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PROVINCIAL POLITICS.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE THEM.

Maxwell's Ideas—Whether Semlin Will or No a Convention Must be Held—Wily Local Politicians Take a Quiet Trip—Semlin to Oppose Martin.

The political caldron is on the fire. It hasn't been there long enough to say that it is boiling; but it might be correct to say that it simmers pleasantly. It was not altogether a matter of surprise to a MAIL reporter when he observed two well-known local politicians—both opposed to the Turner government—board the west-bound passenger train one day this week. It was at once apparent what the trip was for, on their arrival at Sicamous, where they alighted and entered into deep and earnest conversation with Geo. R. Maxwell, M.P., and Mayor Templeton, of Vancouver.

The MAIL is unable to give its readers an "official" report of the conference, but has discovered some particulars of the proceedings. It is learned that Mr. Maxwell is not in favor of federal party lines prevailing in this province unless it can be shown to be for the benefit of the province. That he had a consultation with C. E. Semlin, Opposition leader, recently, about holding a convention of Oppositionists and that Mr. Semlin did not view the idea with favor, but would take it under consideration. That on the way home a stop would be made at Kamloops and Mr. Semlin's final views obtained. If he approves a convention it may be called by him, but if he still opposes it, it will be called without him. This meeting was to take place this week and some definite news should soon be heard. Messrs. Maxwell and Templeton are both in favor of Revelstoke as the place of convention, and think it should be called as soon as possible. Incidentally, the political chances of an aspiring Oppositionist of Revelstoke were discussed.

It is reported that Hon. G. B. Martin will be opposed in North Yale by C. E. Semlin, Opposition leader and a good Conservative. Mr. Semlin at present represents East Yale in the legislature, and the nomination for the North riding was offered him at a meeting of Oppositionists at Kamloops this week. It is said he has accepted the nomination.

Union Jack Group

Is situated on the South Fork of Lardeau River seven miles from Trout Lake City and only about 1000 feet off the waggon road which runs through the lower end of the group. The group is property of Messrs. O. D and C. H. Hoar, Carter, Thompson and Kilpatrick. Assessment work has been done on the Union Jack and Canadian Boy to cover the six claims and on the Union Jack solid ore going 205 ounces silver and 40% lead has been struck. The vein is in the same kind of contact as the Silver Cup it is claimed. There is a dyke of "satin" schist and porphyry with ore on each side and on the hanging wall side the owners have 18 inches of carbonates running very high. A trail connects the Union Jack with the waggon road and it will be the effort of the owners to try and make some shipments this winter.

The Carnes Creek Co.

The second tunnel on the Rosebery, the property of the Carnes Creek Gold Mining Co., started a little while ago, is now "in" about twenty-five feet. It starts about 100 feet below No. 1, in 100 feet, and has about forty or more feet to run to hit the vein. Two more men will be put on at once so that two shifts can be worked.

Nakusp's New Scheme.

The news is received this week from Nakusp that some of its promising and most enterprising people intend shortly to form a stock company for the purpose of using the hot springs at Kootska-nax Creek. It is their intention to bring the water by pipes right to the town and there erect a first-class hotel, bath houses, etc. They will also lay out park grounds and have a race track and recreation grounds.

It is altogether a most feasible scheme and likely to prove a huge success. There is plenty of water, lots of ground and then Nakusp is very central and easily reached. An attraction like this will bring numbers of people to the place and make business for everyone in it.

The Strike on the Abbott Group.

O. D. Hoar returned Monday from his visit to the new strike on the Abbott Group, Trout Lake. He says everything looks very encouraging and there are three feet of solid ore in sight lying in a bed of carbonates. He had only time to go "in" a couple of feet on the ore but that showed it to be good and clear. The vein shows up for about 100 feet and is here and there covered with a slight lime capping. The "strike" is on the end line between the Abbott and King William claims and will be easy mining in the carbonates. Four men were left at work and reports may be had of further discoveries at any time. There is also another showing, a little distance south-east of the one described, which carries the same kind of ore. They stripped this for about 100 feet and it shows solid ore about one foot wide all the way. No assays have been taken yet but several splendid samples were received Tuesday to be forwarded to the coast. It is also learned that if the work shows up as well as is expected the Abbott may be worked again by a large syndicate.

Cariboo Creek Camp.

The waggon road at Cariboo Creek is now within half a mile of Mineral City and men are putting in the bridge at the second crossing of the creek. The government grant has all been expended, and the work now under way will be met by private subscriptions. Mine owners believe that when the road is finished they will be able to send ore over it at once. All that is wanted to bring this camp to the front are a few good ore shipments and these are, in some cases, ready sacked at the mines.

MONSTER LOCOMOTIVES

Now Running Out of Revelstoke—Latest Addition to Motive Power.

The peculiar whistles heard on the railroad recently are from the new "automatic compound" engines just added to the equipment of the road and very interesting they are. They include in their "make-up" every feature of the best up-to-date locomotives and were built in the company's own shops at Montreal. One of the leading features in these engines is the use of high and low pressure cylinders of 19 inch and 29 inch diameters, and entirely independent of each other. In starting the engine the smaller or high pressure cylinder is brought into use, but when the train is in motion both cylinders are worked. Combined they make a drawing capacity greater than that of the most powerful mogul engine in the company's service. Fifty laden cars can be drawn on level ground and can it is claimed be even exceeded. Only the other day one of these iron monsters (No. 194) hooked on to twenty-four cars at Notch Hill on the very worst part of the road and walked off with them without the slightest trouble. Other advantages possessed by these cylinders is the use of exhaust steam which passes from the smaller to the larger one and gives a steam pressure of 200 lbs.

Another feature in the construction of these engines is the "Belpaire" fire box which effects considerable saving of fuel. It is said that one of these "automatic compound" engines can make the trip between Kamloops and Revelstoke and return with one tank of coal while before engines coaled up at each end.

Two steam domes are placed on these engines the larger acting as a general steam reservoir, the smaller one serving the pop valves and steam whistle. They have ten wheels each but are technically known as "six wheel couplers." The most improved system of Westinghouse air brake is used, which is specially useful in mountain grades. There are two of these "iron horses" at work on this division, Nos 194 and 195, the former is in charge of Ed. Austin and the latter is worked by Archie Davis who brought her all the way from Montreal himself. Another one is shortly expected which will be given to George Burton. Anyone who knows how the yard here was blocked with cars will readily see the effect and usefulness of these new locomotives by looking at the yard now and recollecting that even a still bigger traffic is being handled.

Get your name on the voters list at once; you may have to vote sooner than you think.

If you want a good piano see H. N. Coursier agent for the Heintzman. tf.

The Lime Juice sold in those great big quart bottles by the McDowell, Atkins, Watson Co., at 50 cents, is a thirst quencher. o

E. L. Kinman was early this week seized with a relapse of his fever and had to go to the hospital. He is still, it is sad to say, anything but well, but it is earnestly hoped he will recover.

Mr. Darraugh, of Nakusp, had a peculiar experience while conducting a prisoner to Kamloops one day this week. A man in the train walked up to him and asked him queruloasly if he was a ventriloquist. No! said Darraugh, I am not. I guess you're the fellow who has been bothering me, all right, said the stranger and he made a vicious swipe at the special constable. Darraugh caught him and put him back in his seat till he calmed down and was fairly rational in a little while. Darraugh left him in charge of two mounted policemen going on to the coast where the excitable stranger has friends and was bound for.

IN TROUT LAKE CAMP

THE WEEK'S NEWS BUDGET FROM TROUT LAKE CITY.

The Black Prince Examined—Gainer Creek Gold Excitement—A Newspaper for Trout Lake City—Social Doings.

Philip Hickey, late superintendent of the Idaho Mining Co., Sheam, has been doing the district for the past week. He came in to examine the Black Prince as to the advisibility of working that property. Mr. Hickey is very favorably impressed with what he has seen and we hope soon to record the Black Prince as one of the working mines of Trout Lake.

We are having a second influx of capitalists and mining experts, the recent gold strikes are the principal attraction, although silver is not neglected by any means.

There is a well founded rumor that the Horne-Payne Co. will soon start up the Broadview and Sunshine mines giving employment to about thirty men.

Trout Lake is to have a newspaper. Messrs. Currie and Langstaff, of New Denver, are the promoters. They have made satisfactory arrangements with the Townsite Co. and let a contract for the building on Vancouver St. They expect to get out their first issue in about three weeks. Mr. Langstaff, who will be editor, has the reputation of being one of the brightest newspaper men in Kootenay.

The Canyon Creek mines will work all winter. Six tons of supplies are being sent in.

F. T. Abey, the enterprising druggist of Revelstoke, is building a branch store here. He will open up in about ten days.

Mr. Gilchrist, a Scotch capitalist who is interested with Mr. McPherson in the placer lease adjoining the townsite, has been looking over the ground. If satisfactory arrangements can be made they will flume the river for about a quarter of a mile and test it thoroughly. The ground below the canyon has long been known as the best part of the creek.

The entertainment got up by the church members to raise money to pay for an organ was a success, the hall being crowded to the doors. The display of talent was good especially the Valenting sisters and Mr. Jowett though all did remarkably well. The organ cost ninety dollars.

Mr. Noice, who has been preaching here for the past three months, is to leave for other fields. Mr. Noice while here made a host of friends who will be sorry to lose him. The Methodist Missionary Society, in whose employ he was, thought he could live on mountain scenery and wind, and refused to pay for his three months work on a technicality.

Speaking Up For This End.

J. P. Kennedy, of Illecillewaet, is in the city and is one man thoroughly well satisfied with the Kootenay. He, with his two partners, Thomas E. Marshall and Ole Sandberg, sold two claims, the Tangier and the Waverley, to John Grant and Grant-Govan, for $75,000, the last payment being made on August 1st. Mr. Kennedy reports that Albert Canyon, about seven miles from Illecillewaet, is booming now. The purchasers of the Waverley and Tangier have 50 men employed building a wagon road into the property to enable them to get the ore out. The ore is gray copper and galena. On the Tangier the men have driven 15 feet through solid gray copper and galena and have not struck the hanging wall yet. The ore runs as high as 1,500 ounces in silver and two ounces in gold. On the Waverley they have worked down 50 feet. The pay streak is six feet wide, which includes considerable concentrating ore. Mr. Kennedy says he, with his two partners, have several good claims near the two sold under bond.

The Blue Bell, owned by Benjamin Green and located near Illecillewaet, is showing up well under assessment work. They are working five men. An average assay showed in silver and lead 150 ounces to the ton.

Walter Scott, manager of a Hamilton company, has a force of men working on their properties at the head of Fish Creek. Assays give a result of silver and lead from $150 to $200.—Rossland *Miner.*

The Duncan Fiasco.

The temporary sanitary fit has all passed off and things are as before, except a few cases which are worse. These are results of a too ready compliance with the new regulations inspired no doubt by the belief that Dr. Duncan was going to raise—a terrible row. They didn't know, these people, that the Doctor had a slight touch of typhoid himself, at Trail, and he was anxious, no doubt, to leave the matter in other hands. This Doctor Duncan has made some arrangements for a dumping ground at Revelstoke and a scavenger to dump refuse there, but the ground has not been yet expropriated or purchased and nothing can be done to put the improved arrangements into force. These things shew how true the statement was that Doctor Duncan returned here (to Revelstoke) and remained long enough to see his sanitary arrangements in a fair way to be carried out. As a matter of fact the MAIL can, at the time of this writing, take the present local representative of the Board of Health to a most dangerous nuisance and disease breeder occasioned by the ready compliance of Dr. Duncan's regulations.

This Duncan fiasco is very much like the sanitary inspector saying that the diphtheria in town was the result of drinking the river water and quoting the report of the Board of Health to prove it when that same report said in a foot note that since the inspector's report was made a waterworks system was in use. These health inspectors cost us $100 and $125 per month.

Bound For Fort Steele.

Hewitt Bostock, M. P. for Yale-Cariboo, passed through here Sunday morning. It is the intention of the federal member to personally visit the work of construction on the Crow's Nest Pass road, and make himself acquainted as much as possible with the effects of its completion upon the growth and wants of the country. About these commissioners, now consulting with the Province about railway belt matters, Mr. Bostock when asked to see that they came here said he would try to get Hon. Mr. Sifton here instead, on his return from Yukon. Then, he said, he will be more familiar with what this country wants.

ANOTHER CLOSE DOWN.

Galena Bay Road Work Stopped When Near Completion.

Following the close down at Laurie comes this week another one at Trout Lake by the same company, the Lillooet, Fraser River and Cariboo Gold Fields Company Limited. The company had 52 men working on road making from its properties in Trout Lake to the deep water at Galena Bay when the order came to cease on Saturday the 11th inst. At this time all that remained undone on this road, which was to give the company a deep water outlet for their ores, was one mile to clear and grade, and about five and a half to repair. With the force that was at work when it closed down it is estimated, by one who knows, this work, that it could have been finished this month and at a cost of $2,000 completed as a waggon road. Shortly prior to the closing of the road work operations ceased on the Broadview.

What these suspensions, here and at Laurie, following closely in each case the visit of Mr. Horne-Payne, Q. C., and party, mean, cannot at present be ascertained; but the report is current, however true, that it is prior to some change in the management. Whatever the cause, and dozens can be heard on the street, the company owe it to the country and the people to clearly state it; as, in the absence of such declaration, pessimistic people enough there always are to conclude and even state the worst.

With the statements of the chairman of this company at the annual meeting it is hard to reconcile the present closing down, and it should be explained. The MAIL will welcome an explanation and offers the company its columns for that purpose.

About Jack Quincy.

Is there as much mystery about the finding of Jack Quincy as there is about his disappearance? For nearly two years this Kootenay country has been deluged with all kinds of cards, dodgers, newspaper clippings and press notices but still Jack keeps mysteriously undiscovered. A flitip is given the credulity of the public every now and again by a report that Jack has been heard of and a clue of his whereabouts obtained. It is a false hope, however; Jack is not there, and so the game goes on. What bothers people is, what is the game, or is it a game? There is a man whose life is said to depend upon Jack's discovery who is said to be somewhere in Kootenay. If Quincy is alive and in this country he should have been found long ago with the amount of advertisement he has got, and it leads people to think that there is either no Jack Quincy, or that he is as much intent on avoiding discovery as some people seem to be to find him.

To Show Next Week.

When Harry Lindley showed in Winnipeg every seat was filled, says the *Free Press.* The piece was "The Shadows of a Great City." Mr. E. Lewis as Tom Cooper proved himself a realistic actor, and Adelaide Flint as the heroine is unaffected and graceful; Harry himself is the funny man and keeps his audience in roars. All that the *Free Press* says cannot be here produced but it is enough to say that it highly commends Mr. Lindley to the play going public. Peterson's Hall, Tuesday to Saturday of next week.

C.P.R. traffic receipts for the week ending Sept. 7th were $122,000; for the same week last year they were $119,000.

A RAILROAD RUNAWAY

A TRAIN LEFT STANDING AT NOTCH HILL BREAKS LOOSE

And, Rushing Down Hill With Terrific Speed, Crashes Into Another Freight—One Man Killed and Two Injured.

A fatal railway accident occurred at Notch Hill on Thursday between seven and eight p.m., the circumstances of which, according to reports received, are about as follows:

An east-bound freight was doubled up and was left standing at the top of the hill on the main line, with brakes set on the bind cars, while the train crew went into supper. Suddenly they heard the sound of a train in motion and, on looking out, were surprised to see their own engine, No. 361, with its eleven cars behind it, tearing away down the hill. Aikins, the brakeman, jumped two or three times to board it but it threw him badly each time, getting more and more speed on the while. About seven miles east of Notch Hill, at or near a curve, it came with fearful momentum into collision with engine 591 and a west-bound freight, and spectators report that the little engine lies almost buried in the large one so great was the impact. Three or four cars in No. 591's train were wrecked, and two only of the runaway train were saved. Passengers on yesterday's No. 2 say the collision must have been terrible, as the line was all torn up and cars piled up in a fearful heap.

Dr. McLean, coroner, and Dr. McKechnie went to the scene of the accident Thursday night with the wrecking crew. From the Coroner it is learned that the head brakeman, George Brandrett died yesterday at 1 o'clock a.m., having sustained terrible injuries, both legs being taken off, etc.; that George Brown, engineer, has a broken arm and such injuries to the muscles of the shoulder as may permanently injure it. Wm. Hume, fireman, has a nasty gash right across the forehead but will recover. These men all belonged to the crew of the west-bound train—the one charged by the runaway. This was Brown's first trip as an engineer.

Silver To-day.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Silver bullion 57⅞ cents.

Local and Personal Briefs.

Dr. Dawson went east yesterday.

Auditor Goepel was in town yesterday.

Fred Fraser J. P., went into Trout Lake, Thursday.

A large display of millinery in a few days at Coursier's. *

Mr. Horne-Payne, Q.C., is expected at Arrowhead, Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Ladner, of Rossland, came up from there Tuesday.

Jack Knowles was in town this week.

A. W. McIntosh got off Thursday for Keystone.

The Murphy case has been postponed till the man is quite well.

Mr. and Mrs. Haig returned from their Arrowhead trip on Tuesday.

Cowan's block is almost finished and is being plastered ready for use.

Gilly Northey's foot got better right away when the new clarinet came.

All the newest in dress goods just opened up at Coursier's. *

What a beautiful lot of ladies new dress goods are opened up at Coursier's.

Mr. and Mrs. Yolland, Miss Boult and the babies all left for Vancouver Thursday.

The Presbytery of Kamloops meets in Revelstoke on the first Wednesday in March.

Dr. McKechnie is putting in stone foundations for his new house on Second Street.

There was a private picnic party Thursday in honor of Alice Northey's birthday.

Dutiable goods at Revelstoke for August were valued at $6,851.20, duty paid $1,795.50.

Mr. Byers of the Mac Machine Co. at Trail was in town several days this week.

We are glad to see Mr. Ballegarde up again. He has had a long siege of it but he got good nursing.

Four more carpenters were put on Monday at the new Central Hotel and the frame is now up three storeys.

Perry Leake has taken away all his assay outfit to Albert Canyon where he will be pleased to receive samples.

Joe Adams, lately of Kaslo, but more recently of the Sunset mine, Rossland, was in Revelstoke yesterday to meet a party of stockholders coming from the east. They arrived on No. 1 and proceeded down river. In the party were William McKenzie, president of the Toronto and Manchester Street Railway companies; Dr. Wilson, J. C. and Andrew Drewery, all of Toronto.

The *Inland Sentinel* posters advertising the Kamloops Agricultural Exhibition are deserving of notice.

Perfect fits, latest styles in those new ladies mantles at Coursier's. *

Mrs. Coursier says the Kindergarten building is all paid for and it starts on a self supporting basis.

Rossland is kicking for a court house and it is pointed out there that one is being put up at Revelstoke.

Gold Commissioner Graham and Constable Page left yesterday morning for Trout Lake to be away a day or so.

Taylor's bungalow is rising rapidly. It will be very nicely located and there will be a magnificent view from it.

J. K. McInnis, of the Regina *Standard*, made this office a pleasant call Thursday on his way home from a Kootenay trip.

John Boyd and Tom Bain left Monday morning for Flat Creek where they hit the trail and do the annual work on the Dunvegan.

The Johnson-Smiley concert at the Methodist church, October 5th. Keep your money for a good show. *

Mortimer Lamb, formerly editor of the Boundary Creek *Times*, succeeds Alex. Begg as editor of the *B.C. Mining Review.*

It is said that W. H. Vickers will occupy the position of recorder at Trout Lake City while the present recorder is away east.

John Whalen was on Monday fined $50 and costs or three months jug for hitting C. P. R. Detective Jones on the nose.

The Enterprise Brewery has now started in to bottle its famous beer and the public can keep supplied in what quantities desired. See the brewery manager.

Why send away for garden produce. Patronize home industry by going to R. Tapping's market gardens. There you can get your produce fresh, and good value for your money. o

B. A. Welbon will give a lecture on Theosophy and The Septenary Constitution of Man at Peterson's Hall on Saturday, September 18, 8 p.m. Seats free. Ladies especially invited. *

W. Cowan says he will next year have things so that a man may sit in his office in the Cowan Block and communicate with Trout Lake City, Ferguson and Comaplix by telephone.

Frank Vandall returned Tuesday from Shuswap. He says the annual race meeting of the Okanagan and Shuswap tribes came off while he was there and it was very interesting.

Please don't forget we keep the largest and best assorted stock of pure Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines and Toilet Articles in town. The McDowell, Atkins, Watson Co., the Druggists. o

Word was received Wednesday from Mrs. McRae that "Sandy" was improving greatly, that the fever had left him entirely and if he continues to improve that he will be around in a few days. All Sandy's friends will be glad to hear of his recovery.

The new post office building erected by Bourne Bros. was opened this week. It is a great improvement on the old order of things and is appreciated at the station. At the back of the office is the firm's counting room.

Messrs. Clute and Gill inspectors of Customs and Inland Revenue were here Wednesday and were making examinations of local agencies. The Inland Revenue office it is peculiar to state is held by the gold commissioner who has already got more jobs than he can tackle.

The Johnson-Smiley combination concert at the Methodist church on October 5th is one of the things that cannot be missed without losing a treat. Miss Johnson is a genius and so is Smiley and they have received praise wherever they appeared. Get your seats at Griffiths Drug store.

The wife and family of our esteemed townsman T. J. Graham arrived from the east on Monday. They are residing in Mr. Graham's house (opposite the Catholic church) which he has recently been fixing up most comfortably.

Supt. H. Beasley, of Nelson, formerly of Donald, is in charge of this division till the return of Supt. Duchesday who has been sent out to locate a railroad to the Klondyke at this time of year, as a mark of the confidence reposed in him by the railway executive.

I. T. Brewster and W. Phipps came down from Carnes Creek Thursday. Mr. Brewster says he brought as far as the mouth of the creek a splendid chunk of ore for the Spokane exhibition. It weighs 60 or 70 pounds and is clear ore from the shaft.

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THE people of Revelstoke have suffered long and patiently the loss of valuable realty by the slipping of the river bank, but all their protests to the government have been vain. Time and time again the MAIL has brought the matter before ministers personally and to the notice of their journalistic parasites; but though they thought something should be done, that it was a serious matter, and that where there's a will there's a way, nothing at all has resulted. It is time for the people of this town to move. They should not let political motives, and we believe there are some political motives behind this neglect, stand in the way of their protection; but, independent of all politics, unite in denouncing the neglect and demanding protection.

G. R. MAXWELL, M. P., thinks the next Provincial election should not be fought on party lines; that the present opposition platform and policy is not representative; and that the "way out" is a convention of all in opposition to the present government to be held at Revelstoke or Kamloops. Mr. Maxwell is right. The present opposition took it upon themselves to make a platform without consulting their supporters and are not representative nor in full confidence of the people. It is a question, too, whether party lines or not are advisable, and the only solution of efficient and organized opposition is by convention, at which the people of this province shall determine how they will oust the Turnerites for themselves. Revelstoke, we hold, is a central and most appropriate place at which to hold this convention and we hope the callers (some person or persons will have to take the initiative) will decide to hold this historical meeting in our midst.

IT is expected, if reports are as bad as stated, that there may be a famine in Ireland this winter. If it is so, though the conditions are greatly altered since previous famines, this country which did so much for India will not forget their brethren in the green Isle. One thing that accentuates the probability of distress in Ireland is the high price of wheat. While the crops in other countries have been short, in this they have been full measure, of splendid quality and high prices.

THE Victoria *Times* points out that the sum voted for the Board of Health was $5,000 and says that it is quite probable the salaries and the expenses of these officials (Dr. Duncan and Mr. Wodley) will absorb the entire sum. This adds point to our remarks of last week; the money all gone and nothing done to establish their sanitary rules.

WILL the coast papers, which gave such lurid accounts of the Klondyke riches and said very little of its great hardships, be able to conscientiously say, when they hear of starvation and misery at Dawson City and other northern points, that they did nothing at all to promote it.

To Meet at Revelstoke.

The Maxwell party have been heard from at Nelson. Mr. Maxwell said in an interview: "I am strongly opposed to drawing political party lines in provincial matters and do not think it wise either in the interests of the province or the opposition to split up into party factions. I am strongly in favor of having a convention of all opposed to the present government without regard to politics and am in favor of holding it at Kamloops or Revelstoke in October."

Mr. Semlin's platform, the M. P. for Burrard said, was full of glittering generalities and not up to the wants of the country. He said Mr. Higgins was an impossible leader of the opposition and characterized that gentleman's change as a matter of disappointed ambition.

Mayor Templeton spoke in much the same way saying further: "It is probable some opposition members will assume authority and call a convention of all opposed to the present government to meet at Revelstoke at some time in the immediate future and there organize a party to contest the elections with the party in power."

Surveying For a Klondyke Road.

The C. P. R. Co. have sent Mr. E. J. Duchesnay, superintendent at Revelstoke, with a party of surveyors to lay out lines for a railroad to the Klondyke. The scheme of the C.P.R. is to establish a line of steamers from Vancouver to Glenora on the Stickeen River and just over the boundary claimed by the United States and in British American territory. Thence by railway to Teslin Lake and from there by steamers and the Yukon River to the Klondyke and other points. It is claimed by many familiar with the county that this is a most practicable route and its being all within Canadian territory will save annoyance from duties, examinations, etc. Mr. Duchesnay starts right away for the north.

What Ogilvie's Experience Teaches.

In an interview, Wm. Ogilvie, surveyor for the Dominion government, who knows the Klondyke better than any other living person, says his experience teaches him that "the man who stays at home and plods on the farm, or in the shop or office, is in a vast majority of cases better off than the every-day placer gold miner."

"The Times" vs. Bank of England.

The important announcement to the effect that the directors of the Bank of England had consented to hold one-fifth of the bank's reserve in silver has caused much excitement in England and the continent.

The governor, Albert George Sandeman, when questioned refused to speak about the report but from other bank officers it is learned the announcement in the press was probably inspired by the government in order to ascertain the temper of the people before answering the U. S. monetary commission.

The *Times*, who is said to largely represent gold standard views, heads its article on this departure of the bank, "Remonstrance," and says: "Has the bank been well advised in falling in with the suggestion, pushed forward by certain Americans, that it should hold a fifth of its reserve in silver?

"Now-a-days it would be as useless for the Bank of England to keep £7,000,000 or £8,000,000 in the shape of silver reserve, as it would be for parliament to pass a law for the creation of rotten boroughs. The Bank of England ought to have said this; and it has not said this. Sir Robert Peel explained in 1844 it was well to hold silver to be in a position to enjoy the opportunity afforded us by bi-metallic France to pay our debts in cheaper metal.

"But what has this to do with the present American suggestion? The very point of it is that if our reserve is to consist permanently part of silver so it may assist in raising the price, and we may dispose of it at a profit to France and America, this is the very thing under the proposed scheme of International Bi-metallism which we could not do. Circumstances are quite different. Where Peel may have been wise, we may be exceedingly foolish, for the only dubious point in our financial system is the very occasional weakness of our gold reserve at the bank. Why should we deliberately choose to water that reserve by practically reducing it one-fifth? Sir Robert Peel's other reason was that a stock of silver might occasionally be convenient for shipment to the far east, but, since the telegraph was invented, that reason no longer exists. We can order silver from anywhere in a few seconds and as London is the principal silver mart of the whole world, we need no stock at our own bank."

The *Times*, commenting editorially on what it calls "Dramatic Surprises," says the astonishment of the public will be immeasurably greater than at the action of the India council." The editorial continues: "This revolutionary policy—for it is nothing less, which our correspondent describes applies to the stock of coin and bullion held in the issue department as security for bank notes."

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And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 30th day of July, 1897. 41-99

NOTICE

"Elizabeth Mineral Claim, situate in the Illecillewaet Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located: A northerly extension upon the Scotia mineral claim, Fish River.

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Dated this 30 day of July, 1897. 41-99

NOTICE

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Dawson's Route to the Yukon.

Discussing the routes to the Yukon, Dr. Dawson, of the Dominion geological survey, says that from measurements taken by him at the mouth of the river, which would indicate that the Hootalinqua River is of great volume, and from reports furnished by Indians, it seems more than probable that, beyond the danger of low water being encountered at certain seasons of the year, there should not be any serious hindrance to navigation, and this opinion is borne out by the published report of Mr. Hays of the United States geological survey. The latter gentleman, who went up to Teslin Lake from Taku Inlet, has furnished some valuable and reliable data upon this point, and from his statements Dr. Dawson is strongly of the opinion that the all-Canadian route, via Telegraph Creek, thence to Lake Teslin and the Hootalinqua River, may be looked upon as being not only feasible but actually preferable to any of the many which have been suggested.

Too Late In The Season.

The Canadian business houses in London say that the decline of £170,000 in British exports to Canada since the new preferential tariff has been in operation is partly due to natural causes. All agree that the preference of 12½ per cent is giving a decided impetus to trade which will be very much more marked when it becomes 25 per cent. But the new Canadian tariff, it is explained, came too late to materially affect this season's orders. Moreover, the stipulation that the goods favored must be of British origin which has just been removed, acted most injuriously, for at least half of the many lines of goods sold to Canada were of German, French and other foreign origin. For these reasons the Canadian trade shared the decline in British exports to all countries, which decreased 7½ per cent in August and 2 per cent in the eight months.

Gompers on the Hazelton Shooting.

Nineteen of the striking miners have succumbed to the bullet wounds of the deputy sheriffs at Hazelton, Pennsylvania. It is said that some of the dead were brutally treated.

President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, denounces the killing of the men. He says the men were walking on the public highway where they had as much rights as the sheriff or president. It may be true that these men were not native Americans, but they were brought here by the greed and cunning of the mine operators and so long as they submitted to being starved no word as to their foreign birth was heard, but now this cry of foreigner is raised to obscure the crime. The miners will win; they deserve to win.

Increasing Consumption of Copper.

It is gratifying to note the rapid increase in the use of copper in foreign lands. The copper trade in Germany especially is advancing into a permanent and healthy demand for the metal. For the first seven months of the present year England and France alone consumed 174,074,880 pounds. With Germany added the consumption is placed at 250,062,880, which is only 26,785,920 pounds less than the copper production of the United States during the same period. The outlook is most cheering, for England alone will register an average copper consumption of fully 200,000,000 per annum, having increased its demand for the metal 93 per cent since 1892. It begins to look as if the American supply will soon prove inadequate to meet the demand in the near future, and if American consumption of copper had not decreased such would be the case at present.

Flexible Glass.

Money is being invested in the manufacture of a substitute for glass. Tectorium is the name of the material, and is manufactured in Germany. Bichromated gelatin is laid over both sides of a kind of web of galvanized steel or iron wire, and be made into sheets one-sixteenth of an inch thick. It is not breakable and is said to be lighter than glass. It bends easily, is a poor conductor of heat and cold, and is not difficult to repair. However, it is liable to become soft in hot weather, and is inflammable. Hornalos is much like tectorium, only more transparent and harder. Manilla paper soaked in boiled linseed oil until it is both waterproof and translucent, is used as a substitute for glass in hot houses. It comes in long rolls, is durable, requires no shading from the sun, and, it is said, costs about one-hundredth as much as glass. Some time malleable glass will be invented and then even those who throw stones can live in glass houses.

The World's Wheat Crop.

The world's wheat crop for this year is short. The crop for this continent, however, is much above the average. It is computed that the crop in North America for 1897 is about 100,000,000 bushels greater than for 1896. This means that perhaps for the first time in history the American wheat crop will play a big part in fixing the price. There is another consideration too that should give some encouragement to the American wheat grower. For some years he has been having a hard time of it. While about his only market was England, he had to meet there a tremendous new competition from Russia, Argentina, Northern India, and elsewhere. Asiatic countries were not his customers at all. Things are now changing. Both China and Japan are beginning to buy wheat flour from America. It is estimated that last year (July 96 to June 97) flour equivalent to 4,500,000 bushels of wheat was purchased by those countries from this continent, and this trade is just in its beginning. The taste for good bread, when once it has been formed, is one that never dies out. China and Japan will be as good customers as England for American flour before a quarter of a century has elapsed.—*Farming.*

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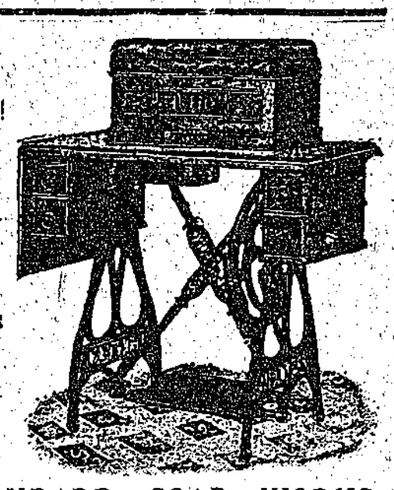

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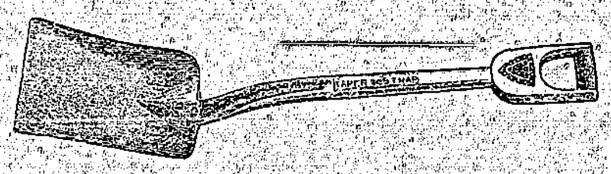

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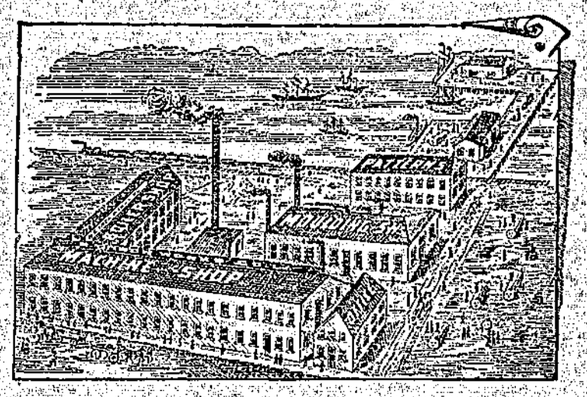

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