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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

A HEAVY ESCORT

London, Feb 11.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, describing the recent futil attempts to ransom Miss Ellen M. Stone, the captive American missionary, says: When the American delegates, with the ransom, left the railroad at Zeres by carriage, they had an escort of 30 cavalrymen, but as they advanced into Macedonia the number of the escort was increased from all the posts along the route. Some detachments joined the cavalcade until, arriving at Djulbala, it was stronger than a squadron on a war footing.

TUNNEL EXPLOSION VERDICT.

New York, Feb. 11.—The coroners jury which has been investigating the recent explosion in the excavation for the Rapid Transit tunnel returned a verdict today holding Ira A. Shafter, the sub-contractor, J. Matheson, who was chief engineer of the works on the day of the explosion, and Moses Epps, the colored man who had charge of the powder house, as being jointly responsible for the deaths caused by the explosion.

A MINE DISASTER

Butte, Mont., Feb. 11.—In a cave-in at the Diamond mine, one of the amalgamated properties, Jerry Conroy and Richard Williams were crushed. An immense mass of rock, weighing over 75 tons, fell upon the men, burying them completely. When recovered the bodies of both men were badly mangled.

BONSPIEL OPENS TODAY.

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Nearly 100 rinks from outside points have entered for the Winnipeg curling bonspiel, opening here on Wednesday morning. This is exclusive of the Winnipeg entries. Among the arrivals today were J. D. Flavelle's Lindsay rink, and two rinks from Nelson. Dunbar's crack rink, from St. Paul, will arrive today.

PROHIBITIONISTS WIN OUT.

Toronto, Feb. 11.—It is reported that the provincial government has decided to sub..it the prohibition question to the electorate in the shape of the Manitoba bill, a majority to be sufficient for its enforcement, and the vote to take place at the same time as the general election, early in June next.

E. J. COYLE WEDS.

Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—The bishop's private chapel, St. Boniface, was the sence of a pretty yet quiet wedding at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The happy couple were Miss Conkling, daughter of the late E. G. Conkling, and E. J. Coyle, assistant general passenger agent of the C P.R. for tha Pacific division, of Vancouver, both of whom are well known in this city Mr. and Mrs. Coyle left on the afternoon train for Toronto, thence they will go to St. Louis and as far south as New Orleans, returning home to Vancouver via San Francisco

AERIAL NAVIGATION.

Monaco, Feb. 11.—M. Santos Dumont today made his trial trip over the bay. Splendid weather prevailed. The aeronaut made evolutions with complete success for thirty minutes; and returned to the starting point amid the plaudits of the great crowd assembled.

BAD WEEK FOR BOERS.

London, Feb. 11.—A report received today from Lord Kitchener, at Pretoria, shows last week to have been the liveliest one, with the heaviest losses on both sides, for several months. Lord Kitchener gives the Boer casualties as 69 killed, 17 wounded, 57 surrendered, and 574 taken prisoners. The British captured 480 rifles, one pom-pom and the usual grist of munitions and live stock.

CAUGHT THE DISEASE.

Boston, Feb. 11.—A sensation was caused tonight by the announcement by the board of health that Dr. Emanuel Pfeffer, who voluntarily exposed himself to smallpox at the house at Galloupe's island, about two weeks ago, is ill with the disease in its worst form, and probably can not live. Dr. Pfeffer is one of the strongest opponents of vaccination in the state, and recently appeared before the legislative committee to urge the repeal of the compulsory vaccination law. Having the courage of his convictions, he went to Galloupe's island and completely exposed himself to smallpox.

Dr. Pfeffer gained notoriety some time ago by fasting for a month.

AN IMPROBABLE STORY.

Victoria, Feb. 11.—At the meeting of the Pacific Exploration Company, which recently sent an expedition to Cocos island to search for buried treasure, the president stated that a letter had been received from Admiral Palliser, formerly in command of the British Pacific squadron, stating that if the present expedition was a failure he would divulge the hiding place of the treasure, if he was given one-fourth of what was found. Admiral Palliser visited the island two years ago with his flagship, and made a search for the treasure.

ROYALTY AND THE PRESIDENT.

Berlin, Feb 11.—Emperior William and Prince Henry this morning expressed concern at the news of the illness of President Roosevelt's son, and received telegraphic replies to their messages of inquiry from Dr. Hollenben, the German ambassador at Washington. The ambassador assured the emperor and Prince Henry that the younger Roosevelt was no worse. Wholesale houses here are filling orders from New York for German flags, ribbons of the German colors, hat bands with Prince Henry's name on them, and German navy belt buckles, buttons, etc., and the photographers are printing a large number of portraits of Prince and Princess Henry and the Emperor and Empress, to supply the American demand.

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The business office of The Evening Sun is located at present in Columbia, where all correspondence with it, and exchanges should be addressed.

The publication of the daily Gazette was discontinued with the Friday issue. The Sun, albeit, will continue to shine. It is better to begin small and enlarge, than to begin large and ensmall. A postage stamp generally sticks.

The C. P. R. has prepared plans for the erection at Fernie of a stone depot costing $25,000.

The United States steamer Dolphin has made a sounding of 4,662 fathoms in the depressed area north of Porto Rico, which was discovered by Lieutenant Brownson in 1882. Brownson's deepest was 4,561 fathoms, seventy miles east of the depth just discovered by the Dolphin. The deepest sounding in the Caribbean sea lies south of the Great Cayman and is 3,428 fathoms. The deepest known place in the South Atlantic is a spot of 4,030 fathoms, lying eleven miles south of the equator on the meridian. The most depressed portion of the crust of the earth that has yet been discovered is in the North Pacific ocean, and was discovered by Lieutenant-Commander H. M. Hodges, U. S. N., in the U. S. S. Nero, who measured a depth of 5,269 fathoms. This depression is nearly equaled in depth by an area lying a short distance east of the Kermadee islands, in the South Pacific ocean, in which H. M. S. Penguin measured a depth of 5,142 fathoms in 1895

GRAND FORKS BOARD OF TRADE

The Grand Forks Board of Trade held a meeting last night, at which much important business was transacted. It was largely attended by members and was most interesting throughout its long session.

President E. Doberer in the chair and T. A. Kennion acting secretary.

A resolution was adopted instructing the board's delegates to the boards of trade meeting to be held at Kaslo shortly to call the attention of that body to the coal and coke question, with a view to bringing out the facts in the matter. Another resolution relating to the same question, urging the Dominion government to immediately make its selection of coal-field reserve in order to prevent the monopolization by individuals of all accessible and best portions of that domain.

The unfair treatment of this province by the Ottawa government as relates to revenues and appropriations was discussed at some length. It was stated that British Columbia was annually paying into the federal treasury about $3,000,000 and receiving less than a third of that amount in return, whereas, if dealt with on the same basis as the other provinces, she would receive over a quarter of a million more than is available under present methods. In this connection a resolution endorsing efforts in that direction, and calling upon the Victoria authorities to use all possible means to secure justice to this province in this respect was unanimously carried.

A resolution was passed urging the postal department to provide a postal clerk on the mail cars between the Boundary and the Kootenays.

In the discussion of the railway situation it was shown that the board, collectively and individually, favored every reasonable concession that could be made to enable and encourage the V., V. & E. to build into the city, to the smelter and to Phoenix, and a resolution was adopted asking the Minister of Justice to immediately fill the vacancy on the provincial supreme bench caused by the demise of Justice McColl, as the railway people feel that they are handicapped by delay in this respect. The resolution was telegraphed to Ottawa today, Mr. Kennedy bearing the expense.

A committee on bylaws was appointed as well as one on ways and means, as the treasurer's report showed the exchecker of the board to be at low ebb.

The following new members were elected: Stanley Muir, J. E. Rice, F. E. Cooper, P. T. McCallum, Jas. Andersod, George Burrell.

The board resolved to ask the V. & N. Tel. Co., to establish an all-night local service.

It was also agreed that all clubs, societies and others using the board of trade rooms should contribute something to its maintenance.

Adjourned till Friday night.

CITY SUNBEAMS

Miss Velda Dufour, of Columbia, went to Phoenix yesterday to visit with friends there a few days.

R. Hartman & Co. have moved their merchandising business to the rooms formerly occupied by the Royal Cafe, on Bridge street.

M. Matson, charged with an aggravated assault on James O'Brien, was sentenced today by Judge Johnson to 12 months at Nelson at hard labor.

Mr. and Mrs Christian Rasmussen are not pleased with some of the words employed yesterday in the notice of their wedding printed in The Evening Sun. We regret this, as the article was written in a most kindly and well-intentioned spirit and for the purpose of bestowing a kindness instead of doing harm. Better words might have been chosen had the writer more time at his disposal.

Next Friday will be St. Valentine's day—The ladies of the Methodist church will hold their "Experience Social" on the evening of that day. A program will be furnished besides the interesting stories from those who have worked and earned their dollars. Refreshments will be served. An admission of 25 cts will be charged.

Monday was pay day at the mines in Phoenix.

Jay P. Graves and wife are spending the winter at the Hotel Del Monte, Monterey, Cal

There will be a grand opening of the Winnipeg hotel bar tonight. Free lunch and good music.

The increasing warmth of the Sun's rays is playing havoc with our snow and demoralizing our roads.

The Kirchners in the roll of Katzenjamers were favored with a good audience last night at the Biden Opera house.

Owing to the nature of the weather and the consequent condition of the ice, the proposed carnival at the rink will probably have to be postponed. It will do no harm, however, to keep in touch with your costumes, for you might have to speil on short notice.

Grand Forks council has come to the conclusion that a large saving can be made by the purchase of a good team for city work, and for fire purposes. Apparently a sensible conclusion.

Year by year British Columbia forges ahead in spite of adverse legislation and the dog in the manger. This province can now boast of being in the earthquake belt, for this morning about 6:45, citizens in this vicinity were alarmed by the terrorizing rumble, vibration and shock of a genuine earthquake. Only one shock was felt.

E. Charles and Attorney Snapp, of the V. V. & E, came in by this afternoons train.

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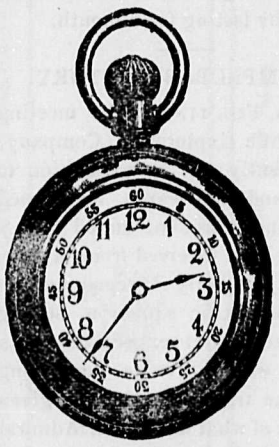

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The natural situation of the city for beauty is not excelled in Ameriea. A verdure-clad and flower-bespangled rolling prairie, traversed by a river of bright, sparkling waier, fringed with forest trees and surrounded by mountains, forffiing a charming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

The Columbia & Western railway, which was constructed by the Canadian Pacific Railway company, has its station, freight warehouse and yards in the center of Columbia, and the Vancouver, Victora & Eastern Railway company, has located its depot, freight sheds and yards along the east line of the corporation, thus giving the city connections with two transcontinental lines.

The Canadian Pacifie 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 Canadn—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.

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Dated this 21st day of January, 1902.

6-2-02 SEWARD L. GRAHAM.

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