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MEETING OF COUNCIL.

NEW PROPOSITION FOR THE CITY DEBENTURES.

To Issue $10,000 Worth of Paper and Pay it Back $1000 a Year Without Interest—Full Text of Letter Submitted by the Trust Company.

Ald. Nichol and Worden were the absentees at Monday night's meeting of council.

Correspondence read: Telegram from B. C. Trust Co., re city debentures; also letter from the same company. The letter was as follows:

"We telegraphed you last night as follows: 'Wait communication to your advantage before preparing new debenture bylaw.' We had just received and considered Mr. Galt's report, so knew your intention of submitting a new bylaw. Chap. 144, R.S.B.C., sec. 50, sub sec. 8, provides that debentures may be issued 'bearing or not bearing interest.' Sec. 68, sub sec, 4, provides that, in settling the sum to be raised annually for sinking fund, it should not be estimated at more than 4 per cent. Sinking funds are the cause of much trouble and anxiety and are sometimes wholly lost. As under sec. 68, sub sec. 4, you would have to provide $583.33 per annum, in addition to $490 for interest, making a total of $1073.33 per anum, we will, at your option, accept $10,000 in debentures, of which $1000 shall mature in each year, without interest, in lieu of the $7000 bearing interest, and will pay the same net price of $6300 for the whole. This course is usually preferred in Ontario. This, of course, depends upon Mr. Galt's approval of the issue."

Explanations followed, discussion of the letter lasting over an hour. The company's offer was considered in the nature of a premium of $730 over the old scheme of paying interest and providing a sinking fund. The company would give $6300 for the debentures, whether it was the $7000 with interest or the $10,000 without interest. Now the question which is the amount saved in 10 years under the new scheme added to the $730, it would mean an actual premium of $30 on the full face value of the $7000 issue, and there would need be no provision made for interest and sinking fund. Under the old scheme $1073 would have to be provided annually and under the new $1000.

City Solicitor Morand was called on and said it was a question of whether this and succeeding councils could invest the sinking fund of the old proposition better than 4 per cent, which the law calls for, and have it done promptly and safely. If not, the city would be short at the end of the ten years. If the council were successful with investing the sinking fund, there would be a lessening of the annual levy. The new plan does away with a sinking fund and lessens the anxiety of each succeeding council. The sinking fund if left in the bank at 3 per cent would not be sufficient. The new plan was more to the city's interest and advantage.

More talking ensued, the mayor favoring calling a public meeting and laying the whole matter before the ratepayers.

Ald Barber wanted information, as he had been unable to attend the meetings regularly and he was out of touch with things. Two months ago he was told at the board that all the property in the millsite was under option except one or two lots. Now there was a demand made on the city for $1600. He understood George Kydd was getting $300 for his lot, while the option could have been had for $100. He thought this business had been all settled.

Ald. Robertson concurred in the remarks of Ald. Barber.

Ald. McCallum and Mayor York explained that Frank Fletcher had promised more than he could fulfil, hence the additional money to pay. Kydd had never given an option for $100 on his lot, and the mayor read a letter from him, dated in July, showing that the property had been purchased for $275 and would not be sold for less. Most of the deeds were in the bank and there were options on the balance. The property of Lowes & Harrington and Finucane were the only ones unsecured and they were being secured. Block F was all safe and secure.

The discussion drifted into the question of the new bylaw passing, the opinion being that it must pass in order to save the city from a serious suit for damages from the mill company, whose agreement stood and who could hold the city liable.

No word had been received from the lieutenant governor relative to the cancellation of bylaw 14, neither was there anything from the townsite company.

Letter from the B. C. Trust Co. was ordered laid on the table till the next meeting.

Bills presented: Pioneer Livery, to hire of team, $12. Referred back to be certified.

Council stood adjourned to Thursday night.

ARLINGTON SHIPMENTS.

Settlements from the smelters on ores shipped by the Arlington three months ago are now being made, and the result is a distinct loss to the property, owing to the abnormally low price of silver. The Arlington ores are now being treated at Trail and the returns are not made as quickly as from Nelson. Below is a corrected list of the mine shipments since the first of January, the aggregate being about 200 tons greater than the total given in the weekly summary:

MONTH.	TONS.
January	503.17
February	248.13
March	260.52
April	127.75
May	490.60
June	347.76
July	316.29
August	300.11
September	389.48
October	416.73
November (estimated)	84.18
Total	3585

Increasing Smelter Capacity.

Eastern papers of recent date publish an interesting interview with S. H. C. Miner, president of the Granby Consolidated Mining Co. Mr. Miner announced that it was the intention of the company to erect next year a smelter with a daily capacity of 2000 tons on a site adjoining the present Granby plant at Grand Forks. The enlargement of the scope of the company's operations would give them a daily capacity of 3800 tons. Mr. Miner also stated that several prominent Americans will be added to the directorate, and took occasion to deprecate the indifference with which eastern Canadians regard the marvelous development of the mineral resources of British Columbia now in progress. The present capacity of the works is 1800 tons, and the proposed enlargement will entail the expenditure of a large sum of money and the employment of many more men.

Aliens Can't Hold Liquor Licenses.

A very important amendment was made to the Liquor License Act at the last session of the legislature, and one that has not become generally known. It provides that no license shall be issued to "any person who is not on the list of voters for the legislature of the province of British Columbia." This effectually debars all aliens from engaging in the hotel business in any locality outside the incorporated municipalities. In the list of applications now before the license commissioners of the Slocan there are several who do not figure on the voters' list, and it remains to be seen whether or no the commissioners know and will perform their duty. The applicants evidently do not know their position.

Wedding Bells.

The residence of Henry Nixon, below Lemon creek, was the scene of a very happy and interesting event on Monday afternoon, when John Graham, the well known rancher, and Miss Katherine Smyth were united in marriage by Rev. Wm. Simons. The bride came out from Ireland some months ago and has been visiting Mrs. Nixon. A number of the ranchers along the valley were present and showed their esteem for the young couple with a number of valuable and useful presents. A bountiful wedding feast was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Nixon, after partaking of which the young couple left to begin life in their own home, followed by the good wishes of their many friends and neighbors.

Almost a Blaze.

The residence of R. E. Allen, in Brandon, occupied by W. H. Davidson, came within an ace of being destroyed by fire on Saturday evening. The stovepipes passing through the kitchen roof became disjointed and the sparks set fire to the shingles, but happily energetic neighbors were available and the blaze was put out with snow. An alarm had been turned in and the local fire brigade was promptly on the scene, every man in his place and with the necessary apparatus to do business. It was a good practice.

Hospital Ball.

One of the most enjoyable assemblies held in the city for a long time was that given under the auspices of the M. U. General Hospital on Tuesday evening. The ball was held in the Music Hall and was largely attended by an exceptionally well dressed crowd, the general result being a handsome dividend for the hospital. Refreshments were served in the hall and the arrangements were carried out in a faultless manner. The McMillan orchestra furnished the music and Wm. Hicks acted as floor manager.

A REWARD OF PLUCK.

Reports relative to Frank Griffith's rich strike on Ten Mile have turned out correct. Frank was in the city on Wednesday, having brought down some of the ore for assay. He stated the discovery had been made a little to the west of his old workings on the Westmount group, on the north side of the creek and opposite the Enterprise. On the surface was an exposure of quartz and he has driven a tunnel in on it 45 feet, the last 30 feet being in ore. The ledge is 15 feet in width and the ore streak from three to 30 inches. The ore is mixed with grey copper and is exceedingly rich. An assay on it when first struck gave 213 oz silver, but is steadily improving. The samples Frank had with him here would run close to 1000 oz.

The strike of the vein would bring it not more than 75 feet from the end of the long tunnel on the Westmount, which, after all these years, will be of practical use and benefit. It is the intention of the owner to continue developing his discovery and make an early shipment. Already he has five tons of ore on the dump, taken from the drift, and by spring he will have opened up a large reserve of ore. With the Westmount, there are six claims in the group, all owned by the one man. They are connected by a good trail, have a comfortable cabin built, and are advantageously situated for development and close to the wagon road.

Frank has been working away on the creek for the past six years and has done a pile of development, but success has at length come to him. It is richly deserved and everyone hopes he may make a big killing. Frank is most enthusiastic over his strike, and predicts better things for the creek, provided silver does not go entirely in the gutter. Ten Mile has always been considered a one-mine creek, but this year's operations have shown that besides the Enterprise, the Mabou, Iron Horse and Westmount deserve to be classed as mines, capable of producing and shipping high grade ore.

Dainty May Sargeant.

Few, if any, players have gained so much prominence as that fascinating little actress, Dainty May Sargent, who graduated at the Rideau Street convent, in Ottawa, Ont., where she was a student for three or four years and president of the English girls' dramatic entertainments. Miss Sargent made her professional debut with Madame Modjeska, and is now scoring heavily in "Other People's Money." She appears here this (Thursday) night in the Music Hall.

Case of Clark vs Collom.

The celebrated case of Clark vs Collom, affecting the Arlington mine, came up before the full court at Vancouver last week, W. J. Bowser appearing for the plaintiff, appellant, and E. P. Davis for the defendant, respondent. Judgment was that the plaintiff has leave to recast pleadings and leave to move before a judge in chambers to strike out the order for jury; costs of this application to be costs to defendant.

Mineowners Elect Officers.

The Mineowners' Association held their annual meeting at Nelson last week. The officers elected were: President, S. S. Fowler; first vice, J. H. Tonkin; second vice, Leslie Hill; secretary, E. B. Kirby; treasurer, J. J. Campbell; executive committee, H. B. Alexander, James Cronin, J. Astley, J. L. Parker, J. L. Retallack, A. C. Garde, G. W. Hughes, W. F. Thompson and C. P. Hill.

Serious Accident to a Lad.

Word has been received here of a serious accident befalling Kaleel, the second son of E. J. Felt, on Nov. 29, at Tacoma, Wash. The little fellow, aged only eight years, in playing at a a shingle mill got caught in the belting and whirled round a shaft. When released the lad's thigh and leg were broken and his head severely cut. He was taken to the hospital, where he is now doing nicely.

Workmen From Ontario.

On Monday a gang of ten skilled men arrived in from Midland, Ont., to work for the Ontario-Slocan Lumber Co. The framing of the shingle mill is to be started, the foundation piling having been completed on Saturday. Several men have also been sent into the lumber woods to get out logs, in preparation of the spring drive.

OUR ORE SHIPMENTS

SUBSTANTIAL SHOWING MADE BY THIS DIVISION.

Last Year's Shipments Were 6514 Tons—A Healthy Evidence of the Life and Wealth of the Camp—Arlington the Biggest Shipper.

A large increase is to be noted in the ore shipments this week and the output is now reaching respectable proportions. Three properties sent out a total of 160 tons. Of these the Ottawa is credited with 20 tons to Nelson, the first to be shipped by the new owners. It has considerable more ore to go out. From the Enterprise 80 tons was exported, besides 500 lbs of samples to Manager Fowler. The Arlington added 60 tons to its total. Corrected figures from this mine will show the total to date of 3710 tons. It looks now as if last year's figures of the division would be equaled, as there is much ore in sight. Next week the Black Prince and Republic may be shipping, as well as the Ottawa, Enterprise and Arlington. For the year the output stands at 5924 tons.

For 1900 the exports from this division amounted to 2847 tons, made up from ten properties. Last year the exports totalled 6529 tons, from fourteen properties. Following is a full list of the local shipments this year to date:

MINE.	WEEK.	TOTAL.
Arlington	60	3710
Enterprise	80	2040
Ottawa	20	27
Neepawa		101
May		5
Paystreak		5
Duplex		7
Fourth of July		11
Florence		1
Speculator		4
Hampton		13
	160	5924

MINES AND MINING.

Silver, 47¾ cents.

The Bosun sent out one car of zinc this week to Kansas.

Ore shipments throughout the district are steadily increasing.

The zinc shipments from the Slocan will not become heavy till spring.

Thos. Jones, the Kansas zinc man, offers to take 6000 tons of zinc ore per month from the Slocan.

There is more snow in the hills now than there was all last winter. It is hard work keeping the trails open.

Tom Mulvey has sold his third interest in the Ottawa fraction to the purchasers of the Ottawa group. He got a good figure.

The crosscut from the lower drift on the Black Prince has pierced the hanging wall and opened up a nice streak of ore. A drift is being run on the ore.

MINING RECORDS.

Appended is a complete list of the various records registered at the local registry office, H. P. Christie being mining recorder:

ASSESSMENTS.

Dec 3—Bunker.

5—Ping Pong, Ping Pong fr, Ethel K, Hampton, Brixham.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Dec 3—Morris.

TRANSFERS.

Dec 5—Ping Pong, all, Loo Doiron to N F McNaught.

Brixham ¾, Carl S McNaught to N F McNaught.

Ottawa fr ½. Thos Mulvey to Thos A Noble.

Republic Ore Moving.

The Republic commenced on Monday sending down ore for shipment and next week expect to have a carload go forward. R. C. Campbell-Johnston, the manager, states the first-class ore will run over 500 oz and the second grade 300 oz in silver to the ton, besides pay values in gold. He hopes to have a second car ready to ship on January 1. It is likely the ore will be sent to Trail.

Le Roi Making Money.

For the month of November the profits of the Le Roi mine, at Rossland, are estimated at $75,000, and for the last seven months at $577,676. May yielded $66,932; June, $94,302; July, $108,348; August, $79,487; September, $68,607; October, $85,000; and November, $75,000.

The management of the hospital wish to tender their hearty thanks to all those contributing to the success of their ball on Tuesday night; also to Rev. Mr. Simons for a $5 donation to the funds of the institution.

'TWEEN LOVE AND DUTY.

A Novel by Annie Thompson.

"How beautiful life is!" she exclaimed. "How good God is, to make such a wonderful world and let us live in it. Did you ever see such colors as there are to-night, John? Did you ever hear such music as the sea makes? Don't the waves seem to speak to you? they do, to me."

"Do they, Mary, what do they say?"

"Oh I can't tell. I never can find words to say what I want: and the waves don't use words, they only convey ideas to me somehow. To-night they seem very happy, I can almost hear them laugh. Some nights they are so dreadfully sad, it makes me cry to listen to them."

Her allusion to crying, reminded her companion that the unwarrantable harshness in Kate's voice that morning, had brought tears into Mary's eyes. He felt suddenly very wrathful with Kate for her carelessness in wounding this sensitive soul. It was strange that Kate should have altered so; she used not to shew such temper in former days. At one time he had been quite attached to her, and had thought her superior to any girl he knew—except Mary. He wondered whether Mary suffered often from her cousin's sharp tongue.

"What upset Kate, this morning?" he asked, as the outcome of these reflections.

"Oh, John, we are to blame," cried Mary, loyal to Kate. "I don't know exactly what we could have done, but we ought to have done something. I have felt vexed about it all day. Kate was too tired for such a long walk: to-night, she looks as though she could scarcely stand. She has been doing ever so much, this week, and I have not helped her at all. There isn't much that I can do, but I might have offered to wash the china in the drawingroom, the other day, instead of going with you to Ailsa Craig. I only thought of it after we had started."

"Really, Mary, I don't see why you should feel bound to assist, whenever Kate chooses to make work."

"Well," admitted Mary, with a gay laugh, "I do not know why the house is being turned upside down just now. It does not seem long since it was done last time. Still, I never do anything but enjoy myself. Do you know, John, it sometimes frightens me to think how happy my life has been. Kate has a great many worries: almost every one I know has had trouble of some kind: I have had none. Do you think it is all coming?"

The eyes she raised to his had a look of terror in them.

"No, dear," he said gently. "Why should it come? If I can keep it away from you, it shall never touch you, Mary."

"You! Ah, but you will be going away again. When you are gone, I mean to write to you. I shall send you a letter once a month: you won't mind if they are rather stupid? Kate writes clever letters, but I don't."

"Mary, I want to speak to you about the future."

"Not to-night, John," she interrupted hastily. "I hate to think of what is coming. This has been such a nice evening, don't let us be gloomy and spoil it all. The 'future' means, you out in Australia, and I—I don't know where! No, no: we will not speak of it."

"But, dear, you are going away to-morrow."

"Only for four days."

"I wish you were not going, Mary."

"Oh, I must. I promised Uncle Forester, ever so long ago, that I would spend his birthday with him. I shall be back on Tuesday."

"Well then, Mary, make a bargain with me. On Tuesday night, we are to come out here, and discuss our future. Promise that, and I will not speak about it now."

"Very well, if you wish it," she assented; "though why you choose to think about such disagreeable subjects, I don't know. Do listen, John, those waves are laughing."

They walked home together in silence: he, intent on the thought of Tuesday. It was not so very far off—only four days. How inexpressibly dear to him Mary had become! The time they had spent together, had been more full of happiness than he had imagined possible; and this was merely a foretaste of what the future held. Always Mary should be thus perfectly happy, sheltered by his care from the remotest approach of trouble or distress; always he should find perfect happiness, in thus caring for, and worshipping her. He recalled Mr. Ferris' commendations of Kate, and smiled — Kate was so unworthy to be mentioned in the same breath with her beautiful, simple-minded, pure-hearted cousin.

Mary, walking by his side, let her thoughts wander idly where they would, now to the sky, now to the sea, now to the wild flowers on the dyke; her mind pervaded by a vague sense that it was a delightful thing to be alive, and that the world was a beautiful place to live in.

CHAPTER IX.

On Saturday morning, Mary Forester left Feldrossan to join her cousins. Kate watched the departure, and suddenly realized that for three days she would have the undivided companionship of the man she loved. A wild reckleness took possession of her. John had gone with Mary to Garleigh, and when he returned — groaning at the thought of the irksome time that must be passed through somehow — he found a lively, brilliant companion awaiting him. No one could be more entertaining than Kate when she chose to exert herself; she exerted herself now. She made John laugh all through dinner, at her droll tales of the villagers; she revived a hundred reminiscences of doings before he left Scotland; and she wiped out the last trace of the disagreeable impression she had made on him lately, by saying in a tone half-jesting, half-appealing, "I have to go on a foraging expedition this afternoon, John; I must buy chickens at a farm two miles away. In spite of my advanced years and infirm temper—I would like a companion! Will you come if you have nothing better to do?" He assented most willingly.

Saturday was invariably passed by Mr. Ferris in his study, in preparation for the next day's service; no one saw him from morning to night, except Kate, who carried his meals to him on a tray which she placed beside him without a disturbing word. To-day, when she brought his dinner, she found him standing before the window, absorbed in thought. He roused himself at her entrance, came toward her, held her face between her hands and kissed her forehead solemnly.

"God bless you, my dear," he said: "you are a good girl, Kate, a good girl!"

"Oh, I am not, I am not, Uncle!" protested Kate, choking down a sob. She flew to her room to make ready for her walk, fetched her marketing basket, and joined her companion.

They walked considerably further than the farm, jesting and laughing the whole way. It was past the usual tea hour, when they returned. Kate made John carry Mr. Ferris' tea to him, she would not go into the study herself: afterwards, they strolled down the garden and seated themselves in a shaded nook. It was a breathless evening, the air was laden with the scent of roses and mignonette, not a leaf stirred on the trees, the sea murmured indistinctly. That night and the two that followed, burned themselves into Kate's memory. She made John talk. By adroit questions and suggestions, she drew from him an account of his life in Melbourne and the whole history of his business difficulties and struggles. She could talk well herself, but she possessed also the rarer gift of making others talk well, and of making them feel that they did so. During a momentary pause in their conversation, they heard the Church clock strike ten. John looked up in amazement.

"How the time has flown! You are good company, Kate."

"Thank you," she said, with a sudden rush of color to her face. "We must go in now, however, Uncle likes early hours kept on Saturday."

"The walk to-day has done you good, Kate: you begin to look like yourself. What on earth makes you slave as you have been doing? You ought to take more rest: come for a long sail with me on Monday."

"I will," said Kate.

When she had closed her bedroom door, her vivacity left her.

"Now I shall have to pay for all this, I suppose," she muttered between her teeth. But she was mistaken. None of the tormenting thoughts she dreaded came to keep her wakeful for hours. The devils who still held their ground arrayed themselves as angels of light; they laid soothing hands about her heart, and whispered peace in her ear. "Why torment yourself," they whispered, "why think at all? You have kept yourself out of this man's way for two weeks; now that his companionship is thrust upon you, you must entertain him, you cannot help yourself. It is not your doing that this duty falls to you, it cannot be a sin to be courteous" — the poison worked, Kate was almost asleep — "Moreover," whispered the devils, "he and Mary are not engaged. You have absolutely no positive proof that they care for each other. It is only natural that he should feel bound to shew every attention to her for Alice's sake, if for no other reason. What are looks worth? You may be mistaken. And you have only three days" — Kate slept.

On Sunday she sat with John in the old parish church. The manse pew was at the far end of the building, with a high partition in front of it which almost hid the occupants when they were seated.

Mr. Ferris preached a remarkable sermon that day. His instinct had misled him on some points, but not on others; he had once thought that John loved Kate, now he knew that Kate loved John. He understood her impulsive abandonment of herself to hard work. For her sake he accepted, with mute resignation, all the discomforts attendant on an unnecessary house cleaning. He had watched her most anxiously throughout the past fortnight; fathoming the meaning of her weary looks and her little outbursts of temper, and longing to convey some comfort to her. He debated whether he should speak to her directly, but he dared not; Kate's proud spirit would not tolerate a word from him. Finally after much prayer he decided to preach to her from his pulpit. His sermon from beginning to end, was intended for Kate alone—and she knew it. The moment he announced his text, "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends," Kate divined what had been in his mind when he had kissed her so solemnly: and though she could not prevent the words he spoke from piercing her ears, she steeled her heart firmly against them. The stolid congregation was amazed at the unwonted eloquence with which Mr. Ferris unburdened himself of his fervid utterances; those who were usually inclined to sleep through the discourse found themselves unaccountably wide awake; even the consumption of peppermints ceased, except among the very juvenile members of the flock. He shewed his audience that the words had a spiritual significance above the material meaning they were accustomed to attach to them; that the spiritual life to which they referred, was the life of love: that the life of love involved self-sacrifice. He shewed how mothers and fathers sacrifice themselves for their children, how husbands and wives sacrifice themselves for each other, and how these sacrifices are appreciated and reciprocated in after years; and then he spoke of the sacrifices made by men for men, and, more often still by women for women—sacrifices unappreciated, unseen perhaps by any human eye, but felt, known, treasured, by the heart of love, by God. He admitted the darkness of the path they were called upon to tread who made such sacrifices; he did not deny the agony involved, the awful suffering to be endured, but he painted those, who were tempted to shrink from the suffering and give up the battle, to One who having suffered temptation Himself, knew how to rescue all tempted ones now. And then, his voice trembling with emotion, the old man ended his discourse, fell upon his knees, and said, "Brethern, we will plead with God oa behalf of all who are tempted, that their faith fail not. Let us pray!"

The devils in Kate's heart rose up undisguised, and prompted her to pray for fine weather on the morrow.

"Eh man! yon's a gran' orator!" said the fishermen to one another as they left the church.

Throughout the afternoon, Mr. Ferris contrasted the subdued gaiety, the gentleness, the tenderness even, in Kate's manner now, with the brusquerie she had shown before; he said to himself gratefully, "Praise be to God, my sermon has helped the poor child already."

John and Kate started early for their sail next day; there was a fine breeze blowing, but the weather looked unsettled. Their boat flew before the wind, cutting through the water with a swiftness that gave Kate an odd sense of elation; rapid movement of any kind had a fascination for her. She seemed as though she had never known care, her eyes were brilliant, her face glowed with color, her laugh of pure enjoyment was pleasant to hear; John was astonished at her gaiety. Time flew as swiftly as the boat. Towards five o'clock, the sky became overcast and the wind dropped; they were by this time not far from home, they lowered the sail and John took the oars.

"Confess now, Kate," he said, after looking at her for a little, "all this rest and fresh air has brightened you wonderfully."

"Yes," she said, "it makes me sleep better, I am less wakeful at nights."

"Were you very wakeful?"

"Very."

"What kept you awake, I wonder?"

"The devil."

"Kate!"

"Don't look so shocked," she said, with a reckless laugh; "that was a statement, not an exclamation. Besides, I am not Mary, you know."

"No."

She thought she detected an accent of relief in his voice, and her anger rose.

"People like Mary, draw goodness into their souls as readily as they draw air into their lungs; others — don't. It must be easy enough to be good when one gets everything one wants."

"Does Mary?"

"Yes."

"And you?"

"Never."

"I am sorry, Kate," he said, touched by the bitterness that looked out from her eyes. "What is it that you want now? Can't I help you to get it? I would like to?"

"Yes, you can;" she said deliberately. "Give me the oars first, and look about for the fishing tackle, I put it somewhere. There is bait in that jar over there — or was, before we had luncheon! It will rain in five minutes. What I want just now, is to have my larder stocked with fish."

Following her directions, he had excellent sport for the next half hour.

Kate watched him furtively. "It is easy to divert a man's thoughts," she reflected; "what strange things satisfy men! Uncle used to whip the Stinchar hour after hour, quite happy, apparently. Suppose a man were out fishing, and heard a rumor that his wife were dead, and felt a bite at the same moment — would he stop to land the fish before going home, I wonder? I think he would; especially if there were nothing but the fish to remind him of public opinion."

"What is the problem now, Kate?" said John, turning to look at her.

"I was wishing," she sighed, "that I could find it soothing to kill fishes."

"You should find it soothing to have so many killed for you; we shall never eat all these. Is there a basket here?"

"No. One of the men will take them to the house for us."

"Change places, then, Kate. Goodness! you are quite wet; I never noticed how heavily it is raining."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Palestine Jews.

The Jews of Palestine are entirely descended from Jews who returned to that land from Europe. Most of them speak a corrupt form of the German language.

Germs In Milk.

The only effective way of killing the germs of diphtheria, typhoid and other such disorders found in milk is to boil the milk for at least twenty minutes. To warm it merely is quite useless. Boiling lessens the potential nutrition of milk by rendering certain of its constituents more difficult of digestion.

Indigestion.

Indigestion is not a disease in most cases, but merely an admonition. It means that the individual has not yet found a diet suitable to the needs of his system.

When Cervantes Nodded.

In "Don Quixote" Sancho continues to ride on his ass after having lamented the animal's death.

"Mamma," said 5-year-old Tommy, "I'll bet my pony can beat you."

"Why, dear, what do you mean?" asked the astonished mother.

"I mean in a race," replied the youngster. "I heard papa say that you could talk faster than a horse can trot."

When we hear of a man performing a brave action we wonder if the story is true; we know of so many cowardly tricks being done every day.

A SURPRISED PHYSICIAN.

A Dying Patient Recovers Through th? Interposition of a Humble German.

Chicago, Nov. 15.

Some weeks ago Dr. G——, a very reputable and widely-known physician, living on C—— Street, was called to attend a very complicated case of Rheumatism. Upon arriving at the house he found a man about forty years of age, lying in a prostrated and serious condition, with his whole frame dangerously affected with the painful disease. He prescribed for the patient, but the man continued to grow worse, and on Sunday evening he was found to be in a very alarming condition. The knees and elbows and larger joints were greatly inflamed, and could not be moved. It was only with extreme difficulty that the patient could be turned in bed, with the aid of three or four persons. The weight of the clothing was so painful that means had to be adopted to keep it from the patient's body.

The doctor saw that his assistance would be of no avail, and left the house, the members of the family following him to the door, weeping. Almost immediately the grief stricken ones were addressed by an humble German. He had heard of the despair of the family, and now asked them to try his remedy, and accordingly brought forth a bottle of St. Jacob's Oil. The poor wife applied this remedy. The first application eased the patient very much; after a few hours they used it again, and, wonder of wonders, the pain vanished entirely! Every subsequent application improved the patient, and in two days he was well and out. When the doctor called a few days after, he was surprised.

Gossip never dies; people are still gossipping about Lord Byron and his wife, although they never lived in this country, and have been dead a great many years.

In almost every school in the Mikado's empire it is the custom one day in the autumn to take the children out rabbit hunting.

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A PERSIAN PARABLE.

The Side of the World the Pessimist Had Not Seen.

There was a certain man who thought the world was growing worse. He was always harking back to "the good old times" and was sure that the human race was degenerating. Men, he said, were all trying to cheat one another, and the strong were crushing the weak. One day when he was airing his pessimistic views the calif said to him:

"I charge you hereafter to look carefully about you, and whenever you see any man do a worthy deed go to him and give him praise or write to him about it. Whenever you meet a man whom you regard as worthy to have lived in the 'good old days,' tell him of your esteem and of the pleasure you have had in finding one so exalted, and I desire that you write out an account of these good deeds for me that I may share your joy in knowing of it."

So the man was dismissed. But before many days he returned and prostrated himself before the calif. When ordered to explain his presence, he wailed:

"Have pity on thy servant, and release him from the necessity of complimenting men upon their worthy deeds, oh, my master. And, oh, son of Mohammed, I pray thee absolve thy servant from the duty of reporting to thee all the good that is going on in the world."

"And why, oh, slave, dost thou come to me with this prayer?" the calif asked.

"Since I have been looking for what is good," the man replied, "I have had no time to do aught but compliment men for their splendid works. So much that is glorious is all around me that I may not hope to be able to tell thee half of it. My tasks lie neglected because I have no time"—

"Go back to thy work," said the calif. "I perceive that thou hast learned."

Sly Fishermen.

In nearly all streams where the current is swift you will find the nets of the caddice worms tucked down between two rocks or fastened to a flat stone on the brink of a waterfall. These little nets catch stray water bugs and sometimes entangle small fish. They are made of a silken fabric which the worm spins with its mouth and are shaped like a funnel, the larger end being pointed up stream so that the water, rushing past, spreads them out in position. The nets are very strong and quite similar in construction to a spider's web. Close by his net the little fisherman builds his home. Lift up the nearby rocks, and under them you will find a little bunch of pebbles bound together by silk threads. In among these is a small silk tube, in which the worm lives. Were it not for the pebbles attached to it the caddice worm's home would go sailing down the stream. As an extra precaution he oftentimes fastens one end of the silk thread to a large stone.

Mildew Stains.

Mildew stains may easily be removed by wetting and soaping the spot, covering it with powdered chalk and then putting it in the sun to bleach. Damp it from time to time as it dries and then wash it in the usual manner with soap and water. If necessary, repeat the process.

The Car Shortage.

Canadian railways can at least take comfort as they listen to the grumbling about the car shortage, in the reflection that they are not the only sufferers from the general prosperity. The latest description of the situation in Chicago is. "Never in the history of Chicago, except during a big strike, was there such a congestion of freight in the railroad yards of the city as there is at the present time. The shortage of cars and motive power, of which the roads and shippers have been complaining for months, has become more and more pronounced in view of the vast increase in trafic due to the moving of the crops, until now an unprecedented condition exists. Shipments of all kinds are days behind and the freight offices are fairly deluged with urgent requests from shippers that their goods be traced to learn what has become of them. So numerous have these demands become that the local Freight Agents' Association is urging shippers to forbear from making enquiries unless goods are perishable or have been delayed more than a week. The delay in getting merchandise out of Chicago is said by wholesalers to be the most serious ever known here."

In the coal districts of Pennsylvania the conditions are, if possible, a little worse. The freight blockade threatens the industrial prosperity by keeping idle many furnaces and mills.

Interests suffering most from the so-called car shortage vast sums of money. Due to the freight blockade there are idle in the Pittsburg district 59,600 men, who are losing in daily wages $162,000, as follows:—

Miners	20,600	losing $66,000
Furnace work's	6,000	losing 13,000
Mill men	13,000	losing 43,000
Others idle	20,000	losing 40,000
Totals	59,600	$162,000

Kicking a man when he is down is one way to make him get up—but it isn't always safe to do it.

The healthy glow disappearing from the cheek and moaning and restlessness are sure symptoms of worms in children. Do not fail to get a bottle of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; it is an effectual medicine.

The first day that a girl gets her new pictures home from the photographer's she doesn't do anything but look at them, and wonder if they are "good."

WOMAN'S WORK

OFTEN LEADS TO A BREAKDOWN IN HEALTH.

Severe Headaches, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, Palpitation of the Heart and Other Distressing Symptoms Follow.

Woman's cares about the household are many and often worrying, and it is no wonder that the health of so many give way under the strain. To weak, tired-out, depressed women everywhere, the story of Mrs. Geo. L. Horton, the wife of a well-known farmer living near Fenwick, Ont., will come as a message of hope. To a reporter who interviewed her on the subject, Mrs. Fenwick said:—"Yes, I am quite willing to give my testimony to the great good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done me, as my experience may help some other sufferer. A couple of years ago my health began to give way, and I suffered from anaemia, with most of the depressing symptoms of that trouble. I became much emaciated, had distressing headaches, and a very poor appetite. At first I thought the trouble would pass away, but in this I was mistaken, as I continued to grow worse. My heart began to palpitate violently at the least exertion; my rest at night was broken and finally a bad cough set in, and I was scarcely able to do a bit of work about the house. An aunt in England, who had been ill, had written me that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had restored her to health, and I determined to give the pills a trial. After the use of a few boxes I noticed a distinct improvement in my condition, and after using the pills for a few weeks more the trouble had completely left me. I could sleep well at night, the cough left me; the headacnes that had made me so miserable vanished, my appetite returned, and I could again perform my housework with ease. I shall always feel grateful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me, and strongly recommend them to other ailing women."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have accomplished just such good results in thousands of other cases among ailing men and women, of other cases among ailing men and and sufferers from any of the numerous ailments resulting from poor, watery blood who will give these pills a fair trial will soon be on the high road to health and strength. Imitations are sometimes offered by unscrupulous dealers, who care more for their own profit than for their customers' health. Be sure that the full name, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" is found on the wrapper around every box you buy. If your dealer does not keep these pills send to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and they will be mailed post paid at 50c per box or six boxes for $2.50.

People who do the least talk most about being tired.

"Good men, you know, are scarce." "Yes, I know, and even bad men have to make themselves so at times!"

Minard's Liniment Cures LaGrippe.

"Why do you call your neighbor's pig 'Maude?'"

"Because it always comes into the garden."

Lifebuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases

It is easier to hear of good luck than to see it.

In addition to his age, an old man becomes fearfully lonesome.

In the early morning Leeds workmen can travel five miles for a penny on the municipal electric tramway cars.

The History of Inoculation.

Inoculation is no new thing. The Chinese were the earliest to practice it. They dipped a plug of cotton or rag in the virus from a pustule and placed it in the nostril. Two ancient English physicians, Gilbertus Angelicus and John of Gaddefden, both speak of smallpox as commonly known, but the Chinese remedy was unknown to them.

The first book on smallpox was written by a priest and physician who lived at Alexandria and wrote thirty books on physic in A. D. 683. He also knew nothing of vaccination, but advised swimming, drinking ice water in large quantities, saffron and warming medicine.

The real discovery of vaccination, we are told, was made before Jenner conducted his experiments. In the year 1774 it occurred to Benjamin Jesty, a Dorsetshire farmer, having the old notion about cowpox being an antidote for smallpox, that it would serve as well to be "cut" for cowpox, so accordingly he himself did actually "cut" his wife and children for that disease. But Jesty is unknown to fame. Jenner's name is blessed—and banned—by millions.

A Violinistic Remark.

"Since Delia came back from the seashore she has two bows to her string."

"The seashore is a great place for scraping acquaintance, isn't it?"

The Bank of England.

The Bank of England employs about a thousand people, pays a quarter of a million in wages and £35,000 a year in pensions.

Atmospheric Pressure.

The atmospheric pressure on the body of the average man is 32,400 pounds. The ordinary rise and fall of the barometer increases or decreases this pressure 2,500 pounds.

THE DRILL.

SLOCAN, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

"So you wish to marry my daughter. Do you drink or gamble?"

"Well," replied the young man, "I'm willing to take a chance in the marriage lottery."

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Gentlemen,—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering, by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

The above fact can be verified by writing to him, to the Parish priest or any of his neighbors.

A. GOTE.

Merchant, St. Isadore, Que.,
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The women think men have nothing to do, and the men are dead certain the women haven't.

There is more work in the care of a garden than in the care of twins.

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

Sometimes the course of true love fails to run smooth because it ends in marriage.

Are your corns harder to remove than those that others have had? Have they not had the same kind? Have they not been cured by Holloway's Corn Cure? Try a bottle.

"Did you see any sharks when you crossed the ocean, Mr. Spifkins?" asked Miss Purling.

"Yes, I played cards with a couple."

Mrs. Celeste Coon, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach I took Parmelee's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat anything I choose, without distressing me in the least." These Pills do not cause pain or griping, and should be used when a cathartic is required.

The Countess of Airlie and Mrs. Wauchope have left for South Africa to visit the graves of their husbands.

Minard's Liniment is best Hair Restorer

Men think up schemes to make money and women think up schemes to spend it.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed for ever: nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

"Mamma," said little Ethel one Sunday morning, "if I lose my certificate of baptism will I have to be born all over again?"

Minard's Liniment is the best.

Contrary to Etiquette.

The Marquise de Fontenoy says—King Edward's action in rising from table immediately after his toast in honor of President Roosevelt at the luncheon which he gave in honor of Gen. Corbin and the other United States officers at Buckingham Palace last Monday was with the object of preventing any of them from delivering any speech in response. This would have been contrary to etiquette. Only Princes of the blood or rulers are qualified to respond to the toast of a crowned head, and for anyone else to do so would be, according to the usages of Court life in the old world, a piece of presumption, since it would imply that the non-royal personage responding to the toast of the Sovereign was to all intents and purposes placing himself on a level with the latter. Lord Wolseley, besides being a most gallant soldier and battle-scarred veteran, has always been looked upon as a finished courtier. But he rendered himself guilty of a memorable breach of etiquette when, after his return from Egypt in 1882 as the victor of the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, and Queen Victoria, making a little speech, drank to his health at dinner at Balmoral, he arose from his seat and made a speech in reply, giving the health of the Duke of Connaught, who had taken part in the battle. The Queen was so devotedly attached to this, her favorite son, that in the pleasure and the pride at the encomiums lavished on him by his Commander-in-Chief she overlooked Lord Wolseley's breach of etiquette.

One Didn't Pay.

He—Will you teach me how to make love to you?

She—I will if I can get up a class.

Real Wealth.

He dabbled in stocks and won,
For he was a lucky feller.
Not only did he make his pile,
But he has it in his cellar

On to Him.

"Why, Willie, you didn't take off your cap to the minister!"

"To him? Great Scott! I'm his caddie!"

Cheer Up.

Ere long we'll hear the wintry blast,
And by some strange device
The mercury will drop as fast
As coal goes up in price.

Gosnold.

Gosnold, the smallest town in Massachusetts, comprises those little specks of land which, beginning at Wood's Holl, at the "shoulder" of old Cape Cod's right arm, extend seaward till they terminate in that fatal reef of the Sow and Pigs.

Cause For Wonder.

He—Would you marry the best man living?

She—Not unless I was sure it would make a better man of him.

Fine feathers are apt to make short lived birds.

Messrs. Northrup & Lyman Co. are the proprietors of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which is now being sold in immense quantities throughout the Dominion. It is welcomed by the suffering invalid everywhere with emotions of delight, because it banishes pain and gives instant relief. This valuable specific for almost "every ill that flesh is heir to," is valued by the sufferer as more precious than gold. It is the elixir of life to many a wasted frame. To the farmer it is indispensable, and should be in every house.

Small vices may be fordable one at a time, but they soon unite into an impassable river.

When the church is an arbor of rest for the rich it cannot be a harbor for the refuge of the wrecked.

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RAJPUT CHIVALRY.

American Woman, Wife of British Governor in India, Caps the Climax With Guard of Princes and Nobles.

According to the statement of a London journal it is owing to a suggestion of Lady Curzon that the guard and escort of Lord Curzon and herself at the forthcoming magnificent Imperial coronation festivities at Delhi will be formed of Rajput nobles.

Of all Asiatics the Rajputs, or Hundus, of the warrior caste have been by far the most chivalrous in their attitude toward women.

Of this no better illustration can be given than the romantic custom known as the "gift of the bracelet." This custom prevailed among the Rajput nobles until the security of British dominion in India made it unnecessary. Whenever a Rajput Princess believed herself in danger, she chose some noble renowned for his valor and sent him one of her bracelets. By this act she constituted him her adopted, or "bracelet-bound brother," her cavalier servant. It mattered not whether she happened to be maid, wife or widow, he was bound by that which he held most sacred to relinquish all other pursuits and fly to her succor should she be in distress.

The acknowledgment of the pledge on the noble's part was the return of a silk waist, richly embroidered with pearls or jewels, as his means would permit. If a King were in this way the recipient of a Rajput lady's favor he accompanied the waist by a further gift of splendid gems, a fortress, or even a promise. The significanco of this return gift of a waist lay in the chivalrous sentiment that as, in his eyes, the garment protected her heart, the most tender part of her body, so his sword was ever ready to defend her life and honor. The sentimental relationship established by this unique custom was made all the more beautiful because no breath of scandal or no hope of reward on the Rajput cavalier's part ever entered into the compact. It was only at the festival of the bracelet held in the spring, which somewhat resembled the tournaments of our middle ages, that he could hope to catch a glimpse of the fair lady to whom his service was dedicated.

Otherwise he only knew her by name, perhaps by a miniature, or the bracelet which encircled his sword arm in the press of battle. But to cherish this devotion to the unseen mistress of his otherwise fierce nature, and to perish fighting in her cause beneath the walls of her beleaguered fortress, were, in the Rajput warrior's belief, the noblest aim and fate which could befall a mortal.

In such high esteem did this "gift of the bracelet" come to be held that even the Mohammedan Emperor, Humayun, upon one occasion relinquished the spoils of a victory to hasten with all speed to the rescue of the beautiful Hindu Queen of Chitore, who had made him the proud wearer of her bracelet.

Regenerating Bengal.

It is a curious anomaly that such a rough and manly game as football should have become thoroughly acclimatized among the effeminate Bengalis. There is no longer any question about this remarkable fact; every little vollage now has one or more football clubs, and so popular is the pastime that even the most aspiring college students scamp their cramming in its favor. Odd to say, too, their parents raise little objection to this encroachment of physical development on book learning. Experience has probably informed them that the attainment of university honors does not by itself, constitute full equipment of youths with the whole battle of life before them. Graduates have become such a drug in the Indian market that many have to be content with very humble positions, instead of at once filling well-the singular thing is that the young paid posts, as they had expected. But Bengali should give preference to football before all other English games. Lawn tennis, and even golf, would also seem to present attractiveness to a race supposed to abhor any and every risk of personal injury. Instead, however, of devoting his energies to these comparatively gentle pastimes, Young Bengal now faces fast bowling at cricket without the slightest flinching, and accepts the rough-and-tumble of football in the same courageous spirit. It is hardly going too far to say that the physical regeneration of seventy millions of British subjects has been started by a couple of English games.—London Globe.

The Exact Truth.

Mr. Douglas Grand, who was the principal witness for the Crown at the remount trial at Ennis, tells a good story regarding the examination of one of the witnesses.

"Did you sell Major Studdert a horse?" asked the counsel.

"No, sorr," replied the witness.

"Did your father sell Major Studdert a horse?"

"No, sorr."

"Well then did your grandfather sell him a horse?"

"No, sorr."

"Did any member of your family sell Major Studdert anything?"

"Yes, sorr, I did," replied the witness.

"And what did you sell Major Studdert?"

"I sold him a mare," replied the witness, to the chagrin of counsel and the delight of the court.—London Express.

Madame de Maupassant.

Madame de Maupassant, mother of the late novelist, lives at Nice in a large, quiet house. She rarely receives visitors, but recently made an exception in favor of Eleanor Duse, the Italian actress, who is a great admirer of her son's work. When the two women were about to part, Madame de Maupassant said to the actress: "You have everything—genius, fame and wealth. What is there left for me to wish you?" "Rest," was the tragedienne's reply. She was then trying to make the world accept the dramas of D'Annunzio.

AN AWFUL MISTAKE.

Physician Prescribes Nuxvomica for a Kingston Lady with the Result that She is Paralyzed.

A Thrilling Experience Resulting from a Doctor's Blunder—Fortunately She Recovered and tells the Story of the whole Incident.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 30th (Special).—That Mrs. E. Lake, of 112 Clarence street, this city, is alive to-day, is a matter for wonder. She says:—

"My sickness was brought about by overdose of Strychnine prescribed by a physician. It brought on Paralysis affecting my left side, brain, arm and limbs.

"I was perfectly helpless and it was impossible for me to raise my left limb or open my fingers. I got no sleep and often when I dosed my eyes remained open. I had not the power to close my eyelids.

"I suffered almost continually with headache.

"My brain felt as though it was too large for the skull. My appetite failed and I became very emaciated, indeed, I was nothing but skin and bones.

"I was three years under treatment, many physicians having me under their care, but without avail. At last I became discouraged and gave up all treatment.

"While reading a paper one day I noticed a testimony of one who was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"My sister procured me a box of the pills and I started on three pills three times a day. I soon began to experience a change for the better, which continued until I regained the use of my arm, hand and limb. My headache also ceased and my appetite returned.

"From this I soon picked up flesh and strength until I was as well as ever.

"I thank God and Dodd's Kidney Pills for my health for by prayer and this wonderful remedy, I was cured, and have remained in good health ever since, although this was over five years ago."

A woman never knows what it is to love until she has a daughter over fifteen years old.

To lose sympathy with men is to miss success with them.

The sugar on satan's pills may be very sweet, but it is very thin.

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The Ant Bear.

The great ant bear of the South American forests contrives to intimidate his feline enemies by rearing up to his full length, but by that very trick gives the hunter a chance to take a deadly aim at his heart.

Nails and Hard Wood.

It is claimed that you can drive nails into hard wood without bending them if you dip them first in lard.

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A few years ago Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea was unknown, today it is a household word. Why?

"I wish you had broken the news more gently," sighed the editor, as the office boy pied the first page by dropping the form down a flight of stairs.

By the time a man gets old enough to talk well he has learned the value of not talking at all.

WAKE UP BABY!

A New Game for Mothers.

Baby's awakening ought to be looked forward to as a pleasure, not dreaded as a scourge. He should awaken bright, merry, and full of fun, refreshed by sleep, ready for a good time.

How many mothers dread his awakening howls, knowing that he will keep everyone miserable until he goes to sleep again or gets his food. These crying fits are the terror of every inexperienced mother. Mrs. Gabriel Barnes, Six Mile Lake, Ont., is a mother who has learned how this trouble can be best met, and writes us as follows: "My baby suffered much from indigestion, and was cross and restless. I gave him several medicines, but they did not help him. I then got a box of Baby's Own Tablets and they helped him almost at once, and have done him so much good that I would not now be without them. I can recommend Baby's Own Tablets to all mothers as the best medicine I have ever used for children." These Tablets are guaranteed to contain no opiate or harmful drug and can be given with absolute safety to the youngest, weakest infant. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail, post paid, at 25 cents a box by writing direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N.Y.

The taste for cigarettes on the part of the people of India is becoming more marked every day. In some parts of Bengal the peasant at his plough may be seen smoking his cigarette, which is generally of the cheap American kind.

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When religion ceases to go to service it will run to superstition.

Sleep Talkers.

Persons who talk in their sleep will frequently answer questions if spoken to softly.

Memory Freaks.

It is instanced as one of the curiosities of the memory that people who know long pieces of verse by heart frequently cannot remember their telephone number.

SAYS MR. LUCINA CIGAR:—

"What a terrible case of cigar murder! How pleasant it is to look like me and also have that nice sweet flavor and lovely aroma."

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There are so many cough cures on the market, that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough a cold or any affliction of the throat or lungs, we would try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have tried it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it as it is as pleasant as syrup.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12th, 1902.

A pencil mark in the space opposite will be an indication to you that ye editor considers there is something coming to him on your subscription. Kindly acknowledge in cash and oblige.

EDITORIAL CROPPINGS.

Great success is attending the Laurier government in the bye-elections for the Dominion house, its supporters being elected in a regular procession. Ex-Governor Ross has carried the new riding of Yukon by 700 majority.

Ontario will not have prohibition yet awhile, the Grit government having set the temperance people too hard a task. The vote on the question last week was strongly in favor of prohibition, but the yeas were 50 per cent less than the number required by the government. The ways of the wily politician are dark and almost past finding out.

It is satisfactory to note that the output of ore from this division will show little, if any, diminution from the figures of last year. At the outset it looked as if shipments would have reached the 10,000 ton mark, but the demoralized state of the silver market precluded the desired expansion. It is a good testimony to the camp's resources to see the exports keep up so well as they have.

The Grand Trunk Railway officials who were down to Victoria to coax a "small" subsidy from the government in support of their proposed Pacific Pacific extension, announce their mission as successful. Of course it was and there is nothing to brag about in that. Any old sort of a scheme would find support at Victoria. A failure in that respect would be something very unique.

The Prior government will gain nothing from the three bye-elections. West Yale is conceded to ex-Premier Semlin as an oppositionist, North Victoria will return T. Patterson as an independent oppositionist, and Williams appears to be the stronger man in the Nanaimo district. Even should McInnes carry the latter constituency, the general result will be such as to show the government that they have not the confidence of the people. Col. Prior would have gained more by a prompt dissolution of the house, as time to think has convinced the electorate that his government is merely a perpetuation of the old family compact. As Joe Martin says, a general election is required to clear the political atmosphere.

William McInnes, according to government reports, is to have a walk-away in the bye-ection now pending consequent upon his entering the provincial cabinet. On the other side of the question there stands a great big Nay, as an opponent has taken the field who is credited with winning powers. Parker Williams has been nominated by the Socialists and Labor men to oppose McInnes, and he has the active support of J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M.L.A., and all the interests for which he stands. The McBride wing of the opposition has decided to leave the field entirely to Williams. Many Liberals hope also to see McInnes defeated for deserting his chief, Joe Martin. Combined, there is a powerful antagonism to Wullie and he is far from having a snap. Hawthornthwaite says Wullie is doomed to defeat.

Alex. Rogers,

Tonsorial Artist.

The Leading Parlors:

MAIN STREET, SLOCAN

DRILL POINTS.

Old papers for sale at this office.

The Wakefield has 40 tons of zinc ready to go out.

Hogan's Alley banquet is billed for Christmas night.

Sandon Knights of Pythias hold their sixth annual ball on New Year's night.

Captain Seaman, formerly of this place, has purchased the Eaton residence at Kaslo.

During the week the rink has been flooded and it will be ready for the skaters shortly.

Thomas Jones, the zinc man, accompanied by W. H. Sandiford, was in the city Monday.

W. T. Shatford left Tuesday to visit his branch store at Vernon. He will be gone two months.

Thos. Mulvey and wife and Miss Mullan left this week to spend the winter at Vinton, Que.

The annual Sunday school entertainment will be given in the Music Hall on Christmas eve.

Only a month to the municipal elections. Chase out your candidates and let's gaze on them.

Next Tuesday night the Woman's Guild of St. Paul's church gives a social in the Music Hall.

H. P. Christie, wife and daughter returned on Friday evening from a three months' trip to England.

Manager de Veber of the Bank of Montreal, New Denver, was here on Friday drumming up business.

R. I. Kirkwood left on Monday to spend the winter in Chicago and the east, and ultimately California.

The annual New Year's ball of the Halcyon hot springs sanitarium will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 31st.

The Roundup is the name of a new paper started at Pincher creek, Alta., by Rod Matheson, formerly of Silverton.

C.P.R. traffic receipts for the week ending Nov. 30 amounted to $1,152,000, and for the same week last year $1,048,000.

They are selling California "naval" oranges at Sandon. Naval is good, but the oranges are better. What's in a name, anyway?

Hugh Campbell, Fernie, was married at Nelson, Monday, to Miss A. Mitchell, who gave this city as her place of residence.

Andy Wallace and Murdock McLean were down from New Denver during the week, both figuring on building the big shingle mill.

Miss Hewton, of New Denver, has been engaged by the trustee board to teach the junior division of the Slocan school, vice Miss Edwards resigned.

A. York & Sons are distributing some very handsome calendars this week. One of them, of the King, is an exceptionally fine specimen of the lithographer's art.

The attention of license holders and householders desiring to get on the city voters' list is drawn to a notice given by the city clerk in another column of this issue.

Rev. Dr. Herdman, of Calgary, preached in Knox church on Sunday, morning and evening. Many former parishionors of his were delighted to see and hear him again.

D. McBeath, A. McDonald, Fred Starkey and J. A. Irving, of Nelson, have formed a partnership for one year to carry on a printing business, under the name of the Tribune Co.

Rev. Mr. Cropp, of New Denver, will occupy the Methodist pulpit next Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Seymour will preach missionary sermons at Silverton and New Denver.

T. McNeish & Co. met with a piece of hard luck this week. They had 50 barrels of Ontario apples coming in, but the whole consignment was held up by the provincial fruit inspector and destroyed.

Jeweled Brooches.

THE Brooches here mentioned may offer a desirable suggestion for Christmas buying.

Each one is of artistic merit as well as surpassing value.

No. 13320, at $5, is a Star and Crescent design of fine Pearls and solid Gold.

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A meeting of the license commissioners was held on Wednesday and renewals granted to all the local hotels, excepting the Slocan, application for which comes up at a special meeting next month.

—KNOX—

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Rev. William Simons, Pastor.

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Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.

Strangers and young men are cordially invited. . .

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at a special sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Slocan, to be held after the expiration of 30 days from the date hereof, for a retail liquor license for the premises known as the Slocan Hotel, situate on Lots 7 and 8, Block 12, Slocan.

Dated at Slocan this 10th day of December, 1902.

FRED P. JOHNSON

Notice to Municipal Voters.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of the "Municipal Elections' Act," the following are entitled to vote for Mayor and Aldermen at the City Municipal Election, viz.:

Any male or female, being a British subject, of the full age of 21 years.

"Who is the owner of real estate of the assessed value of not less than $100; or is the representative, being a resident British subject, duly authorized by the directors of an incorporated company, which is the assessed owner of lands, or of improvements on lands, situated within the municipality; or who is the holder of a trade license, the annual fee of which is not less than $5; or who is a householder who has paid, on or before the 31st day of December in the year immediately prior to the day of nomination, all municipal rates, taxes, assessments, rentals and license fees (which are not chargeable on land) payable by him or her to the municipality; provided, however, that in the case of the holder of a trade license or in the case of a householder, he or she shall, during the month of December in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the clerk of the municipality a statutory declaration, made and subscribed before a supreme or county court judge, stipendiary or police magistrate, commissioner for taking affidavits in the supreme court, justice of the peace or notary public."

Householders and license holders are required on or before the 31st day of December to hand send to the city clerk their names as a voter, and at the same time a statutory declaration in the form provided by the statute.

Householders and license holders require to have lived continuously in the city since January 1 last.

Applicants are required to name the lot and block on which they wish to register.

Forms of application may be had at the drug store.

R. I. BENTLEY, City Clerk.

Slocan, B.C., December 10, 1902.

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Certificate of Improvements.

Port Hope Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Slocan City mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located:—Half mile north of Springer creek, adjoining the Gold Viking.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. M. McGregor, acting as agent for T. J. Baty, free miner's certificate No. B59885; H. L. Fife, F. M. C. No. B59882, and J. G. McCallum, F. M. C. No. B59924, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant on the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1902.

10-10-02. J. M. McGREGOR

Exchange and Silver Plate Mineral Claims.

Situate in the Slocan City Mining Division of the West Kootenay district. Where located: On Dayton creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. M. McGregor, acting as agent for H. G. VanTuyl, free miners' certificate No. B59064, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for certificates of improvement, for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificates of improvement.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1902.

10-10-02 J. M. McGREGOR

Slug Ten Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Slocan City Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located:—On Ten Mile creek, east of the Enterprise.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. M. McGregor, acting as agent for P. W. Ellis, free miner's certificate No. B59488, and C. E. Smitheringale, F.M.C. No. B59743, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1902.

10-10-02 J. M. McGREGOR

Montreal Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Slocan City Mining Division of the West Kootenay District Where located:—On the divide between Lemon and Springer creeks, adjoining the Two Friends mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Archie Mainwaring-Johnson, acting as agent for Pioneer Mining Co., Limited (non-personal liability), Free Miner's Certificate No. B58136, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1902.

ARCHIE MAINWARING-JOHNSON

17-10-02

Monterey Fractional Mineral Claim.

Situate in the Slocan City Mining Division of the West Kootenay District. Where located:—In the Arlington basin.

Take notice that I, J. M. McGregor, acting as agent for Thos. Tobin, F.M.C. No. B59727, and H. Cameron, free miner's certificate No. B59795, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant for the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1902.

21-11-02 J. M. McGREGOR.

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Come and be convinced that this tale is no mere idle dream, but a stern reality.

J. M. McGREGOR, B. A. Sc.

Provincial Land Surveyor & Mining Engineer,

SLOCAN, - - B. C.

Slocan City Miners' Union,

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Notice to Delinquent Co-owners

To J. W. Millard, Kate Scott and Thos. Reid, or to any person or persons to whom they may have transferred their several interests, in whole or in part, in the Slug Ten mineral claim, situated near the Enterprise mine, in Slocan City mining division of West Kootenay, located September 6th, 1895, and recorded September 9th, 1895:

You are hereby notified that I have expended the sum of one hundred and two dollars and fifty cents in performing and recording assessment work for the above mentioned mineral claim, since the 9th day of September, 1901, and if within 90 days from the date of this notice you, or any of you, fail or refuse to contribute your several proportions of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising, your interests in said claim shall become the property of the subscriber, under section 25B of the Mineral Act.

Dated at Slocan this 11th day of September, 1902.

12-9-02 P. W. ELLIS

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Notice to Delinquent Co-owner

To Harry Williams, or to any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Chilkat and Delphian mineral claims, situated on the head waters of Lemon creek, and recorded in the Recorder's office for the Slocan City mining division.

You are hereby notified that I, Oscar V. White, free miners' certificate No. B59427, have caused to be expended the sum of six hundred and fifteen dollars in labor and improvements on the above mentioned mineral claims, in order to hold said claims under the provisions of the Mineral Act; and if within 90 days from the date of this notice you fail, or refuse, to contribute your proportion of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in said claims will become the property of the subscriber, under section 4 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

Dated at Sandon, B.C., this 20th day of September, A.D. 1902.

26-9-02 OSCAR V. WHITE

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