolution Fred A. Starkey was last night thanked by the board of trade for his work in securing pictures of local scenery to be used by the Pacific Northwest Tourist association for making slides to be used at lectures in the east.

A GRADUATE NURSE

Why She Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Chicago, Ill.—"I was in poor health for two years, caused by a displacement, and during six months of this time was under a doctor's care without getting any help. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made me feel like a new woman. I am entirely relieved of the displacement and periodic pains, and am now the mother of a beautiful healthy baby. I am a graduate nurse and will be glad to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to other women."—Mrs. R. W. SLOAN, 6026 So. Park Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

There are many women who suffer as Mrs. Sloan did and who are being benefited by this great medicine every day. It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration.

If you need special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass.

Alkali In Shampoos Bad for the Hair

If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which *is pure and greaseless*) and is better than anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

NELSON NEWS OF THE DAY

Have your skates sharpened at Wade's Up-to-Date Shoe Shop. (7927)

Prime beef at Marsden's stall Saturday market. (7938)

Boys! Get a bag of marbles free, by having your skates sharpened at Wade's Up-to-Date Shoe Shop. (7928)

A meeting of workers for McQuarrie and his ticket will be held on Saturday at 3 p.m. at the committee rooms in the old Bell Trading store. Come! (7937)

WILL LOOK INTO SLOCAN PHONE NEED

Board of Trade Refers Question to Committee—Link Between Nelson and Foot of Lake Urged.

Nelson board of trade last night asked its telephone committee to look into the proposal to request the Dominion government to construct the links needed to give telephone communication between Nelson and Slocan City and between Slocan City and Silverton. A line is needed from Kochs to Slocan and from Slocan to Silverton.

J. R. Hunter, president of the board said he had discussed the matter with the British Columbia Telephone company officials, who approved of the route proposed, but suggested that the matter should not be urged at this time owing to the heavy cost of construction caused by war conditions.

A report by the committee is expected at the next meeting of the board.

WANTS RESOLUTIONS FOR THE ASSOCIATED BOARDS

Associated boards of trade will hold the annual meeting in Nelson in February and the Nelson board announced last night that the secretary, E. F. Gigot, was prepared to receive resolutions on matter which might be placed before the district association.

WANTS MORE PRODUCTION.

A letter from the food controller advocating greater agricultural production has been received by the Nelson board of trade and will be referred to the Kootenay Fruitgrowers' union.

DEMANDS TWO-YEAR TERM FOR COUNCIL

Penticton Board Thinks to Ensure Retention of Some Experienced Aldermen Would Be Beneficial

Penticton board of trade believes that British Columbia cities would benefit if part of the council each year remained in office the following year, and has asked the Nelson board of trade to endorse the proposal. The board last night decided to leave the matter over for the present. "If we take any action now someone will say we are butting into civic politics," suggested Fred A. Starkey.

The Penticton proposal is that aldermen should be elected for a two-year term, part retiring one year and part the next year. The hold-over members, who would have at least one year's experience, would be able, the Penticton board suggested, to give great assistance to the new members.

THINKS NELSON DID WELL IN RATE CASE

Board of Trade Decides That British Columbia Has Rather the Best of It.

No action will be taken by the Nelson board of trade with regard to the increase in freight rates, which has been ordered by the Dominion railway board. Fred A. Starkey and George A. Brown expressed the opinion that, taking all the circumstances into consideration, British Columbia, and particularly the Nelson board, would not be well advised to make any protest.

"All we can do is to congratulate ourselves on the fact that we have got a little the best of it," said Mr. Starkey.

Mr. Brown—A 10 per cent increase as against 15 per cent in the east.

Mr. Starkey—Yes, and no increase in passenger rates. Although I made the representations on behalf of the local board when the railway commission was here, I think that it is not out of place to say that I believe our action and the arguments we offered had a great deal to do with the favorable result as far as this province is concerned. The chairman of the commission spoke of the increasing cost of railway operation, coal prices and so on. I spoke to him with regard to *passenger rates and pointed out that* in this province we were already paying ½-cent a mile more than any other province. While, of course, we would prefer to see no advance in freight rates, the railway board undoubtedly went into the matter very thoroughly and found that increasing costs of railway operation had made an increase in rates essential. The roads are in a run down condition all *over the Dominion. To place the road* beds and rolling stock in good condition will require a tremendous sum of money. I may repeat that I think, under all the circumstances, that British Columbia, and especially this board, can congratulate itself on the relatively favorable award it has secured.

Mr. Brown—It is certain that our efforts were not by any means *wasted.*

FIVE TONS OF JAPANESE WINE SEIZED BY POLICE

(By Daily News Leased Wire.)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 10.—Five tons of saki, a Japanese wine, was seized by the police at one place in the local Oriental quarter this morning. The owner of the liquor, a Japanese, will be prosecuted.

Oddment and Remnant Sale Today

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ODD GARMENTS, ODD PIECES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, SHORT ENDS OF DRESS GOODS, RIBBONS, WASH GOODS—ALL TO BE CLEARED OUT AT RIDICLOUS PRICES
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BRASSIERES—Embroidery and lace trimmed; all sizes. Regular up to $1.75. On Sale **49c**

SIX ONLY, INFANTS' FLANNELETTE BARRACOATS—Good quality. Regular 60c. On Sale **35c**

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TWENTY-FIVE ALL-WOOL FLANNEL BANDS—Taped edges. Regular 35c. On Sale, Each **15c**

INFANTS' ALL-WOOL VESTS—Button front or Reubens style. Regular 50c. On Sale **25c**

FOUR ONLY, INFANTS' CREAM WOOL CASHMERE DRESSES—Regular $1.75. On Sale, Each **$1.00**

TWELVE ONLY, INFANTS' NAINSOOK PETTICOATS—With tucks and embroidery. Regular $1.25. On Sale, Each **69c**

SIX ONLY, FLANNELETTE PETTICOATS FOR INFANTS—Regular 85c. On Sale, Each **49c**

FOUR ONLY, FINE NAINSOOK ROBES—Dainty embroidery and lace. Regular $1.50. On Sale **75c**

ONE ONLY, FINE NAINSOOK ROBE—Embroidery bottom of skirt; fine yoke. Regular $2.00. On Sale **$1.00**

TEN ONLY, INFANTS' WHITE ALL-WOOL BOOTEES On Sale, Per Pair..... **15c**

TEN ONLY, GIRLS' GREY FLANNELETTE PETTICOATS—With fitted waist band; sizes 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10. Regular 60c. On Sale **39c**

TWELVE ONLY, GIRLS' WHITE AND COLORED FLANNELETTE DRAWERS—Sizes 4 to 12 years. Regular values to 75c. On Sale, Per Pair **25c**

SIX ONLY, PINK FLANNELETTE DRAWERS—Closed style; 28 and 30 waist. Regular 95c. On Sale, Per Pair **49c**

ONE ONLY, PINK FLANNELETTE GOWN—58 inches; finished with frogs. Regular $1.50. On Sale **$1.00**

ONE ONLY, ANGORA WOOL BOYS' HAT—With ribbon rosette; in cream. Regular price, $3.00. On Sale **$1.00**

ONE PAIR ONLY, HAND WORKED LADIES' DRAWERS—Regular $2.50. On Sale **$1.25**

TWO PAIRS ONLY, NAINSOOK DRAWERS FOR LADIES—Regular price, 55c. On Sale **25c**

TWO ONLY, GIRLS' NAINSOOK PETTICOATS—Embroidery trimmed. Regular 65c. On Sale **39c**

FOUR ONLY, LADIES' NAINSOOK COMBINATIONS—Size 36 only. Regular $1.50. On Sale **75c**

TWO ONLY, FINE NAINSOOK COMBINATIONS—Embroidered; sizes 34 and 36. Regular $1.85. On Sale, Each **95c**

ONE ONLY, FINE COMBINATIONS—Embroidery trimmed; size 34. Regular 85c. On Sale **59c**

TWO ONLY, GIRLS' FINE NAINSOOK NIGHTGOWNS—Slip-over style; sizes 6 and 8. Regular 80c. On Sale **45c**

FOUR ONLY, GIRLS' NAINSOOK GOWNS—*Have embroidery yoke; sizes 6 and 8 only.* Regular $1.50. On Sale **75c**

FOUR ONLY, LADIES' FINE COTTON GOWNS—Slip-over style; embroidery trimmed. On Sale **65c**

SIX ONLY, LADIES' FINE COTTON GOWNS—Slip-over style; embroidery or lace trimmed. On Sale **$1.00**

FOUR ONLY, CHILDREN'S COTTON GOWNS—Embroidery trimmed; size 4 only. Regular 65c. On Sale **35c**

TWO ONLY, LADIES' WHITE DRILL MIDDIES—Have blue braid trimmed collar; sizes 42 and 44. Regular $1.75. On Sale **95c**

ONE ONLY, LADIES' SILK BLOOMERS—Navy; medium size. Regular $3.50. On Sale **$1.00**

ONE PAIR ONLY, CHILD'S TEDDY BEAR CLOTH GAITERS—For child two years. Regular 95c. On Sale **25c**

ONE ONLY, LADY'S HOUSE DRESS—Mauve Stripe Gingham; size 42; with cap to match. Regular $1.75. On Sale **$1.00**

ONE ONLY, INFANT'S CREAM BEARCLOTH CAP—Warmly lined. Regular $1.00. On Sale **25c**

FOUR PAIR ONLY, GOSSARD CORSETS—Our best make; sizes 21, 22, 27, 29. Regular $7.95. On Sale **$2.49**

ONE ONLY, GIRLS' CREAM PLUSH COAT—Trimmed with Black Curl Cloth; size 27 inches. Regular $10.50. On Sale **$5.00**

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ODD PIECES FOR MEN AT MARVELOUS LOW PRICES

STANFIELD'S ALL-WOOL UNDERVESTS—The Famous Red Label; size 34 only. Worth $2.50. On Sale **$1.19**

COTTON NIGHTSHIRTS—Heavy twilled laydown collar; sizes 15 and 15½ only. Regular $1.25. On Sale **98c**

THREE ONLY, MILITARY GREY FLANNEL SHIRTS—With attached collar; heavy winter weight; size 15 only. Regular $1.75. On Sale **$1.39**

AN ODD LOT OF HATS FOR THE SMALLER BOYS—Regular $1.00 each. On Sale **59c**

FIVE JERSEY SUITS WITH CAPS TO MATCH—Three Navy, two Myrtle; two-year size. Regular price $2.50. Sale Price **98c**

THREE WOOL SWEATERS—Grey Only; two-year size; button shoulder. Regular 65c. On Sale, Each **35c**

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TWENTY-FIVE MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS—In a variety of stripes and colors; all sizes in the lot, 14½ to 17. Regular price, $1.75. On Sale, Each **79c**

COLLAR CLEARANCE—A large assortment. Regular price, 20c each. Clearing at, Four for **25c**

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COVERED SUGAR—Clover Leaf, blue band, gold band. Regular 75c. Sale Price **35c**

GRAVY BOAT AND STAND—Clover Leaf. Regular 60c. Sale Price **30c**

SLOP BOWLS—Gold Edge and Lines. *Regular 25c.* Sale Price **15c**

MEAT PLATTERS—12-in., 14-in., 16-in. Regular 75c to $1.25. Sale Price **50c**

GLASS STAND LAMPS—No. 2 burner complete. Regular 85c. Sale Price **60c**

LARGE WHITE BEDROOM JUGS—Regular $1.00. Sale Price **75c**

PLAIN WHITE BEDROOM CHAMBERS—Regular 85c. Sale Price **65c**

CANADIAN BEAN JARS—½-Gallon Size. Regular 65c. Sale Price **50c**

CANADIAN BEAN JARS—¾-Gallon Size. Regular 90c. Sale Price **70c**

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ELI JULIEN TAKES OVER NELSON HOUSE

Hotel Again Changes Management for the Second Time in Last Few Days.

Again, yesterday, the announcement was made that the Nelson house had changed hands. Eli H. Julien, who has been connected with the hotel for the last 11 years, has leased the rooms and cafe and has assumed management. Although the same rates will be maintained, several improvements will be made in the building.

Mr. Julien has been connected with the hotel business for many years and his 11 years of hotel experience in the city has given him a wide acquaintance. He proposes to improve the cuisine and general order of the hotel in every way and to continue the policy of keeping the cafe open both day and night. Carlson and Nordenson have leased the soft drink buffet.

Mr. Justice Riddell at Toronto decided in one exemption appeal that the appellant must raise 200 hogs a year and work his ten-acre property.

HOLD SERVICES FOR FRANK STEVENSON

More Than Hundred Follow Body to Station—Burial of Railroad Man Will Be at Lytton

Funeral services for the late Frank Stevenson, killed by falling from a train near Porcupine, were held last night and were largely attended. The arrangements were in charge of the Oddfellows, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Order of Railroad Conductors. More than 100, in addition to intimate friends of the family, followed the body to the station, where it was placed on board the Arrow lakes train. The burial will take place at Lytton, B. C.

Services were held in the undertaking parlors of D. J. Robertson by Rev. D. L. McClintock and Rev. Fred H. Graham.

Pallbearers were: J. Simons, for the engineers; W. Graham, for the firemen; W. T. Choate, for the Canadian Pacific railway office staff; George McKeown, for the conductors; Alex Sutherland, for the trainmen; and A. Casely, for the Oddfellows.

Mrs. Stevenson, the widow, and two sons accompanied the body to Lytton.

Mr. Stevenson was a native son of British Columbia. He was born in New Westminster in 1878 and spent all his life in the province. He had been in the employ of the Canadian Pacific railway as brakeman and conductor for the past 12 years. For a great part of the time he was in the passenger service. His father was a pioneer of the Cariboo and still lives at Lytton. His mother was Miss Lomester of West Virginia.

Brother railroad men and travelers who came into contact with Mr. Stevenson spoke last night in the highest terms of the dead man. They referred to the courtesy with which he treated the public, the congenial relations he always maintained with his fellow trainmen and the general respect in which he was held by his fellow citizens in Nelson.

Lieut.-Col. P. A. Moore, well known big game hunter, and returned officer from the great world war, is in command of the Calgary draftees under the Military Service act.

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SETS NELSON FAIR FOR SEPT. 25-26

Agricultural and Industrial Association Holds Annual Meet at City Hall

Nelson's sixteenth annual fair will be held Sept. 25-26, by decision of the members of the Agricultural and Industrial association, at the annual meeting held in the city hall council chambers last evening.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: William Irving, re-elected president; J. W. Holmes, vice-president; G. Horstead, secretary-manager; A. D. Emory, treasurer; J. A. Irving, William Irvine, J. E. Annable, F. A. Starkey, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. J. M. Bulger, James Johnstone, G. Horstead, A. M. Black, Mrs. C. V. Gagnon, Robb Sutherland, A. D. Emory, J. W. Holmes, W. R. Jarvis, H. W. Robertson, N. M. Cummings, John Hislop, M. R. McQuarrie, Mrs. Hugh Ross. R. C. Ramsden and J. Goulding received the same number of ballots on the first count and on second vote the odds fell to J. Goulding.

President's Report

President William Irvine read his annual report as follows:

"Upon making my report as president of the Nelson Agricultural and Industrial association, I wish to state that the association has accomplished but little during the past year, but under existing circumstances I do feel we deserve some credit for having held our annual fifteenth fall fair.

"From the reports of your officers you will find not much of a material difference from previous years and while, perhaps, the number of exhibits were not as large as former years, I am certain that the display equalled others as to quality and the shortage of tray and box exhibits were due to the failure of crops in this district generally.

"Our vegetable exhibits were good and I think much better than the previous year. As to the women's fancy work, the display was up to former exhibits, displaying a most gratifying amount of different kinds of excellent hand work of the women of the district. Not only does this apply to the fancy work, but to the home cooking, preserves, and the home-made pickles, etc. Although these departments, which concern the women in particular, have done remarkably well, I believe that a still greater effort should be made to induce and if possible secure many more of our women to interest themselves in these departments and to enter exhibits.

Urges 1918 Interest

"With reference to our financial standing for the last year, which was not as great as the year 1916, yet, with the assistance of the provincial government, we were in a position to meet all our accounts and to pay all prize moneys in full. I am pleased to state that in addition to that we managed to pay the Imperial bank the sum of $200 on our overdraft, thus leaving our present indebtedness to the bank of $1000.

"As to the merry-go-round, I wish to state that we found it very profitable and would advise that the new board take steps to have repairs made this year and to see if possible that the organ be placed in running order.

"I would also recommend that the incoming board take steps to encourage the farmers institute's display, which would eventually help us considerably. Also to afford greater inducements for garden displays, which I believe could be arranged much better than at our fairs in the past.

"I wish also to call the attention of the association to the Canadian Pacific Railway company, who are pressing for payment of lease. In a late communication they have threatened to remove our fences if some settlement is not made at an early date. This matter was referred to the city council, asking that they take the lots over, but nothing has been done and the question was laid on the table by the city council.

"I would also recommend to the incoming board that the time is opportune to go a little stronger on attractions in order to bring more people to Nelson for our fair, which I regret to state has not been very great during the last year or two, and to which our attention has been called by the Canadian Pacific railway passenger department. Unless we do something along this line they will be compelled to discontinue giving us single fare rates.

"I wish at this time to have the pleasure of thanking the officers and board of directors for the many kindnesses shown to me while their president and ask that the same courtesy be extended to my successor in office."

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John Burns, Jr.

For Aldermen

J. Fred Hume George F. Motion

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McQuarrie's Committee

Social and Personal

T. Brakins of Trail was in the city last evening.

J. E. King of Creston was in Nelson yesterday. He stayed at the Queens.

Charles J. White of Ainsworth was at the Tremont last evening.

A. T. Garland of Kaslo was a guest at the Hume while in the city yesterday.

Edward Peterson, Creston, was in the city yesterday and a guest at the Queens.

Mrs. M. M. Fraser of Kootenay Bay was in the city yesterday and stayed at the Hume.

Mrs. A. S. McAuley of Silverton spent yesterday in the city a guest at the Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lloyd and children of New Denver stayed at the Hume while in the city yesterday.

J. Kyle, provincial vocational officer of Victoria, was a city visitor and a guest at the Hume last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Montcrieff of Glenavon, Sask., were guests at the Hume while in the city last evening.

A. McCluskey of Princeton spent Thursday in Nelson. He was registered at the Grand Central last evening.

Pte. E. Foss, who in a despatch yesterday was reported to be on his way home to Nelson from the front, is a brother of Mrs. C. Lammadee of Nelson.

Miss Olive Hayes, formerly domestic science teacher at the Nelson public school, has been appointed provincial domestic science inspector, according to a report whih has reached Nelson from Victoria.

F. W. Sterling, Carmen Maglio and H. E. Dill were elected members of the board of trade last night. The resignations of Dr. N. Wolverton and C. F. McHardy were received and accepted.

Miss Crane and Ben T. Teed of Kaslo were in the city last evening. Incidentally, while here they were married and expect to leave this morning for a short honeymoon, via the Crow boat. They were guests at the Grand Central while in the city.

Miss E. S. Pyke, former city school teacher, who has been visiting in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. Cowan is now on her way to Toronto.

City curlers expect to be able to start curling for the season Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock when the president and vice-president competition will be played, ice permitting.

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