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Of Local Interest

Dr. Mathison, dentist, Naden-Flood block.

Remember the K. of P. ball next Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Mathison spent Christmas in Grand Forks.

Ticket 182 won the large doll and carriage at McRae Bros.

Ore is being taken out of the 300 and 400 levels at the Providence.

Neil Morrisson and George M. Barrett, of Eholt, spent Christmas in the city.

Mrs. Dr. Spankie returned the past week from a three months' visit in New York.

Wanted—By respectable young lady. Position as up stairs girl. Apply at this office.

Conservatives of the district will meet at the Imperial hotel this (Friday) evening.

Harry Simmons, who is a student at the Vancouver high school, is home for vacation.

A. T. Larsen, superintendent of the Le Roi, Rossland, was in the city for a few days this week

G. McD Hunter, principal of the Ladysmith public schools, is spending the holidays with his family here.

Owing to the holiday rush of business THE LEDGE is published Friday instead of Thursday this week.

One furnace is kept running at the smelter. This is handling all the ore that is being taken out at present.

There was a large attendance at the Christmas tree entertainment in the Methodist church Tuesday evening.

John McKenzie and family of Rock Creek were in the city Christmas, the guests of Mrs. and Miss McKenzie.

Who is your candidate? Is he honest? Will his past lead you to suppose that his legislative career will be straight?

W. H. Rambo, one of the owners of the Rambler mine on Wallace mountain, is spending the holidays in the city.

W. G. Gaunce, editor of the Boundary Creek Times, is spending the holidays in Seattle and other coast cities.

Misses McMynn, Shaw and McCreath, who have been attending All Hallows school at Yale, are home for the holidays.

F. G. Slocum of Northport, Wash., was in the city this week. He has a deal on for the Little Bertha on the North Fork.

For sale—Six octave piano case organ, almost as good as new, walnut case. Terms to suit. Apply Mrs. V. Dynes, Gold St.

The city cells furnished accommodation for five occupants Christmas eve. A cold water diet in the morning evened things up.

Geo. E. Day, D. D. G. M., held a joint installation of the officers of Greenwood and Phoenix Masonic lodges in Phoenix, last evening.

McRae Bros. are making a special reduction in dolls and fancy goods for the next ten days. All stock in these lines will be sold at cost.

T. J. Hardy of Midway, spent Christmas in the city, and as he is an enthusiastic curler the greater part of the afternoon was spent at the rink.

The Christmas tree of the Odd Fellows was well attended Friday evening in Eagles' hall, and all the little and big ones enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

Both the Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias will install officers next week, the former Tuesday and the latter Wednesday evening.

When shaking hands with an acquaintance these days do not be too enthusiastic. He may develop into a candidate for municipal or legislative honors, or graft.

W. B. Fleming returned Saturday last. Mr. Fleming had gone for a trip to Okanagan and coast points a couple weeks ago, but was recalled by a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Fleming.

For rosy cheeks and good appetite, try the skating rink.

The "Blue Label Double Countered Fuse" is the only kind on market that will not stiffen up in cold weather. Its manufacturers have had seventy years experience.

Elmore Collier of Beaverdell, is in the city.

M. Hays came down from Canyon creek this week, and says that a large amount of timber is being taken out.

The new system of the Telephone company is nearing completion, and in a month or six weeks will be in running order. It is said to be the most up to date system in the interior.

A meeting of the Greenwood Liberal association will be held in the committee rooms, in the old Times office, Rendall block, Friday evening, December 28, at 8 o'clock.

A special number of the B. C. Gazette, dated Dec. 24, announces the dissolution of the legislature and naming January 19 as the day of nomination, with the writs returnable before March 2nd.

Mariage licenses were issued at the government office, Dec. 20, to Charles Herbert Tye, of Anaconda and Sarah Brood Elson of Victoria, and on Dec. 24 to Vivian Mackenzie Sherbino and Angelene La Bell, both of Phoenix.

Miss. McQuinn, who has had charge of the telegraph and express order business of the C. P. R. for the past two years, resigned this week, and the announcement is made that she will become the bride of Mr. J. J. Feeney in February.

It is reported that P. J. Dermody, superintendent of the Providence, will sever his connection with that mine January 1. It is also said that Mr. Morkill will have charge of the business end and John Augrignon of the practical mining.

The band played on Copper St. the greater part of Christmas afternoon. Nearly all the members were out and the new instruments made a great improvement in the music furnished. The boys now have the best set of instruments in the interior, costing about $1500.

The editor received a very nice present of antique stoneware Christmas from a local hotel man. Whether the present is a job or not, the present cold snap will determine. If it is water the jar will burst. If it is Dewar's Special the jar won't burst, but something else will. So the friendship of years hinges in the effect of zero weather on the contents of a stone jar.

Wedding Bells

Two popular young people of Midway and Greenwood were the principals in an interesting ceremony Saturday evening, when Rev. Leach-Porter of Greenwood, united in the bonds of holy matrimony, Howard R. Stevenson, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson, of Lytton, B. C., and Miss Winnifred A. Courtney, daughter of Mrs. J. Haverty, of Greenwood. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Mrs. A. J. Broomfield, Midway, which was tastefully decorated with evergreens. The bride, who was attired in a light grey tweed, was attended by Miss McCreath, of Greenwood, the groom being supported by Ken Hankinson of Midway. After the ceremony the bridal party to the number of ten, intimate friends of the contracting parties, sat down to an inviting repast. Following the supper a reception was held when the bride and groom underwent the usual gauntlet of congratulations.

Naturally, two young people so widely and favorably known were the recipients of many handsome and costly gifts. The groom is especially well known in railroad circles, having filled the position of C. P. R. agent at Midway for the past two years as well as at other points in the Boundary. The following is a partial list of the presents: Silver butter dish, Ken, Hankinson; silver bake dish, Logan Bros.; silver set dessert knives, forks and spoons, Mr. and Mrs. Broomfield; silver dessert knives, and china dessert dishes, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stevens; cheque, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson; cheque, C. M. Crouse; cheque, J. C. McLean; table lamp and berry dish, Mrs. S. A. Crowell; silver berry spoon, Miss Nellie McCreath; table linen, Mrs. McCreath; china jelly bowls, Mrs. Mohr; china biscuit jar, Mrs. Melville; two pastel pictures, E. Foyle Smith; table linen, Mrs. Haverty; cheque, A. C. Mesker.

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Purely Political.

Hon. R. F. Green has resigned from the McBride government, and it is announced that the elections will be held early in February. Different reasons are given for the resignation of the commissioner of lands and works. Whatever the cause, it must be admitted that Bob Green was one of the strong men of the McBride government.

In Greenwood riding the political pot is boiling. Both Conservative and Liberal associations will hold meetings for organization purposes Friday evening, and Saturday evening the Liberals will hold their nominating convention.

It is said there are many aspirants in both Conservative and and Liberal parties. Among those spoken of among the former are G. A. Rendell, E. G. Warren, J. R. Jackson, T. J. Hardy, Dr. Spankie and Duncan McIntosh, and the Liberal nominee will be chosen from Mayor Naden, Dr. Mathison, Dr. Simmons, Kenneth McKenzie or C. Scott Galloway. It is said the Socialist candidate will be Edgar W. Dynes.

Any one of the gentlemen named will be able to represent the district as it has been heretofore without being in danger of an attack of brain fever.

The contest will be much closer than three years ago. The Conservative candidate will poll a larger vote than at last election, and it is said both Liberal and Socialists will also poll larger votes. This is not probable, as J. R. Brown was elected by Conservatives who were opposed to Socialism, and the Socialists are not as strong in the district as three years ago. While a Unionist candidate would win with hands down, a Socialist will have difficulty in carrying the riding.

Whoever the candidates selected from the names mentioned a clean fight may be expected, as none of them are enormously wealthy, or naturally vicious in temperament. So far as the candidates personally are concerned, the financial outlook for papers in the district is none too encouraging.

There is very little doubt but that the McBride government will be returned with a larger majority in the house than now. Among the seats that the Liberals may count on losing in the interior are Rossland, Cranbrook, Greenwood and possibly Columbia. If Bob Green drops out of politics the Conservatives may lose in Kaslo, Although Mayor McCann, the probable Conservative candidate is considered a very strong man and a clever campaigner. In Slocan it is not likely that a Labor candidate will again be elected. In Ymir it is said the present member could not win and it is probable that Jas. H. Schofield will get the nomination and be elected. In Similkameen Smith Curtis is spoken of as the Liberal opponent of the sitting member, Mr. Shatford. There have been so many changes and such a large increase in population in the Okanagan district, that it would be impossible for even the candidates to form an estimate of the result. Kamloops is a close constituency and either may win by a few votes. A change may be expected in both Victoria and Vancouver. The former is always with the government and the latter can be depended upon to do anything but what is expected.

Nelson

The merchants have had the best holiday trade in the history of the city.

The Hotel Strathcona had the finest dinner in the city on Xmas. Colonel Tomkins has thoroughly learned the art of pleasing those who are fond of a good meal.

Municipal elections are causing no stir. Many citizens are desirous of having Gillette fill a second term as mayor.

It is the opinion of both the political parties that Dr. Hall will win in Nelson at the approaching provincial election.

Dr. Hartin is leaving Kaslo where he will turn over his practice to Dr. Coffin. He will locate in Nelson and form a partnership with Drs. Hall and Rose.

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In the Slocan

Jas. A. McFarlane is here to take advantage of the assay field in and around Kaslo. He is a man of good experience, and until recently was assayer for the Canadian Metal Co. His office, which will soon be ready, is at the sampler.

C. J. Quinan, of Sandon was in the city last Friday completing arrangements for opening a drug store here. He has secured the vacant premises adjoining Gribble's barber shop and expects to be ready for business about New Years.

Major Vanmoerkirk, owner of the rich Empress group of claims near Bear Lake, was in the city on Tuesday. While here he purchased eight turkeys from Latham & Reuter, evidently intending to hold an old boys re-union at Bear Lake on Christmas day.

A twelve ton shipment of ore is being packed down from the Monte Cristo, near Whitewater. Geo. H. Murhard, one of the lessees informs us that they have cut through the hanging wall, drifted over 40 feet on the ledge and have not yet struck the footwall. Over 200 feet of tunneling and drifting have been driven on the Monte Cristo by the lessees the past season, the ore struck being mostly of a concentrating variety.

Nelsonites are kicking up a big fuss over the large Victoria copper claims recently bought near Beasley Siding. Kaslo has just as big a copper proposition on the True Blue mountain close to town, but very little has been said about it heretofore on account of the low price of the bronze metal. The ore on the True Blue assays from 3 to 16 per cent copper, is easy of access and not far from the railroad. The present high price of copper is stimulating the search for ore supply.

Louis Pratt, manager of the Last Chance, was in town yesterday on his way to Nelson and Trail. He has 100 tons of ore at the sampler here, but on account of the surplus stock of ore on hand at the local smelter, is experiencing difficulty in getting a buyer for it. Both the Nelson and Trail plants refuse to take silver-lead ores of any kind at present, but Mr. Pratt is going to see the management personally. Should they decide to take his tonnage, well and good, if not, he will be compelled to shut the mine down, and should the latter course become imperative it means a cessation of work till next May. Mr. Pratt reports the old Chance looking well, in fact better than at any time during the past five years.

W. E. Zwicky, manager of the Rambler, Krao and American Boy mines, was up to Sandon for several days this week. His mission there was to inspect the workings of the Slocan Star mine in dispute over the extra-lateral rights claimed in the Rabbit Paw apex case, and commence the extension of work recently ordered by the Full Court. He has put several men to work under the foremanship of W. G. Clark, of Sandon, a competent experienced miner and one of the recent purchasers of the McAllister group. The superintendence and foremanship are in very capable hands, and the work ordered will be pushed vigorously ahead so as to be completed within the specified time.—Kaslo Kootenain.

County Court

Following are the cases disposed by His Honor Judge Clement, at the sitting of the county court held here last week:

McPherson v. Hosier. Action to recover balance claimed. Dismissed with costs. J. R. Brown for plaintiff, and C. J. Leggatt for defendant.

Pickiljou v. Albi. Action for $75, value of trunk and contents left in defendant's hotel. Judgment for $60 and costs. C. J. Legatt for plaintiff, and J. P. McLeod for defense.

Smith & McEwen v. Geo. H. Gray. Judgment for $50 and costs. A. M. Whiteside for plaintiffs.

Hale v. Rogers. Adjourned by consent. J. R. Brown for plaintiff, and J. P. McLeod for defense.

Easton v. Sisters' Hospital. Action to recover money taken by attendant while plaintiff was a patient in hospital. Judgment for $63.84 and costs. A. M. Whiteside for plaintiff, I. H. Hallett for defense.

Hamson v. Sisters' Hospital. Action same as previous case.

Thompson v. Thompson. Action for 505 30 wages. Dismissed with costs. C. J. Legatt for plaintiff, J. R. Brown for defense.

McIntyre v. Caulfield. To recover $495 value of team while being driven by defendants. Judgment for $300 and costs. J. R. Brown for plaintiff, A. M. Whiteside for defense.

Williams v. Dominion Copper Co. To recover $942.85 balance of account. Adjourned.

The following were made British subjects: B. J. Ingram, C. L. Johnson, A. Madge, J. C. Madge, Edward Milrod, Frank Ruzik and Alex W. Smith.

December School Report

DIVISION I—J. L. WATSON

Pupils actually attending	31
Average daily attendance	27.73
Percentage	89.45
Average daily attendance for December, 1905	26.69

Pupils attending every session: Willie Bryant, Kate Bernard, Olive Bunting, Jim Galloway, Grace Holmes, Theodore Hunter, Fred Jaynes, Roddie McCutcheon, Willie White, Shirley Yuill.

Pupils attending every session during the fall term: Kate Bernard, Jim Galloway, Grace Holmes, Willie White.

DIVISION II—C. M. MARTIN

Pupils actually attending	42
Average daily attendance	40.47
Percentage	96 35
Average daily attendance for December, 1905	31.56

Pupils attending every session: Percy Archambault, Barnie Archambault, Ruth Bernard, Leo Barnett, Thelma Chambers, Jimmie Dermody, Stella Dynes, Maude Eales, George Eales, Arthur Eales, Howard Hunter, Alex. Hunter, Edward Hardy, Ellen Hardy, Esther Lawson, Roy May, Charlie McArthur, Jessie MacDonald, Anna Mackenzie, Hazel Redpath, Grace Redpath, Vera Redpath, Ward Storer, Dick Taylor, Margie Williams.

Pupils attending every session during the fall term: Ruth Bernard, Jimmie Dermody, Alex. Hunter, Edward Hardy, Ellen Hardy.

Two friends met one day after a long absence. One of them had a very ruddy complexion, and his nose was carmine. The other looked into his face and said, Ah, John, I don't— But John said he was not to judge by appearances, as he only drank one glass of beer in a day. Oh, weel, said the other,, yer face is maybe like oor gas meter. It registers mair than it consumes.

Sweet girl—Oh, here's an old photograph of Jack Bowker. Do you know, I met him the other evening, and he'd grown a ridiculous moustache. I was never so tickled in all my life.

In America a man with a title is not entitled to any extra consideration.

Home for Christmas

He is dying in a shack in a far-off Alberta town. The White Plague got him before he ever started out there, and it followed him about the plains and into the mountains and back again, and finally laid him out. But death is merciful, and that inexorable death called consumption more merciful than the rest of the shadowy pack, for whoever saw a consumptive yet that didn't believe he was going to recover.

This morning you could have read a newspaper through his poor, thin hands; his eyes were unnaturally bright, and there was a hectic flush upon his cheek.

How d'ye feel this mornin'? asked his old time friend.

Oh, a great deal better. I think I will be able to go home for Christmas.

One of the men snapped his finger towards the ceiling, another pointed to the ground—they were all silent.

Boys, he jes' natchelly can't travel all the way to old Ontario the way he is.

The drunken doctor who lost his splendid practice in the east, and who went out west to start life over again, awoke in his chair from a two weeks' batter.

He'll make the trip alright, alright, he said with a sardonic grin. He'll go home for Christmas.

Three years ago he was crowded out of the nest. His last evening in the old home country was spent with his sweetheart. He would go out west and take up land and prepare a home for her, and then he would come and claim her—would she wait? Oh, yes, she would wait. And did she wait? Hamlet's heartless snear, "Frailty, thy name is woman," only applies here and there. How many women in old Ontario are waiting, waiting, waiting?

Patience and endurance are not the daughters—they are the twin sisters—of God. What would have become of this country had it not been for these twain? The axemen and the loggers, the scythemen and the plowmen, the tail sawyers and framers would never have accomplished what they did were it not for the divine sisters. The sky above us is a splendid petticoat.

So he went away to the west full of hope, with a smile upon his lips, and on the seat beside him rested an impalpable thing which claimed him for his own. How his blood leaped when a trainhand bellowed Nort' Ba-ay! through the car door, and Ra-at Portage and Winnipeg, as they rolled over the Louise bridge and he caught a glimpse of the Red river racing northward far below.

He will come home for Christmas. He will come home in a noble train thundering east none too fast with its cargo of happy, eager hearts. The smoking car will be full, and the day coaches will be crammed and the Pullmans will be jammed. Everybody will be hail fellow well met.

Merry Christmas, will sound from one end to the other of the flying bolt of steel and wood.

Going home for Christmas!

They will swap stories, they will sing songs, they will shout "The maple leaf forever," they will sing the old gospel hymns, "There's a land that is fairer than day," and "Washed in the Blood of the Lamb."

Going home for Christmas!

They will drink out of each other's flasks, and they will venture on a colored song without precision, like an amateur on a slack rope. They will show each other certain photographs of handsome Canadian girls. One picture is stamped, Jones, photo, Peterboro; another, Smith, photo, Barrie; another, Robinson, photo, Halifax another, Beaneup, photo, Riverdu Loup; another, Luke Pleasant, photo, Hamilton; another, Kodak, photo, Bullock's Corners, and from a hundred other photo galleries all over the land. And they will say: "That's her, that's my girl. She's waited for me now four years, God bless her! I've got a home for her now."

Going home for Christmas!

But where is he? You will look for him in vain in the smoking car. He is not in the day coaches; there is no use going into the Pullmans. But when the train pulls up at North Bay, if you will go forward to the baggage car and peep in you will see a long pine box. He is inside that.

He is going home for Chrismas. —Khan in Hamilton Herald.

Has No Soul

It is recognized that neglect by the Ottawa government contributed to the loss of life through the sinking of the Resolute at Toronto. A more remarkable case of negligence and absolute inhumanity is that at East Point, P. E. I. A schooner was going down and the people were hanging to the mast. The people telegraphed to Charlotte town for a lifeboat the government would not send it unless a freight charge of $60 was paid in advance. While the government was holding out for the money, the men were drowned. The Port Hope Times gives a companion story to these. In November, 1905, the schooner Oliver Mowat was wrecked at Oshawa. An appeal was made for help for the crew. Mr. John McMahon put his boat on the train and hastened to the spot, with the result that the lives were saved. The expense was $61 which the government was asked to pay. After treating the lifesaver with discourtesy for a long time, the government finally agreed to pay, but cut the bill down by $20. It thus gave $40 for the saving of the lives of six men. Perhaps this is the economy we were promised in 1896.—Mail-Empire.

An editor fires the following at "kickers": If there was an ice cold lemonade spring in every yard; if bread grew on sunflower stalks and every blade of grass was tipped with ten dollar bills, a certain class of cranks would kick because there were no straws in the lemonade, no butter or preserves on the bread, and because the grass didn't produce twenty dollar bills on the blades.

Speaking of bad falls, remarked Jones, I fell out of a window once, and the sensation was terrible. During my transit through the air I really believe I thought of every mean act I had ever committed in my life. M'm, growled Thompson, you must have fallen an awful distance.

Husband—Do you think, my dear, that all this so called culture, these fads, these lectures, and ethical and philosophical movements of yours really do you any good?

Wife—Incalculable good! Why every day I live I appreciate more and more fully what an insignificant creature man is.

Mama—Well, Bertie, I'll forgive you this time; and its very pretty of you to write a letter saying you are sorry. Bertie—Yes, Ma, but don't tear it up, please. Mama—Why, Bertie? Bertie—Because it will do for the next time.

He—When I was small I was a most extremely intelligent child.

She—Yes. How very unfortunate that you should have grown up.

Yeast—Why is a woman's pocket like the North Pole?

Crimsonbeak—That's easy. Because the man doesn't live who ever discovered it.

In seeking a legal separation from her husband a woman testified in part as follows: "It is true my husband poses as a gardener in the vineyard of the Lord, but I pick the potato bugs and do all the hoeing in our garden.

Two French investigators have published a book in which they declare that love is a poison, while others state that its a bacterial disease—antidotes and antitoxins haven't yet been discovered.

A girl will encourage her young man to stay out late during courtship and then kicks because he keeps it up after marriage.

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GREENWOOD, B. C., DEC. 27, 1906.

WORRY is the disease of the age.

THE demand for resolutions is very brisk.

THE way to Greenwood is paved with good intentions.

MANY a man is over a barrel today from the effects of too much plum pudding.

IT was an Italian genius who said that he who knows the road can go at full trot.

THE juvenile delusion, Santa Claus has left the country on a twelve months visit to the north.

MRS. OSLER celebrated her 100th birthday a few days ago. This is 40 years too much according to the theory of her eminent son, Dr. Osler.

IN twenty years the United States will have no timber to cut. This makes the forests of Canada doubly valuable and they should be protected as far as possible.

JUST two days after Christmas and we still have half a turkey, one plum pudding and four bottles of whiskey on hand. This is an evidence of great economical ability.

A WRITER in an American magazine speaking about an Indian village in British Columbia said that it contained 700 natives, 60 missionaries and 30 respectable people. Judging from what a correspondent at Fort George writes us the government should investigate the brutal manner in which some of the missionaries treat the natives in that section.

THESE are trying days in France for the Roman Catholics. They should come to Canada where a kind government will give them almost every liberty. While in France a government of free-thinkers is driving the Roman Catholic church to dire distress here in Canada the situation is just the reverse. Under the protectecting care of the Laurier government freethinkers are hounded and persecuted. As far as possible freethought literature that adversely criticises the Roman Catholic church is denied the use of the mails, and Canada is the only country in the world that refuses certain Canadian and American freethought journals the use of its mails. As religion is very dear to those who have faith in it the Roman Catholics of France should come to Canada, and the freethinkers of this Liberal Dominion should emigrate to France. This procedure might settle the cathop to the satisfaction of all concerned.

A Brave Sermon

Once in a while a parson will get brave and preach a noble sermon. Here is one by the Rev. Allan Hudson that will appeal to those whose hearts are not cold:

"Human rights are not so much a matter of law as they are of nature. They are God given. When rights cannot be secured by reason and arbitration, then the strike is a rigorous necessity. It has recently been stated by an eminent publicist that a strike is morally wrong. When greed and monopoly refuse to recognize the simple rights of the worker, then the strike is not only necessary, but it is the poor man's God given right. Will any man say that the strikes that redeemed children from a 15 hour day in the factories were wrong? Will he say that the strikes that have transformed the lives of millwomen from slaves to that of human beings were wrong? Strikes have brought about temporary distress, but they have done much to better the condition of the toiler. They have made the factories healthier, they have transformed the worker from a serf to a man, they have made it possible for a child to study instead of slave.

We were told a few months ago by an eminent educator that the strike breaker is a hero. I believe on the other hand, that the man who has no sympathy for the needs and rights of others and cares only for himself and betrays their cause is not a hero, but a traitor. He well deserves the expressive name 'scab.'

Why has the world for nineteen hundred years execrated the name of Judas? Because he had no sympathy, because like the strike breaker he betrayed his friend. Why has Benedict Arnold gone down into history covered with dishonor? Because in the hour of his country's need he betrayed their cause and thought only of his own selfish interest.

In the face of these facts we are re told that the man who betrays the cause of his industrial fellow men is a hero; if so, then Judas was a hero and Jesus was wrong in calling him a son of perdition.

If so, Benedict Arnold was a hero, and the Americans should build a monument to his memory. Yes, you have a right to be a strike breaker, but if your fellow man is seeking justly to better his condition—seeking to increase his humble wage—to clothe, educate and make a little home for his children, he is a mean, selfish traitor who would betray his cause. He is fit to lock hands with Benedict Arnold and Judas Iscariot."

TALLOWGRAPHIC NUSE

BY OUR LEASED LIER.

ENGLAND, Dec. 27.—King Edward had two drinks on Christmas.

OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—Bill Galliher will make a plank for his platform out of the tariff on lumber.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 27.—Owing to the high price of logs board will be raised in this city next month.

THREE FORKS, Dec. 27.—The rush to this camp is immense. Hughie is giving free drinks with his daily turkey dinner.

Trout Lake, Dec. 27.—The boom is on in dead earnest, and the prices of real estate are butting into the stars.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Roosevelt is still looking for his dog. When lost it was very fat and perfectly sober.

VICTORIA, Dec. 27.—A prize is to be offered to the editor who will guess the day that the elections will take place. It is expected that the Nelson News will win it.

Outlook for Coper

Many of the New York brokers declared that this phenomenal rise was due to the speculation in the London market, the home market, they said, simply reflected the action taken by brokers abroad. In confirmation of this theory they pointed to the fact that there had been sold in the London market 300 shares of spot copper yesterday compared with 150 shares on Friday, and 300 shares of futures, compared with 500 shares Friday, the last day of quotations. This makes almost double the shares sold on the previous market day.

More conservative dealers declare there is no speculation in the metal; that the enormous rise is due simply to the condition of the supply. They point to the fact, which all statistics show, that there has been only 5 per cent increase in the production of the metal in the United States during the past year and 20 per cent increase in the consumption. This, of course, means that there must have been an immense importation from abroad.

The production of copper during the present year, based on the amount put out the first 11 months and on the estimate of the present month, will reach nearly 1,000,000,000 pounds. The most conservative estimates point to a production of 965,000,000 pounds for the year.

This is but about 5 per cent more than was put out last year. The consumption, on the other hand, estimated by conservatives, would reach 1,200,000,000 pounds.

Though some brokers declare that speculation is the cause of this rise, others point to the statistics of the year to show that the advance is due to the increase in the intrinsic value of the metal itself. They point out that copper has been used recently in place of many other metals. Not only this increase in the use of the metal has taken place, say the conservative copper dealers, but the mines have been unable to produce an increase from last year commensurate with the natural growth of population, which means the natural increase in demand.

How high the price will go there is no telling. It is assuredly a fact that the mines cannot produce a much greater percentage than they are now putting out. During next year they may go 5 per cent, the increase of the present year, or even ten per cent higher (which is hardly conceded by conservatives), while the consumption will undoubtedly advance more than the present year, which, according to brokers, is from 50 to 35 per cent.

This would uphold the statement of all brokers that copper cannot possibly show any falling off in price, and tend to uphold even the statements of the less conservative crowd that it must go still higher. Even the extreme estimates of an advance of more than 800 a ton before the winter is over seem reasonable.

Where the prices will stop no one can predict. Unless there is a panic or quietus put on building operations and other work in which copper is used, it seems inevitable that the price will continue to climb.—New York Commercial.

Mr. Dooley on Christmas Spirit.

Chris'mas comes but wanst a year, an' they ain't any other time like it. All th' rest iv th' year, fish dates an' feast days, holy days and unholy days, all th' wurruld is in a clinch. A grau' rasslin' match is goin' on in ivry corner iv the civylzed wurruld. We're all in a tangle, fightin', quarrelin', robbin', plundhrin', or murdhrin', accordin' to our tastes. I thrust no man. No, I won't go that far. I'll say I pretind ivry man honest, and I believe more iv thim ar-re. In that way I kepe my friends an' save me money. Nobody thrusts me. Down th' stairs, through th' kitchen, an' into th' parlor we go, all over th' house, sthrikin' high or low, no holds barred, no blows foul. Its what Hogan calls th' sthruggle f'r existence, an' it'll always go on while there's a dollar in the wurruld, a woman, or a ribbon to wear in our coats. We've f'rgotten ivrything else but pounin' th' man undher us, or keepin th' man on top iv us, whin suddenly we hear a voice: Gintlemen, gintlemen, not before th' childher. An' we get up an' brush th' dust off our clothes an' shake hands, pretindin, it was all fun. Th' kids have come in.

That's what Chris'mas is f'r, Hinnissy. But f'r that one twinty-four hours, whin there's a white flag up, an' th' worst inimy I have, or th' worst frind, cud come within stones throw iv me without fear, we'd die iv exhaustion.

The Most Forbidden Animal

The strange spiderlike creature known as the octopus or devil fish comes of ancient lineage. Its family tree includes shelled animals which held sway in the Silurian sea millions of years ago.

The late Professor Newbury, of Columbia university, referred to a certain Orthosceros titan which may have weighed a ton—a torpedo shaped creature with a shell 20 feet in length, which doubtless played havoc among the denizens of the abysmal regions of ancient seas, says Charles Frederick Holder.

Again, there were others with nautilus-like shells, as large as a cartwheel; and the most forbidding living animal today, the one shrouded by the greatest mystery, is the giant squid, a cousin of the octopus, which lives in deep water, only occasionally being found, as one was recently, off the southern Californian coast, floating, a great white mass, so bulky that the boatmen who saw it told me that not only could he not take it aboard, but it was so huge that he could not tow it in.

The arms of this specimen he described as being as large as a man's leg, and doubtless this tentacled devil fish attains a length of 100 hundred feet and a weight of several tons.

A number of large devil fishes have been taken near Tacoma, and when spread upon the grass are seen to be formidable creatures, with their enormous button-like suckers, which, combined, constitute a power to drown men in the open water. Monterey has produced a number of large specimens which would terrify strollers along the weed covered rocks at low tide.

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Transfer of Liquor License.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next sitting of the License Commissioners for the City of Greenwood, I intend to apply for a transfer to Oscar Johnson and Swan J. Carlson of the license held by me for the Victoria Hotel, situated on Lot 21, Block 12, Map 21, City of Greenwood. C. SCOTT GALLOWAY.
Greenwood, B. C. Dec. 5, 1906.

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Is under the management of Greig & Morrison. The rooms are comfortably furnished, and the bar contains the best brands of wines, liquors and cigars in the city.

The Pacific Cafe

is conducted by Moore & McElroy. It is open day and night. The dining room is one of the largest in the Boundary, and the lunch counter is just the place to get a quick meal. Copper street, Greenwood.

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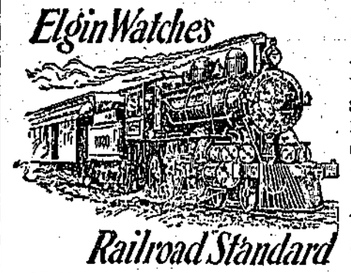

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JAS. MARSHALL, Prop.

Some Good Float

HERETICS LASHED

Bishop Potter in his annual address to the Diocesan Convention of the Protestant Episcopal church in New York made a thinly veiled attack upon the Rev. Dr. Crapsey in denouncing ministers who hold heretical views and yet enjoy the honors of the organization to which they still belong.

His references were received by applause which continued for several minutes. After the speech Francis Lynde Stetson said the Bishop by his utterances had more than ever endeared himself to the diocese. Many of the members of the convention are opposed to Dr. Crapsey, although he is under the jurisdiction of the See of Western New York.

The synod hall, on the grounds of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, where the convention was held, was thronged with ministers and lay delegates. The Bishop delivered his address after the opening services in the crypt of the Cathedral.

There is, he said in conclusion, one word which it is proper that I should say before closing, as it bears on a subject of supreme importance much in the minds of men and, as one aspect of of it, to which I need not more particularly refer, is pre-eminently in the minds of churchmen today, I may not hesitate to say it.

The Bishop added that in a pastoral letter addressed by the House of Bishops in 1904, there is a sentence which reads:—"If one finds whatever his place and office in the church, that he lost his hold upon her fundamental verities, then in the name of common honesty let him be silent or withdraw." He mentioned the case of a venerable bishop who actually did absent himself for several years, which he spent in meditation, and eventually returned to the church.

But if these doubts are not resolved by such a process, continued the Bishop, then as it appears to me the alternative becomes beliefs which are, so to speak in suspense, and others concerning which various opinions may be held and have obtained in all ages of the church. But when these have been enumerated, there still remain others, fundamental and universal. They touch the foundations of faith and they are held alike throughout all Christendom.

We may, if we choose, stretch that last word until it shall include societies which call themselves Christian and yet reject the doctrine of the divinity of Christ or that of his miraculous birth; but with every allowance for these the fact that I have affirmed is one, and that faith of Christendom which is affirmed in the Apostles' and the Nicene creeds is no less a one.

A man in holy orders who does not hold it has no place in the ministry of his church and if it is in his office, as he may easily believe that it is, to emancipate the church from so gross a superstition, then he must do so from without and not from within.

For it is impossible in the minds of persons who hold fast to the principle of common honesty to respect either the consistency or the integrity of one who eats the church's bread, accepts the church's dignities, enjoys the church's honors and impugns the church's faith. If he must assail her beliefs then the dictates of ordinary uprightness would plainly seem to be that he must first of all withdraw from a fellowship to whose fundamental beliefs he cannot readily assent.

Bishop Potter urged the needs of the church in the lower city, and a committee on church extension was appointed which will take up the problem, not only as it is presented below Twenty-third street, but throughout the city. He also called attention to the fact that the present see house in Lafayette street is now too far removed from the "glangleonic centre of the diocese.

Much comment was caused by the plan of Bishop Coadjuter Greer to have the churches open at least one afternoon in the week for the instruction of the children, for he maintained that the present system of Sunday school is inadequate and the children are drifting away from the church. There is a movement on foot to pass a State law providing that the young may once a week go to the churches for instructions.

Samples of Choice Grain

Dear Sir:—By instruction of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a distribution will be made this season of samples of superior sorts of grain to Canadian farmers for the improvement of seed. The stock for distribution is of the very best and has been secured mainly from the excellent crops recently had at the branch Experimental farms at Indian Head, Sask., and and at Brandon, Man. The distribution will be samples of oats, spring wheat, barley, Indian corn (for ensilage only) and potatoes. The quantity of oats to be sent will be 4 pounds, and of wheat or barley 5 pounds, sufficient in each case to sow one-twentieth of an acre. The samples of Indian corn and potatoes will weigh 3 pounds each. A quantity of each of the following varieties has been secured for this distribution:—

Oats.—Banner, Wide-Awake, White Giant, Danish Island, Thousand Dollar, Improved Ligowo (white varieties) and Gold Finder (yellow).

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Barley—six rowed—Mensury, Odessa, Mansfield and Claude. Two rowed—Standwell, Invincible, Canadian Thorpe and Sidney.

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Only one sample can be sent to each applicant, hence if an individual receives a sample of oats he cannot also receive one of wheat, barley or potatoes. Lists of names from one individual or applicants for more than one sample for one household cannot be entertained. The samples will be sent free of charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to the Director of Experimental Farms, Ottawa, and may be sent in any time before the 15th of February, after which the lists will be closed, so that the samples asked for may be sent out in good time for sowing. Applicants should mention the variety they prefer, with a second sort as an alternative. Applications will be filled in the order in which they are received so long as the supply of seed lasts. Farmers are advised to apply early to avoid possible disappointment Those applying for Indian corn or potatoes will please bear in mind that the corn is not usually distributed until March, and that potatoes cannot be mailed from here until danger from frost in transit is over. No postage is required on mail matter addressed to Central Experimental Farms, Ottawa.

WM. SAUNDERS
Director Experimental Farms
Ottawa, Nov. 21st, 1906.

Some Definitions

Pessimism—Mental indigestion.

A genius—The first child.

Fame—Post mortem appreciation.

Marriage—The end of a love story.

The Unpardonable Sin—Being found out.

Ability—The explanation of your success.

Luck—The explanation of the other fellow's.

Worry—Interest paid on trouble before it falls due.

Golf—A game that begins with a golf ball and ends with a high ball.

Furious—A word expressing the pleasure a girl experiences when she is kissed.

The smart set—A group of people who, in trying to amuse themselves, merely succeed in amusing everybody else.—Harry A. Thompson.

He Wasn't Numbered

Patrick, lately over, was working in the yards of a railroad. One day he happened to be in the yard office when the force was out. The telephone bell rang excitedly for some time before Pat came to the conclusion that it ought to be answered. He approached the instrument very cautiously, and and slowly put the transmitter to his mouth, as he had seen the boss often do.

Hillo, there! he called.

Hello! answered some one at some distant place. Is this eight-six-ought-four-eight?

Aw, g'wan! Phat d'ye think O am, a box car? sarcastically replied Patrick.—Judge.

The Kootenay Belle is not smoked in the cent belt. That pleasure is reserved for those who dwell in the great west.

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NOTICE

TAKE notice that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works, for permission to purchase the following tract of land. Commencing at a post marked J. C. D southeast corner being the northeast corner of preemption Record No. 3311, thence north forty chains, thence west forty chains, thence south forty chains, thence east forty chains to place of commencement. Situate on the West Fork of Kettle river. Similkameen Division of Yale District containing one hundred and sixty acres.

Dated this 13th day of October, 1906.
JAMES C. DALE

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia. In the matter of the estate of Robert Donagin, deceased:

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 20th day of August, 1906, it was ordered by Judge Irving that A. C Sutton be administrator of all and singular the estate of Robert Donagin, late of Greenwood, B. C., deceased, intestate.

EVERY PERSON indebted to the said estate is required to make payment forthwith to the undersigned and every person having in possession effects belonging to deceased is required to notify the undersigned forthwith. Every creditor or other person having any claim upon or interest in the distribution of said estate is required before the 20th January, 1907 to send by registered letter addressed to the undersigned, his name and address and full particulars of his claim or interest and a statement of his account verified by statutory declaration and the nature of the security (if any) held by him

After the said 20th day of January, 1907, the administrator will proceed with the distribution of the estate, having regard to those claims only of which he shall then have notice.

Dated at Grand Forks, B. C., 12th December, 1906
A. C. SUTTON,
Official Administrator,
Grand Forks, B. C.

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The government of British Columbia hereby offers a reward of one thousand dollars for information leading to the arrest and conviction of one Frank Cedio alias Frank Agallo Palmblanc who on the 18th instant, at the Canada hotel, Nagena, B. C., murdered Louise Klug by means of dynamite or other explosives. Description of Frank Cedio, alias Frank Angallo Palmblanc, Italian, age about 28 years, height about 5 feet, 6 inches, weight about 150 pounds, brown hair, light brown mustache, may be clean shaven now, eyes light blue, thin face, small thin nose, slight scar on one cheek extending downward from eye to corner of mouth. When last seen wore dark gray suit with black stripes, plaid patterns, and tanned high top laced boots. Wire or otherwise report immediately any information to M. J. A. Dinsmore, provincial constable, Grand Forks. By order

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Superintendent Provincial Police

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NOTICE.

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WHEREAS Certificate of Title of Edward T. Moore, being Certificate of Title No. 2079 to the above hereditaments, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made to me for a duplicate thereof:

NOTICE is hereby given that, a duplicate Certificate of Title to the above hereditaments will be issued at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, unless in the meantime valid objection to the contrary is made to me in writing.

W. H. EDMONDS,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office, Kamloops, B. C., 6th November, 1906.

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When a woman laughs at her husband's jokes it generally indicates that she realizes the importance of keeping him good humored as that she loves him.

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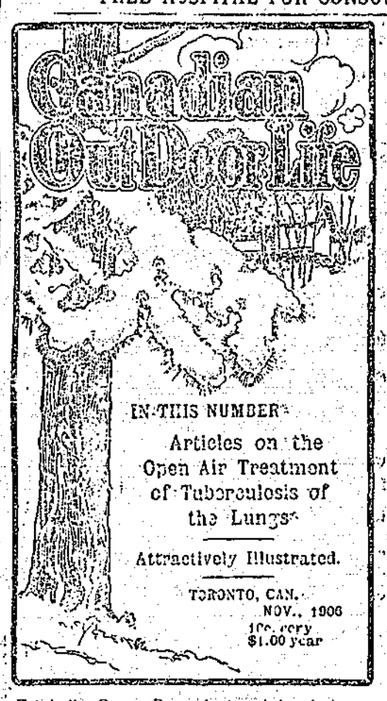

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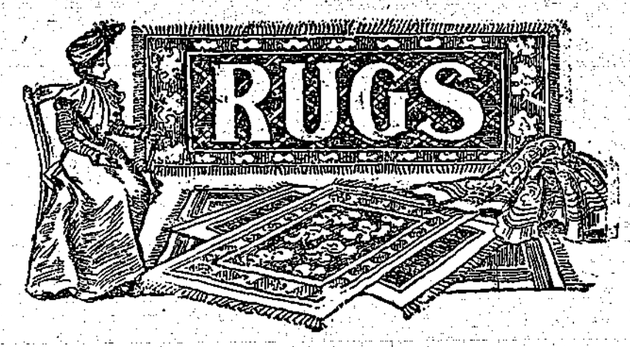

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