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HOCKEY

Vernon vs. Revelstoke.

A large number of spectators attended the hockey match Wednesday evening between Vernon and Revelstoke. The teams lined up at 8:15 as follows:

Vernon—Sawyer, goal; R. Jackson, point; E. Elworthy, captain, cover point; S. A. Stratford, right wing; B. Jackson, left wing; T. E. Crowell, centre; J. McLaughlin, rover.

Revelstoke—Hillier, goal; Edwards, captain, point; Allum, cover point; Carey, right wing; Douglas, left wing; Graham, centre; Bews, rover.

Five minutes after the face-off Graham scored the first goal for Revelstoke and for the remainder of the first half the home team seemed to take things a little too easy and Vernon piled up five goals on them. In the second half the home team settled down to work and added three goals to their score. Two and a half minutes yet remained before time was up and Revelstoke would no doubt at least have evened up the score but owing to a [illegible] disagreement the Vernon boys refused to finish the game. The referee called on the teams to line up and as Vernon did not respond awarded the game to Revelstoke.

Mr. J. M. Scott acted as referee and found it necessary at times to rule some of the players off, but acted throughout in a very impartial manner. It is to be regretted that the match ended in a squabble almost on the call of time. The checking on one side was not any rougher than on the other and it is generally agreed that the visiting team had no kick coming on that score.

The visiting team returned home last evening.

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BIG BEND.

Deep Channel Struck on Blue Jay.

Gold Showing in the Wash.—Raymond Allen's Operations.

Gus Hedstrom, foreman of the Blue Jay claim, being operated by the Duquesne Mining Company on Smith creek, came to town some days ago, and F. E. Wells returned on Tuesday from his trip on snowshoes to the Bend. Both bring encouraging news.

On the Blue Jay, the operations on which have been vigorously pushed on under the superintendence of A. E. Bradley, the drift has reached the old channel, and the wash taken out shows gold, so that there is every prospect of pay ground being struck towards bedrock. Sluicing operations have been impeded by the very cold weather. The pumping and hoisting plant is in first-class shape and working splendidly.

Raymond Allen has struck what he is certain is the old channel of Camp creek, and will get out dirt and sluice as soon as weather permits. The prospects of getting pay gold on this property also are excellent.

THE CITY SCHOOLS

Report for January.

The standing of pupils of the city schools for January is as follows. The first three of each class are given:

DIVISION I.

High School Class—Bessie Lawson, Florence Fraser.

Fifth Class—F. Palmer, P. Robinson, M. Hyatt.

Senior Fourth—W. McRury, N. McNab, D. Morgan.

DIVISION II.

Junior Fourth—Josie Ainslie, Raymond Fraser, Libby Burget.

Senior Third—Charles Gordon, Edith Cooke, Harold Guerin.

Junior Third—Robert McRury, Agnes Blackberg, Ted Guerin.

DIVISION III.

Senior Third—Willie Walling, Willie Kernaghan, Ephie Smith.

Junior Third—Jacky Sibbald, Jean Hyatt, Mabel Hay.

Senior Second—Edna Brace, M. Nelson, C. Urquhart.

Junior Second—Ralph Bell, Doris Bennett, Lillie Brown.

DIVISION IV.

Sr. First Reader—Eric Coursier, George Woolsey, Ernest McMahon.

Jr. First Reader—Kenneth Wilkinson, Merle Calder, Fred Turnross.

Second Primer—Reginald Woolsey, Harry Floyd, Garnet McMahon.

DIVISION V.

Class I.—Kathleen Sibbald, F. Horne, Rita Doyle.

Class II.—Charles Proctunier, Maude Simmons, Lora Johnson.

Class III.—Alice Bell, Clare Fraser, Charlie Smith.

CHURCHES.

Presbyterian Church Annual Meeting.

This meeting of the above church was held on Thursday week and our report had to be held over owing to pressure on our space last issue. There was a large attendance. G. M. Clark proposed that H. Cooke take the chair.

Rev. W. C. Calder said the meeting should open regularly with prayer and the minister should take the chair.

J. McLeod: I second the motion.

The motion being carried Rev. W. C. Calder opened the meeting with prayer.

R. N. Doyle read the balance sheet showing receipts amounting to $1415 of which $151.70 had been received from the Ladies Aid and $50 from The Willing Workers. Of the expenditure, $848 had been paid Mr. Calder and $188 for rent of manse. The balance in hand was $45, and the liabilities $397.

W. Steed was appointed secretary for the meeting.

J. McLeod said he had $25 in hand and received $23 from the [illegible]. The liabilities had been carried over four or five years, and this year compared favorably with the last two and a half years. He was satisfied if the managers had done their duty this amount could have been wiped off some years ago.

The chairman said the liabilities had been reduced considerably during the year.

WILLING WORKERS.

Miss Palmer read the report of the Willing Workers, showing receipts of $270.30 of which $7.20 was in hand. The principal items of expenditure were the payment of $50 to the management fund and $75.55 for communion table and chairs.

The chairman: You will be pleased to hear a report of that kind.

G. M. Clark: We are all proud of the Willing Workers. They deserve great credit for the way they have carried on their business during the year and the amount of money they have collected.

J. McLeod: I wish the Willing Workers great success. If the Ladies Aid don't look out they will outstrip them.

Report adopted.

LADIES AID.

Miss McDonald, secretary to the Ladies Aid, read the report of that society, showing the total receipts to be $346.50, of which $157.70 had been paid to the managers. The balance in hand was $26.26.

The chairman said the ladies deserved great credit.

Report adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Rev. W. C. Calder read the Sunday-school report, showing the average attendance at 63, with nine teachers and officers three of whom had been added during the year. The school was in a prosperous condition and had never been in better order.

GENERAL.

Rev. Mr. Calder reported an average attendance of 12 to 15 at prayer meetings. The attendance at morning service was about 65, and in the evenings 120. The congregation was in a healthy condition, and the report should be highly satisfactory. When he took hold of the congregation there was a debt of over $300. He referred to the poor way in which the finances of the congregation had been carried on, but did not intend to reflect on Mr. Doyle, who had done as well as anyone who had taken the work in hand. One man who had canvassed the town told him he did not meet with a refusal or complaint. If the managers went to work there would be no need for the assistance of the Ladies Aid. He was no school boy. There was no reason why the Presbyterian should not be the leading congregation. It was an unwise course to vent their dissatisfaction. There was less friction in this congregation than many others. They had as good a congregation as, and even better, than either of the other two congregations in the town. Let the present condition of things continue and it would take years to recover. The congregation might be face to face with calling another minister at any time.

OFFICERS.

The chairman and Mr. Doyle said they would resign from the board of management.

W. G. Birney, T. More, H. F. Hay were elected to fill the vacancies on the board.

PRESENTATIONS.

W. M. Lawrence presented the church with a handsome communion service, engraved: "Presented to St. Andrew's Church by W. M. Lawrence, Christmas, 1901," and the Ladies Aid Society presented Mr. Cooke with handsome salvers engraved "Presented to H. Cooke, by the Ladies Aid, Presbyterian Church, for services as choir leader."

Refreshments being served by the ladies and two fine selections given by the juvenile choir, the meeting adjourned.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

The new board of management held their first monthly meeting on Monday at the call of J. Lawson, chairman. Present: Messrs. J. Lawson, J. McLeod, C. R. McDonald, T. Steed, A. McNab, H. Hay and W. G. Birney. John McLeod was elected chairman and T. More sec-treas. for the ensuing year. The accounts of R. N. Doyle, the retiring secretary, were audited by T. Steed and C. R. McDonald and found correct.

It was decided to organise a new choir.

Other matters of vital interest to the church were discussed with interest and satisfaction, and action taken on same.

It was resolved, on motion of W. G. Birney, seconded by J. McLeod, "that we, the members of the Board of Managers of St. Andrews Church Revelstoke, do hereby pledge our full support to the Rev. W. C. Calder during his ministry here."

Lost.—On Second street between C. B. Hume's warehouse and McKenzie Avenue, a pair of gold-rimmed spectacles in a black case. Finder will confer a favor by leaving same at the Kootenay Mail office.

TRACKMEN.

Visit of Lodge Officers

Rousing Meeting and Banquet.

A large attendance gathered at the Selkirk Hall last night to meet Messrs. J. T. Wilson and Lowe, President and vice-president respectively of the Brotherhood of Railway Trackmen of America. D. C. Fraser, president of the local lodge, occupied the chair. Addresses were given by the visitors and by Messrs. Adair, Bennett, Grogan, Gillespie, Donaldson (speaking on behalf of the machinists), and Haggen. The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and Messrs. Lowe and Wilson delivered forcible, reasoning addresses, the visit being preparatory to the laying of the schedule of the maintenance-of-way men before the C. P. R. in March next.

We regret that our space forbids a full report of the speeches.

At the close three cheers were given for President Wilson on the call of Mr. Kellar, of Arrowhead.

A complimentary banquet was subsequently held in honor of the visiting officers at the Central hotel when over 65 guests occupied the tables and a splendid menu was laid by Messrs. Abrahamson.

BOARD OF TRADE

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trade was held last night, when eight members attended. The following new members were elected: M. J. O'Brien, W. Bews, F. B. Wells, J. M. Doyle, E. M. Allum, T. B. Baker, R. Howson, C. M. Field.

The Treasurer's report was read and adopted.

The following were elected officers for ensuing year: C. F. Lindmark, President; J. D. Sibbald, Vice-President; C. E. Shaw, Sec-Treas.; Council, Messrs. McCarter, Phipps, McCarthy, Brewster, O'Brien, Kilpatrick, Young, McBeth, Field.

Resolved to ask government to make provision for construction this summer of trail from end of present Big Bend trail to connect with Canoe river and that the trail up Downie creek be continued another ten miles.

ROCKY MT. RANGERS.

Corps to be Re-organized.

With the establishment of a drill hall for the city Capt. Taylor intends taking steps to resuscitate the Revelstoke corps of Rocky Mountains Rangers, and not only so but he is determined on making the drill hall a comfortable place by providing it with a reading room and gymnastic appliances, so as to make it a suitable resort for the young men of the city.

Capt. Taylor is an enthusiastic volunteer and athlete, and by his interest in drill and athletics he has already done much for the young men of the city. It is to be hoped he will have strong support in re-organising the new corps, which can be made a credit to the city. The provision of a drill hall and armory will be a great assistance towards making a success of the new corps.

DRILL HALL

To be Erected at Revelstoke.

Thanks to the persistent efforts of Capt. Taylor, of the Rocky Mountain Rangers, backed by the representations of the local Liberal association and Mr. Galliher, M.P., Revelstoke is included in the list of places at which new drill halls will be erected by the Dominion Government. Tenders for the work are invited in this issue of the Kootenay Mail. Plans and specifications may be seen at the post office.

The site for the drill hall will be on lots 6 and 7, of block 7, on Second street, opposite Mrs. Gainer's residence. The building will be 88 feet long and 42 feet wide. The basement will be of masonry and will include a cellar 42 by 21 fitted with furnace. Off the main floor will be the armory room, 24ft by 21ft., the officers' room 21ft. by 12ft., and store room 20 by 15ft.

A colony is being organized in Revelstoke to settle on lands in the vicinity of Tete Jaune Cache if favorable terms [illegible] be made with the government.

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FRIDAY, FEB. 7, 1902.

CITY COUNCIL.

We[illegible] meeting held Friday, Present the Mayor, Ald. [illegible], McLeod, [illegible] Mahon, [illegible], Hume, and Lawson. [illegible]

H. A. [illegible] re [illegible] license [illegible] Union hotel, which was [illegible]

[illegible] Chinese New Year. —Permission [illegible]

Dr. Cross, [illegible] $10 [illegible] a day. A report [illegible]

Education department, stating $180 had been paid [illegible] school [illegible] city should [illegible] $210 [illegible]

[illegible] assistance of council in obtaining government grant for new school. They had written government asking for the $3000 formerly granted and were now advised the matter would come up at next session of the legislature. If this could be obtained and supplemented by government; with the sale of present buildings new schools could be erected without much cost to the city.

School trustees submitting estimates for ensuing year.

PETITIONS.

H. W. Edwards presented a petition to have the C. P. R. fence in their yard and track throughout the city, and prosecute tresspassers. Filed.

REPORTS.

Works committee forwarded list of company's property, stating each fire brigade had been requested to send in requisition for supplies and the mayor to be asked for list of good sold by him.

BYLAWS.

The amendment to the sanitary bylaw, authorising the pit system, was altered to make the minimum depth of pits six feet, and passed second reading.

BLOCK 5.

The deed for the lease and purchase of the above lot from A. S. Farwell not having been executed by the late mayor, the agreement was declared invalid.

UNCOLLECTED TAXES.

Ald. Hume said there was $1000 of uncollected revenue and $1000 was due on a note at the end of the year besides $2000 of other liabilities. The government also owed over $100 from incorporation.

The city clerk and Ald. McLeod said there was an impression abroad that taxes could not be recovered till they were outstanding three years, and this was wrong. It was resolved to authorize the city solicitor to collect the unpaid taxes.

WATER & LIGHT.

In reply to the mayor the city clerk said the cost of light was $100 a month, water $34 a month.

His worship instructed the city clerk to get together all particulars concerning the valuation of the water and light plant for the information of the Fire Water & Light committee.

The council then adjourned.

A MOTHER'S WARNING.

Speaks of a Trouble That Afflicts Many Young Girls.

Headaches, Dizziness, Heart Palpitations, Fickle Appetite, and Pallor the Early Symptoms of Decay.

(From the Sun, Orangeville, Ont.)

Hard study at school, coupled with the lack of attention which every young girl merging into womanhood should have, is responsible for nearly all the many pale faces and attenuated forms met with such lamentable frequency, but is responsible also for the loss of many valuable young lives. First there is an occasional headache, and a sallow appearance of complexion, from which stages, if these early symptoms are neglected, the condition gradually grows worse and worse until decline or consumption sets in and death claims another victim of parental neglect. Upon mothers especially devolves a great responsibility as their daughters approach womanhood. The following truthful story told a reporter of the Sun by Mrs. O. Herriman, of Third Avenue, Orangeville carried a lesson to other mothers. Mrs. Herriman said:—"About fifteen months ago, my daughter Kate, while attending the public school studied hard. We noticed that she began to complain of headaches. This was followed by a listlessness and an utter indifference to the things that usually interest young girls. We consulted a doctor, and she took bottle after bottle of medicine, but with no benefit. Often she would arise in the morning after a night of sleeplessness with her limbs all a quiver, and her head aching. She would be attacked with spells of dizziness, and on the least exertion her heart would palpitate violently, and we were really afraid she would not recover. At this stage my husband suggested that we should try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he brought home several boxes. Kate had only taken the pills a few weeks when there was a great change for the better. She grew stronger, began to eat better and to have better color, and from this stage it was not long until she was again enjoying the best of health and able to resume her studies at school. I might also tell you that these pills cured my daughter Emma of an attack of rheumatism, so that you see we have much reason to praise them, and I earnestly recommend them to all mothers whose daughters may be suffering as mine did."

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Le Roi and Le Roi No. 2 show an improvement in the London market.

[illegible] 30 [illegible] Cariboo [illegible] the Golden [illegible] Anderson [illegible]

A. W. McIntosh [illegible] in from Keystone, where he had been [illegible] [illegible] W. Graham [illegible] [illegible]

H. A. M[illegible] has been doing assessment work on the Review claim on Keystone creek, in which he is interested. The [illegible] Columbia River. Mr. Morrish is running a crescent tunnel for 25 to 30 feet and expects to cut the lead in [illegible] 20 feet.

Had to Conquer or Die.

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NOTICE
TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS.

To W. P. McKechnie, J. W. Jeffs, John McMeikin, J. G. Alam, Jacob Fleishman, Thos. J. Graham, [illegible], W. [illegible], or any person or persons holding or claiming any transfers from same:

Under the Mineral Act, 1897, and amendments thereto:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we, F. McCarty, T. Kilpatrick, T. Downie, Fred. Fraser, and C. B. Hume & Co., have performed all the assessment work on the St. Louis, St. Lawrence, and Columbia mineral claims, situate in [illegible] Revelstoke Mining Division of West Kootenay, located in [illegible] 1895, and recorded at Revelstoke on the 7th day of August, 1895, and a certain [illegible] mineral claim, situate [illegible] located [illegible] 1895, and recorded on the 12th day of Sept. [illegible] 1895, and that W. P. McKechnie, J. W. Jeffs, John McMeikin, J. G. Allan, Jacob Fleishman, Thos. J. Graham, and [illegible], the co-owners of interests in the said mineral claims, have neglected to pay for their share of the assessment work and [illegible] charges are now paid. Within ninety days from the date of publication of this notice, we shall proceed to record such delinquent interest as provided by Section 11 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act, 1900.

Dated at Revelstoke, this [illegible] day of December, 1901.

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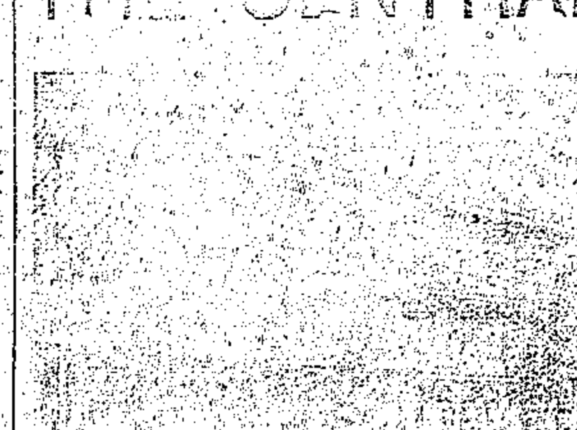

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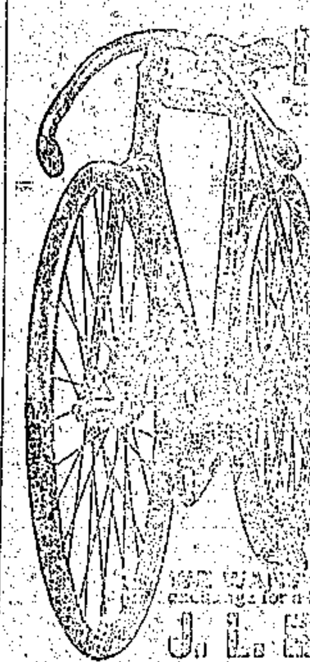

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To reach the People TO-DAY you must advertise [illegible] not next week or next month, but THIS WEEK.

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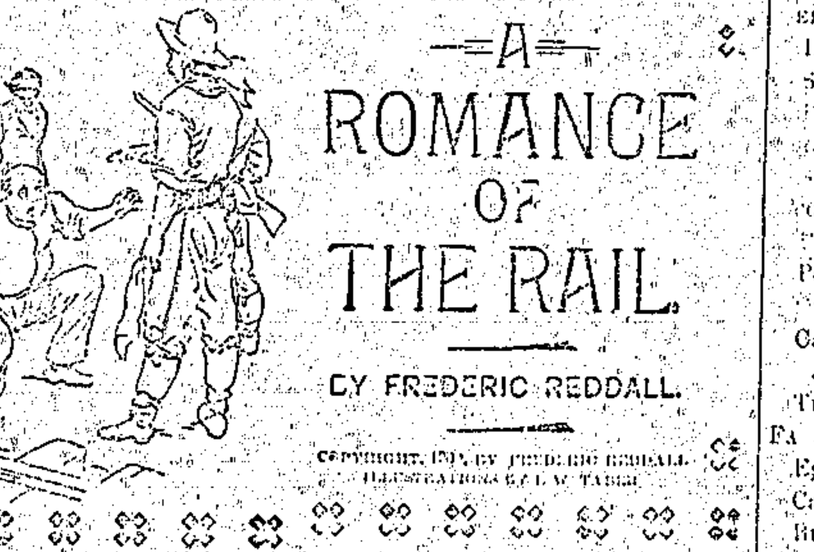

A ROMANCE OF THE RAIL.

BY FREDERIC REDDALL.

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PROLOGUE.

STARTLING NEWS.

ON a certain morning in May the daily papers of the United States, from Maine to California, from the great lakes to the gulf, contained a momentous news dispatch. It was set forth with all the bold and vivid insistence of black "scare-heads" and pungent headlines.

Some time during the previous night part of a limited express train on one of our great western trunk lines had disappeared without leaving a trace behind either of coaches or passengers!

The occurrence was absolutely without parallel in the annals of railroading, and the tragic import of the incident was intensified when it became known that the living freight of the lost cars included a well known and popular railroad magnate and financier of national reputation with a party of friends, among the latter some women of wealth and social prominence.

Their complete vanishment could not have been more mysterious and puzzling had coaches and passengers been sunk fathoms deep in some dark and silent pool or engulfed in a bottomless canyon. Not a trace was left, not a clew. The railroad officials were utterly at fault. Nor was the mystery elucidated until several days and nights had elapsed.

Meantime the wires east and west were kept hot, popular interest and excitement running high in every city, town and village in the United States and even in Canada. The wildest speculations were rife as to the fate of the persons concerned, all of them more or less wide of the mark, as the sequel proved.

Yet when the truth was ferreted out it was seen that the actualities rivaled all the fiction that had been woven around the case, which thenceforth took rank as a veritable romance of the rail.

FIRST DAY.

THE START.

In the great dome roofed station of the Pennsylvania railroad at Jersey City on a certain morning in May the limited train for the west stood awaiting its lading of passengers.

The long line of vestibuled drawing room coaches was resplendent in fresh paint as though just out of the car shops. The burnished brass work on gates, hand rails and steps shone like gold plate, while the white capped and blue uniformed officials—brakemen, trainhands and negro porters—dignified and self important, yet gravely courteous withal, stood ready to welcome, direct or assist the fast arriving passengers. The conductor waited, watch in hand, for the great station clock pointed at three minutes before 10, and precisely at the hour the flier would be off.

The fast train boat was in, and the inevitable late traveler was even now struggling down the asphalt platform. The great engine backed down and was coupled on, the engineer tested the brakes to see if his "air" was all right, the steam giant throbbed and glowed with pent up energy, and the "runner," as the engineer is called in railway parlance, leaned out of his cab on the alert for the electric cry "All aboard!"

At the other side of the station an equally interesting scene was taking place. On one of the side tracks stood two richly appointed coaches, one the private car Miranda and the other an ordinary Pullman sleeper and drawing room coach combined. Since 8 o'clock relays of porters and expressmen had been coming alongside heavy laden, departing empty handed and wiping their brows. Hundreds of pounds of ice were stowed away in the long receptacles under the cars; hampers, crates and boxes of mineral waters, "strong waters" and delicacies were taken aboard and disposed in mysterious recesses; from within came the musical clink of glasses and crockery, while the white jacketed chef could be seen flitting about in his tiny kitchen and buffet putting matters to rights.

The last load of relishes was received and receipted for, the porters for the last time flicked the dust off the richly upholstered interior, when the first of those for whom these elaborate preparations were made came strolling down the platform, at whose arrival all the train men in waiting saluted with hands to caps.

A good story is told concerning two poor Irishmen who once upon a time were debating what sort of an occupation each would choose if kind Providence should ever give them the option. After canvassing the advantages of the various vocations in life one of them closed the discussion by saying:

"Faith, Mike, for a nice, clane, aisy job let me be a bishop!"

This probably summed up to Mike's imagination in brief all the sunny side of life—dignity, position, authority and … … …

… … … that for … … the position … of a great railroad … left little to be desired. It certainly seemed so to the onlooker this bright May morning.

Here was John Draper, president of the Pacific and Atlantic railway, a self made man, a multimillionaire, old enough to have eschewed the follies of life and yet young enough to enjoy the benefits the gods send to sane mortals blessed with health, strength, a good conscience and a better digestion, at the moment of which I write literally monarch of all he surveyed and about to take a trip of three or four thousand miles in his personal and private car surrounded by a charming and congenial company of his own choosing who would bask in the sunshine of his bounty and give him grateful thanks, homage and credit for all the pleasure bestowed!

So who would not be a railroad president, even if the head that carries the bondholders' woes is sometimes uneasy!

With John Draper came two ladies, an elder and a much younger one, and faithful to the old precept which gives place to age before beauty, the former shall be described first. This was Mrs. Bradley Hurst, a married sister of our host. Fair and fat she certainly was, but not even her bitterest enemy could have called her fat. A laughing eye, a well rounded and mature form, of medium height, with a carriage and manner that denote the thorough mistress of society and its forms—this was Mrs. Bradley Hurst, the chaperon of the party.

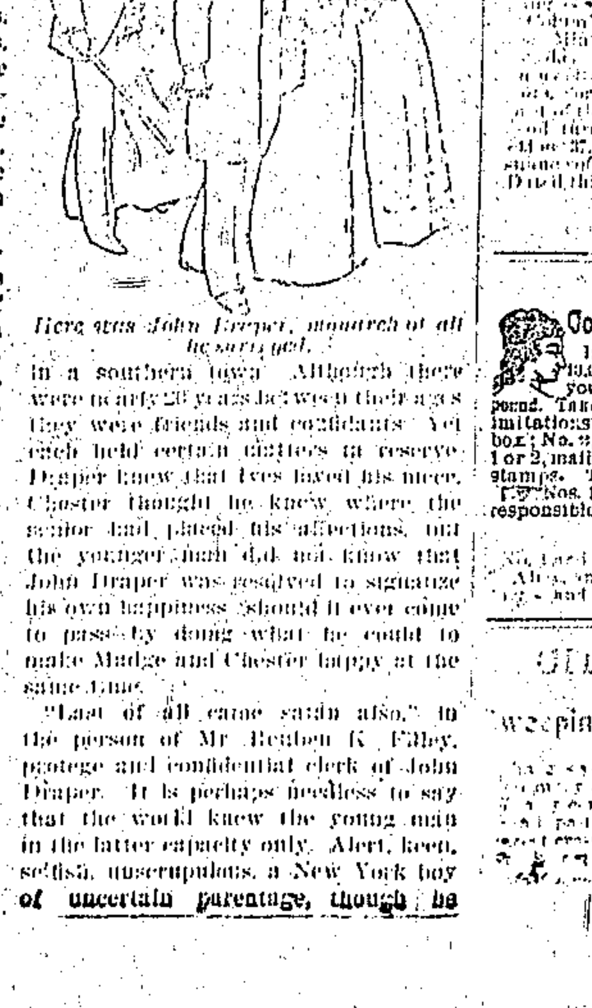
By her side and between the two elder people walked a girl, half her age, the exact opposite of what Mrs. Hurst must have been in her youth—not too tall, graceful, dark of hair, eyes and complexion, a Vassar alumna and now a two years' society graduate, accomplished, handsome and wholesome; and there you have sketched Miss Florence Grinniss, the ward of John Draper and heiress to a cool million.

Down the platform they strolled laughing and chatting gayly, yet in the tender solicitude with which the railroad magnate handed the girl into the car might have been discovered more than the ordinary regard supposed to subsist between guardian and ward.

Close at the heels of this trio came two others, both young, both vivacious, both bubbling over with good humor and good spirits, which were plainly their natural heritage and partly born of the prospect of this novel outing.

The lady was Miss Madge Hurst, daughter of Mrs. Bradley Hurst, a piquant maiden of some 20 winters, blond, petite, blue eyed and altogether bewitching, at least so thought Mr. Chester Ives, who walked at her side looking down from his five feet ten of masculinity at the five feet two of femininity under the broad brimmed Gainsborough hat then in vogue.

Chester Ives was a member of the fourth estate, whose privilege it is to wield the weapon which is said to be mightier than the sword, though it is often a mere blue pencil, and who, by dint of patience, perseverance and persistence, had risen from the foot of the journalistic ladder to be "Wall street man" on one of New York's great dailies. Not yet 30, he was already looked by his intimates for higher things. He had known John Draper when the latter was "biding his time" in comparative obscurity as a small merchant



Here was John Draper, monarch of all he surveyed.

in a southern town. Although there were nearly 20 years between their ages they were friends and confidants. Yet each held certain matters in reserve. Draper knew that Ives loved his niece. Chester thought he knew where the senior had placed his affections, but the younger man did not know that John Draper was resolved to signalize his own happiness should it ever come to pass by doing what he could to make Madge and Chester happy at the same time.

"Last of all came satan also," in the person of Mr. Reuben K. Filley, protege and confidential clerk of John Draper. It is perhaps needless to say that the world knew the young man in the latter capacity only. Alert, keen, selfish, unscrupulous, a New York boy of uncertain parentage, though he

COMMERCIAL

THE MARKETS.

Bourne Bros., merchants, Revelstoke report for week ending Feby. 7th.

FLOUR.	
Hungarian, per bag 98 lbs.	$3.00
GRAIN.	
Wheat, per ton	$30.00
Oats, per ton	$30.00
FEED.	
Hay, per ton, timothy	$22.50
Shorts	$25.00
Bran	$22.50
SUGAR.	
Sugar, per sack, 100 lbs	$5.50
VEGETABLES.	
Beets, per lb	3
Potatoes, per 100 lbs	$1.50
Onions, per 100 lbs	$1.00
Cabbage, per lb	3
Carrots, per 100 lbs	2.00
Turnips, per 100 lbs	2.00
FARM PRODUCE.	
Eggs, per doz. new laid	50
Case eggs	35
Butter (creamery), per lb	35
Butter (Dairy) per lb	25
Cheese, per lb	20
Lard, per lb	17
MEATS.	
Beef, per lb	8 to 15
Mutton, per lb	15
Veal, per lb	12½ to 15
Lamb, per lb	15 to 20
Pork, per lb	15
Ham, per lb	20
Bacon, per lb	18
FRUIT.	
Oranges, per doz	50
Lemons, per doz	40
Apples, per box	2.50
Pears, per box	2.50

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Copper, New York, Lake $12 to 12¾, electrolytic $12¾ to 13, casting $12.50; London, $55.

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Kaslo, New Denver, Silverton, Sandon, Slocan, Rossland—Daily except Sunday.

Rossland, Nelson, Halcyon, Arrowhead: always Daily.

Beaton, Ferguson, Thomson's Landing, … Comaplix—Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Eastern Mails Close at 7 a.m.

Western Mails Close at 13:10.

W. McRAE, Postmaster.

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Trains Arrive at Revelstoke

From Vancouver daily at 8 a.m.

From Montreal daily at 5:10 p.m.

From Arrowhead daily at 5.20 p.m.

Trains Depart from Revelstoke

For Vancouver daily at 5:10 p.m.

For Montreal daily at … a.m.

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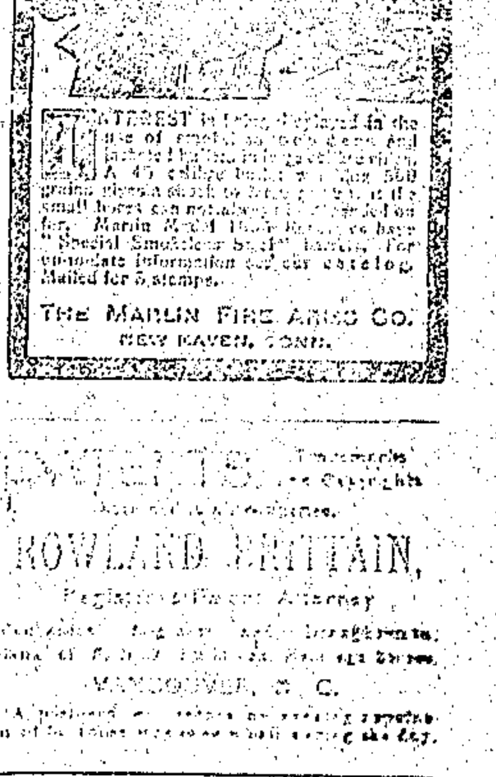

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BORN.

CARLIN.—At Kamloo s, on Jan. 31st, the wife of James Carlin, of Kault, of a son.

OWENS.—At Revelstoke, on February 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Owens, of Salmon Arm, a daughter.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

Measles have broken out in the city, about 15 cases being reported.

The Masons intend building a fine Masonic temple in Revelstoke during the current year.

Any girl would rather have a half a pound of our chocolates than a pound of ordinary candies—A. N. Smith.

S. Crowle says this is the best winter he has seen in Revelstoke.

The Ladies Auxiliary requests us to convey their thanks to the ladies who contributed refreshments and to all who assisted to make a success of the hospital ball.

Ald. McMahon expressed the opinion at Friday's council meeting that the Chinese should day off their New Year celebration on Sunday so as not to create a nuisance on that day, and the council concurred.

If you want to save money on fire insurance ask H. N. Coursier for rates.

The man who makes better bread than ours hasn't come along yet. You'll have to do as most everyone else is doing—buy ours.—A. N. Smith.

At the meeting of the city council on Friday the city clerk said bodies had been interred in the cemetery without permits and that wreaths placed on graves had been taken away. The council authorised a warning notice to be put up.

A joint meeting of committees from the Liberal Association and Board of Trade was held on Monday when preliminary steps were taken toward sending a delegation to Ottawa to support the requests for $100,000 towards improving the upper river and $24,000 for a postoffice and custom house for Revelstoke.

A. P. Cummins, C.E., has completed the survey and plans for the proposed extensions which the Water Light and Power Company propose to carry out to provide a better supply of water in the summer season by taking in Bridge creek.

Lots 9 and 10 block 40, city of Revelstoke, with the buildings thereon, will be sold by public auction by Ja[illegible] Taylor [illegible] Feb. 22nd.

[illegible] Feb. 2nd, J. Taylor [illegible] at Craigellachie [illegible] from Messrs [illegible] Finkham, [illegible]

[illegible] city schools [illegible] $ [illegible] received a letter from T. Taylor, M.P.P. stating $300 [illegible] for the schools [illegible] session [illegible] supplemented by [illegible] He promises to use his [illegible] to secure as large a grant as possible for a new school.

[illegible] $10 [illegible] will give you [illegible] insurance. Ask Coursier for rates.

The [illegible] to be given by the school children is in aid of a new [illegible] for the school, the one now in use being out of repair.

The [illegible] to the government [illegible] for the erection of a bridge across [illegible] river has 114 signatures [illegible] handed to Mr. Taylor M. P. P., [illegible] for presentation to the government.

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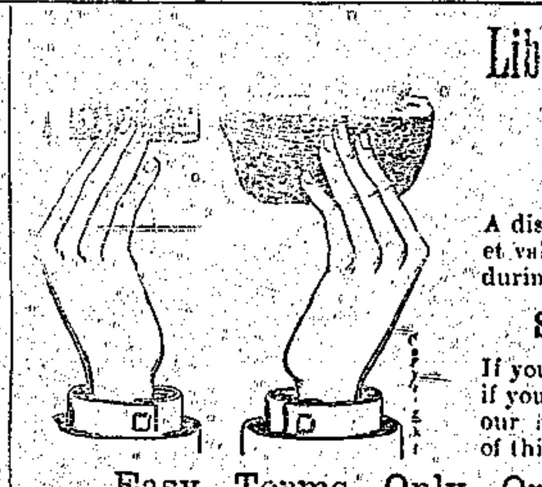

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NOTARIES PUBLIC.

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W. M. Lawrence, R. Howson and A. McRae, representatives of the local Liberal Association, left on Tuesday to attend the convention at Vancouver.

W. T. Dalton, architect for the hospital, came in from the west this morning, and intends opening an office in Revelstoke.

The best news of the week is the improvement in the metal market, copper having risen $30 a ton in London, with corresponding rise in New York; while lead has risen 10 cts. at New York and 12 6d in London. Silver is a shade lower.

The Quadrille Assembly will hold their masquerade ball on Tuesday next and expect it to be a great success. The Assembly has been a great success this winter. It was under excellent management, its dances were well conducted, and it has supplied a much needed means of social intercourse. Tickets may be had at the Canada Drug & Book Co.

P. Burns & Co. will probably put in a refrigerating plant at an early date.

F. B. Wells has just received a shipment of fine martin fur from the Lardeau.

Remember the carnival at the rink tonight.

P. Burns & Co. have let to H. Cook a contract for putting up 100 tons of ice.

At last meeting of the school trustees it was stated there was a marked improvement in discipline at the school; also that the former board had not yet handed over the books and papers. A letter was read from the Superintendent of Education stating these were the property of the new board.

Angus Nicholson, brother of D. Nicholson, is in the Slocan City hospital with a cut foot.

While Capt. Taylor was out driving with Mrs. and Miss Cao on Sunday, and going up the hill south of the Illecillewaet, a dog with a tin can tied to its tail came tearing down the road, frightening the horse. Capt. Taylor was out of the cutter and at the horse's head in a moment, but unable to stop the frightened horse from going over the embankment which is very steep at that place. The shafts were broken. Fortunately no one was injured. It is a matter of regret that people should be so thoughtless as to lend themselves to tricks such as this, which might have been attended with serious results.

Mr. Galliher, M. P., left for Ottawa on Monday. He has announced he will support the following: Imposition of a duty to encourage manufacture of paints and other products of lead to improve the demand for the metal; dredge for narrows of Arrow lakes, work to start this month; improving Upper Columbia river from Revelstoke to Canoe river for navigation, and construction of tramway past rapids; a larger grant from the Dominion to provincial revenues.

The new board of school trustees intend enforcing regular attendance.

If you want to get as much business out of the Revelstoke field as possible you will do yourself a favor by placing your advertising in the KOOTENAY MAIL.

It is just as easy to be in the best as to be in the poorest medium. The KOOTENAY MAIL is the best. Advertisers will tell you so.

C. B. Hume & Co. expect to close today a tender for their new store on McKenzie Ave.

R. H. Trueman will attend at his Revelstoke photographic studio till the evening of Friday, Feb. 15th.

Owing to pressure on our space we have to hold over our leading and other matter.

The Cosgrove Merry Makers gave one of their delightful entertainments in the opera house last night to a large audience. Mr. Cosgrove made arrangements while in the city for the appearance here of the celebrated Cosgrove Orchestra under the auspices of the curling club on April 2nd. Particulars of this coming attraction was be given later.

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At a meeting at Trout Lake City attended by T. Taylor M. P. P. it was decided to ask for $10,500 for new trails in that district this year.

Just received, a carload of Keewatin flour at A. Smith's.

The Vancouver Daily Province: Snid Martin's contributions to the programme were greatly enjoyed. Her notes are rich, clear and well rounded and she was heard to especial advantage in Gounod's "Priere."

Vancouver Daily Province: Fellowes Hanson's cultivated baritone was very pleasing in his three songs.

Ask H. N. Coursier for rates on fire insurance.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Griffith is expected to arrive at Albert Canyon on the 8th or 9th from the coast to take Miss Dent's place as teacher. Miss Griffith taught there before and the children made great progress. The children are highly delighted about her return as they are very much attached to her.

W. G. Stephenson, cook on Supt. Kilpatrick's car, is about again after his illness.

H. Brandrette, Sr., has recovered from his recent illness.

F. Guerin, of the Victoria hotel, is seriously ill with pneumonia, having been laid up since Saturday night.

A. McNab, the well-known C. P. R. engineer, has returned from the east.

G. S. McCarter left for Golden on Tuesday, returning on Wednesday.

At the Halcyon Sanitarium dance Mr. Edge, of Galena Bay, was a most efficient M. C., and excellent music was discoursed by Mr. Carruthers, of Trout Lake, assisted by others.

GRIP AND PASSWORD

K. OF P.

The Gold Range lodge K. of P. kindly gave the use of their piano for the Hospital ball.

The Gold Range K. of P. has decided on having a ward in the Revelstoke hospital, which the lodge will furnish at its own expense. Bros. S. McDonald, J. W. Bennet and W. Winsor have been appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements. Pro. T. E. L. Taylor has given the fund a good start by donating $10.50 towards the scheme. Other friendly societies will doubtless follow suit, thus aiding the hospital and providing for the accommodation of sick members at the same time.

On Feb. 19th the Gold Range lodge will entertain their friends at a novel gathering to be known as a "hard time social." Guests must come in their rags and tags, and fines will be imposed on a graduated scale on those appearing in better than ordinary dress. A prize will be awarded for the poorest dress in the room. Refreshments will be supplied and a good programme of dances is being arranged. The programmes will not be of those tasteful designs turned out at the Kootenay Mail office, but will be scratched on brown paper with a charcoal stick. The committee inform us this is to be the leading social event of the season when several leaders of society will make their debut, and a gay time is expected.

SONS OF ENGLAND.

Members of Lodge Royalty paraded on Sunday evening to St. Peter's church, the occasion being the anniversary of the death of Queen Victoria. Special reference to the occasion was made by the vicar, to whom the lodge afterwards accorded a vote of thanks.

L. O. L.

A special meeting of lodge 1658 will be held tomorrow evening to select a delegate to the Grand Lodge in place of W. M. Art Johnson.

CAMBORNE

Public Meeting.

Discussion on the Bridge Question.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

On Thursday Jan. 23rd, our new Gold Commissioner, Mr. Fred Fraser, visited Camborne. Unfortunately his stay was very brief, but he intimated that the government was willing to build a bridge over Fish River, provided that the people of the district could agree upon a suitable site.

Accordingly a public meeting, which was attended by everybody interested in town, was held the same evening at the Pendragon Hotel for the purpose of discussing the situation. The result was soon apparent that the people of Camborne were practically unanimous in their desire.

They thought that the bridge should be built below the Canyon which would enable a dangerous and expensive piece of road to be abandoned, and would exchange a hill long and steep from both sides for a shorter and fairly level road. It was considered that a bridge somewhere in the neighborhood of Hamel's ranch would answer the double purpose of communication between Comaplix and Thomson's Landing, and Comaplix and Camborne. It would also obviate the necessity of maintaining two parallel roads, which would be the case were the bridge to be built at Camborne, for it is a well known fact that had all the money which has been spent in building and maintaining these two roads been spent on one we should still be without a road better than the district requires.

The meeting finally resolved to ascertain the feelings of the people of Comaplix and Thomson's Landing on the matter and deputed L. Branford to endeavor to co-operate with them.

FUNERAL

The Late Mrs. Kirby.

The high esteem in which the late Mrs. W. Kirby was held could not have been better evidenced than by the large attendance at the funeral on Saturday despite the inclement weather. The coffin, which was clothed in beautiful wreaths, was removed from D. McCarthy's house to St. Peter's church, where full choral service was held and an impressive discourse on the uncertainty of life delivered by Rev. C. A. Procunier. The church was crowded. H. Floyd presided at the organ and the following hymns were sung: "Jesus lives no longer now," "When our heads are bowed with woe," "My God my Father while I stray."

The sad procession to the cemetary was attended by a large number of mourners in vehicles and on foot. Service was also conducted at the grave by Rev. C. A. Procunier. The widowed husband, who had the heartfelt sympathy of all in his bereavement, was supported by J. I. Woodrow, brother of the deceased, and who, with Miss Kirby, of Fire Valley, and J. C. Woodrow, of Ferguson, another brother of deceased, constituted the chief mourners.

Mr. Kirby being a Forester, the following officers and members of Court Mt. Begbie I. O. F. acted as pallbearers—J. Ringer and J. B. Scott, P. C. R.; J. McLean, C. R.; C. Mitchell, V. C. R.; J. Lorraith, Sec.; L. Schmidt, S. B.; Bros. F. Fretz and T. Dale.

The wreaths were sent by the Foresters, Capt. Short and officers of S. S. Minto, of which Mr. Kirby is mate; Mrs. J. A. Stone; Mrs. Nettle; and flowers by Mrs. Clark, Messrs. Lindmark, Holten, Agnew, Sutherland, Mesdames Capt. Short, Bonner, and G. T. Newman, of Arrowhead, attended the funeral. The officers and crew of the Minto were represented by Mr. Putman, and the officers and crew of the Kootenay by Mr. Purvis.

THANKS.

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to the friends who have shown so much sympathy with us in the death of the late Mrs Kirby, and especially do we thank those who were so kind and thoughtful as to furnish the beautiful wreaths and flowers for the funeral.

W. KIRBY
J. I. WOODROW.

CORRESPONDENCE

An Injustice

TO THE EDITOR.

Sir:—I think it very unfair and unjust closing the Recording office at Illecillewaet. Firstly, because it will mean a great deal of extra expense to the prospectors round here. A prospector wanting to record a claim would have to go down on No. 1, say on Wednesday afternoon. When he arrives at Revelstoke the Government office is closed. Thursday he records his claim; he cannot leave that day as the train leaves before the office is opened. He has to wait till Friday morning. Prospector's pockets are very seldom overflowing, and the extra hotel expenses and the three days, loss are quite an item to him.

Secondly, the closing of the office depreciate the surrounding country in value. I may be wrong, but I do not think the Government lose much even although the business is sometimes slack. I think we should get up a petition and send it to Mr. Taylor M. P. P. and make an effort to get the office re-opened.

Yours truly,

LIMITED MEANS.

Albert Canyon Feb 5th, 1902.

EDITOR KOOTENAY MAIL:

Dear Sir:—I beg to hand you a subscription list to the Father Pat Memorial Fund. I would ask your co-operation in doing what you can to get subscriptions in your vicinity. The heading of enclosed explains the position and we wish to reach as many of Father Pat's old friends as possible. Please do your best to help us make this a success.

C. S. WALLIS,
Secretary.

Rossland, Jan. 30th, 1902.

The subscription list lies at the KOOTENAY MAIL office, and we shall be glad to receive contributions, which will be duly acknowledged through our columns. Editor KOOTENAY MAIL.

TO THE EDITOR.

Sir:—I notice in the Herald that some ladies of this city made their debut into Society at the Hospital ball. I have tried to find out what Society means, and have received the following reply:

During my periodical visits to the city of Revelstoke, I am continually hearing about the "society" of the place. I am at a loss to find out where it is, but during my years of travel, I have found that where "society" is kept up in small inland cities on the railroad it is mostly at the expense of the railway employee. Take for example clerks in dry goods stores, banks, lawyers offices, etc.; what would their positions be worth if the railway employes were to transfer their bank accounts etc., and do all their business direct with Vancouver? These, with a few exceptions, are what society is composed of in Revelstoke, and as a rule they look down upon their fellow beings (who have to earn their bread by the sweat of their brow) whereas, were it not for the honest mechanic, they would not be able to make a living.

The railroading fraternity of Revelstoke could buy and sell the majority of the clique, but, like sensible men, they do not aspire to honors unsuited to their sphere in life. I would like to see some of these would-be "lords" compelled to leave off their high collars etc., and come down to the pick and shovel for a couple of years, and if ever they got to wearing soft clothes to their work again, they would not despise the "working man" but would have learned that "everybody cannot afford to wear a shabby coat." I think that the sooner a social understanding was arrived at, the better it would be for the welfare of Revelstoke."

Yours, etc.,

OBSERVER.

MUSIC.

A limited number of pupils will be taken—instruction either piano or organ—piano preferred. For terms apply to Miss Kenner at the residence of H. Cook, Fourth Street.

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THE CARE OF LITTLE ONES.

Some Sound Advice as to the Best Methods of Treating Infant Indigestion.

Nothing is more common to childhood than indigestion. Nothing is more dangerous to proper growth, more weakening to the constitution, or more likely to pave the way to dangerous diseases. Among the symptoms by which infant indigestion and young children may be readily recognized are loss of appetite, nausea, eructations, coated tongue, bad breath, hiccough and disturbed sleep. Indigestion may be easily cured, and Mrs. F. K. Begbie, Lindsay, Ont., points out how this may be best done. She says:—"When my baby was three months old she had indigestion very badly she would vomit her food just as soon as she took it, no matter what I gave her. After feeding she seemed to suffer terribly and would scream with pain. She seemed always hungry, but her food did her no good and she kept thin and delicate. We tried several medicines recommended for these troubles but they did her no good. Finally I saw Baby's Own Tablets advertised and got a box. After giving them to her she began to improve in about two days, and in a week's time I considered her well. She could sleep well, the vomiting ceased, her bowels became regular and she began to gain in weight. She is now a fat, healthy baby, and I think the credit is due to Baby's Own Tablets and I would not be without them in the house."

Baby's Own Tablets is the only medicine sold under an absolute guarantee that it contains neither opiates nor other harmful drugs. These tablets are a certain cure for all the minor ailments of childhood, such as sour stomach, indigestion, constipation, simple fever, diarrhoea. They break up colds, prevent croup and allay the irritation accompanying the cutting of teeth. Price 25 cents a box at all druggists, or sent by mail post paid by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

FISH CREEK

Silver Spike Group.

D. Wolsey intends running a tunnel of 100 feet to crosscut the vein on the Silver Spike and Silver Cross property on Fish Creek, near the Dunvegan. The work will be started at once. Sixty feet of tunnel has already been run on the property, and shows from four to eight feet of ore carrying gold, silver, lead and copper values. W. Scott, of Nakusp, is interested in a group of three claims near this property. Messrs. Woodrow, Agnew and Hyatt are interested in a neighbouring property, and Messsrs. Moore and Howell, of Illecilliwaet, hold another. All these properties are located on the same vein, and comprise ten claims, the ore being similar to that showing on the Silver Spike.

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Save Your Snowshoe Tags.

The most popular brand of Chewing Tobacco in Canada today is "Pay Roll." Every plug of "Pay Roll" bears a "Snowshoe" Tag. Consumers should save these tags, as valuable presents are given for them. Tags are good up to Jan. 1st, 1903. Write for our new illustrated premium Catalogue. The Empire Tobacco Co. Ltd, Winnipeg Branch, Winnipeg, Man.

TO VOCALISTS.

The Methodist members of the Hospital Executive intend giving a musical dramatized version of "Esther," or "The Beautiful Queen," in the Opera House, on Friday the 11th day of April, 1902, under the direction of J. Taylor, who would like any one who is capable of taking part, to send their names in to him. The date of the first rehearsal will appear shortly.

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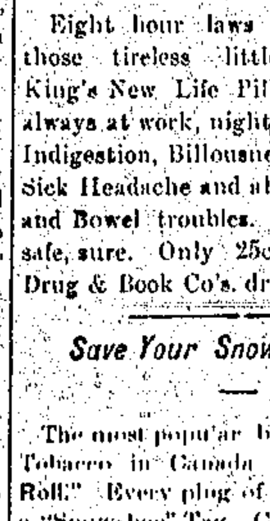

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SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at this office until Tuesday, February 25th, inclusively, for the construction of Armouries at the following places:

1st Revelstoke, B.C. 3rd Kaslo, B.C.
2nd Kamloops, B.C. 4th Nelson, B.C.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained for Revelstoke and Kaslo, on application to the Postmasters at those places; for Nelson, at the office of Mr. J. A. Macdonald, Architect, Nelson; for Kamloops at the office of Mr. A. Thompson, Clerk of Works, Kamloops; and for all the works at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Envelopes containing tenders must be endorsed "Tender for Armoury, Revelstoke"; "Tender for Armoury, Kamloops"; "Tender for Armoury, Kaslo"; and "Tender for Armoury, Nelson" respectively.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order
FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 25th, 1902.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department, will not be paid for it.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act authorising and empowering the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to own, hold, lease and operate other property outside the Dominion of Canada; amending its charter in so far as relates to the qualification, status, powers and election of its directors; authorising a further issue of consolidated debenture stock for the purpose of aiding in the acquisition of steam vessels; increasing and extending the Company's powers of dealing with its landed, mineral, timber, hotel and other properties; enabling the Company to manufacture or otherwise acquire and use electricity for motor and other purposes and to dispose of surplus electricity; empowering the Company to improve its lands and properties by means of irrigation and otherwise; to establish parks and pleasure resorts on its lands; to aid and facilitate in such manner as may be deemed advisable the settlement of the lands of the Company, and to assist settlers upon such lands; and generally for securing to the Company in connection with its lands, the powers of an Irrigation and Land Company; and for other purposes.

Dated at Montreal 16th day of December, 1901.
By order of the Board,
C. DRINKWATER,
Secretary.

TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax, and all assessed Taxes and Income Tax, assessed and levied under the Assessment Act and amendments, are now due and payable for the year 1902. All taxes collectible for the Revelstoke Assessment District are due and payable at my office, situate at Court House, Revelstoke. This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.

FRED. FRASER,
Assessor and Collector,
Revelstoke Assessment District,
Revelstoke Post Office.

Dated at Revelstoke, B.C.,
January 16th, 1902.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a company to be known as "The Canada Central Railway Company," to construct and operate a line of railway commencing from a point at or near French river, on the north coast of Lake Huron, northwesterly to some point at or near Whanipatae Lake; thence northerly to some point at or near the headwaters of Montreal river, in the district of Nipissing; thence northwesterly to some point on the Albany river, in the Province of Ontario; thence in a northwesterly direction through the district of Keewatin and the Province of Manitoba to some point on or near Lake Winnipeg; thence northerly and westerly by way of Prince Albert, in the district of Saskatchewan, and Edmonton, in the district of Alberta to Tete Jaune Cache, in the Province of British Columbia; thence southerly in the vicinity of the North Thompson river by way of Kamloops to a point at or near Princeton; thence westerly to New Westminster; thence northwesterly to Vancouver, with power to construct and operate a line of railway from some point on the south or east coast of Vancouver Island to Victoria; with further power to construct and operate an extension line of said railway from some point on the line of railway first above mentioned at or near Tete Jaune Cache westerly to Port Essington or Port Simpson on the Pacific coast; with further power to construct a branch line southerly from said line of railway in the Province of Ontario to the towns of Port Arthur and Fort William, on Lake Superior; with further power to construct and operate a branch line from some point on the said line of railway between Kamloops and Princeton southeasterly by way of Penticton to Grand Forks; with further power to construct and operate a branch line from some point on the said line of railway at or near the North Thompson River to Ashcroft and Anderson Lake; with further power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines for the purposes of its business and for the public; and with further power to own and operate water power convenient to the road for their railway and other purposes; with further power to own and operate steam ships, ferries and shipping, and build and erect the necessary wharves and elevators; and with such other power and privileges as are usually given to railway companies.

Dated at Winnipeg this 21st day of December, A.D., 1901.

THOS. H. JOHNSON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered by public auction by James Taylor, at the office of the undersigned at Revelstoke, B. C., on Saturday, the 22nd day of February, A.D., 1902 at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, viz: A portion of the North-West Quarter of Section Ten (10), Township Twenty three (23), Range Six (6), West of the Sixth Meridian, containing by admeasurement 133 and 61-100 acres more or less. Said property being situate near Craigellachie, the District of Yale, B.C. On this property are one frame building and barn.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM,
of Revelstoke, B. C.,
Solicitors for Mortgagee.

Dated at Revelstoke, Jan. 29th, 1902.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA:

BETWEEN:
CHARLES HOLTEN, et al, Plaintiffs,
and
FRANK VANDALL & MILLIE BLACK,
Defendants.

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the order of Mr. Justice Martin made in the above action and dated January 22nd, 1902, there will be offered for sale at public auction by James Taylor at the office of the undersigned at Revelstoke, B.C., on Saturday, the 22nd day of February, 1902, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon. All and singular those certain parcels of land situate in the City of Revelstoke, B.C., and more particularly described as Lots Number 9 and 10, Block 40, Block A, Plan 612.

On said property is erected a good two storey frame building.

The said property will be sold subject as to said Lot 9 to the rights of John A. Morn, his heirs or assigns, and subject to the incumbrances charged against the said premises, particulars of which may be obtained from Frederick Fraser, Esq., Receiver appointed by said order, or from

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM,
Plaintiffs Solicitors

January, A.D., 1902.