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To Honor Percy Hallett.

Last Saturday evening the boys of the Fire Brigade and of the Orchestra gave a smoker for Percy Hallett, who has been a member of the brigade and also of the band for several years. The affair was intended as a complete surprise and the intention was realized. R. J. Saunders was director of ceremonies and everyone of the forty men present figured in the limelight for a brief moment and as a result all the expenses of the entertainment were defrayed. The addresses of the judge to the various prisoners were most amusing and the dips were light enough to be only fun. Selections from the orchestra, by J. Findlay and more or less, according to their ability, by everybody made the thing a bigger success than such things usually are.

Mr. Curtis, of Winnipeg, is Mr. Trimen's successor in the Bank of B.N.A. He is expected in today, in which case Mr. Trimen will likely be able to leave tomorrow for his new work at Rosthern, Sask.

Special services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Easter Sunday.

Al. Faulkner, Ben Peterson and Hugh McKay leave today for the Bulkley Valley where they staked some claims last summer before joining the Hatchery party. They expect to go into Aldermere where their claims are by horse-back and may go afterward up into the Findlay country.

H. H. Melville, vice-president of the Dominion Copper Co. has returned from Europe and is at present in New York. Word is expected any day now from headquarters, stating what action has been taken about many important matters including the election of a president.

G. R. Naden, M.P.P., attended the Liberal convention at Vernon this week. After the convention Mr. Naden intended going on to the coast for the present. He will be in Greenwood again for at least a month before the next session of the House. It is probable he will go to Prince Rupert when things open up there more and make arrangements for the opening of business there.

UNANIMOUS FOR ROSS

Sitting Liberal Member the Only Candidate Before Convention---A Great Reception and a Masterly Reply

The following despatch gives the best account of the great Liberal Convention at Vernon that we have been able to get. It tells the story of an appreciation such as comes rarely to public men after one term in parliament and it is from the pen of a correspondent not connected with this paper. It is taken from the Nelson Daily News.

Vernon, April 14.—If ever a public man had occasion to realize that his services were heartily appreciated, that was the experience of Duncan Ross, M. P., at the Yale-Cariboo liberal nominating convention here today.

A splendid gathering of liberals, including 110 delegates, representing every section of the great dominion electoral district of Yale-Cariboo, covering an area of 175,000 square miles, unanimously and enthusiastically endorsed his course in parliament since his election in 1904 and with equal unanimity declared him to be the only possible standard bearer in the coming campaign.

It was a splendid tribute and demonstrated in no uncertain manner the unqualified satisfaction of Yale-Cariboo liberals with the policy of the Laurier administration.

The convention assembled at 2 p. m. in the opera house, S. C. Smith, president of the Yale-Cariboo liberal association, occupying the chair. The committee on credentials and resolutions having been appointed and performed their duties, the convention was regularly organized with 110 delegates in attendance, which representation would have been largely increased had it not been for the unfortunate delay of the train from the west, which prevented delegates from Yale, Lillooet and Cariboo and some from Kamloops putting in an appearance.

The report of the resolutions committee, which was received and adopted unanimously, was as follows: Resolved, that this convention of the liberals of Yale-Cariboo electoral district expresses its profound confidence, respect and esteem in the trusted leader of the liberals of Canada, sir Wilfrid Laurier, and hopes he may be long spared to direct the government of Canada, and to continue his policy for the permanent binding together of all parts of the British Empire. That, through his policy Newfoundland may soon become a province of Canada, that the Hudson's Bay railway and the Georgian Bay canal may become accomplished facts, and that as soon as conditions are favorable and satisfactory terms can be obtained, the "All Red Line" may be inaugurated, whereby British unity and inter-British trade may be maintained supreme.

That we, the liberals of Yale-Cariboo, in convention assembled, hereby pledge to the government of sir Wilfrid Laurier, our loyal and enthusiastic support in the forthcoming general elections.

That we also wish to record our hearty endorsement of the course pursued in parliament by our member, Mr. Duncan Ross, since his election in 1904.

That we hereby express our strong approval of the action of the government in appointing the civil service commission, and of the course of sir Wilfrid Laurier following upon the report thereof, and we express our sincere desire that as a result of that course, so entirely in accord with liberal principles, the civil service of Canada will, in the near future, be established on a strictly non-partisan basis.

That we also heartily approve of the broad and statesmanlike manner in which sir Wilfrid has dealt with the Asiatic immigration problem.

Following the adoption of the resolutions, the secretary read a letter from sir Wilfrid Laurier, which was received with tumultuous cheers and applause.

The letter was as follows:

OTTAWA, 21st March 1908.

My Dear Sir:—I understand that a convention is called for the purpose of selecting a liberal candidate in the district of Yale-Cariboo. It is an encouraging sign to see that the liberals in your district are thus getting ready for the contest. The loyalty and enthusiasm of the liberals of the west have always been an inspiration and an encouragement and I feel sure that my friends in Yale-Cariboo will see that so far as they are concerned there will be no breaks in the ranks of the solid seven from British Columbia.

Your district is one of immense area and wonderful natural resources, offering a most attractive field for development. We want a supporter from this rich district to aid and advise us in connection with those problems that are incidental to the development of the west and the building up of a greater Canada.

It is not for me to interfere in the choice of the electors; that is a matter as to which they must be left absolutely untrammeled. If I may, however, be permitted to express a wish, I can assure you that no man could be more acceptable to myself and to the liberal members of the house of commons than our friend Duncan Ross, the gallant sitting member.

Yours very sincerely,
WILFRID LAURIER.

G. A. Harris, Esq., Secretary, Yale-Cariboo Liberal Association, Vernon, B. C.

Nominations for a candidate to represent the liberal party in the coming campaign were then called for. John D. Swanson of Kamloops, in an eloquent and vigorous speech, nominated Duncan Ross. Thomas Lawson of Kelowna seconded the nomination, which was further endorsed by stirring speeches from Dr. K. C. Macdonld of Vernon, John Hyman of Vernon, Smith Curtis, ex-M. P. P. of Rossland, and senator Bostock. All of them vouched for the faithful and indefatigable efforts of Duncan Ross in his representation at Ottawa of the important constituency of Yale-Cariboo, special emphasis being laid upon his splendid fight for competition in railways in southern British Columbia.

No other name was mentioned and with one accord and with immense enthusiasm the large audience rose and cheered Duncan Ross as the standard bearer in Yale-Cariboo in the coming campaign.

In acknowledging the splendid testimony to the efficiency of his past services, Duncan Ross said that it amply repaid him for the four years of strenuous work he had put in at Ottawa. He reviewed at some length the probable issues of the coming campaign, but deferred his extended remarks until the evening meeting.

The executive committee for the electoral district then organized with Dr. K. C. Macdonald as chairman, C. A. Harris, secretary, and one representative from each provincial constituency included in the Yale-Cariboo federal r.ding, eight in all.

This evening the delegates were entertained at a smoking concert in the opera house by the local liberal association, important speeches being delivered by Duncan Ross, who dealt very fully with the Asiatic immigration question, following up his charges against attorney general Bowser and substantiating them with original documents proving explicitly Bowser's trickery and bad faith in the matter of contracts made by the C. P. R. for the importation of Japanese coolie labor, Smith Curtis, senator Bostock and other prominent district and visiting liberal workers.

It would have been impossible to have held a more successful nominating convention or one that more fully testified to the unanmity of the liberal party and to their determination to reslect a supporter of the Laurier administration. If today's proceedings be any criterion of liberal sentiment in British Columbia, then there can be but little doubt that the Pacific province will continue to be represented at Ottawa by a "solid seven."

In his speech tonight Duncan Ross said, in part:

How can I thank the good people of Vernon for the warmth of their reception to myself. Four years ago I came to you a stranger asking for votes. You were kind to me then because in a rather close contest you established a new record in giving a majority to the liberal candidate. Four years ago I had no personal record to justify or defend. I return to you after four years of service sometime strenuous, always arduous, always interesting and fascinating and it is most flattering and encouraging to be received with so much kindness and enthusiasm.

I said a short time ago that I had no record in 1904 when I came to you. I sometimes think that the lack of record, the absence of sins of omission or commission is a distinct advantage to a public man. I do not desire to escape any responsibility for my work as member for Yale-Cariboo. I tried to do my duty to the district and this community but to err is human and I would not set myself or be set on any pedestal above my fellow men in this district of Yale-Cariboo. I gave a loyal support to the Laurier government because I considered it the best government Canada ever had and because I believed it was enthusiastic about the development of the west and development is what this great district of Yale-Cariboo most needs.

It is therefore incumbent upon me as briefly as possible to review the record of the government during the last four years in matters of public policy and more particularly its record and my record so far as the district of Yale-Cariboo is concerned.

Let me say at the outset that in a great country like Canada the development of any portion thereof directly benefits every other portion. The development of the west during the last 10 years has instilled new life into the dominion of Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, has lifted this country from the slough of despond into which it had fallen in the dark days of conservative rule. Our conservative friends give all the credit to a kind Providence. So do we. No man having an appreciation of the fact that a greater than a mere human power shapes our destinies but must feel in his heart gratefulness for the blessings that have been bestowed on the country during the last 10 years and he is all the better Canadian for such feelings of gratitude. But as has been well said by sir Wilfrid Laurier, "Providence works through human agencies."

Did the Laurier government make good use of its talent since 1896? The majority of my hearers have a keen personal knowledge of the west prior to the advent of the Laurier government to power. The fertile lands were here, climatic conditions were the same, the land hasn't become any richer during the last 10 years. But notwithstanding that Nature was just as kind to Canada under conservative as liberal rule, no substantial progress was made. Our conservative friends paid bonuses to encourage immigration to the northwest but the going-out process was greater than the coming in. The few who were induced to settle in the northwest didn't remain there. Discouraged and disheartened by adverse conditions they sought new fields in which they hoped to better themselves. Did they come to the rich Okanagan valley with plenty of money to buy fruit lands? No, they would cross the boundary line into foreign soil and settle the Dakotas, Minnesota and other western states. But things changed when Hon. Clifford Sifton took charge of the department of the interior. There is no man in public life today who has been more viciously pursued, who has been more cruelly slandered by implacable enemies than Clifford Sifton. But when the population of Canada is 50,000,000 and when the history of Canada is written Clifford Sifton will be remembered as the father of his country, as the one who originated the new policy and the development of the west.

The official figures are the most eloquent testimony to the benefits accruing from a change of policy. Let me give a few:

HOMESTEADS	
1892	4840
1893	4067
1894	3209
1895	2394
1896	1851
1903	31,383
1904	26,073
1905	30,819
1906	41,869
1907 (9 months)	21,647
IMMIGRATION	
1892	30,996
1893	29,633
1894	20,829
1895	18,790
1896	16,835
1903	128,364
1904	130,330
1905	146,266
1906	184,064
1907 (9 months)	124,667

Land grants to railways under conservative rule, 1878 to 1896, amounted to 31,762,954 acres.

Land granted to settlers in the same period was only 7,416,160 acres.

Land granted to railways by liberals, nil.

Land granted to settlers, 23,693,840 acres.

Conservatives granted to colonization companies, 438,000 acres of land and $375,518.00 of land scrip. Got no settlers.

The liberals granted 250,000 acres to the Saskatchewan Valley Land company, for which $1.00 per acre was paid and got the whole tract settled by the most desirable class from the American side, many of whom were Canadians who had gone to the United States in the dark days of conservative rule and returned to their own country under new and better and more prosperous conditions.

Now, gentlemen, this policy has done something for the Okanagan valley and the interior of the province of British Columbia. The first time I visited Vernon was in 1893. It was a beautiful place then, a neat little village surrounded by large cattle ranches. I remember quite well, the subject agitating the minds of the people here was whether a bonus should be granted to encourage the establishment of a flour mill. No one thought of growing fruit for market in those days, because if they had there was no market and no people to buy. Things are changed now. You have received in this valley during recent years a large number of people of whom the Okanagan valley should be proud and no doubt is proud. They are the men and women who pioneered in the northwest and through the direct influence of the Sifton policy came to their own after years of patient toil and patient waiting. They came to you with money and experience and are rapidly converting your valley into the garden, not only of British Columbia, but of Canada. You who were here in 1893 and before that date are fair enough and broad enough to acknowledge that it was the enormous development of the northwest which enabled the majority of the newcomers to invest in your lands, to increase their values, to fill the valley with the best class of people and the highest citizenship. Would such a happy result be possible with a policy not only of stagnation but of retrogration.

But the east has also profited by this policy. Go into any manufactory in the east, consult with the manager and he will tell you that the reason his manufactory has been working overtime is that from 50 to 70 per cent of its products are going to the west. Go to the International Harvester company of Hamilton, Ont., employing 2000 men and its management will tell you that 65 per cent of the product of its immense works are sold to the west.

This policy of development has given breadth as well as length to Canada. The increasing population of the northwest kept producing more and more wheat, until the transportation companies couldn't handle the traffic. Did the Laurier government say: "We are growing too fast; we must call a halt?" No; they said let the good work go on. We will build another transcontinental railway. We will provide adequate transportation facilities. Those growing times, this development must continue, and now the Grand Trunk Pacific is being built.

Until a few years ago Canada west was sometimes known as a right of way for the Canadian Pacific railway, and sometimes as a narrow strip of land north of the international boundary line. Today Canada has breadth as well as length, not only in the northwest, but in British Columbia as well. Wheat is being successfully grown 900 miles north of the international boundary line. Five million acres are now under wheat, producing about 100 million bushels. One hundred million acres can be brought under cultivation, producing a billion or two billion bushels. These figures are appalling, but the policy of development has demonstrated that in Canada we have one of the greatest countries in the world, which will soon become the granary of the empire.

The construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific will do much for British Columbia. Heretofore the settled portion of the province was largely south of the Canadian Pacific railway because there were no railways north. Five-sixths of the province lies north of the C. P. R. and the G. T. P. will pass through the centre of it. Let no man think that because the nortion portion has not been settled it is therefore not as rich in agricultural lands, in timber, in coal, in minerals as the settled parts of the province. With transportation facilities provided we are going to get a development and a growing population equal to that of any other portion of the dominion. And we are going to get more; we are going to get railways built from the G. T. P. to make southern connections, thus opening up Cariboo and Lillooet and other intervening districts.

The east gets direct benefit from the construction of the G. T. P., not only by increased business for its manufactories,

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Work Starts Monday

W. P. Tierney, of Nelson, and his son, J. B. Tierney who has recently been carrying out a large contract with the C.P.R. at Hosmer arrived in Greenwood Wednesday and yesterday went over the grading work on the Mother Lode spur. Five carloads of equipment are expected here on Monday next and immediately on its arrival work will be started. About 35 men followed J. B. Tierney from Hosmer and will likely be given work here. They expect however to employ about 100 men on the grading which is to be more extensive than was first thought. It is expected that the work will take about three months.

J. B. Tierney will be in charge of the work here. The firm however have other large contracts on the Columbia and Western and in a couple of month's time will have at times nearly 1000 men working for them. The grade here will be about two miles in length and will eliminate the two large trestles on the Mother Lode line.

Wages will be paid according to the work. A great deal of it, however, does not require skilled labor and will be worth about $2 a day. Some of the men who came from Hosmer are already making arrangements to camp upon the hill near Deadwood.

THE CITY COUNCIL

The Council met on Monday night. Present Mayor Bunting, Aldermen Wilson, Mortimer, Sutherland and Fleming.

The City Treasurer's quarterly statement was read, received and filed. In the receipts for the quarter ending March 31st, are the following items; Police Court Fines $176 50, Traders' Licences $405. Liquor Licenses $2305, from water consumers $1,476.85. Debentures to the extent of $5000 were redeemed and the overdraft at the bank was reduced. The school was a charge against the city over grant received of $276.-65.

The Council decided to request the Government to appoint W.G. McMynn a police magistrate of the City of Greenwood without salary. Mr. McMynn wishes this power as it is greater than that of a Stipendiary Magistrate

Rev M. D. McKee reported a complaint about a charivari that occurred recently at the Manse. The police had instructions to stop all such disturbing rumpuses and the Council agreed with the Minister that it should be done.

In the discussion that followed it evolved that boys under age are in the habit of frequenting some saloons. The Council thought this a serious matter and gave instructions to the clerk to have notices printed stating that the law in this respect would be strictly enforced in future. These will be hung in the various places where liquor is allowed to be sold

The Mayor introduced the question of doing the city work now when so many men were out of employment. It was decided to have this work started at once and that preference be given to married men who were also ratepayers. Tuesday, the 21st was appointed a general cleaning day.

A second screen will be put in the Twin Creek reservoir to prevent its filling up Repairs will also be made at Lynn Creek and Providence Creek.

The tenant at the City farm was instructed to have repairs and improvements required by his agreement made.

The following accounts were ordered paid;

Greenwood City Waterworks Co	$133 65
White Bros.	2 75
Kinney & McDonald	3 15
Russell-Law-Caulfield Co.	2 15
W. H. Moore	1 00
Clark & Coles Valve Co.	9 00

Remember the Concert Orchestra dance in the Masonic Hall on Monday night. There never was such music in Greenwood before.

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The private car, Champlain, carrying J. G. Bury, of Winnipeg, manager of the Western lines of the C.P.R., F. W. Huelbach, and P. J. Lapouyade business friends of Mr. Bury, and Superintendent Coleman was dropped here by the train from Nelson on Tuesday afternoon. While here, Mr. Bury met the managers of the B.C. Copper Co. and of the Dominion Copper Co., but it was stated definitely that his trip was only a general inspection of the lines and that there was no unusual business in hand. It can be more definitely stated that so far as rumors of amalgamation of the C.P.R. mining properties and the local companies are concerned, there is absolutely nothing known of such a movement by anyone concerned here.

Mr. Bury's staff included his stenographer and two Chinamen. It will be remembered that a Chinaman who had travelled on Mr. Bury's car a few months ago gave to the Vancouver papers, a story of what the manager was going to do for him when he returned. But no one was more surprised than Mr. Bury to hear of his plans for the Chinaman. His Chinaman apparently had taken some lessons from his chief in handling reporters. The party left about seven o'clock by special engine. They were returning directly to Winnipeg.

Rifle Association

The Greenwood Rifle Association was reorganized on Friday night last with a membership of 35 and with the following officers: Captain, W. G. McMynn, Sec-Treas., K. C. B. Frith; Committee, Bert Logan, A. D. Hallett and J. S. Birnie. The ranges have been repaired and are in first rate shape for the shoot today. The boys tried out the new Ross Rifles the first of the week and no casualties resulted. They report them very satisfactory and do not see how any trouble could arise.

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Rudyard Kipling has certainly fallen from grace in the eyes of British Columbians. His fifth "Letter to the Family" deals with the question of Asiatic Immigration and in it he claims both parties have been playing up to the Labor Vote. We are perfectly ready to admit to Kipling that we are of the opinion that a large Asiatic trade would be of inestimable benefit to B.C. That is just the reason why the Japanese treaty has not been repealed long ago. To the extent of providing fair labor conditions the Government at Ottawa is playing up to the Labor Vote, if you like it that way. It is certainly providing what the members of the Labor Union and what ninety-nine per cent of the residents of this province want. But beyond that if Mr. Kipling can find any exhibition of calm, unjostled colonial statesmanship to excel that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in this whole immigration question we would like to hear of it.

But Mr. Kipling has another point. He says British Columbia has a superfluity of men who decry the value and possibilities of this country. We believe that British Columbia has a whole army of boosters, men of the spirit to do the most effective pioneer work possible. However here is Kipling's paragraph and our readers are given it to judge as they please:

"Externally, British Columbia appears to be the richest and the loveliest section of the Continent. Over and above her own resources she has a fair chance to secure an immense Asiatic trade, which she urgently desires. Her land, in many places over large areas, is peculiarly fitted for the small farmer and fruit-grower, who can send his truck to the cities. On every hand I heard a demand for labor of all kinds. At the same time, in no other part of the continent did I meet so many men who insistently decried the value and possibilities of their country, or who dwelt more fluently on the hardships and privations to be endured by the white immigrant. I believe that one or two gentlemen have gone to England to explain the drawbacks viva voce. It is possible that they incur a great responsibility in the present, and even a terrible one for the future."

The City Council has appointed Tuesday next as an Arbor Day. This is the only thing to do. Few towns in the world have such beautiful and inspiring stretches of God's country within easy view as can be had from the hills around Greenwood. Why should the valley not be a garden of lovliness? What would you think of "a beautiful Greenwood" as a motto for good citizens?

Louis Hill, president of the Great Northern, says that dollars are so scarce that railway managers feel like photographing every one they get. Mr. Hill is apparently suffering somewhat from the influences of the weather at the Coast. But in spite of it all, Mr. Hill says they are favoring British Columbia. He says: "I venture to assert that outside of construction work on the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway, the steam shovel at work near False Creek is the only one at work on our entire system. Everything is hung up."

The Times has received a copy of Vol. VII. of The Copper Handbook advertised elsewhere. The name and reputation of Mr. Steven's book is so familiar that it only needs to be said that Vol. VII keeps up the standard of the publication. It is in our estimation a most valuable book for anyone connected with the copper mining industry.

The vigorous action being taken by the Council to have young boys excluded from the hotels is very commendable. There are, of course, several hotels in Greenwood where such action is not necessary for boys are not permitted to loiter about the bars. The action of the Council so far as these men are concerned will simply be strengthening their hands. It is up to the Council, the Police, and the good citizens of Greenwood to see that everything that can reasonably be done to ensure protection to the men who want to run their hotels making them a credit to the town, be done. We are satisfied that this is what the people of Greenwood want and they will see that they get it.

We wonder if the following data from a recent issue of the Open Court Magazine will make any residents of Greenwood dubious about receiving one-dollar bills, clean or dirty. If you are afraid to take any just turn them into the Times Office where they will be thoroughly disinfected and used.

After careful examination of pennies, nickels, ten cent pieces and bills taken from a grocery store it was found that

Dirty pennies averaged 26 living bacteria each; Dimes averaged 40 living bacteria each; Moderately clean dollar bills averaged 2,250 living bacteria each; Dirty dollar bills averaged 74,000 living bacteria each.

A representative of Colliers' was in Greenwood this week and his presence here rather emphasizes the need of a good Canadian Weekly. The Courier of Toronto is a new paper and is doing well. If the Courier had more support, as it will have in a year or two, it could easily place on the market a magazine quite able to supply the Canadian demand for an up-to-date weekly paper. Collier's has established a Canadian edition in which it discusses Canadian instead of American public issues but we would like to see purely Canadian magazines able to hold their own in competition with any either only half-Canadian or American magazines. To anyone wanting a weekly national paper the Courier is ready to supply the demand for four dollars. In one or two years it will be better able to do this if you help it.

About People

The Bishop of London has admirers all over the world. Saturday, a week ago, he headed a vast procession of clergy and church workers into the heart of the worst slum in Westminster. The Bishop is courageous, vigorous and direct and by way of contrast, a story is told of his brother who is a farmer near Aylmer, Ont. His brother who has been farming in the County of Elgin for some years was one day spreading some dirt about the premises when he discovered that he had inissed one pile, "Ah—I beg pardon!" he said and politely went back to finish his work.

After baptising Mr. Sifton with a new spirit, the Winnipeg Tribune would take him into his galaxy, clothe him in white robes and shining raiment and surroun him with a chorus of angelic voices—the Tribune, the Nelson Canadian, the Mail and Empire, and no doubt Bob Edwards of Calgary, would join the throng. We'll let Mr. Sifton decide his party affiliations and so far as these papers are concerned it is only a case where "wish is father to the thought."

Mr. John McInnis, Socialist Member of the Legislature for Grand Forks division who spoke at the Miners' Union Hall on Friday night last, has gained at least a limited reputation at Victoria for sincerity. How widely this estimate of Mr. McInnis prevails, we do not know. It was given of him to us by a political opponent. It is hardly necessary to say that it does not involve any opinion either as to the quality of his ideas or as to their safety.

Justice Mabee, the new head of the Railway Commission has been making his reputation quickly. Three years ago he was plain Maybee, a lawyer in Stratford. Not particularly erudite in law but an original personality that knew the spirit and the game of law. In the Court Room he was a man who carried a strong head. He had a strange sort of penetrative mind that got into the root of things; a brain that analysed a case on a mathematical basis and a speech and a manner that made his analysis a very telling thing in the conduct of a brief. As Chairman of the Canadian section of the International Waterways Commission, he was something of a Niagara when he came to battering down a bad argument, at the same time he was patient as Job when he had to listen to reason and he carried his knife by means of which he let occasional swift jabs of light into the situation. He has been for three years on the bench and now by virtue of his office is the biggest unelected public man in Canada. This and much more about Justice Mabee will be found in the current issue of the Canadian Courier.

Someone has asked if Helen Keller is alive. She recently published an article in the Century Magazine.

Peter Veregin, who was in Nelson recently, is considered a bad man for the Doukhobors. Peter has the gift of an organizer and the heart and mind of an autocrat and the poor Douks, though they dress in white or don't dress at all seem to be the gang-slaves of Peter.

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The Bulkley—North and South

In the mining camps of Montana and Idaho, it is the Babine district north of the Bulkley Valley that is being talked of, according to James Cronin, formerly manager of the Consolidated at Rossland. Mr. Cronin is going north as soon as navigation opens and will resume development work on the Dibble group, a silver lead proposition of silver claims in the Babine district. His own opinion of the prospect is given in the following interview:

"Speaking of surface indications, I think the values in the Babine country north of Bulkley Valley are higher than those secured in the silver-lead district of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. In the Dibble group there are three parallel veins that have been traced on the surface for a distance of twenty-five hundred feet. One of them varies in width from two to ten feet. The assays are so high, so high that I won't take the public into my confidence for fear of being credited with romancing. The formation is ideal, consisting of porphyritic quartize and slate and in this respect is identical with that of the Coeur d'Alene district the greatest silver-lead region in the world. I don't know whether the ore will persist at depth, but I think so on account of the character of the country rock. It is unlikely that ore bodies of the same size as those in Idaho will be found in the Babine, where many valuable locations have been made during the past two or three years. The crying want just now is trails, and some of these I am going to build at my own expense.

"Two other camps which promise to become famous as silver-lead producers are located on the south side of the Bulkley Valley and at the head of Copper River, along the new route it is said the Grand Trunk Pacific will adopt in making a cut-off. The ores from those camps run at least $100 a ton in lead and silver. They are well adapted for concentrating on the basis of one and a half ounce of silver to the unit of lead. Development work this season will bring the richness of those regions to public notice throughout the continent. I have been deluged with inquiries from mining friends, and anticipate a small sized stampede in there from Idano and Montana as soon as the boats start running up the Skeena.

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Provincial Items

The Great Northern train running into Phoenix from Grand Forks is to be supplied with fine new coaches.

Five thousand acres of timber limits near Howe Sound have been purchased for a foreign syndicate. They will erect mills with a daily capacity each of 250,000 feet. "British Columbia is on the eve of the biggest kind of a healthy boom," said Mr. Van Wagenen, who nogotiated the deal.

The Missionary Era, a new paper has been started at Summerland by the Prerbyterian Minister. It is a religious publication.

Pay day at the Granby mines at Phoenix last Friday totalled $55,000 and at the St. Eugene at Moyie $40,000. The Granby smelter paid $35,000.

The pioneers of Prince Rupert are making strong efforts to keep out the Chinese. The Empire complains of their employment on the steamers plying from Vancouver to Prince Rupert.

Cranbrook's race meeting has been set for May 18 and 19. Stables from Buffalo to San Francisco will be represented. Only one Canadian stable, that from Medicine Hat, is on the list.

Cranbrook is forming a Game Protection Association. This is taking a leaf out of the books of Fernie and Greenwood. Organization meeting was held last Saturday night.

In spite of the shipments of the Granby, there is no money moving in Phoenix. The men are averse even to paying board bills up the hill. James Loor and Louie Colombo who had boarded at the Maple Leaf hotel skipped out last week but were intercepted by the proprietor at Northport and asked to disgorge. They produced $150 and were passed on.

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Four Ingersoll-Sergeant Class "A" Straight Line Air Compressors. Air Cylinders 26¼ in. x 30 in. In good working condition. Available about July, 1908.

One Vulcan, four-wheel, Saddle tank, Steam Locomotive, 42 in. guage. Cylinders 10½ in. x 16 in.—Built 1903. Immediate delivery.

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Four Jeffrey, ten ton, Electric Locomotives, 36 in. guage, 220 Volt., Direct Current. In good working order. Available about July 1908

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MINING

The Fernie Free Press says: It is rumored that the C.P.R. will build 100 "by-product" coke ovens at Hosmer. We have been unable to confirm the rumor but such a step would not have been unexpected on the part of the C.P.R., as they require such by-products as coking coal will produce in their briquetting plant at Bankhead and also in the manufacture of the gas that is burned in their passenger cars.

The secretary of the Western branch of the Canadian Mining Institute has sent to the members of the council a circular letter conveying the suggestion of the presidens that the next meeting of the branch shall be held at Rossland about the middle of May.

Galliher Comes to His Own.

You, who have read the Daily Canadian, of Nelson, and who are familiar with its indiscriminate harangues against the Liberal members, what do you think of this sweet morsel on W. A. Galliher's retirement:

During his eight years service as representative of Kootenay, "Big Bill" has always been a loyal and enthusiastic Westerner, and has done probably all a Dominion member covld to to advance the special interests of Nelson. It is probably within the truth to sav his public career has not made him a single enemy.

It is generally understood that Mr. Galliher purposes devoting his time and talents hereafter to the practice of his profession. There is no man in Nelson, probably not in Kootenay, who does not heartily wish him every success.

The Anarchist.

Oh, he preached it from the housetops,
and he whispered it by stealth;
He wrote whole miles of stuff against
the awful curse of wealth.
He shouted for the poor man, and he
called the rich man down;
He roasted every king and Queen who
dared to wear a crown.
He clamoured for rebellion, and he said
he'd lead a band
To exterminate the millionaires and
sweep them from the land.
He yelled against monopolists, there
power he'd defy,
And swore he'd be an anarchist and
blow them to the sky.
He stormed, he fumed, and ranted, till
he made the rich man wince,
And—an uncle left him money, and he
hasn't shouted since.

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A leading health journal in answering the question, "What is the best prescription to clean and purify the blood?" prints in a recent issue the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion one ounce;
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Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, four ounces.

Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known physician states that these are harmless vegetable ingredients, which can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy.

This mixture will clean the blood of all impurities. In just a few days the skin begins to clear of sores, boils and pimples. It puts vigor and energy into run-down debilitated men and women. For many years Sarsaparilla alone has been considered a good blood medicine. But while it built up and made new blood, the impurities remained within and the good accomplished was only temporary. Sarsaparilla, however, when used in combination with Compound Salatone and Extract Dandelion, works wonders. This combination puts the kidneys to work to filter and sift out the waste matter, uric acid, and other impurities that cause disease. It makes new blood and relieves rheumatism and lame back and bladder troubles.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GREENWOOD

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll for the year 1908 has been returned, and can be inspected by any person having an interest therein until the sitting of the Court of Revision. The first sitting of the Court of Revision on the said Assessment Roll will be held in the City Hall, Greenwood, on Monday, the 11th day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock, a.m. Any person desiring to make complaint against his or her assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor, stating the ground of his or her complaint at least ten days before the said date.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Celle late of Carmi, in the Province of British Columbia, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and others having claims against the Estate of Joseph Celle, who died on or about 14th October, 1906, are requested on or before the 23rd day of April, 1908, to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, their christian or surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims duly verified, statement of their account and the nature of the security if any held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the administrator Clement Vacher, will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of the said distribution.

DATED at Greenwood, B. C., this 28th day of March, 1908.

J. D. SPENCE, Greenwood, B. C.,
Solicitor for Clement Vacher, Administrator

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GRANITE MOUNTAIN and IRON KING MINERAL CLAIMS, situate in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Eholt Creek.

TAKE NOTICE that I, C. Æ. Shaw, agent for James Sullivan, Free Miner's Certificate No. B6721 and Jerry Driscoll, Free Miner's Certificate No. B6720 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 8th day of November, A. D. 1907.

C. Æ. SHAW.
B.C.L.S.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register James Henry Higgins as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from George Birkett Taylor, Collector of Municipality of City of Greenwood, to James Henry Higgins, bearing date the Twentieth day of December, A.D. 1907, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Greenwood, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lot twenty-three (23), Block J, Map 46, City of Greenwood, B.C.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first insertion of this notice, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed—and in default of redemption—within such period, you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register James Henry Higgins as owner thereof.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Kamloops, Province of British Columbia, this Thirty-first day of December, A.D., 1907.

W. H. EDMONDS, District Registrar.

To EDWARD NASH, Esq., and
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J. MOE, D.P.A. Nelson
E. J. COYLE, A.G.P.A. Vancouver
E. R. REDPATH, AGENT GREENWOOD,

Application No. 12535a.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that an application has been made to register Harcourt P. Dickinson as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from George Birkett Taylor, Collector of Municipality of the City of Greenwood, to Harcourt P. Dickinson, bearing date the 7th day of December, A.D. 1907, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Greenwood, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as—the North 36 feet of Lot Five (5), Block Eleven (11), Map Twenty-One (21), City of Greenwood.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first insertion of this notice, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed—and in default of redemption—within such period, you will be for ever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register Harcourt P. Dickinson as owner thereof.

Dated at Land Registry Office, Kamloops, Province of British Columbia, this Sixth day of January, A.D. 1908.

W. H. EDMONDS,
District Registrar

To LAURA A. WARD. 7t

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LAND NOTICE

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale

TAKE NOTICE that I Isabella Strauss, of Midway, B.C., occupation Housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:—

Commencing at a post planted at the North-East corner of H. Strauss' Pre-emption. Lot No. 787S. thence East 40 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres more or less.

ISABELLA STRAUSS.
Per H. STRAUSS, Agent.

Dated February 15th, 1908.

LAND NOTICES

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale.

TAKE NOTICE that I Frederick Crawford, of Park Rapids, Minnesota, occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 60 chains Northerly from the North-west Corner of H. Strauss' Pre-emption, Lot No. 787S, thence north 60 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 120 acres, more or less.

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Per HENRY STRAUSS, Agent.

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LAND NOTICES

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TAKE NOTICE that I Henry Strauss of Midway, B.C., by occupation Farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the North West corner of H. Strauss Pre-emption Lot No. 787 S, thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less

HENRY STRAUSS,

Dated February 3rd, 1908.

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale

TAKE NOTICE That Ellen Long, of Park Rapids, Minn., occupation Housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the South East corner of Application to Purchase Record No. 264S being Survey Lot No. 788S; thence east 80 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 60 chains to point of commencement, and containing 480 acres, more or less.

ELLEN LONG,
Per Henry Strauss, Agent

Dated December 9th, 1907.

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale.

TAKE NOTICE that William Edward McArthur of Greenwood, British Columbia, by occupation Lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at about five chains distant in an easterly direction from the northwest corner of A. Fisher's pre-emption, Lot 1008; thence east about 35 chains; thence south 40 chains to G Eustace's northwest corner; thence east 35 chains; thence north 40 chains to Loutier's southwest corner; thence north 40 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to the place of beginning and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located the 17th day of December, 1907.

WILLIAM EDWARD MCARTHUR.

Dated 27th December, 1907. ia3-5t

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations.

ANY available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

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

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

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale

TAKE NOTICE that Joseph H. Leasia of the District of Yale, Province of British Columbia, by occupation timber cruiser, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked J. H. Leasia's S.E. Corner Post situated at the North East corner of J. H. Feeney's application Lot 622; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains, to place of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

Joseph H. Leasia, Locator

Dated November 2nd, 1907.

Similkameen Land District. District of Yale

TAKE NOTICE that Anna Wilson, of Park Rapids, Minn., occupation Housekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the North East corner of W. Hager's Pre-emption Record No. 1158, being Survey Lot No. 789S; thence East 80 chains thence south 60 chains; thence West 80 chain thence north 60 chains, to point of commencement containing 480 acres, more or less.

ANNA WILSON
Per Henry Strauss, Agent

Dated December 11th, 1907.

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PROPRIETOR

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I. H. Hallett returned from Vernon on Tuesday afternoor.

A. E. Braithwaite, of Bridesville, spent Sunday last in the city.

T. M. Gulley returned from Spokane and elsewhere Monday night.

Judge Williams and G. W. Rumberger, of Phoenix, were in the valley last Saturday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Dimmick, at their home in Greenwood on the 14th inst., a daughter.

D. C. McRae and his brother from Phoenix are spending some days this week on the Main Kettle River.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brandon, at San Francisco, Cal., on the 11th inst., a daughter.

H. McCutcheon, Collector of Customs went to Keremeos on Wednesday to go over the office there with Walter Frith who has just moved from Chopaka to Keremeos.

W. J. Goepel, one of the Inspectors of the provincial government was in Greenwood Monday and Tuesday, auditing at the Government offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Wood returned this week from Armstrong and are settled again in their home here.

Percy Hallett, Mrs. Hallett and their little boy left yesterday for the coast where Percy is a partner in the Western Tobacco Co. recently incorporated. Everyone in Greenwood will wish him success.

W. R. Willcox, of the Pioneer, Phoenix, was making perhaps his last rounds on Wednesday. Mr. Willcox says that the little pile of gold is rapidly vanishing as he pays up all the little bills about.

Miss Agnes Beldon went to Spokane on Saturday last to join her sister, Miss Ethel Beldon, who went there recently. Miss Beldon will accept engagements in a "Teaching Connection" and will have Mr. Frank Wilson's studio in that city.

Last week Rev. Father Bedard and Hartman entertained at their house, four priests of the church, Rev. Father J. Althoff, of Nelson, Rev. Father McCullough, O M.I., of Rossland, Rev. Father J. A. Van Nevel, of Esquimalt and Rev Father F. Verbeke, of Fulford Harbor. The two latter gentlemen were on their way home from a trip to Europe.

TOWN TOPICS

Special Easter Service morning and evening in Methodiat church

An initiation of several new members of the Fire Brigade will take place tonight.

A locket advertised in The Times as lost, two weeks ago, was returned to this office Wednesday.

J. L. Coles has a stock of wall paper that is unexcelled for tasty designs. Look 'em over.

A half holiday does not mean less work. It means more and better work in less time. Besides not having a chance to play makes one bitter.

At the Church of the Sacred Heart on Sunday next at 10 a m. Rev. Father Bedard will be assisted in the celebration of High Mass by the choir of the Phoenix church. The Mass will be sung.

That Annual Beef-steak-pie Dinner in the Methodist Church will be just as good as usual. Monday, April 20th

Do not Miss it.

Tickets, Adults 50c. Children 25c

Tea served 5-30 to 8. Program after

Corporation of the City of Greenwood

HOUSEHOLDERS & PROPERTY Owners are given until Tuesday, the 21st inst., to clean up their premises and place them in a Sanitary Condition.

After that date the provisions of the "Health Act" and "Health By-Law" will be invoked by the Health Officer of the Local Board of Health.

By Order of the Council.

April 15th, 1908. G. B. TAYLOR, City Clerk

Easter Sunday services at St. Jude's church will be at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. There will be special music. The Boy's Brigade will attend the evening service.

The eighty-ninth anniversary of the I.O.O.F. will be celebrated by Boundary Valley Lodge No. 38, on the 26th inst. The order will attend service in the Presbyian church on the evening of that day.

The Rifle Club shoot today is on the ranges at Boundary City. The ranges on the hill may be used for shooting on short notice or the half holidays if they come.

It is safe to say that no town in British Columbia has an orchestra that can compare with Greenwood's concert orchestra. No one is asked personally to buy a ticket. The orchestra deserves your support. Give it to them on Monday night.

The ladies of the Guild of St. Jude's church will serve High Tea on the 28th inst.—a week from next Tuesday in the store recently vacated by Anderson Bros. Supper from 5.30 to 7 p.m. and a concert by the Greenwood Concert Orchestra starting at eight o'clock. One admission of fifty cents includes both parts of the entertainment. Children will be admitted fer twenty-five cents.

John McInnes, M. L. A., addressed the largest meeting in town last Friday evening in the Miners' Union Hall. His address covered a review of the work of the session at Victoria, some reference to the general progress of socialism and an exposition of some socialist theories.

Unanimous for Ross

but in opening up new areas in Ontario and Quebec. In looking up some reports of the National Transcontinental engineers a few days ago I was amazed at some figures given on the authority of those engineers. Fifteen million six hundred and eighty thousand acres of good agricultural lands will be opened up in New Ontario by the National Transcontinental railway. Many of you come from the good old province of Ontario. Do you know that there are only 14,000,000 acres under cultivation in Old Ontario and less than 21,000,000 acres in all the old province of Ontario, but the construction of the Transcontinental railway through the clay belt of New Ontario makes over 15,000,000 acres of new agricultural land available in that province. What I want to impress on my audience, what I want to drive home is the outstanding fact that this policy of development of opening up these magnificent areas in Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific is directly attributable to the fact that the Laurier government began an intelligent, aggressive policy of development and carried it on until, today, every portion of the dominion gets the direct benefit.

Need I dwell upon the fact that you fruit growers of Okanagan and you lumbermen of other parts of this riding must give credit to this policy for providing you a market?

The facts and figures which I have given cannot be successfully controverted nor can they be effectively criticized. Our conservative friends no longer attempt to offer serious criticism to the policy or the record of the Laurier government. They have abandoned the legitimate functions of an opposition and have started a campaign of calumny and slander. They no longer say that the immigration policy has not been effective, they no longer say that the transportation policy has not been crowned with success, they no longer seriously object to our tariff policy or offer any alternative; they simply shout graft and go up and down the highways and byways endeavoring to poison the minds of the people of this country by innuendo and gross misrepresentation of public men. I am not unappreciative of the danger of such a campaign, but I want to ask in all seriousness if the people of the west are going to be stampeded by wanton charges without proof and are going to vote against a government that has done so much for the west?

Let me give you one instance to show how absurd these charges by our tory friends are. We have heard something in the house of commons and have heard more in the tory newspapers regarding the awful timber scandals. What are the facts? From 1878 to 1896, when there was practically little or no settlement and consequently little or no increasing demand for timber in the northwest, the conservative government gave to its friends, without money and without price, without tender and without competition, 30,767 square miles of timber land.

Settlement came with the advent of the Laurier government, the demand enormously increased, but nothwithstanding this, during the 11 years of liberal rule, only 7915 square miles of timber were alienated, not to friends of the government but in every instance to the highest bidder in open competition.

NOW, KEEP IN MIND WHEN TORIES TALK SCANDAL, THAT FROM THE FIRST DAY THE LAURIER GOVERNMENT ENTERED OFFICE UNTIL TODAY NOT ONE SINGLE STICK OF TIMBER HAS BEEN GRANTED TO ANYONE EXCEPT TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

When this rule has never been broken where can there be a shadow of a vestige of an excuse for charges of graft?

Our conservative friends in their anger, in their unsatiable thirst for scandal, have only called attention to their own shortcomings. I hold in my hand a list of timber berths granted under conservative rule. Here are some of the favored ones:

Hon. J. G. Haggart, ex-minister of railways and canals, several hundred square miles.

Nicholas Flood Davin, 50 square miles.

J. G. H. Bergeron, 50 square miles.

D. H. McDowall, ex-M. P., 50 square miles.

H. A. Ward, M. P., 50 square miles.

Thomas Bickett, M. P., 50 square miles.

Hon. W. H. Montague, M. P., 50 square miles; also a long list of other prominent conservative politicians.

These berths were granted by orders-in council passed by the tory government giving these tory friends large areas of the public domain free.

This was the policy of the conservatives, this was the policy of the very people who are today shouting graft in connection with a policy of open competition and in every instance awarded to the highest bidder. Their charges in this instance are as unfair, unfounded and absurd as in every other instance where they have attempted to besmirch the character of honorable men and abandon criticism for the cowardly alternative of bringing up wild charges of graft and corruption without one tittle of evidence to substantiate these charges.

Let me appeal to you again. I honestly believe that we have the best government Canada ever had or I wouldn't support it. I honestly believe that it is in the best interests of Canada and particularly the west and more particularly the great district of Yale-Cariboo, to continue the Laurier government in office; to give it an opportunity to work out its policy of further developing the west, and I therefore hope that no one will be led away by any cruel campaign of the scandal monger.

This policy of development has done much and will do much more for Yale-Cariboo. This is why I am such an enthusiastic supporters of the Laurier government. There may be minor details of policy to which exception can be taken, but the important factor standing right out is that the general policy of the administration is the best for the district which I have had the honor to represent. I do not want to weary my audience, but I hope you will bear with me while I refer to matters of local importance.

I have here the notes of a brief address I made at Kamloops when the liberals of this riding were good enough to select me as their standard bearer. I then laid down a policy which I considered the representative of this riding should follow if he were to be of some assistance and some benefit to his riding. I stated then that the destiny of this great district was bound up in the transportation question and, quoting: "We want railways and plenty of them, and we want such assistance as will make possible the early construction of the railways required; not because it is fashionable to knock at the treasury doors whenever a man gets a railway bee in his bonnet or rather a railway charter in his inside pocket, but because in the work of empire building the resources of Yale-Cariboo are a sufficient warranty for the expenditures of public moneys in securing the development of those resources. We want a railway to continue from Midway to open up the gold, silver, copper and coal measures of Similkameen and Nicola, and we don't want any waiving of the old flag in the interests of any particular railway corporation; and we want a railway to open up a direct market in the boundless Boundary mining country for the fruit and flour and agricultural products of the northern country; and we want a railway to continue northward, putting new life in Golden Cariboo and minimizing, if not destroying the effect of the recent international arbitration, by giving us a short and direct route to the Yukon through Canadian territory, and we want that rich and promising country divided by the waters of the Kettle river opened up to the prospector, miner and farmer.

"A big program, you will say, but not at all out of keeping with the magnificent resources of the district. Through the statesmanlike policy of the Laurier government, there is now every assurance that the practically undiscovered country of the north will be penetrated by another transcontinental railway; but railways running north and south are also required to develop our resources and to bring mining and agricultural districts in closer touch with each other to the advantage of all.

"I do not think I will be charged with heresy or lacking in loyalty to the liberal party when I suggest that more attention should be paid to the development of our own resources rather than to international trade. The great country to the south of us with its 80 millions of people does not enjoy its prosperity through the nourishing care of the protective tariff, but rather because there are 80,000,000 under one flag and having the greatest possible freedom of trade within their borders."

Now, sirs, these would have been idle words if nothing were done to supplement this policy. I think I can claim some credit for having done something to bring about railway construction in this district and if complete success did not follow, it was not for want of trying and I am still hopeful that the policy which I laid down will soon be carried into effect.

Mr. Ross then explained at some length the historic fight over the V.V. & E. in railway committee at Ottawa, when the entire tory party lined up against the interests of southern British Columbia in the matter of transportation, the tories seeking to maintain the C. P. R. monopoly and the liberals sucessfully opposing it.

Mr. Ross also dealt with the Midway & Vernon railway undertaking, a project which he had assisted in every way possible. He dealt, too, with the dominion expenditures on public works in Yale-Cariboo, with particular reference to telephone and telegraph systems, with which this great district is now very well supplied.

Mr. Ross then devoted some time to the Asiatic Oriental question.

"During recent years sir Wilfrid Laurier had to deal with some question of a grave international character," he said, "and the same reasonable, moderate, statesmanlike ideals which have always actuated him in the discharge of his public duties were brought into play, with the result that satisfactory solutions were secured in all instances. One of these question was of peculiar interest to the province of British Columbia.

Continuing Mr. Ross turred to the question of Asiatic immigration and gave a careful resume of the entire question including the subsequent controversy. After reading all the correspondence connected with the Japanese treaty Mr. Ross referred to his own conflict with Mr. Bowser and proceeding said:

No sooner was this arrangement affected than Mr. Bowser, the attorney general of this province, introduced into the local legislature, the Natal act for no other reason than to further complicate the matter. As one desiring peace rather than turmoil, I thought it was my duty to expose the hollowness and hypocrisy of Mr. Bowser's actions as a public man and I did so. In order that there may not be any misunderstanding regarding the matter, I have put down as briefly as possible my charges against him;

1. That W. J. Bowser was solicitor for Sauri Gotoh.

2. That Sauri Gotoh discussed with W. J. Bowser the effect of the Canadian alien labor act, upon a contract of this character and that the contract was drawn up with special reference to the Alien labor act.

3. That all subsequent contracts between Saurl Gotoh and the Canadian Pacific Railway company were duplicates of the contract prepared by W. J. Bowser.

4. That during the last provincial campaign W. J. Bowser used information secured as solicitor for Gotoh to convince the public that a contract had been entered into between Sauri Gotoh and a company acting for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company to bring in 50,000 Japanese laborers to work on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

5. That the information contained in the election roorbach which appeared in the Vancouver Daily Province the evening before the last general election was supplied by W. J. Bowser since the editorial columns of the same paper in the same issue gave W. J. Bowser credit for having warned the public regarding the alleged contract.

5. That the Victoria Colonist of the morning of the election gave as a report of a speech delivered by W. J. Bowser the substance of the allegations contained in the Province article.

7. That W. J. Bowser as solicitor for Gotoh knew at the time that the Province article was untrue and was published solely for the purpose of deceiving the electors.

8. That as solicitor for Sauri Gotoh he knew that the contract was not between Gotoh and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company, but between Gotoh and the Canadian Pacific Railway company, a very powerful ally in the last provincial general elections.

9. That W. J. Bowser knew of the existence of the Gotoh contract when he introduced the Natal act in the legislature on April 2, 1907 and that this act for which he was primarily responsible was drafted in such a way that even if it did receive the assent of the lieutenant governor it could not be enforced against the Gotoh contract.

10. That under the arrangements made by the dominion government with Japan and by the enforcement of federal immigration regulations, no Japanese can be brought into the country under the Gotoh contract and that consequently this contract stood no longer in the way of W. J. Bowser introducing a good Natal act in the legislature.

11. That he did so for political effect and for the purpose of jeopardizing a satisfactory settlement of a serious international question.

Then giving Mr Bowser's various denials, Mr. Ross in reading the following astounding telegram said:

Here is Gotoh's answer over his signature. Gotoh says as follows:

Bowser did not draft his contract to bring Japanese to Canada but as Bowser was his solicitor for over two years until October or November, 1906, Bowser knew the nature of every contract made during that time. There was a case of changing contractor's name from Faruya to his company Shoko in July, 1905 and Bowser copied the contract. The contract was with the C.P.R. to supply Japanese in Vancouver.

(Sgd.) TAMURA

The above is true fact under oath,

(Sgd.) S. GOTOH

Yokohama, Feb. 7, 1908.

Mr. Ross reviewed all this evidence and Bowser's denials very fully, accepting unreservedly responsibility for his charges against the attorney general and concluded an eloquent and vigorous speech, which was loudly applauded throughout, with the following stirring appeal:

Because it was my bounden duty in the interests of this country, in the interests of this province and in the interests of the empire to expose these things the word has gone forth that I must be defeated in Yale-Cariboo. All the forces of the McBrides and the Bowsers and the cohorts of the conservative party in this province are to be arrayed against me. Let them come on. We are not afraid. I have sufficient confidence in the fighting qualities of Yale Cariboo to feel sure that they will not be alarmed by the bombast of our opponents. I have sufficient confidence in the good sense and sound judgment of the people of Yale-Cariboo to know that they will not desert its representative because he has exposed the deceit of the attorney general of this province in his efforts to complicate a grave international and imperial question.

My friends, let me re-echo the clarion call used by the fighting editor of the Toronto Globe in another connection. The call of the Highland chief:

"Shoulder to shoulder, men of Yale-Cariboo. Shoulder to shoulder, never shot in the back, always facing the fire, we await with the assurance of victors the onslaught of our opponents."

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