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## AMERICANS TABOOED

### No More Charters From United States Territory Into Yukon.

Victoria, April 23.—Bills regarding the United Gold Fields of British Columbia by Galliher, and the Yukon Pacific Railway company by McCreary passed the railway committee yesterday. In the railway committee Blair gave notice that the government still adheres to its policy not to grant any more charters from American territory into Yukon. The announcement was made when the Yukon Pacific asked for a charter to build a line from Pyramid Harbor to White Horse. The company's charter was amended so as to give power to build from White Horse in a southwesterly direction to within 20 miles of the boundary line.

MANY MEN QUIT WORK.

Quebec, April 23.—After the noon gun had been fired off from the citidal yesterday 400 workmen employed by contractors on buildings throughout the city struck for higher wages.

ALLOWED TO VOLUNTEER.

Toronto, April 23.—Colonel O ter has received word that some men of the permanent force would be allowed to volunteer for South Africa. Forty names have been sent to Ottawa of men who wish to go.

FIRST PASSENGER STEAMER.

Montreal, April 23.—The steamship Lake Simcoe of the Beaver line is reported off Cape Race and due in Quebec early Thursday morning, the first passenger steamer of the season.

BAGGED TWO HUNDRED GIRLS

New York, April 23.—One of the most extensive raids in the history of the police department was made last night by Inspector Cross, assisted by more than 200 picked men.

Fourteen houses in East First, Second, Third and Ninth streets and Second avenue were entered by the raiders and more than 200 girls were placed in patrol wagons.

The Evening Snn is the only medium through which the advertiser can reach every family circle in Columbia.

## REFORM PLATFORM

### The Provincial Progressive Party Announces Its Principles.

1. That we gradually abolish all taxes on the producer and the products of the producer, shifting them on land values.

2. Government ownership of railways and means of communication.

3. That the government establish and operate smelters and refineries to treat all kinds of minerals.

4. That the franchise be extended to women.

5. The abolition of property qualifications for alt public offices.

6. Farm improvements, implements and stock not to be taxed, and wild lands to be assessed at the prices asked for them by speculative holders.

7. No land or cash subsidies. Lands to be held by the actual settlers.

8. Ten per cent of all puelic tands to be immediately set aside for educational purposes, and the education of all children, to the age of 16 years, to be free, secular and compulsory. Text books, meals and clothing to be supplied out of the public funds when necessary.

9. Compulsory arbitration of labor disputes.

10. Restriction of Oriental immigration by a law on the lines of the Natal Act, and that if said law be disallowed it be repeatedly re-enacted until the end sought is obtained.

11. That to protect us from Asiatics already in the province the government insert a clause in all private acts to this effect: "This act shall be null and void if the company fails to enter into an agreement with the government as to conditions of construction and operation," and that the house pass a resoluion instructing the government to prohibit the employment of Asiatics on all franchises granted by the provincial house.

12. Conservation of our forest riches. Pulp land leases to contain a provision for re-foresting, so as to produce a perennial revenue, and make pnlp manufacture a growing and permanent industry.

12. That the act compelling the

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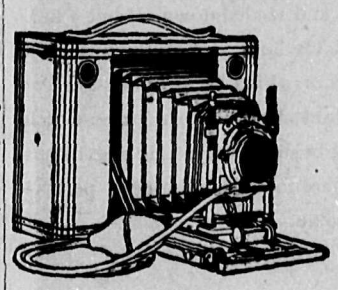

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# THE EVENING SUN

TURNER & EVANS.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1902


The Hot Air officials sent out a walking delegate yesterday to find out whether the V., V. & E. was working along its line anywhere between Cascade and Carson. The delegate returned, reporting that work was being prosecuted at several points as vigorously as ever. That the V., V. & E. may build its line across its own land it is claimed the government has no right to deny. If this judicial quibbling on the part of the courts does not soon cease, and which it is believed is being inspired by the Canadian Pacific, the citizens of both Columbia and Grand Forks will turn out en masse and complete the line to Nelson. The whole thing so far has been a judicial farce, to the great detriment of the people of the Kettle River valley, the C. P. R. proportionately benefitting by it. The Victoria magnates should understand that their Boundary and Similkameen subjects are heating up under the collar, and if crowded too far something will happen that will bring the government to its senses mighty quick. It wouldn't look just right for this province to have an insurrection on its hands during the coronation season.

## CITY NEWS

At a meeting of the Kettle River Valley Rifle association held last night George A. Fraser was elected captain vice J. A. Coryell, who resigned to go to South Africa, and the secretary was instructed to notify the Militia department, and procure necessary bonds and forward requisition for rifles and ammunition to headquarters.

Joseph Anderson has been quite ill the past week, being confined to his bed most of the time with an attack of la grippe. Fowler Parvin is filling his place as clerk at J. H. Hodson's store in the meantime.

Mrs. James Addison has had a very serious time of it this week with heart troubles, her life being almost despired of Tuesday night, but it is understood the lady is in a fair way to recovery at present.

The machinery for the power house of the Cascade Waterpower & Light company is now arriving and being placed in position.

Austin Wilson, of Fernie, arrived today, and is visiting friends in Columbia.

The family of Thomas Duffy arrived from Sandon today.

# BEGIN BRIDGE WORK

## Porter Bros. Want Bridge Timbers for Immediate Use.

Beside the bridge across the West Fork for the Columbia, Smelter and Phoenix branches of the V., V. & E. the company is compelled to build about 1300 feet of trestle from the north bank of the river to the bench land near the Lewis place. The Porter Bros., it is understood, were conferring with Henry White who owns the land in that vicinity regarding the cutting of timbers for the bridge and trestle work, which they say will be commenced at once.

Night and day shifts are working on the V., V. & E. grade across the Manly ranch, over fifty teams being employed.

## CITY SUNBEAMS

A dispatch was received from Victoria yesterday from Solicitor McNeil stating that the attorney-general had withdrawn his suit against the V., V. & E., which is interpreted to mean that the only difficulty now in the matter of right of way is the Hot Air injunction against crossing its line by the Columbia spur. It is understood that this matter will be taken up tomorrow in the Supreme court on application of the V., V. & E. attorney. If the decision is favorable, and the bill which recently passed the railway committee at Ottawa becomes law, the V., V. & E. will be well out of the woods. Special Solicitor Clement went to the coast Tuesday, presumably to be present at tomorrow's hearing.

The birthday party at the Methodist church tonight promises to be an entertaining affair. Those whose gray hairs and wrinkles do not "give them away" need not disclose their exact ages, so they may put as many cents in the sack as they see fit. No doubt the novel idea will run up a long list of "sweet sixteens" among the ladies.

Thos. Duffy, recently from Sandon, has purchased an entire block, two acres, on Alexandria street between Fifth and Sixth streets, in Grand Forks, and seeded down all but a half acre of the land, and on the unseeded portion of which he proposes to erect a substantial residence, work on which he will begin shortly. He says he has come here to build himself a permanent home.

A Victoria special, received in this city late yesterday, says that Eberts, questioned in the house, said his connection with the V., V. & E. injunction was imposed on him by the statute under which the injunction was sought and was absolutely without significance, and that this explanation was satisfactory to the Grand Forks deputation now in Victoria.

The government is advertising for tenders to carry the mails between Grand Forks and Columbia and the C. P. R. station, and between the two towns, from the first of July next. The present contractor, E. C. Henniger, claims that his contract does not expire till a year from December 31st next.

Mrs. Jennie Carter has moved to the North addition of Grand Forks, her two sons being employed at the smelter.


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# COLUMBIA, B. C.

## Situation, Environments and General Resources.

The City of Columbia is situated near the junction of the North Forks of the Kettle river with the main Kettle river, and is distant about 300 miles east of 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 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 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 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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|---|---|---|
| 2:40 p.m. | Rossland, Spokane, Nelson, Marcus, Cascade, Robson, all p'ts Crows Nest Ry, Revelstoke Vancouver, Victoria, all points on Canadian Pacific Railway. | 2:30 p.m. |
| 1:00 p.m. | Columbia, Phoenix, Eholt, Greenwood, Midway, Penticton, Republic, Curlew, Bolster, all Reservation points. | 4:20 p.m. |

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.

## REFORM PLATFORM

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scaling of logs by government scalers be enforced.

13. Absolute reservation from sale or lease of a certain part of every known coal area, so that state owned mines, if necessary, may be easily possible in the future. All coal leases or grants hereafter made to contain a provision enabling the government to fix the price of coal loaded on cars or vessels for shipment to British Columbia consumers.

15. Municipalization and public control of the liquor traffic.

16. The right to a referendum where a valuable subsidy or franchise is to be carried.

17. That all transportation companies be compelled to give free transportation to members of the Legislative assembly and Supreme and County court judges.

18 Election day to be a public holiday. Provision made that every employee shall be free from service at least four consecutive hours during polling time.

## NOTICE

TO LIVE STOCK OWNERS

NOTICE is hereby given that live stock must not be permitted to run at large on the streets within the corporate limits of the City of Columbia. Stock so found will be impounded according to law.

AL. McDONALD,
Poundmaster.

## Columbia Mails

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

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