The Miner.

Daily Edition No 161. Nelson, British Columbia. Monday Morning, November 14, 1898. Ninth Year

FALL IS HERE,

AND it suggests the need of new and seasonable Foot covering. . . . . .

We have been planning on this all through the summer, and now show the handsomest line of Footwear ever placed on display in this city. . . . . .

Our window will give you some idea of what we are doing in this direction. We feel that our line of shoes will appeal strongly to the people of good taste who require the correct thing. . . . . .

We solicit a call and early inspection of our offering. . . . . .

LILLIE BROS.

ABERDEEN BLOCK

Jane Coombs in Bleak House and Camille.

There are plays that elevate the stage and actresses who adorn the dramatic platform with a fame that is imperishable. Among the former is Charles Dicken's dramatized "Bleak House.' Among the latter none shine with more resplendent lustre than Miss Jane Coombs whose matchless renditions of Lady Dedlock and Hortense are world renowned. This grand play will be presented here with this great actress on Nov. 16 and 17. This will be the first dramatization of Dickens presented here, with one of the most cultured and gifted interpreters of female characters on the American stage.

The friends of standard drama, our cittizens generally and every college or high school student and every young man and woman of culture should read "Bleak House' and then see Miss Janet Coombs in the wonderful creations of Lady Dedlock and Hortense supported by her magnificent company.

MACAULAY'S THEATRE.

In saying that "Camille" is the best play we have from the French, we do not recall a single exception. It is natural in its conception and interesting in its developments, while its incidents are worked up with an ability and an appreciation for dramatic power and beauty, which is sadly wanting in nearly all the new plays that find their way to the stage. It is not of the play that we desire to speak, but of Miss Coombs' impersonation of Camile. It was natural, beautiful, free from over-coloring and at times, so affecting as to move the audience to tears. It is a fault with most Camilles, to overdo the part, especially in the more emotional scenes, seeming not to appreciate the beauty and the tenderness of emotion. Miss Coombs' acting is free from such blemishes. Her more affective scenes are mellowed by a common sympathy with humanity that brings the character into life, as it were, making us experience all those emotions and sympathies which the reality of the picture would call forth.

The interview with Monsieur Duval when he appeals to her in behalf of Armand's sister, and implores her if she loves Armand to leave him, could not fail to win the sympathy of the audience. Camille loves Armand. Around him cluster her brightest hopes; with him the world is all brighness and joy; without him the reverse; but when called upon to sacrifice all to prove her love, she nerves herself for the task. The anguish such a sacrifice costs is not only portrayed in tears and trembling voice, but is pictured in her countenance.

Seldom has the Louisville stage produced anything so natural, beautiful, and affecting. What we say of this scene will apply to all the later scenes of the play. In the death-bed scene, when she walks to the glass, and seeing her emaciated face, realizes the frightful reality that death has laid its hands upon her, shutting out all hopes of life, and falls back into a chair overcome with despair, begging piteously to only live till spring—till Armand comes—there was hardly a dry eye in the audience.

"THE FATAL LETTERS"

THE BITTNER THEATRE CO.

On Saturday night the Bittner Theatre company gave their last performance in Nelson, producing "La Belle Marie" for the second time by special request. The piece had created a great deal of favorable comment the first time it was played, and the crowded house on Saturday night was a substantial proof of its popularity.

As La Belle Marie, Miss Mattie Choate repeated her hit of a week ago. Superbly gowned, she made a very beautiful appearance as the fascinating French woman, playing the part to the life. Mrs. Bittner was as charming a Grace as ever, while Miss Milly Stevens deserves special mention for her rendition of the part of Edith. Mrs. Kelly took the soubrette part of Madeline with her accustomed vivacity.

W. J. Fredericks played the part of Mr. Leighton, the old father, exceptionally well, as did W. W. Bittner, as the villain and seducer, George Leighton, and Lew Rose kept the house in convulsions by his queer antics as Stubbs, the stammering office boy and footman. J. Waldron made a very good Earl Leighton, and E. B. Kelly was amusing as ever as Byron Waupingee.

After leaving Rossland the Bittner company go to Wardner, Idaho, hoping to return here to open the new opera house which is being built by the Allen Bros. The people of Nelson are sorry they have gone, and the company are sure of a hearty welcome when they return.

M'PHERSON'S DISAPPEARANCE

No trace of the missing man W. B. MacPherson, whose strange disappearance was reported in The Miner of last Thursday morning has as yet been found, although diligent search is being made by his brother G. B. Macpherson and other friends. The missing man is 26 years of age, five feet eight inches tall, dark complexion, slight mustache and brown eyes. Any information concerning his whereabouts should be sent to the Canadian Pacific offices at Nelson.

Meteorological Report.

Observations taken by A. H. Holdich.)

DATE	DAY	HIGHEST	LOWEST	SNOW FALL	BAROMETER
Nov 7	Monday	39.0	28.0	0.00	28.00
Nov 8	Tuesday	39.0	25.0	0.00	28.20
Nov 9	Wed'day	39.0	25.0	1.00	28.20
Nov 10	Thursday	36.0	27.0	0.00	28 20
Nov 11	Friday	35.0	25.0	0.00	28.25
Nov 12	Saturday	37.0	30.0	0.00	28.30
Nov 13	Sunday	36.0	28.0	0.00	28.35

THE GERMAN PRINCES WOULD NOT YIELD

Emperor William and the Protestants.

HIS PLAN MISCARRIED

Obstacles Thrown in the Way of His Becoming the Head of the United Church in Germany.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—It has now become known that Emperor William, among other objects in view, desired to utilize his trip to Jerusalem to reunite German Protestantism, now split into a score of factions, and establish his office of summus episcopis, now held merely over the evangelical church of Prussia, over the whole of Protestant Germany. Before starting for Palestine, the Emperor thoroughly discussed the idea with the highest dignitaries of the Prussian church, Dr. Von Barhausen, Dr. Ysander, and others, and also approached the church authorities of the other German states. The emperor firmly believed he could realize his plan, but nevertheless, the project utterly miscarried. The grand Duke of Baden replied to the emperor that existing circumstances made it impossible for the other Protestant princes of Germany to yield to the emperor's wishes. This abortive idea of his majesty, it appears, was responsible for the fact that none of the reigning German princes was willing to accompany him to Palestine, although they so far yielded as to send in behalf of each of them, an authorized representative of the state church.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

Coming Musical Attractions—The Bittner Theatre Company—Two Others Companies are Coming.

At the request of many local lovers of music, Mr. Bernhard Walther, assisted by Madame Walther, has consented to give a recital on Saturday, November 26, and Mr. W. F. Brougham has arranged to lend him his house for that purpose. Mr. Walther comes highly recommended by the eastern and old country press. Further particulars of the recital will be given later.

THANKSGIVING CONCERT.

The ladies and gentlemen of the chorus who will sing at the concert to be given in the Presbyterian church on Thanksgiving night are practicing with great industry under the able tutelage of Mr. W. F. Brougham. The music they will render is of a higher class consisting, as it does, of "The song of the Vikings" by Eaton Fenning, the "Pilgrim's Chorus" from Wagners' Taunhauser, the "Spinning Wheel Chorus" from Wagner's Flying Dutchman, and a "Kootenai Idyll", specially composed for the occasion by W. F. Brougham, the words being contributed by R. M. Macdonald. Mr. Brougham has arranged with Mr. Hugh Goslin, managing director of the Bernhart Walther concert company, whereby that talented violinist, Mr. Bernhard Walther, has consented to play at the concert.

THE JANE COOMBS' CO.

The Jane Coombs company will play in Nelson on Wednesday and Thursday in the basement of the Hume hotel. A stage is being erected, and every arrangement is being made to ensure a successful production of the plays. The play on Wednesday night will be "Camille", the tickets being 50 cents, 75 cents and $1.

CAPT. IRVING'S PROJECTS.

Victoria, Nov 12—Capt. John Irving, who is promoting a company to build and operate steamers between Lake Bennett and Dawson and also on Lake Atlin, is said to contemlpate retiring from his position as manager of the C. P. Nav. Co. of this city, to devote his attention to the northern enterprise.

THERE ARE OTHERS.

Berlin, Nov. 12—It is said that Emperor William, during his visit to Jerusalem, was greatly struck by the many French flags flying, and remarked: "France has a great many buildings here, but there is room for others."

ENORMOUS IMPORTS.

New York, Nov. 12—The imports of dry goods and general merchandise at New York for the week ending to-day, were valued at $8,561,760.

A STORY THAT ANNOYS THE BEAR

Russian Opinion on an Interesting Matter.

TO BELITTLE BRITAIN

Count Cassani Denies That England Prevented European Intervention in the Spanish-American War.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Referring in an interview to the Philippines, Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, said that Russia, naturally had geat interest in the status of these islands, owing to their proximity to the eastern possessions of Russia. There was no warrant, however, he said, for the reports coming from Paris, that Russia had been appealed to by Spain with a view to limiting the claims of the United States in the Philippines. No such appeal had been made to Russia or to other foreign governments. Throughout the recent war Russia had maintained the most friendly attitude toward the United States, and the ambassador said that he did not doubt this would have a good effect in continuing the friendship which has so long existed beween Russia and the United States. In this connection, Count Cassini took issue with the prevailing public view that England showed her conspicuous friendship for the United States during a critical state of the war with Spain by declining to join the great powers of Europe in a move for intervention. The ambassador says he has seen this report frequently and it seems to be accepted in this country as a part of the history of the recent war, and as the basis for much applause for England at the expense of the other great powers of Europe, but Count Cassini says that no such action on the part of Great Britain ever took place and that the impeachment of the continued freindliness of other powers is due to misapprehension of the facts. At no time, he says, was there a purpose on the part of the great powers to intervene against the action of the United States, so that there was never any occasion for such a display of English friendship in checking the designs of the great powers as is generally presented. Count Cassini says that the story although very widely circulated and generally accepted as fact, is nothing less than a fable and that for the truth of history, as well as for the removal of this groundless reflection upon the attitude of the European powers toward the United States, this fable should not be accepted as a part of the record of the war. He does not give this merely as a personal opinion but as an established fact, learned during his visits to Paris and Berlin, as well as to St. Petersburg. While in no way reflecting upon any other power, the Russian ambassador feels that it is but simple justice to Russia and other continental powers that the consistent friendship they maintained towards the United States, throughout every period of the war and continue to maintain towards this government should not be obscured by any sentimental fiction as to the exceptional friendship of one nation and the enmity of others.

THE LAST FAREWELL

The Attendance at the Quebec Meeting to See the Aberdeens off.

Quebec, Nov. 12.—Lord Aberdeen said farewell to the people of Quebec last night and will sail on the Labrador for Liverpool. The Scotsman, bringing Lord Minto, will be here at 2:30 p. m. today.

The attendance at the city hall to witness the presentation of the farewell address was rather less than expected. The civic address, read by Mayor Parent, was a tribute to the high personal qualities of the vice regal couple and it added: "From our sunlit fields, from our thriving cities and towns, constantly ascend on all sides the congratulaitons of a people contented with their lot, as loyal to England as their sires were to France and confidently and steadily moving onward and upward towards the achievement of their destinies."

In replying Lord Aberdeen said it was a climax of all the farewells he had received. He paid tribute to the loyalty of the French race, adding that whatever might be said of them, their patriotism was appreciated and understood by the sovereign.

Addresses were presented by the St. Andrews society, the Irish Organizations and the Women's Council. To the last Lady Aberdeen replied in French. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Tarte were present.

STEAMER ASHORE.

Montreal, Nov, 12.—The steamer Carolina, of R. & O. Co. is aground two miles west of Vercheres, and the steamer Cultivateur has gone to pull her off.

LATE IN THE DAY TO LAUD SALADIN

German Comment on the Emperor's Action.

THE CHRISTIAN'S FOE

It is Quite Evident That Emperor William Made Himself Ridiculous in This Matter.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—Emperor William, before leaving Damascus, made a speech in which he exalted Saladin as one of the most knightly rulers of all ages, and begged the Sultan Abdul Hamid and his 300 million Mohammedan followers to accept the assurance that he, the emperor, would always be their friend. His majesty also commanded his military attache to lay a wreath on Saladin's sepulchre, inscribed, "To the memory of the brave and knightly Sultan."

The German emperor's enthusiasm for Sultan Saladin does not appear to be shared by Germany. The Vorwaerts at the risk of being prosecuted for lese majeste, says: "Times have changed. A former German emperor, Barbarossa, lost his life in the Christian cause against this same Saladin, whom the ruler of a new German empire now ceremoniously glorifies. The friendship between Tslam and the Kaiser, calling himself a Christian, is now so ardent that the latter, after offering a prayer at the sacred birthplace of Christianity, now glorifies as a hero and knight, without fear of blame, the conqueror of the Holy Sepulchre, the bitterest enemy of Christianity and the exterminator of Christian rule in Palestine."

OF VALUE TO GERMANY.

Spain Said to Be Willing to Sell Certain Island Possessions in the Pacific.

Berlin, Nov. 12 —It is understood in diplomatic circles here that Spain, after the conclusion of a treaty of peace with the United States, will try to dispose of her few remaining colonies, probably the Mariana islands, the Carolin islands and Pala islands and, it is supposed, that the Spanish government has already been cautiously approached by Germany for the purpose of ascertaining how much these groups will be worth. The officials of the foreign office here admit that the acquisition of these Spanish colonies would be of considerable value to Germany, in view of their proximity to Germany's Australian possessions, but they give no inkling as to their intentions in the matter.

NEW DENVER RESOLUTION.

The Citizens of New Denver Pass a Resolution Re Mr. Thompson.

The Miner has received for publication, the following resolution passed at a meeting of citizens of New Denver, held on Nov. 10, 1898:

"Whereas it is essential to honest government that good and faithful servants of the people should be secure in their position, regardless of political changes; and whereas Robert Thompson, a courteous and efficient officer, has, against the will of the people, been discharged from office without cause; this meeting profoundly deplores the said dismissal, and considers it a violation of the principles on which a sound civli service is based, and an attack upon popular government"

A NARROW ESCAPE.

C. P. R. Telegraph Line Repairer Has a Close Call.

Mr. Glass of the C. P. R. telegraph company had a narrow escape yesterday evening while coming on his bicycle from Bonnington Falls. Before leaving Slocan Junction Mr. Glass inquired from the operator regarding the probability of a train coming along and was told that there would be none along for a considerable time. Before his arrival, however, at Nelson he heard a freight train coming behind him and made a spurt to reach a point where he could safely leave the track. The train kept rapidly gaining and in applying the brake to stop his machine, Mr. Glass got his hand caught in a cog wheel, and had several fingers of his right hand badly bruised. He managed to throw his machine off the track and was brought to the city where his wounds were dressed by Dr. Hall.

BRITAIN'S CHORUS OF APPROVAL

Of the Expansion Policy of the U. S.

A UNITY OF INTERESTS

It is Expected That in Becoming Owners of the Philippines the Americans Will Respect the "Open Door".

London, Nov. 12.—During the past week the United States has occupied the attention of Europe to a greater degree than at any other time since the battles of Santiago. The entry of the American republic into the arena of eastern colonization has attracted widespread and varied attention and never before have the issues of an American election been so generally and eagerly canvassed and so intelligently commented upon. The supposed endorsement of the so-called expansion policy by the electors of the United States has commanded a chorus of approval in Great Britain, while the journalistic spokesmen in France, Russia, and Germany exhibit an equal unanimity of disapproval.

On the eve of the election the Marquis of Salisbury threw the chancelleries of Europe a portentiously ambiguous phrase, which they have not yet succeeded in satisfactorily dissecting. Then came Emperor William's change of course toward the Spanish shores, in which Europeans are quick to discover political portends, the movements of the royalties being construed as an exhibition of pro-Spanish sympathy.

The Marquis of Salisbury remains so loyal a devotee to the old style of diplomacy, which employs words to confuse meanings, that his deliverences frequently inspire as many discordant interpretations as there are interpreters. But there are no proofs whatever in support of any construction of his latest declaration imparting a warning or unfriendliness to the United States. On the contrary, all signs point to a unanimous welcome of the United States entrance upon the role of a Philippine landlord from the English government and people, though it is accompanied by the assumption, which the London Times this morning emphasises, that our unity of interests in that quarter of the globe depend upon the maintenance of the policy of the open door. The American attitude towards the Philippine islands is also certainly welcomed by the British companies engaged in developing the islands. These companies in anticipation of a stable, honest government are already taking steps to enlarge their enterprises. This is notably the case with the Manila Railroad company, controlled by English capitalists, which is projecting an extension of its lines. Outside of all this, it is highly improbable that the Marquis of Salisbury would publicly antagonize the widespead sentiment of his countrymen that British and American interests go hand in hand, and the correspondent of the Associated Press here has good authority for asserting that he did not intend to. Moreover, the correspondent learns that communications or conversations between English and American diplomats have occurred recently in which a recognition of this identity of interests was displayed, though, so far as can be learned, the discussions did not go to the length of pledges of help or plans for a concert of action in any contingencies. While the Spaniards are unquestionably hugging the hope of finding a friend and protector in Emperor William of Germany, the London diplomats accept his majesty's disclaimers, arguing that the whole trend of British and German policies is converging, particularly since the friendly apportionment of the spheres of influence in Africa, and that the emperor, believing his interests to lie in the Anglo-American rather than in the Franco-Russian camp, will not show any disposition to duplicate his President Kruger telegram.

If the Marquis of Salisbury's speech made clear any fact it was that Great Britain does not intend to diminish her armament, regardless of the czar's proposals in that direction. The energetic pushing of the work of putting the British navy on a war footing after the Fashoda incident is closed, inspires speculation. some construing it as foreboding war over the Philippine islands, and others linking it with the Chinese problem and the presence of 40,000 Russians at Port Arthur who might conceivably be marched to Pekin for the protection of Russian interests.

Others, however, conclude that the British admiralty is utilizing the opportunity for manoeuvres for which parliament, under calmer conditions, would not authorize the expenditures. France's view of the British armaments may be conjectured from the persistency with which she plays Toulon against Portsmouth.

The newspaper men who accompan-

(Concluded on Second Page)

The Miner.

Published Daily except Sunday.

THE MINER PRINTING & PUBLISHING CO., LIMITED LIABILITY.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS to the Editor must accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of good faith.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Daily per month by carrier	$ 1 00
per month by mail	1 00
per half year by mail	5 00
per year	10 00
per year, foreign	13 00

WEEKLY MINER.

Weekly, per half year	$ 1 25
per year	2 00
per year, foreign	3 00

Subscriptions invariably in advance.

Notices of Births, Deaths, and Marriages inserted for 50 cents each.

Advertising rates made known on application

The Miner Printing & Publishing Co.

NELSON, B. C.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Copy for Changes of Advertisement must be in the Office by 4 o'clock p.m. to insure change.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

In a recent speech Lord Aberdeen took occasion to give some advice regarding the civil service. There is a marked dissimilarity between the civil service in this country and that in Great Britain. Under the system pursued in the old land, merit, based upon the results of special examination, is the only recommendation that carries weight with the authorities in filling vacancies in the civil service. In Canada political influence, or what is vulgarly called political "pull," seems to override all considerations of fitness in selecting persons to fill positions. Lord Salisbury and Mr. Chamberlain, who could, if they wished it, have more partonage at their disposal than any public men in the world, would not think of appointing or even recommending any one for government employment. There, all persons intending to enter the civil service must undergo certain special training and pass a creditable examination, upon which their names go on the list and they are taken as they come when there are any vacancies to be filled. There may be cases where members of parliament or influential persons may push forward a candidate, but as to creating a vacancy for him, such is against the genius of British government at home, though it is sadly different in the colonies. Thus Great Britain has a permanent force and it is safe to say that it is the most trustworthy and effective civil service in existence.

In Canada a show is made at competitive examinations for the civil service, but no matter how able the applicant for government employment may be, he has little chance unless he have political "influence." It is the rule in the United States, and carried to an absurdity there, for a new administration at Washington to turn out all officials and fill the places with those who were serviceable in electing the administration. "To the victors belong the spoils," is an accepted verity in the United States, to which men of all parties are expected to defer and every new administration is called upon to "turn the rascals out," presumably that another set of rascals may be turned in. This is a vicious principle of government and would not be tolerated in any country where politics are not a business to be followed as a means of livelihood, as in the United States.

Canada has never openly adopted this system, but it seems to be understood in the political parties that the offices are the reward of the workers, and, accordingly, after every change of government, we hear of wholesale dismissals, with or without cause, and the appointment to the vacancies thus created of men in political sympathy with the government. Both parties disclaim any suspicion of acting upon the "spoils" system, yet year after year the dismissals go on, and many men who have become proficient in discharging the business of the state are cut adrift to make way for some ignorant tyros, whose chief recommendation is that they proved effective "barkers" for some jim-crow politician out in the back townships. Under this system, which should be distinctly repudiated as obnoxious, members of parliament are pursued by applicants for positions until they have no rest. At the present time there are thousands of liberals who think that Sir Wilfrid Laurier should turn all appointees of the last government out and put them in and there are members of parliament, even, who do not think it discreditable to have offices vacated that they may secure them for themselves.

As it is the whole system of recommendation and appointment is disgraceful and it should be entirely swept away. There should be a special training and examination for the service and all vacancies should be filled from this list by the heads of departments without favor, and there should be no dismissals without good cause. That is the only way to secure a permanent and effective force. And it should be enacted that when a man accepts a government position that he must refrain from voting on government questions and must take no part in political movements of any kind on pain of dismissal.

Owing to the sudden illness of one of the operators of The Miner's typesetting machine, he being seized with measles yeserday and taken to the hospital, we were unable to get up as much type as usual last night, consequently there is not as much news in the paper as we could have put in under ordinary circumstances. But men and measles will come together regardless of the feelings of editors or the wants of subscribers and there is no use of repining.

THE GHOST WALKS.

An Okanagan Engineer is Badly Frightened by a Ghost.

As a rule the people of British Columbia are too matter of fact and too busily engaged in the development of the resources of the province to be bothered by ghosts. A story however, comes from the Okanagan which if true shows that even among mountains the ghost sometimes walks.

One day last summer, a tramp accompanied by a big dog appeared at the house of Engineer Hoare of the steamer Aberdeen, which runs on Okanagan lake, near Vernon and was given a glass of water. A short time afterwards his dead body was found in the mountains and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes. Mr. Hoare now refuses to live in the house any longer, as according to the Vancouver World the tramp's ghost has appeared to him several times at the identical spot where he gave him the glass of water. A strange dog has also been seen at the same spot since. The idea of some of the settlers is that the man was murdered and that the ghost has come back to his last friend when in the flesh in order that an investigation may be made.

EXTRADITED FOR MURDER

London, Nov. 12.—On the Cunard steamer Lucania, which sailed today for New York, was Mrs. Nancy Guilford, the Bridgeport, Conn. mid-wife, who has been extradited to stand trial for the murder of Emma Gill, of Southington, Conn. Detective Cronan, of Bridgeport, is in charge of the prisoner.

ACTIVE SERVICE FOR SCHLEY.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Admiral Schley having again asked for sea service, has been promised command of the European squadron, which will be re-established in a short time, with some of the finest cruisers in the navy, carrying the American flag creditably to the European nations.

BRITAIN'S COURSE OF APPROVAL

(Continued from First Page.)

ied Emperor William in his tour of the Holy lands say that between that monarch's marvellous activity and the attentions of the Turkish officials, who regarded the scribes as suspicious characters, they have been suffering a veritable martyrdom. One of them writes that he has been accustomed to follow hounds afoot and has shared the fortunes of the American army in Cuba, but, he adds, these were mere pastimes in comparison to following Emperor William. The latter, it appears, covered the sand road from Haifa to Jaffa in two days, a dash seldom attempted in less than three days. Dead horses strewed the trail. Exhausted cavalrymen and camels struggled into Jaffa throughout the night. Some of the correspondents who were invited to witness the emperor's entrance into Haifa from the yard of the American consulate, were driven off by the Turks, in spite of the protest of the consul, and the correspondent of an Italian paper, who wrote that the Sultan was bankrupting his country to entertain the emperor, while he never paid his soldiers, was cast into prison without any charge being made against him, and was beaten and starved. He succeeded, however, in escaping by bribing some of the Turks and now the Italian government has demanded a heavy indemnity for the correspondent's arrest and ill-treatment.

✷ BUY IT ✷

The Miner is on sale at the following news stores at five cents per copy:

Gilbert Stanley	Nelson
Thomson Stationery Co	Nelson
Canada Drug & Book Co.	Nelson
Hotel Hume News Stand	Nelson
Campbell	Ymir
C. F. Nelson	New Denver
J. F. Delaney	Roseberry
Slocan News Co.	Slocan City
J. I. McIntosh	Silverton
Slocan News Co.	Sandon
W. Parker	Brooklyn
Thompson Bros.	Vancouver
Hotel Spokane	Spokane
M. W. Simpson	Rossland
M. Anderson	Slocan Crossing
C. W. Hill	Cascade City

and News Agents on boats and trains out of Nelson.

KOOTENAY LAKE GENERAL HOSPITAL SOCIETY

All persons contributing $1.00 per month or $10.00 per year will be entitled to receive the full benefits of the Hospital; in addition the $10.00 subscribers will secure the privilege of voting at the annual election of directors.

J. A. FORIN, Treasurer

Nelson B. C. August 14th 1896.

(419)

WHEN . . .

. . . GOING EAST

Use a first class line in traveling between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, and the principal towns in Central Wisconsin

Pullman Palace Sleeping and Chair Cars Service . . . . . .

The Dining Cars are operated in the interest of its patrons, the most elegant service ever inaugurated. Meals are served a la Carte.

To obtain first class service your ticket should read via . . . . . .

✣ THE WISCONSIN ✣
✣ CENTRAL LINES ✣

Direct connections at Chicago and Milwaukee for all Eastern points. . . . .

For full information call on your nearest ticket agent, or write . . . .

JAS. A. CLOCK, General Agent, 246 Stark Street, Portland, Ore. or JAS. C. POND, General Pass. Agent Milwaukee, Wis

THE MINER

The Paper of the People.

Everybody Reads It.

The Largest Circulation.

Best Advertising Medium.

MINING and SCIENTIFIC PRESS

THIRTY-NINTH YEAR.

24 Pages : Weekly : Illustrated.

INDISPENSABLE TO MINING MEN.

$3 PER YEAR, POSTPAID.

SEND FOR SAMPLE COPY.

MINING and Scientific PRESS

330 MARKET ST., SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that John Bell, formerly of the Nelson Saw Mill Co. has been appointed Nelson agent for Peter Genelle & Co., vice A. E. Young. Contracts in the future are to be made with Mr. Bell or his assistant, E. G. Beer, to whom all money due to the firm is to be paid. PETER GENELLE & CO.

REISTERER & CO.,

Brewers of Fine Lager Beer and Porter.

Drop in and see us.

NELSON. B. C.

SEE ANNABLE

If you want to Rent, Buy or Build a House, sell your Lots, sell your House, insure your Property or your Life, borrow money

SEE ANNABLE

OFFICE VICTORIA ST., ON BRIDGE

KASLO & SLOCAN RAILWAY

TIME CARD NO. 2

Taking Effect 1:00 o'clock a. m., September 1st, 1898. Pacific or 120th Meridian Time.

WEST BOUND First Class Passenger Leaves Daily	Time Card No 2 Sept. 1st, 1898. Stations	EAST BOUND First Class Passenger Arrive Daily
8.30 a. m.	Kaslo	3.30 p.m.
8.55 a. m.	South Fork	3.05 p.m.
9.45 a. m.	Sproule's	2.10 p.m.
10.00 a. m.	Whitewater	2.00 p.m.
10.08 a. m.	Bear Lake	1.50 p.m.
10.20 a. m.	McGuigan	1.38 p m.
10:34 a. m.	Payne Tram	1:23 p.m.
10.35 a. m.	Cody Junction	1.22 p.m.
10.45 a. m.	Sandon	1.15 p.m.
Arrive Daily		Leave Daily

CODY BRANCH

Mixed Leaves Daily	Stations	Mixed Arrive Daily
11:00 a. m.	Sandon	11:59 a.m.
11:10 "	Cody Junction	11:30 "
11:25 "	Cody	11:35 "
Arrive Dal		Le ave Daily

ROBT. IRVING, G. F. & P. A. GEO. F. COPELAND, Superintendent.

264)

ARTHUR R. SHERWOOD...

Real Estate and Insurance Agent.

FOR RENT

Four Roomed House on Observatory St. $15 per month.
Eight roomed furnished house, Observatory St.

The Birkbeck Investment, Security and Savings Co.

advance money on Improved Real Estate. Repayable in 5 and 8 years by monthly instalments.

ARTHUR R. SHERWOOD, AG'T.

Thanksgiving

IS DRAWING NEAR. You will have company for dinner and you will require something out of the ordinary line of Groceries.... ....

Remember. . .

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS for Fine Goods. Truffs, D'Anchois, Pois Moyens, Caviar, Champignons, Sauces of all kinds, Cross & Blackwell's Jams, Jellies, Marmalades and Pickles, McLaren's Cheese, Lobster, Mackerel, Brook Trout, and **English Prepared Mince Meat.** . .

M. DesBrisay & Co.,

NELSON, B. C., Aberdeen Block.

West Kootenay Butcher Co.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

. . FRESH . .

AND SALT MEATS

Camps supplied on shortest notice and Lowest Prices Mail Orders receive Careful attention.
Nothing but fresh and wholesome meats and supplies kept in stock.
Markets at Nelson and Ymir.

E. C. TRAVES - Manager.

P. BURNS & CO.

Wholesale and Retail Meat Merchants

HEAD OFFICE NELSON, B. C.

Branch Markets in Rossland, Trail, Nelson, Kaslo, Sandon, Three Forks, New Denver and Slocan City.

Orders by mail to any branch will have careful and prompt attention.

530

The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co.

is now prepared to receive orders for

Domestic and Steam Coal and Blacksmith's Fuel.

PRICE : Domestic and Steam Coal $5.75 per ton.
Blacksmith's Fuel $10.00 per ton.

Orders Received at C. W. West & Co's. Office

CHARLES ST. BARBE, General Agent.

The Northern Pacific Coal Co.

Is not only prepared to receive orders but can fill them promptly.

For Domestic Coal, the best in the Market, $10.50 per ton delivered. Orders taken at Telephone 35

GAMBLE & O'RIELLY General Agents.

ARCHBOLD & PEARSON

(AIMM. MFIME., M Min. Assoc. Cornwall)

MINING ENGINEERS AND ASSAYERS

Opposite Phair Hotel.

NELSON, B.C. P. O. BOX 583.

Extended experience in Chile and German South Africa. Assays and analysis of ores. Reports and valuations on mineral properties Underground surveying and mine plans kept up by contract.

INFANT SCHOOL

Corner Ward and Silica Sts.

MRS. NICKERSON

C. W. WEST & CO.

will fill no orders for Wood Coal or Lime unless

CASH

accompanies order. All accounts of over thirty days standing will be put into the hands of a collector.

TWO RICKS WOOD $5.00.

Official Directory.

DOMINION DIRECTORY.

Governor-General	Earl of Aberdeen
Premier	Sir Wilfrid Laurier
Member House of Commons, Dominion Parliament, West Kootenay	Hewitt Bostock
Dep Col. Inland Revenue	F W Swannell

PROVINCIAL DIRECTORY.

Lieut.-Governor	Hon T R McInnes
Premier	Hon Chas Semlin
Attorney-General	Hon Joseph Martin
Minister of Finance	Hon F C Cotton
Minister Mines and Education	Hon J F Hume
Pres Executive Council	Hon Dr McKechnie
Member Legislative Assembly for Nelson Riding	Hon J F Hume

NELSON OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Mayor	John Houston
Aldermen—Chas Hillyer, W F Teetzel, J A Gilker, J J Malone, E P Whalley, Thos Madden.	
City Clerk	J K Strachan
Police Magistrate	E A Crease
Chief of Police	A F McKinnon
Chief of Fire Department	W J Thompson
Auditor	John Hamilton
Water Commissioner	T M Ward
Health Officer	Dr. LaBau
City Engineer	A. L. M'Culloch

City council meets every Monday, 3 p.m., at city hall, cor Victoria and Josephine st

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Dr. E C Arthur, Dr. G A B Hall, Geo Johnstone. Principal—J. Hostley Soady, B. A.

SOUTH KOOTENAY BOARD OF TRADE.

President	J Roderick Robertson.
Vice-President	James Lawrence.
Secy-Treas.	John A Turner.

KOOTENAY LAKE GENERAL HOSPITAL

President	John A. Turner
Vice-Pres.	W. A. Jowett.
Secretary	F. W. Swannell
Treas.	J A Forin
Medical Supt.	Dr. G. A B Hall

PROVINCIAL JAIL DIRECTORY.

Warden	Capt. N. Fitzstubbs
First Jailer	R. Liddell
Second Jailer	Geo. Partridge
Third Jailer	John McLaren
Senior Guard	R Ince
Surgeon	Dr. Symonds

DISTRICT DIRECTORY.

Government Inspector of Agencies	W J Goepel
Gold Commissioner	O. G. Dennis
Mining Recorder-Tax Col	R F Tolmie
Collector of Customs	Geo. Johnstone
Provincial Assessor	John Keen
County Court Judge	J A Forin
Registrar	E T H Simpkins
Inspector of Schools	William Burns

Close	NELSON POST OFFICE	Due
8.00 p.m.	United States, Ontario, Quebec and Eastern Provinces Points on N. & F. S. line. Victoria and Rossland.	5.15 p.m.
8.30 a.m.	New Denver, Sandon and Slocan Lake Points.	2.30 p.m.
4.00 p.m.	Kaslo and Kootenay Lake Points	7.45 a.m.
6.00 p.m	Rossland, Trail, Nakusp, Robson, points on main line C. P. R., Vancouver and Winnipeg	7.00 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS.

Lobby opened from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.; General Delivery, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Registration, 8.30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Money Orders and Savings Bank 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sunday 1 hour (10 to 11 a.m).

J. A. GILKER, Postmaster

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Matin 11 a.m.; Even Song, 7.30 p.m. every Sunday. Holy Communion on 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month after Matins; on 2nd and 4th Sundays, at 8 a.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Rev. H. S. Akehurst, Rector. Cor Ward and Silica streets.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 p.m.; Christian Endeavor Society meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. R. Frew, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH—Corner Silica and Josephine Streets. Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p. m.; Sabbath School, 2.30 p.m.; Prayer meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock; Epworth League C. E., Tuesday at 8 a.m. Rev. John Robson, Pastor.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Mass at Nelson, first and third Sunday at 8 and 10.00 a.m.; Benediction at 7.30 to 8 p.m. Rev. Father Ferland Priest.

BAPTIST CHURCH — Services morning and evening at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p.m.; Meetings are held in the school house. Strangers cordially welcomed. Rev. G. R. Welch, Pastor.

SALVATION ARMY—Services every evening at 8 o'clock in barracks on Victoria street. Adjutant Millner in charge.

LODGE MEETINGS.

NELSON LODGE, No. 23. A. F. & A. M. meets second Wednesday in each month. Visiting brethren invited.
G. L. LENNOX, Secretary.

I. O. O. F. Kootenay Lodge No. 16, meets every Monday night, at their Hall, Kootenay street. Sojourning Odd Fellows cordially invited.
A. H. Clements, N. G. Fred J Squires, Sec.y

NELSON LODGE No 25, K. of P. meets in Castle hall, McDonald block every second and fourth Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. All visiting knights cordially invited,
R. G. JOY, C. C.
(820) GEO. ROSS K. of R. and S.

NELSON LODGE, I. O. G. T. Meets in Castle Hall, McDonald Block, every Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Templars cordially invited,
JOHN TELFORD, Chief Templar.
J. F. Jacobson Sec'y

S.O.E. NELSON'S QUEEN NO. 241 SONS OF ENGLAND, meet second and fourth Wednesday each month at K. of P. Hall, Mac Donald Block, cor. Vernon and Josephine streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
CHAS. H. FARROW, Secretary.

COURT KOOTENAY, I.O.F., NO. 3138 meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday in each month in the K of P Hall. F W Swanell, C. D. S. C. R.; J R Green, C.R.: J. Parkiss, Secy.

NELSON LODGE, NO. 10 A.O.U.W., meet every Thursday in the I.O.O.F. hall. G C Williams, M.W.; W S Smith, Rec.-Sec.; J. J. Driscoll, Financier F. J Squire, Receiver and P. M. W.

NELSON L.O.L. No. 1692 meets in the Mc Donald block every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members cordially invited *John Toye W.M.; F. J. Bradley, R.S.*

Spokane Falls & Northern R'y.

Nelson & Fort Sheppard R'y.

Red Mountain R'y.

The only all rail route without change of cars between Nelson and Rossland and Spokane and Rossland.

(DAILY)

Leave 6.20 a.m. NELSON Arrive 5.35 p.m
" 12:05 " ROSSL'D " 11:20
" 8.30 a.m. SPOKANE " 3.10 p.m

Train that leaves Nelson at 6:20 a.m makes close connections at Spokane for all Pacific Coast Points.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek, connect at Marcus with Stage Daily.

C. G. DIXON, G. P. & T.A. Spokane Wash

G. K. TACKABURY, Agent, Nelson, B. C.

WILL THE KAISER VISIT SPAIN?

On His Way Home From the Holy Land.

HE HAS BEEN INVITED

Probably the United States Would Resent Such a Move While Peace Negotiations are Pending.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—The announcement that Emperor William will cal at Spanish ports on his way home from the Holy land has given rise to all sorts of political speculations; especially, in view of the statement that the Queen Regent of Spain has decided to send the Duke of Solomayer with an autograph letter to Carthagena inviting the German emperor to visit Madrid and to rejoin the imperial yacht later at Cadiz. Such an invitation, however, could only be made in accordance with court etiquette if its acceptance had been previously secured, and it is cerain up to the present, that acceptance has not been obtained. On the contrary, while it is evident that Spain is keenlydesirous that the emperor should visit Madrid and in fact, attempts are already being made to make capital out of the mere fact that he will visit Spanish ports, the foreign office here is doing everything to throw cold water on the idea that his majesty has any political end in view in touching at Spanish ports.

The foreign office appears to be anxious to avoid any steps calculated to wound public feeling in the United States, which, it is fully recognized here, would resent a visit of the emperor to the Spanish ports while the peace negotiations are still unconcluded.

CITY AND VICINITY

Condensed News of the Happenings of the Week In and Around Our Busy City and Kootenay.

The R. E. French Company will open in Nelson at the skating rink next Monday.

W. F Teetzel has purchased the lot on Baker street east of the Queen's hotel from Arthur Hickling.

The regular meeting of the South Kootenay board of trade will be held in the board rooms at 8 p. m.

There will be a meeting of the National Council of Women this afternoon in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church.

Will Gordon, formerly in charge of the DominionExpress Company's office here has been appointed route agent for the company with headquarters at Winnipeg.

There was an Association football practice on the recreation grounds on Saturday afternoon, in view of a game which is to be played here this week, on a day yet to be fixed.

Dr. La Bau performed a successful operation for appendicitis on Mr. Price, an old timer in the Kootenay, aged 57, at Miss Crickmay's hospital. The patient is doing well.

P. Burns & Co., have commenced the erection of a large cold storage warehouse at the corner of Josephine and Front streets, that will cost in the neighborhood of $25,000.

The Ven. Archdeacon Pentreath will leave Vancouver this week for an extended trip through the interior. While in the Kootenay he will open the new churches at Nelson and Cranbrook.

Coroner Dr. Arthur went to Kuskonook yesterday afternoon to investigate a case of supposed suicide. The victim was found hanging by the neck on a tree. No particulars of the occurrence could be got.

John McKane, F. W. Rolt and P. Roy, mining men of Rossland, arrived in the city on last night's train. The party, who are directors in the Silver Hill Mining company, leave on the steamer Nelson this morning for the company's properties on Canyon creek in the Ainsworth district.

Rev. Gandier of Rossland preached in the Nelson Presbyterian church yesterday morning and evening to large and appreciative audiences. At the evening service the church was crowded to the doors. The choir rendered special music, the anthem being "Oh, taste and see" and a solo was sung by Mrs. Oliver.

Enquiry at the headquarters of the South Kootenay Rifles elicits the fact that nothing has been done by the department towards providing the force with the necessary uniforms and rifles. Unless the militia department makes up, the local organization will soon die a natural death. The uniform which has been promised for nine months past, but which is not yet forthcoming, is made of kaaki.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. A. Paterson has returned to Nelson from a visit to Victoira.

A. L. Davenport, manager of the Poorman mine, is at the Hume.

D. W. Moore, ore buyer for the Trail smelter is a guest at the Hume.

J. A. Thomson, government steamboat inspector, is registered at the Phair.

The Bittner Theatre company left for Rossland on yesterday morning's train.

D. C. Johnson, ore buyer for the Everett smelter, is staying at the Phair.

H. Goslin, manager of the Bernhard-Walther Theatrical company, is staying at the Hume.

F. C. Clark, advance agent for the Jane Coombs Theatrical company, is registered at the Hume.

F. W. Peters, district freight agent of the C. P. R., has returned to Nelson from his visit to Trail.

Mr. McBride, the well known hardware merchant of Rossland, is, with Mrs. McBride, staiyng at the Phair.

H. B. Hubbard, of The Miner staff, was removed to Mrs. Gilbert's hospital last night, suffering from an attack of measles.

The Rev. R. Frew returned last night from Rossland, where he had been occupying the pulpit of the Rev. H. McG. Gandier.

Among those registered at the Phair are T. E. Ehrenberg, Spokane; R. H. Jameson, Victoria; T. Brownlee and A. H. Macdonald, Rossland; J. P. Peterson, Trail; Mrs. and Miss Smithson, Rossland.

Among those registered at the Hume are G. C. Shaw, Victoria; Miss E. M. Harris, St. John, N. B.; C. H. Taylor, Montreal; G. Keefe, Rossland; T. Reid, Brooklyn; E. J. Tobin, Spokane; J. W. Gordon, Toronto, and A. H. Boulton, Ainsworth.

Among those registered at the Queen's are J. Curlin, steamer Aberdeen; V. W. Smith, McGormick, B. C.; R. R. Thorburn, Silverton; W. D. Glaze, Erie; J. Devin, Relvestoke T. H. Boyd, Robson, and A. E. Good, Metlakatla, N. W. T.

APPLICATION FOR A CHARTER.

To Construct a Railway From Cranbrook to Golden.

Messrs. Tupper, Peters & Potts, of Victoria, solicitors for the applicants, give notice in the B. C. Gazette, that an application will be made to the legislative assembly of the province of British Columbia at its next session for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct equip and operate a railway from some point at or near Cranbrook to Golden both in the Kootenay district by the shortest and most practicable route. The company will also ask for the other powers usual in such cases.

DIOCESE OF KOOTENAY.

Notice has been given that at the coming session of the legislature an application will be made for the incorporation of a new Church of England diocese of Kootenay, as soon as $40,000 is raised as a capital endowment and an annual stipend for a Bishop, of $2000. The bishops seat will most likely be in Nelson as the centre of the district.

A RANGE FINDER

is part of the equipment of every war vessel.

But anyone can find the range they want by coming here. We have Stoves and Ranges of all sizes and various styles in stock and each one is well made, strong and an economical user of fuel.

The Perfection is about one of the best cookers on the market. Burns coal or wood and gives fine results.

Our line of Heaters is very handsome.

Vancouver Hardware Co.,

importers of

Paints, Oils, Shelf Hardware, Plumber's Supplies, Miners' Supplies

SPECIAL.

$3500.

Buys 50x120 feet on Baker street, near Josephine—only one block east of the lot sold last week to the Bank of Montreal.

The corner lot 100 feet west is held at $10,000. This is a bargain. Apply

T. G. PROCTER, Baker st.
Nelson.

WHO WANTS INCOME PROPERTY?

I have for sale two choice pieces of Baker street property, full sized lots 50x120 each, improved, paying over 12 per cent net. Prices $5,500 and $15,000 each. Apply

T. G. PROCTER, Baker st.
Nelson.

WANTED.

To contract the hauling of 20,000 feet of lumber to the new cemetery. Call today. J. A. SAYWARD. 2t

FOR SALE.

$3500 will buy a choice business lot on Baker street, near Josephine street, 50x120 feet. Address, "CASH" Nelson, P. O. *2

FINE BOOTS and SHOES

We are now in our new quarters and have a fine assortment of all the latest styles in Boots & Shoes

Neeland's Shoe Emporium.

Next door to old stand.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

SMERALDA MINEREL CLAIM.

SITUATE IN THE SLOCAN CITY MINING DIVISION OF WEST KOOTENAY DISTRICT. WHERE LOCATED:—ON DAYTON CREEK.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Fletcher S Andrews, Free Miner's Certificate No. 4238A, acting as agent for Thomas Cook Gray, Free Miner's Certificate No. 45253A and Henry McKay, Free Miner's Certificate No. 11717A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

And further take notice that action, under Section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1898 944

LUCY MINERAL CLAIM

SITUATE IN THE GOAT RIVER MINING DIVISION OF WEST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.—WHERE LOCATED:—ON WHITE GROUSE MOUNTAIN.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Jos. Blanchard, Free Miner's Certificate No. 10329A, acting as agent for myself and Geo. Nowel Free Miner's Certificate No. 2335A. Joseph Poirier No. 21625A, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above Claim.

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

JOSEPH BLANCHARD.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1898.

NELSON SODA WATER FACTORY.

TELEPHONE NO. 31.

Manufacturers of

ALL CARBONATED WATERS.

Halcyon Hot Springs Water Aerated and Supplied to the Trade.

Special sale of white and grey blankets at Fred Irvine & Co's. *

Sewing By The Day.

APPL ROOM 33

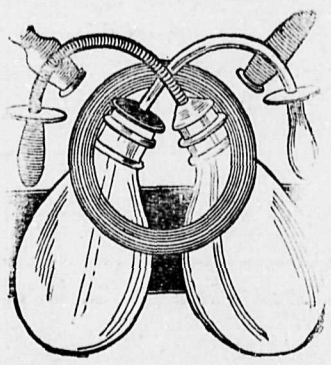
Hotel Hume

Coughs Colds::

are prevalent at this time of the year. If you are troubled with either we wish to inform you that you will find a full line of the popular remedies at

Vanstone's Drug Store

OPPOSITE QUEEN'S HOTEL.



FOR BUILDING UP

the strength of the little ones we have allthe materials. Our stock of these goods, from Nursing bottles, Nipples, etc. to Prepared Food for Infants is large, well assorted and contains everything approved of by the medical fraternity.

Look at our line of Infant's Combs, Brushes, Teething Puffs, Powders, etc. You will be pleased with their quality and price.

Canada Drug & Book Co.

D. McArthur & Co.

FURNITURE

At Reduced Prices for Cash to make Room for new goods

Bedroom Sets	- -	$15.00 and up
Parlor Sets Wilton Rug	-	$60.00
Carpets, Ingrain	- -	30c per yd. and up.

Full line of Household and Office Furniture at a liberal discount. Undertaking and Embalming a Specialty.

NO WASTE

There is no waste of effort to keep the fire going

IN A "FAMOUS" STOVE OR RANGE

There is no waste of fuel, no waste of heat, no waste of labor with a "Famous" Stove or Range. You get the most heat with the least fuel, because the "Famous" is scientifically constructed. You get more service from a "Famous" because it is built of the best material in the best way. Everyone gets the most satisfaction from the "Famous" Stoves and Ranges because they are perfect in every point. We have them in all sizes and at all prices.

HEBDEN & HEBDEN

BAKER STREET

HOTEL HUME

Cor. Ward & Vernon Sts.

Nelson... B. C.

Finest Hotel in the Interior.

Steam Heat and Electric Light in every room. Large Sample rooms for Commercial Travellers. Rates Reasonable

H. D. HUME, MANAGER.

W. A. JOWETT,

MINING AND REAL ESTATE BROKER

Victoria Street - NELSON, B. C.

NELSON CAFE

First Class in every respect

Do you wanta good Square meal for

25 CENTS?

TRY THE NELSON CAFE

DINNER 12 TO 8

Eastern Oysters

received daily

Cooked Any Style.

Y. HOSHI - Proprietor.

VICTORIA HOTEL.....

This popular hotel is being thoroughly refitted and refurnished and will be open to the public on Thursday, November 3.

D. R. TAYLOR, Proprietor

ALEX. STEWART,

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENT

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 PER CENT. AND UPWARDS.

PRIVATE AND COMPANY FUNDS.

Valuable Baker Street and other excellent property for sale.

Office Turner-Boeckh Block, Nelson, B. C.

TENDERS WANTED

For the Erection of a Wood and Water Flume.

About one mile long to the smelter, will be received until Monday the 14th inst. at 12 o'clock noon.

Specifications can be seen and other information obtained on Thursday the 10th inst. at the general offices of the company.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted,

THE HALL MINES LIMITED.

NOTICE.

Until further notice no passengers will be carried over the line of the Crow's Nest Pass railway between Kuskonook and Cranbrook.

BY ORDER.

STYLISH MILLINERY DRESSMAKING FANCY DRY GOODS

—AT—

Mrs. McLaughlin's,

JOSEPHINE ST. NELSON

F. E. MORRISON, D. D. S.

has taken over the practice of Dr. H. E. Hall and is prepared to do all kinds of Dental Work by latest methods. . .

Broken Hill Block - Baker St.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO.

Capital Paid up	-	$2,000,000
Reserve	-	$1,200,000

H. S. HOWLAND - President
D. R. WILKIE - General Manager.

NELSON BRANCH

J. M. LAY, MANAGER.

International Navigation & Trading Company

LIMITED

Summer Card. Effective June 20, 1898

Subject to change without notice.

South b'nd. **S. S. International.** North b'nd

Read down			Read up		
Train Lvs	1.00 p.m.	Sandon	10.50 a.m.	Train	Ar
" Ar	3.45 "	Kaslo	8.00 "	"	Lv
Boat Lvs.	3.30 a.m.	Kaslo	8.30 p.m.	Boat	Ar
" "	4.30 "	Ainsworth	7.30 "	"	"
" "	5.00 "	Pilot Bay	6.45 "	"	"
" "	5.30 "	Balfour	6.10 "	"	"
" Ar	6.40 "	5 Mile Pt.	5.25 "	"	"
" "	7.15 "	Nelson	4.45 "	"	Lv
Train "	10.05 p.m.	N'thport	1.55 "	Train	"
" "	11.20 "	Rossland	12.05 a.m.	"	"
" "	3.10 "	Spokane	8.30 "		"

Sandon-Kaslo train daily. Boat and Spokane train daily except Sunday.

S. S. Alberta.

Train Lvs	1.00 p.m.	Sandon	10.50 a.m.	Train	Ar
" Ar	3.45 "	Kaslo	8.00 "	"	Lv
Boat Lvs	5.00 "	Kaslo	1.00 "	Boat	Ar
" "	6.20 "	Ainsworth	11.40 p.m.	"	"
" "	7.00 "	Pilot Bay	11.00 "	"	"
" "	10.00 "	Kuskon'k	8.00 "	"	"
" "	12.00 m.	Goat River	6.00 "	"	"
" "	1.00 a.m.	Bonndary	5.00 "	"	"
" Ar	8.00 "	B'rs Ferry	2.00 "	"	Lv
Train Lv	11.40 "	B'rs Ferry	1.15 "	Train	Ar
" Ar	2.45 p.m.	Spokane	7.50 a.m.	"	Lv

Sandon-Kaslo train daily. Boat leaves Kaslo for above points Tuesdays and Saturdays Returning on Wednesdays and Sundays.

Special Kootenay Lake Service.

Commencing 20 June, 1898.

On Monday, Thursday and Friday S. Alberta will leave Kaslo 5 p.m., for Ainsworth Pilot Bay and Nelson.

Leaving Nelson 8 a.m., Tuesday, Friday and Saturday for Pilot Bay, Ainsworth and Kaslo, calling at all way points.

(All times are subject to charge without notic

Meals and berths not included.

Passengers on S. S. International from Nelson, Spokane, etc., for points on Kootenay Lake south of Pilot Bay, will connect at that point with the S. S. Alberta.

Passengers for Nelson via S. S. Alberta, from points south of Pilot Bay, can, by arrangement with purser, have stop-over at Pilot Bay or Ainsworth, or connect with S. S. International at Kaslo.

The company's steamers connect Kootenay Lake and Slocan points with all points in the United States and Canada; by way of Spokane and Kootenay River.

Tickets sold and baggage checked to all points by pursers on steamers or at our office.

G. ALEXANDER, Gen. Mgr.
P. O. Box 122, Kaslo, B.C

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

AND SOO LINE

QUICK TIME GOOD SERVICE

FEWEST CHANGES.

LOWEST RATES.

NO CUSTOMS DIFFICULTIES.

First class and Tourist Sleepers through from Pacific to Atlantic and to St. Paul daily.

THROUGH TICKETS TO AND FROM ALL PARTS OF CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES.

DAILY TRAIN.

To Rossland and Main Line points

6.40 p.m.-Leaves—NELSON—Arrives-10.30 p,m

Kootenay Lake—Kaslo Route.

STR. KOKANEE

Except Sunday. Except Sunday

4 p.m.—Leaves—NELSON—Arrives—11 a.m

Kootenay River Route.

STR. NELSON.

Mon., Wed., Fri. Mon,, Wed., Fri.

7 a.m.—Leaves—NELSON—Arrives—6.30 p.m.

Makes connection at Pilot Bay with Str. Kokanee in both directions.

Steamers on their respective routes call at principal Landings in both directions and at other points when signalled.

Trains to and from Slocan City, Sandon and Slocan Lake Points.

(Sundays Excepted)

9 a. m.—Leaves—NELSON—Arrives—2.20 p. m.

ASCERTAIN RATES

and full information by addressing nearest local agent, or GEO. S. BEER, City Ticket Agent, Nelson,

JOHN HAMILTON, Agent, Nelson

W. F. ANDERSON, Trav. Pass. Agent, Nelson

E. J. COYLE, Dist. Pass. Agent, Vancouver

EAST GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY WEST

THE SURVEYOR'S CHAIN MADE IT

THE SHORTEST TRANSCONTINENTAL ROUTE.

It is the Most Modern in Equipment.
It is the Heaviest Railed Line.
It has a Rock-Ballast Roadbed.
It Crosses No Sand Desserts.
It is the Only Line Running Luxurious Club Room Cars.
It is Noted for the Courtesy of its Employes.
It is the Only Line Serving Meals on a la Carte Plan.

THROUGH THE

GRANDEST SCENERY

IN AMERICA BY DAYLIGHT.

Attractive Tours during Season of Navigation on Great Lakes via Duluth in connection with Magnificent Passenger Steamers Northwest and Northland.

For maps, tickets and complete information call on or address Agents, K. & S. Ry., C. & K. S. Nav. Co., N & F. S. Ry., or

C. G. DIXON, General Agent
Spokane, Was

F. I. WHITNEY, G. P. & T. A.,
St. Paul, Minn.

THE LAST ANTELOPE.

He stood upon the valley's edge, the last of all his race,
And looked from off the flowery ledge upon earth's changing face.

Where were the groves of yucca palm, his tribe at noon to shield?
Where was the wild waste's endless charm? Turned into grove and field.

Gone was the shimmering, sandy plain which once before him rolled.
He looked about, but hope was vain. His little heart grew cold.

Before him, to the right and left, loomed horses, headers, men.
He turned and fled, like one bereft, into the hills again.

Break, timid heart! Your day is done. You leave us but your name.
The power that this your wild has won the whole wide earth can tame.

This "valley of the antelope," where you and yours could rove,
Now fills with human toil and hope and human joy and love.

—Jennie Peet in "Land of Sunshine."

A HERO.

It was the 10th of last November that I first made his acquaintance.

Perhaps I had better say "their acquaintance." I was staying with Del Giglio at his place near Florence, and that afternoon I went on an exploratory walk.

One of the first things I saw was the pair of them arm in arm.

They were swaggering up and down the dirty little Via Vittorio Emanuele, their red caps nicely adjusted over their ears and their canvas trousers gracefully tucked into their yellow gaiters.

"Is there a regiment here?" I asked of the blind beggar.

"Nossignore. Those two are home on leave. They are off to Africa next week. Holy Virgin bless you, signore!"

I had nothing to do that afternoon, so I made friends with the two soldiers.

It was easy. An admiring glance, a question or two, and it was done, and we were soon seated in front of the cafe drinking red sirup out of eight sided glasses.

The taller of the two was the talker.

"Yes," he explained. "We go to serve la patria."

"Has the signore been to Africa? No? One of our lieutenants was once there, and it is said that he shot a lion—or was it an elephant, Vanni?"

"Tiger," answered the little brown one briefly.

"Very interesting," I said, lighting my pipe. "Waiter, some cigars. And when do you go?"

"We go back to Florence Monday and we embark from Naples on Thursday."

It was always Luca who did the talking, Vanni sitting silently stirring his sirup.

"I see you are great friends," I remarked presently. "You are lucky to be going together."

Luca threw his arm affectionately about Vanni's shoulder and gave him a little hug.

"Sissignore, we are friends since we were babies. Eh, Vanni?"

Vanni grinned, screwing up his little black eyes. "Eh, altro," he answered.

"'Ngiorno, Gigina!" suddenly exclaimed my two warriors together, jumping up and bowing with much impressement.

Gigina, a stoutly built, black eyed girl, whom I knew to be the daughter of the innkeeper, nodded gayly:

"'Ngiorno," she returned, with a killing glance, which included both of them. Then she passed on.

There was an awkward silence.

"Bellina," I began diplomatically. Luca grinned and gave a conquering twist to his little mustache.

Vanni shuffled his feet and swallowed a great draft of sirup.

"Gigina is very beautiful," observed Luca. "We dance together."

"You must make a very fine couple," I answered.

"Mmm! Non c'e male—not so bad. Vanni is too short for her."

"But Vanni has fine shoulders," I ventured mildly.

Vanni rubbed his nose with the back of his hand.

"She weighs more than Luca," he said.

Luca sniffed. "She gave me the red rose she wore in her hair at the fair."

"And you lost it."

Vanni leaned his elbows squarely on the little table and grinned at his dearest friend.

"Bah!" retorted Luca angrily. "She will give me another. You never had a rose, flat nose!"

"She walked from church with me on Sunday, bandy legs," screamed Vanni.

"Che! Because I was with Assunta Biffi. It is well to make them jealous sometimes. But you, son of a pauper!"

They had risen and were facing each other across the table—Vanni white with rage, Luca sneering nastily.

I was about to interfere when Vanni suddenly sat down.

"We are forgetting our compact, Luchino mio," he said, drawing a long breath.

Luca nodded.

"Thou art right, dear little one." And they shook hands.

"Il signore will think us mad," said Luca politely to me.

I raised my hands in deprecation.

"Dio mio! I, too, was once young, my children," I answered, "and when one is in love."

Luca jerked the tassel of his cap over his ear and threw out his chest.

"E vero," he said, with a self satisfied air, "and we are amoroso tutt' e due, aren't we, Vanni?"

Vanni, who was of a much less expansive nature, only grunted and nodded his head.

"You see," continued Luca as the greasy waiter provided us with more sirup—"you see, we are both in love—oh, very much in love with Gigina! Sometimes we have almost hated each other on her account. But we are migliori amici, and that would be a pity."

I assented, and he resumed:

"Gigina, she is very teasing, very gay. She always says, 'One or the other.' That is very well, but, after all, even best friends can't share a wife. Can they Vanni? So now we go to the war, and when we come back she will take one or the other of us. In the meantime we are always loving friends."

Vanni held out his square brown paw, and the two men shook hands peacefully.

"The signore will understand that Gigina will marry the one who brings back the most glory."

It was the taciturn Vanni who volunteered this information.

I rose. "Ebbene, good luck to you both, and may the best man win."

I shook hands with them and turned to go.

"I am bigger than Vanni," observed Luca vaingloriously as I departed.

The next day but one they went. All the village was at the station to see the last of them. Vanni cried like a baby as his poor old mother clung to him. Luca strutted about, tossing his cock feathered head, and telling of all the things he meant to do "down there." Gigina was gorgeous in a new flowered kerchief and a green satin corset.

"Goodby, my girl," said Luca, taking her two hands in his. "I will return with a medal. You will be proud of me."

He was certainly handsome, far handsomer than little Vanni, who stammered: "Addio, Gigina. May the Holy Virgin bless you!"

Early in March Del Giglio had to go to San Giorgio on some farm business, and I went with him. The day after our arrival there was a great excitement in the village. The two soldiers were coming home. I went to the station, you may be sure. When the train arrived, there was a hush. Then out of a third class carriage stepped Vanni.

On the step he turned and half lifted down in his arms Luca.

Poor, vain Luca! His right arm was gone and one of his beautiful eyes. Some one screamed. It was the buxom Gigina.

The silence was broken, and amid the ensuing clamor I stole away.

The next day at about 5 I strolled into the old cathedral. It was usually empty at that hour, and I liked roaming about in the dusk. Suddenly I heard a sob. There in front of a little side altar knelt a man. It was Vanni.

"Poor boy!" I thought. "He is praying for his friend."

And I was moving quietly away when he looked up and saw me.

"Ah, signore!" he cried. "It is you?"

"Yes," I answered. "What is wrong?"

He crossed himself, rose hastily and led me to a bench near by.

"The signore is kind," he said, still with that pathetic catch in his voice, "and he knew about—it—before. He will help me?"

"He will try," I returned. "Tell me."

"You have seen Luca, signore?"

"Yes."

"And—his gold watch?"

"Yes." Had not all the world—the world, that is, of San Giorgio—seen the watch and heard of the story of how poor young Lieutenant Allegri had given it, just before his death, to the brave San Giorgiano? Was it not in The Giornale? Did not the village throb with proud excitement over the tale?"

"Yes," I answered again. "What then?"

"Ebbene, it is mine, signore—mine! It was I who carried il povero signore tenente back from the front under the terrible rain of fire. It was to me he gave the watch."

"But then," I said, utterly at sea, "then, how has Luca got the watch?"

"Because I gave it to him. Dio mio! Oh, Gigina!"

"Don't be a fool," I said impatiently, "but tell me."

"If il buonissimos ignore will but help me not to be a sneak."

He didn't look a sneak, this poor little miserable Giovanni.

"A sneak?" I repeated. "Tell me and I'll do my best. Why did you give the watch to Luca?"

He straightened back his shoulders then and told me.

"It was because his poor eye was gone and his poor leg. He said to me: 'Now, Vanni, you have no wound, you have the watch, and you will also have Gigina. No girl would every marry a one armed man with only one eye.' It was in the hospital at Massana, the day I first saw him, the poor boy. 'You have all, and I, your poor friend, have nothing. Goodby, I will kill myself.' He was always my miglior amico, signore, and I was in despair. 'Yes,' he said, 'I will kill myself and then perhaps she will be sorry.' So, if I was to have Gigina, what did I care for the watch? I gave it to him."

He paused.

"E poi?" I suggested.

"Sissignore, and then—Gigina says to me: 'Shame on you, Vanni! To come home unhurt with no honors! I will marry Luca!' And now I am home, and they all despise me," went on the poor lad, "and Gigina laughs at me. She seems to think it is my fault perhaps that Luca has lost an arm and an eye. Oh, Dio!" he cried suddenly, rising, "I am so afraid I will tell." I nearly told them all just now in the piazza. I ran away and came in here."

"Luca is a canaglia," I said.

"Oh, no, but his life is ruined, poveretto, and he was molto bello. Only," he hesitated in his loyalty, "I think—non importa. But, per l'amor di Dio, signore, tell me, what must I do?"

There was something of the fatalist in the way he looked at me. I knew that whatever I might advise he would do.

The fault would be mine, the responsibility no longer his.

"Come to the station tomorrow at 4," I said at length. "I will take you to Florence with me."

On my way to the station I called on Luca. He was sitting outside in the sun in a big pillow filled chair, surrounded by a crowd of admirers. Beside him sat Gigina, beaming with pride.

"Buon giorno, signore," she said. "Isn't it a pity that he has lost an arm and an eye? But I don't care, and we are to be married on Saturday."

She played ostentatiously with the watch which she wore on a cord around her brown neck.

"I hear Vanni Bernelli is going with you. Then he won't be here for the wedding?"

She smiled consciously. I began to pity Luca.

"Poor boy, perhaps it's just as well."

Some of the bystanders laughed, and Luca twisted his poor thin fingers nervously about the buttons on his coat.

"Oh, yes," continued the village beauty, "he is a good lad, Vanni, but—a girl doesn't have the chance every day of marrying a hero."

I looked significantly at Luca, who was watching me from under his bandage.

"And it isn't every day that she knows enough to accept him when she has the chance," I said.—Exchange.

Very Pretty.

South American lovers have a pretty custom. It is well known that when the petals of the great laurel magnolia are touched, however lightly, the result is a brown spot, which develops in a few hours. The fact is taken advantage of by the lover, who pulls a magnolia flower, and on one of its pure, white petals writes a motto or message with a hard, sharp pointed pencil. Then he sends the flower, the young lady puts it in a vase of water, and in three or four hours the message written on the leaf becomes quite visible and remains so.

Burials In Paris.

Practically there is or was only one undertaker for the whole of the French capital and its suburbs. Disgusted with the abuse and unseemly scenes of his times Napoleon conferred the monopoly of burying the Parisians on one contractor, and the arrangements exist to the present day.

NELSON MARKETS.

The following are the prices of groceries, provisions, etc., as quoted by our local dealers. It is the intention of The Miner to have these prices corrected every week by trustworthy dealers, so that residents of the city and others may be informed as to the cost of living in the city:

Flour.	
Ogilvie's Hungarian per 50 lb sack	1 75
Lake of the Woods "	1 75
Snow Flake per 50 lb sack	1 50
Grain	
Wheat per ton	32 00@35 00
Bran per ton	20 00@22 00
Ground feed per ton	26 00@28 00
Corn (whole) "	26 00@28 00
Corn (cracked) "	27 00@30 00
Oats "	30 00@32 00
Oatmeal per 10 lbs	40@ 50
Rolled oats (B & K)	05
Rolled oats (B & K) 8lb sack	40
Feed.	
Hay (baled) per ton	19 00@20 00
Vegetables.	
Potatoes per 100 lbs	1 00@ 1 25
Beets per lb	2½
Cabbage per lb	2½
Cauliflower per lb	2½
Onions per lb	03
Cucumbers	05
Fish.	
Salmon (smoked) per lb	12½@ 15
Oysters (Olympian) per qt	80
Oysters (Eastern) per tin	60
Cod per lb	08
Halibut per lb	12½@ 15
Smelts per lb	12½@ 15
Farm Produce.	
Eggs per doz	25 35
Butter (Creamery)	25@ 30
Butter (Dairy)	20@ 25
Cheese (Canadian)	13@ 17½
Cheese Swiss)	20@ 30
Meats.	
Ham (American) per lb	15
Ham (Canadian) per lb	15
Bacon (American) per lb	15
Bacon (Canadian) per lb	14@ 16
Bacon (rolled) per lb	12½@ 16
Bacon (long clear) per lb	12½
Shoulders per lb	12½
Lard per lb	12½
Beef per lb	8@ 15
Mutton per lb	10@ 18
Veal per lb	15@ 18
Pork per lb	12½@ 15
Fruit.	
Bananas per doz	40@ 50
Lemons (California) per doz	35@ 40
Oranges (California seedlings)	40@ 50
Melons (each)	25@ 60
Crab apples per lb	05
Apples	04
Tomatoes	08@ 10
Grapes	12½ 15
Peaches	08
Pears (Bartletts)	08 10
Pears (small green)	06 08
Plums (greengage)	05
Plums	04 05

TRAINS AND STEAMERS ARRIVING AND DEPARTING FROM NELSON.

6:20 a.m.—Train leaves N. & F. S. station for Rossland, Spokane and way points daily.

7:00 a.m.—S. S. Nelson leaves for Kuskonook and way points Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

7:15 a.m.—S. S. International arrives from Kaslo and way points daily except Sunday.

8:00 a.m.—S. S. Alberta leaves for Kaslo and way points on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday.

9:00 a.m.—Train leaves C. P. R. station for Slocan City, daily except Sunday.

11:00 a.m.—S. S. Kokanee arrives from Kaslo and way points daily except Sunday.

2:20 p.m.—Train arrives C. P. R. station, from Slocan City and way points, daily, except Sunday.

4:00 p.m.—S. S. Kokanee leaves for Kaslo and way points, daily, except Sunday.

4:45 p.m.—S. S. International leaves for Kaslo and way points, daily except Sunday.

5:35 p.m.—Train arrives N. & F. S. station, from Spokane, Rossland and way points, daily.

6:30 p.m.—S. S. Nelson, arrives from Kuskonook, and all way points, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

6:40 p.m.—Train leaves C. P. R. station for Robson, Rossland, and all Main Line points, daily.

9:00 p.m.—S. S. Alberta arrives from Kaslo and way points, on Monday, Thursday and Friday.

10:30 p.m.—Train arrives C. P. R. station, from all Main Line points, Rossland and Robson, daily

Steam tugs Kaslo, Angerona, Red Star, Hercules, Surprise and others ply on Kootenay lake to and from Nelson, but have no regular times of arrival and departure.

Transportation Companies are requested to give notice to the Miner of any alterations in the time of arrival and departure from Nelson.

WHAT DO YOU WANT

For One Cent a Word?

You can find a buyer for "Any Old Thing" if you advertise.

Classified Advertisements.

All advertisements in this column are 1 cent a word each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents.

MISCELLANEOUS

MUSIC LESSONS.—On piano, organ or guitar, by Mrs. W. J. Astley, Robson street two doors west of Stanley. P. O. Box 130.

ORGAN FOR SALE—Five octaves, 3½ sets reeds, 11 Stops, Vox Humane, grand organ and knee swell, handsome case, by Oatses, Clinton, powerful and brilliant tone. In good condition. For sale cheap. Address "T. M." box F, Nelson B.C.

Subscribe for The Miner

NEW BOOKS

The Battle of the Strong - Gilbert Parker
The Adventures of Francois, Foundling, Thief and Juggler. Wier Mitchell
Tekla - Robert Barr.
The Scourge of God - John Blourdell Burton
Her Memory - Marten Marteens

All the newest publications at

Thomson Stationery Co. LIMITED (d22

NELSON

MURPHY & PEARCY

PAINTERS and **DECORATORS**

The only Decorators in Nelson

All orders promptly attended to.

P. O. BOX 144. NELSON

C. D. J. Christie

INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT.

FOR RENT

A 3 Roomed and a 4 Roomed House.

The Dominion Permanent Loan Co.

Advance money at terms to suit borrower.

C. D. J. Christie, Agent

MINES EXAMINED

AND REPORTED ON BY

F. M. CHADBOURN

Twenty years' experience in mining. Thorough knowledge of mines of British Columbia. Terms Reasonable.

718 NELSON, B. C.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson of the city of Kaslo in the province of British Columbia, furniture Dealers, have by deed bearing date the eighteenth day of October, 1898, assigned all their real and personal property except as therein mentioned to Frederick E. Archer of the said city of Kaslo, trader, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying ratably or proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson or of either of them, their just debts.

The said deed was executed by the said Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson, the assignors, and the said Frederick E. Archer the trustee, on the 19th day of October 1898, and the said trustee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed.

All persons having claims against the said Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson, or either of them, must forward and deliver to the said trustee at Kaslo, B. C full particulars of their claims duly verified together with particulars of security, if any, held by them, on or before the 17th day of November, 1898, and all persons indebted to the said Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson or either of them are required to pay the amounts due by them to the said trustee forthwith. After the said 17th day of November, 1898, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

A meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Newton Owen and Thomas Stevenson will be held at the premises lately occupied by them on Front street, Kaslo, B. C. at 2.00 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, the 9th day of November, 1898, for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

McANN & MACKAY,
Cameron Building,
A Avenue, Kaslo, B. C.
Solicitors for the Trustee

Dated the 18th day of October, 1898.

ATLANTIC

Steamship Lines

From Montreal or Quebec

Beaver Line—Gallia	Nov. 23
Beaver Line—Lake Ontario	Nov. 25
Dominion Line—Scotsman	Nov. 19
Allan Line—Laurentian	Nov 19

From St John

Dominion Line—Vancouver	Nov. 30
Allan Line—Parisian	Dec. 7

From New York

White Star Line—Germanic	Nov. 23
White Star Line—Teutonic	Nov. 30
Cunard Line—Umbria	Nov. 19
Cunard Line—Lucania	Nov. 26
Allan State Line—State of Nebraska	Dec. 2
Anchor Line—Anchoria	Nov. 19
AmericanLine—St Paul	Nov 23

Cabin, $45.00, $50, $60, $70 $80 and upwards.
Intermediate, $32.50 and upwards
Steerage, $22.50 and upwards.
Passengers ticketed through to all points in Great Britain or Ireland, and at specially low rates to all parts of the European continent.
Prepaid passages arranged from all points
Apply to GEO. S. BEER, City Ticket Agent, Nelson, or to, WILLIAM STITT
554) General Agent, C.P.R. Offices, Winnipeg.

G. D. CURTIS

ARCHITECT

625 OVER THOMSONS' BOOK STORE.

FIRST TRIAL

of our Clothing is generally sufficient to make a life long customer.

We don't offer our goods below cost, because we have no desire to lose money. We sell at prices which are sufficient to pay for good material and good workmanship. The size and variety of our stock enables us to please a customer both as to style and fit. Indeed we are particular on these points. We rather lose a sale than permit unsatisfactory garments to leave the store.

These values cannot be surpassed.

- - J. A. GILKER - -

P O. STORE.

KIRKPATRICK & WILSON

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Groceries, Crockery and Glassware

SOAPS

A Full Line of Fancy Toilet Soaps of all standard brands

If you want a sweet-scented healthful soap at a reasonable price you will make no mistake by buying it here.

W. F. TEETZEL & CO. Nelson, B. C.

DRUGS AND ASSAYER'S SUPPLIES.

LONDON & BRITISH COLUMBIA GOLDFIELDS. LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON, ENGLAND.

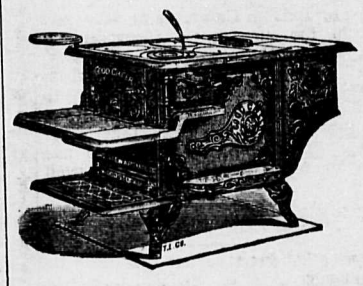
All Communications relating to British Columbia business to be addressed to P. O. Drawer 505, Nelson, B.C.

J. RODERICK ROBERTSON, General Manager
S. S. FOWLER, E. M., Mining Engineer
} NELSON, B. C.

893

NOW IS THE WINTER OF OUR DISCONTENT MADE GLORIOUS SUMMER

BY USING



Stewart's Heaters

COAL AND WOOD

A carload of Coal Heaters direct from the Factory arrived on Friday.

Lawrence Hardware Co'y.

PABST : : : BOHEMIAN

A Trial will convince that the World's Leading Beer loses none of its good qualities by being bottled in our own country.

THORPE & CO., Ltd.
NELSON, VICTORIA & VANCOUVER

There is Not

And there never has been such an assortment of .. ..

Fancy Lamps, Piano Lamp and Table, Bronzes and Fancy Onyx Tables

Of the Latest Designs and Low Prices in British Columbia as now on Display at .. ..

Jacob Dover's Jewelry Store.