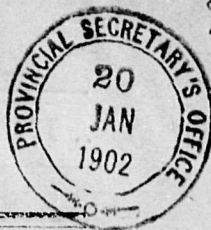


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TODAY'S NEWS OF THE WORLD.

BRIEF DISPATCHES ON TOPICS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Victoria, January 15.—Fred Fell, a well known business man and steamer owner of this city, died this afternoon after a critical operation for the removal of an abscess. The deceased came to Victoria in 1862, when he was nine years of age.

Sarnia, Ontario, January 15.—Andrew Carnegie has offered Sarnia \$15,000 for a public library, providing the town provides \$1500 per year for its maintenance.

London, January 15.—The Court of King's Bench refused to grant the appeal of St. John Dix, whose extradition to the United States, was granted some time ago.

Halifax, January 15.—The first detachment of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, consisting of "D," "E," and "F" companies and No. 4 troop of a squadron, are now on their way to South Africa, having embarked on the troopship Manhattan at 2 o'clock this afternoon without any special incident. Large crowds assembled to see the troopers off, but there was no particular enthusiasm.

Youngstown, Ohio, January 15.—The Bessemer Iron Association yesterday closed a deal to sell 100,000 tons of Bessemer standard iron to the United States Steel Corporation, to be delivered before July 1st, at \$15 75 a ton, the same price at which the last lot was sold.

Charlottetown, January 15.—Hon. senator Prowse died early this morning, aged 66. Deceased came from Murray Harbor to attend the meeting of the Merchants' Bank yesterday, when he was taken suddenly ill. He went under an operation for peritonitis which proved fatal. He was called to the senate by the Conservative administration in September, 1889.

The Sherbrooke house, in Sherbrooke, Que., was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning.

London, January 15.—The breach of promise suit brought by Miss Portia Knight, the American actress, against the Duke of Manchester has been settled out of court, the Duke paying Miss Knight £1,000 and defraying the costs of the legal proceedings.

Williamsport, Pa., January 15.—A dispatch from Karthaus, Clearfield

county, says three negroes were blown to pieces and seven others hurt by a dynamite explosion early this morning.

Santa Barbara, Cal., January 15.—Adrift on a capsized boat in the Pacific for 17 days without food or drink was the terrible experience of Captain Harry Olsen and Pete Wallace, two crab fishermen, and but one lives to tell the story of their terrible sufferings. Olsen was picked up by Arturo Valdez, a fisherman, just beyond the Kelp, off Goldetal.

The action leading up to the withdrawal of Mr. James Anderson from the mayoralty race at last night's meeting, was a copy of a letter which Mr. Anderson read from himself to Mr. J. H. Kennedy, of the V., V. & E. railway, asking a number of questions as to the intentions of the company and a reply from Mr. Kennedy answering these questions in a most satisfactory manner. The second of the questions was with regard to the intentions of the company as to building the Granby smelter spur, and the answer was that if Mr. Tracy W. Holland, the townsite manager, would sign an agreement to allow the road to build and settle the matter of price by friendly arbitration, the road would commence operations on the smelter spur forthwith. Mr. Anderson proposed that if Mr. Holland would sign such an agreement then and there he would drop out of the race and allow Mr. Holland to go in by acclamation.

Following is the agreement signed by T. W. Holland last night, upon which condition James Anderson withdrew from the mayoralty contest:

Grand Forks, B. C., Jan. 15, 1902—On behalf of the Grand Forks Townsite company, I agree to allow the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway and Navigation company possession of a strip of land one hundred feet wide, fifty feet on each side of their line as located across the lands of the Grand Forks Townsite company for its spur to the lands of the Granby smelter. Said land to be paid for by the railway company, the price to be mutually agreed upon or decided by friendly arbitration in the same way as if expropriation proceedings were being undertaken, and the work of grading to be commenced by the said railway company at once.

TRACY W. HOLLAND,
Managing Director Grand Forks Townsite Company.

Witness: JNO. B. HENDERSON.

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Under this head, lost, found, for sale, to rent and wanted notices of not more than five lines this type, will be inserted one week for 50c.

Spokane Northern, Western Union Telegraph, and Great Northern railway offices have been moved from the Yale building to the corner of Bridge and First sts.

Miner Business Directory

Under this head two lines in this type, giving name, business and location, will be inserted for 50c per month.

Clothes Cleaned and Pressed.

IF you want your clothes cleaned or renovated and pressed go to Mrs. L. W. Johnson, cor. Riverside ave. and Main st

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Real Estate and Mining Brokers.

T. ALFRED KENNION, mining and real estate, cor. Bridge and First, 'phone 65.

Druggists.

H. E. WOODLAND & CO. druggists and stationers, cor. Bridge and 2d sts. 'phone 15. Photographic supplies a specialty.

Hotels.

PACIFIC HOTEL, opp. C.P.R. station, Columbia, J. McIntosh. 'Phone 59.

Barristers and Notaries.

CLEMENT & SPENCE, Barristers, notaries, etc., Grand Forks & Columbia, B. C.

Miscellaneous

Employment and information bureau, O. K. messenger service, Bridge & 1st, 'phone 65

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THURSDAY, JAN. 16, 1902

The trio of union labor killers—the Rossland Miner, Bernard McDonald and Bela Kadish, get a dose of Managing Director B. J. Frecheville's mind, after that gentleman carefully examines the methods and tactics of those gentlemen at Rossland and Northport. Mr. Frecheville makes a most vigorous attack upon the way in which the property was operated by General Manager McDonald and Smelter Manager Kadish. His report, which is a lengthy one, has just been submitted to the stockholders. In it he says, in part: "My investigation shows that there has been very great extravagance and loose expenditures and high working costs; also that under proper control your property would have paid dividends from the start. I am of the opinion that the strike was mainly brought about by the injudicious and arbitrary action of Bela Kadish. The strike at Rossland is sympathetic."

During the past ten years, New Zealand has achieved an international reputation as the exponent of advanced democracy. During the time the Radical party has been in office, Single tax, the government ownership of railroads, and in fact all public franchises have and are being adopted. Reports have become current that as a result, the colony was suffering from financial embarrassment. Although again and again denied, they have become dangerous to the interests of the people there, and have called forth a statement of the colony's affairs by its Premier in his annual address to the colonial parliament. We may summarize this history making speech as follows: During the ten years since the Radical party came into power, the population of the country has increased 19 per cent,

the exports 40 per cent, and the bank deposits 60 per cent. The wealth of the country per family has increased from \$5,700 to \$7,400—a figure exceeded nowhere in the world. The increase in the colony's debt is large, (\$54,000,000 or \$300 per family), but three quarters of this sum invested in railroads, land settlement, advances to settlers, etc., etc., not only pays interest on the bonds issued therefor, but yields a profit of \$300,000,000 a year to help pay the interest on the remainder. Even the remaining debt is indirectly profitable, as nearly all of it is invested in roads, bridges and public buildings, and for the purchase of native lands. During this year the government has reduced railroad rate six and two thirds per cent in pursuance of its policy to reduce these rates whenever the reduction could be made and the roads still net the government enough to pay the interest on their bonds. Instead of causing a deficit, this cut in rates was followed by such an increase in traffic as to yield the government more than ever before. Further reductions were made in its customs duties, postal rates, etc. but all these combined, instead of causing the loss of \$1,750,000, (which would have resulted had not business increased), caused—or were followed by—an increase in the government revenues amounting to \$8,300,000. If such results have been attained in ten years by only a modified form of socialism, what might not be accomplished by a thorough going co-operative system? This question ought to engage the attention of sociological experts and legislators in British Columbia when we have to own the galling fact that our government has an overdraft for the current year of nearly \$2,000,000, and cannot float a loan which has been authorized for months.

LOCAL NEWS.

A. E. McQuarrie, of Eholt, has gone to San Francisco.

Mrs. Jennie Carter returned yesterday from Cascade to her home in Columbia.

The Grand Forks hotel building was recently purchased by A. E. Blakeway at a figure stated to be nearly \$5,000.

The Gazette's antipathy against Ald. Donaldson is based on the fact that Mr. Donaldson was instrumental in transferring the city printing from that paper to the News.

Sim Galloway's escapade has resulted quite seriously for that individ-

ual. After he has served six months on a charge of vagrancy, he will be obliged to pass 23 months more in jail on the conviction of procuring.

Rev. D. H. Reid, pastor of the new Congregational church in Phoenix, and R. B. Blyth are guests today of Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Craw of Columbia. Mr. Blyth's address at the Presbyterian hall last evening was both entertaining and instructive and was listened to by an appreciative audience.

Miss Lydia Wickson and Frank Hill were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony yesterday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. J. F. Betts.

The Hotel Winnipeg will soon have a handsome bus plying between that fine hotel and the C. P. R. depot in Columbia. And by the way, the business of the Winnipeg is rapidly increasing. No less than 47 diners sat at table there for last Sunday night's dinner.

The action taken by Mr. James Anderson at last night's meeting which resulted in the removal of supposed obstacles from the V. V. & E. right-of-way through Grand Forks to the smelter for the proposed spur, cannot be too highly commended as self-sacrifice in the interest of the whole community, and places Mr. Anderson in most favorable public light; not only this, but it paves the way to his becoming the first mayor of the amalgamated city.

Mr. J. H. Kennedy, of the V.V.&E. survey, informs a Sun reporter that he has issued instructions to Mr. Welch to begin work at once on the spurs into Columbia and to the smelter.

G. W. Floyd announces that on Friday night next he will dedicate his new barn with a grand dance or "barn-warming," for which he is making elaborate preparations. The floor space is 150x30 feet. A fine lunch will be served, good music will be provided, and the barn will be well lighted and warmed. Those fond of "tripping the light fantastic toe" will not miss this occasion to enjoy themselves.

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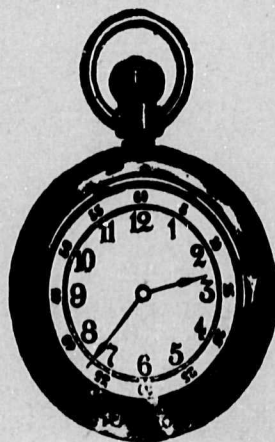
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Situation, Environments and General Resources.

The City of Columbia is situated near the junction of the North Fork of the Kettle river with the main Kettle river, and is distant about 300 miles east from Vancouver.

The natural situation of the city for beauty is not excelled in America. A verdure-clad and flower-bespangled rolling prairie, traversed by a river of bright, sparkling water, fringed with forest trees and surrounded by mountains, forming a charming combination of picturesqueness and grandeur.

The Columbia and Western railway, which was constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, has its station, freight warehouses and yards in the centre of Columbia; and the

Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway company has located its depot freight sheds and yards along the east line of the corporation, thus giving the city connection with two great trans-continental lines.

The Canadian Pacific Railway company has large interests in the city, having selected the site on account of the superior natural advantages as a railway centre.

The climate, taken all the year around, is the best in Canada—part of the summer is rather hot and dry, but the rest of the year is enjoyable.

Throughout the Kettle River valley there is an extent of fertile agricultural land, part of which is now being cultivated.

Apples, plums, pears, prunes, cherries and all the small fruits grow abundantly. The valley surrounding Columbia, divided into small fruit and vegetable farms, will sustain a large population.

Building material is plentiful in the district. Lumber can be procured at fair prices, and brick, lime and stone of good quality can always be obtained when required.

The mining interests are of the first importance to this country, and will do much to build up Columbia. Large mineral lodes have been discovered through the mountains adjacent to the city, and what were mere prospects a short time since are now large paying mines.

Water is supplied the city by pumping from a beautiful spring of exceptional purity, capable of supplying a city of 50,000 inhabitants.

The Granby's smelter and converter—the most modern and perfect plant of the kind in America—employing hundreds of men, is contiguous to the city.

Owing to the fine climate, the central situation, the beautiful environments, the bright prospect for future growth and prosperity, Columbia will be an educational centre, a city of homes, as well as a wholesale distributing point; and when finally allied and wedded to her sister city, will be the best and largest city in the interior.

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The Rossland World creates a sensation by publishing a statement that there is a deficit of \$20,000 under the management of the city administration during the past year. The Miner however, prints a statement by J. S. Clute, candidate for Mayor, that apparently disposes of the charge, but on close examination, his statement looks a little fishy. It is often said figures don't lie, but it is a well known fact that they are made to conceal crime in many cases.

TRAVEL DURING WINTER SEASON.

The journey to the East via Salt Lake City and along the shores of the Great Salt Lake through beautiful Glenwood, Colorado Springs and Denver is one of uninterrupted delight in winter as well as summer. In fact, the winter season adds but a new grandeur and charm to the travel scenes, and infuses an element of variety and beauty to the unsurpassable wonders along the Rio Grande Western, and Denver & Rio Grande lines. Through Sleeping and Dining Car service. Personally conducted weekly excursions. For rates or information apply to J. D. Mansfield, General Agent, 124 Third St., Portland; or Geo. W. Heintz, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Salt Lake City.

For a nice hair cut or shave go to the City Barber shop on Riverside avenue. Baths 25c.

Columbia Mails.

Due		Close
2 10 p. m.	Rossland Spokane Cascade Nelson Pte. Crow's Nest RR Eastern Canada	3 30 p. m.
4 p. m.	Greenwood Phoenix Midway Eholt, etc	1 30 p. m.
1 45 p. m.	Grand Forks	3 45 p. m.
3 15 p. m.	Republic Nelson, Wash. Curlew, etc.	7 45 a. m.
Satdy only 1 a. m.	White's Camp	Satdy only 3 p. m.

Money orders from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.
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1:00 p. m.	4:20 p. m.
Columbia, Phoenix, Eholt, Greenwood, Midway, Penticton, Republic, Curlew, Bolster, all Reservation points.	

Office open daily from 8:30 to 6:30 p. m. (Sundays excepted). Money orders issued to all parts, and Savings Banks deposits received, 3 per cent interest allowed. Registered mail closes one half hour previous to the time for closing ordinary mails
GEO. H. HULL, Postmaster.

PRIVATE BILL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the next session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia application will be made on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Grand Forks and the Corporation of the City of Columbia, British Columbia, pursuant to resolutions passed by the municipal councils of the said cities on the fifteenth and thirteenth days of August last, respectively, and approved by the electors at a poll taken the 28th day of August last, for an act to amalgamate and incorporate the said cities as one city municipality under the name of "The Corporation of the City of Minor," with all the rights and powers held by either and with all the rights and powers conferred by any statute on city municipalities within British Columbia; and to vest in the new city all the assets of both the said cities; and to validate certain bylaws of the said cities; to validate all general debentures of both the said cities (whether already issued or hereafter to be issued in pursuance of the said resolutions) and charge same on an equal footing as valid and subsisting debentures of the new city; and authorize and legalize certain expenditures; and to contain other special provisions in accordance with the said resolutions.

Dated the 14th day of October, 1901.

ERNEST MILLER,
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CLEMENT & SPENCE,
Solicitors for the city of Columbia.

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