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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

THE MIDDLE RANGE IS ALWAYS RICH

So Says Scroggie, of Scroggie Creek.

WORK UP TO THE DOME

He Says, and You'r Sure to Strike it—A Montreal Man's Theory of the Placers.

Victoria, Nov. 4.—The steamer City of Seattle arrived from Alaska this afternoon. She had on board a vast number of Klondikers, miners from points along the river from Atlin and from Cook's Inlet, and Copper river district. There was, it is estimated, from $100,000 to $150,000 in treasure aboard. Purser Thordyke had from $70,000 to $80,000 in charge.

News is given by J. Griffith Stephens, a mining man of Montreal, of new finds on Scroggie creek a tributary of the Stewart river about 20 miles from its mouth. This strike has created excitement at Dawson and caused a stampede from the Klondike district. Mr. Stephens went in last year, with a party of Montrealers, headed by E. B. Scroggie, a Montreal drygoods man, and was the discoverer of gold in Scroggie creek, which he found on August 28 last. Stephens says that the manner in which Scroggie creek was located was by simply studying the country following up the mineral indications to the dome. "As every one knows," he said, "when there are great mountain ranges splitting the western portion of the continent, the Rocky mountain range, the middle range and the coast range, it is in the middle range that placer is found. You can follow this range from the Arctic ocean into South America and find placer gold. The coast range is a quartz producer. The Koyakuk, the Klondike, the Stewart, for a portion of the distance, the Coeur d'Alenes, the placers of California and of South America, are all in the middle range and just as soon as the prospector works out too far towards the Rocky mountains range, where they approach the middle range, just so sure does the miner find himself out of the mineral belt. That is why so many men have found nothing on the Stewart. They go up the river for a hundred miles or so, and then follow up some stream towards the Klondike and find nothing. In the northern country all the placer comes from domes. At Dawson all the gold in that region comes from the Bonanza dome."

Talking of his prospecting on the Stewart, he said as soon as the party reached there they found good indications, magnetic sand, mica, schist, and followed the lead. Twenty eight miles up the river, on the south side, they came to the creek which Mr. Stephens named Scroggie creek. Following this creek for 20 miles they found the Scroggie dome. They put down a hole and took out an average of $1 to the pan in coarse gold. They washed out quite a little and filed over the discovery and came out. As soon as the news got around, there was a stampede to the country, and when Mr. Stephens left there were 55 cabins there and over 3350 people will winter at the discovery. While Mr. Stephens was on his way in, he located several good quartz claims on a copper ledge about a mile and a half from the Yukon, near Five Fingers. The one ran an ounce and 80 cents in gold and 30 per cent copper. The N. A. T. T. company have a group of claims near by and a force of 15 men at work.

BOILER EXPLOSION.

Oil City, Penna., Nov. 4. —By the explosion of a new boiler at the Oil City Boiler works today two men were killed, two fatally injured and a dozen more slightly hurt. The killed are: Charles McCoskey, John Frawley, fatally injured, B. J. Gidders, both legs broken and injured internally; Dennis McMahon, injured internally. The cause of the explosion was a defective guage.

THE PORTO RICO.

The Porto Rico group of six claims, situated on Porto Rico mountain six miles west of the siding of that name on the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway in the Ymir district is being steadily developed, with satisfactory results. The principal claim the Porto Rico, was located in 1896 by G. G. Day and W. J. Maxwell. In the spring of 1897, Mr. W. H. Corbould secured the group and commenced development work. At the present time the mine is developed by three tunnels of an aggregate length of 1050 feet. The ore is free milling quartz carrying iron pyrites and will concentrate about 10 to 1, with values that will average about $40 per ton. The vein will average about 22 inches in width and lies in a porphyry formation.

The mine is equipped with a five drill compressor, a 10-stamp mill with a capacity of 30 tons per day and an aerial tramway, half a mile in length from the mine to the mill.

GANS THE WINNER.

New York, Nov. 4.—Joe Gans, the negro boxer, of Baltimore, won a well earned decision over Kid McPartland of this city, before the Lennox Athletic club here tonight. Although he did not knock McPartland out, gans outclassed his opponent throughout the entire fight, which lasted the full limit of 25 rounds, and at no time did McPhartland get the better of his dusky rival.

CANADIAN BRIEFS.

News Gathered From All Parts of the Dominion and Given in Condensed Form an Epitome of Events.

Lieut.-Governor Forget of the North West Territories and Madame Forget are in Ottawa, the guests of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier

A bankers' clearing house has been established at Victoria, all the banks in the city being members thereof. The returns for the week ending Nov. 1, were: Clearings, $700,553; balances, $219,408.

The railway telegraphers of the Intercolonial railway are demanding more pay and Grand Master Powell of the order is in Ottawa to lay the case before the government.

The Rev. Henry M. Hackett, late principal of the church Missionary College in Allahabad, has been appointed head of the Dioceson Theological College at Montreal.

C. E. Gregory barrister of Antigonish, is at Ottawa pleading for a commutation of the sentence of death passed upon H. Davidson for murder.

His Honor Judge Spinks is holding a session of the County court at Rossland.

The application of the Manitoba branch of the Ancient Order of United Workmen for registry in Ontario has been refused.

Lennox liberals have re-nominated B. E. Aylesworth as a candidate for the Ontario provincial assembly at the approaching bye-elections.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not be able to go to Washington to attend the session of the International conference until Nov. 15. Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Louis Davies will represent the Canadian government until the arrival of the premier.

The Canadian Pacific railway company is building in its shops at Perth, Ont., 100 box, 35 stock and 60 ore cars. At Montreal two dining cars, of elaborate and handsome design, 70 feet long with wide vestibules, are nearly finished. The finishings, inside and out, will be in mahogany. Fifty suburban cars 50 feet long are also being built in Montreal.

KILLED HER ASSAILANT.

Munice, Ind., Nov. 4.—This morning John Bailey, a prominent farmer, residing eight miles north of this city, was shot to death by Mrs. Levina Black, a neighbor. Ten days ago Mrs. Black had Bailey arrested on a charge of criminal assault. The trial resulted in acquittal. Since that time Mrs. Black has been the butt of much talk. This preyed upon her mind and this morning's tragedy was the result.

A FRIEND OF DREYFUS.

Paris, Nov. 4.—The minister of war, M. Defreycinet, has signed a decree removing General Renouard from the head of the general staff and appointing him to the command of the 11th army crops at Nantes. It is suggested that the minister's action was due to Gen. Renuoard's attitude in regard to the secret documents in the Dreyfus case. General Brault has been appointed to succeed General Renouard.

MANILA REBELS EXACT TRIBUTE

Right Under the Noses of the Americans.

OFFENDERS IN CUSTODY

They Had Established a Rebel Recruiting Office and Court and Imposed Illegal Fines on Chinamen.

San Francisco,, Nov. 4.—A special despatch from Manila says: The insurgents are still collecting tribute from the residents of Manila and it seems almost impossible to check them. Almost at the doors of the headquarters of the 1st Colorado a rebel recruiting station and court were discovered. Four young natives who were drafted into the rebel army refused to go and they were placed under arrest and an effort made to take them by force. The entire staff at the rebel headquarters was arrested for abduction and it was then learned that some preposterous fines had been levied on two Chinese by the court.

The rebel officers are on trial before Col. Chas. Hewett in the provost court and will be severely dealt with.

JOINT TRAFFIC ASS'N.

Destroyed by Judicial Decision, It Will Be Wound Up.

New York, Nov. 4.—The following committee has been appointed to wind up the affair of the Joint Traffic association: H. J. Haydon, representing the New York Central and affiliated business; D. H. Gray, the Pennsylvania; George Randolph, the Baltimore and Ohio; George C. Cochrane, the Erie; John Burton, the Grand Trunk; H. C. Hicks, the Delaware Lackawanna & Western; General Orland Smith, the Lehigh Valley; M. Knight, the Wabash, and George Olds, the Canadian Pacific.

THE FLEETS IN CHINA SEAS.

Comparisons of the Strength of the British and Russian Warships.

Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour, who is in command of the British fleet in Chinese waters, is a K. C. B. He knows the Rusians of old, having served as midshipman on board the Terrible during the Russian war in the Black Sea in 1854. Sir Edward has a similar acquaintance with the Chinese. He was midshipman of the Calcutta's launch when she was sunk at the destruction of the Chinese flotilla in Fatshan creek in 1857. He served afterward as lieutenant through the Chinese war. During the Egyptian war he was captain of the Iris. He was promoted to rear admiral in 892, and admiral superintendent of naval reserves in 1894. In 1896 he commanded the C and D fleets at the naval manoeuvres, and slipped into Lough Foyle during the night, thus out-manoeuver in the blocakding fleet. Here is a list of the Birtish and Russian fleets now in Chinese waters. The figures give the tounage:

BRITISH.

Battleships—	
Victorious	14,900
Barfleur	10,500
Centurian	10,500
Armored Cruisers.—	
Powerful	14,200
Immortalite	5,600
Narcissus	5,600
Undaunted	5,600
Unarmored Cruisers.—	
Grafton	7,350
Edgar	7,350
Iphigenia	3,600
Pique	3,600
Rainbow	3,600
Torpedo Destroyers—	
Handy	245
Hart	265
Foam	265
Whiting	265
Coast Defence—	
Wivern	2,750
Total	85,190

RUSSIAN

Battleships.—	
Navarin	9,476
Cissol Veliki	8,880
Armoured Cruisers.—	
Vladimir Monomach	5,754
Ad. Navchimoff	7,782
Dimitri Donskoi	5,893
Pamyat Azova	6,000
Rossia	12,130
Rurik	10,923
Unarmored Cruisers.—	
Ad. Korniloff	5,000
Armored Gunboats.—	
Gremiastchy	1,500
Otvazny	1,500
Destroyers.—	
Two	480
Total	75,318

BRILLIANT GATHERING HONORS KITCHENER

Under the Entwined British and Egyptian Flags.

THE GREAT MEN THERE

The Banquet Was Given in the Mansion House, and the Most Distinguished Men in England Attended

London, Nov. 4.—The banquet given to General Kitchener at the Mansion house this evening was an exceptionally brilliant affair. A trophy of British and Egyptian flags entwined had been arranged above the Lord Mayor's seat. The guests, who wore full dress uniforms, with ribbons and decorations, included the Duke of Cambidge, the Marquis of Salisbury and the other cabinet ministers; Lords Roberts, of Kandahar, Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, Sir William Vernon Harchort, Lord Rosebery, Lord Wolseley, the commander in chief of the forces, Lord Russell, of Killowen, the lord chief justice of England, Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, the newly appointed viceroy of India, Sir Joseph Lister, president of the Royal society, the Duke of Marlborough, Mr. Henry White, the United States charge d'affaires, Baron Rothschild, Judge Lambert Tree, formerly United States minister to Russia and others of the highest rank in the British empire. In all there were about 350 guests present.

The Lord Mayor received his guest in the grand salon. General Kitchener was attired in the uniform of a major general of the British army, with the ribbon of the Osmans order. He was greeted with tremendous cheers from the assembled guests. The banquet was appropriately served in the Egyptian hall of the Mansion house. General Kitchener sat on the right of the Lord Mayor and the Duke of Cambridge was seated on the right of the Lord Mayor and the Duke of Cambridge was seated on the Lord Mayor's left. After the dinner proper the lady mayoress and a number of other ladies were accommodated with seats in the gallery in order to enable them to hear the speeches.

After the loving cup had been circulated, the Lord Mayor toasted the Queen, the Prince of Wales and the Royal family, to which the Duke of Cambridge responded.

Lord Rosebery toasted the army and navy, paying a glowing tribute to Lord Kitchener and his gallant comrades and to Lord Cromer and the Egyptian and Soudanese forces, "whose brilliant campaign, just closed is the most consummate in the annals of British military history for 80 years and far more beneficial and extended in its results than, perhaps, any recorded in history." The campaign, said Lord Rosebery, had wiped out the "bloodiest and most barbarous tyranny in the history of mankind." He concluded by expressing the opinion that Great Britain had "a right to expect from the nations whose territory bordered on the Dervish territory not ill feeling and jealousy, but the fullest measure of gratitude."

Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon the first and principal naval aide-de-camp to the Queen, responded for the navy, and the Secretary of State for War Lord Landsdowne, for the army. There was a feeling of expectancy throughout the speeches and everything that could be construed as an allusion to war was jumped at by the assembly with prolonged cheers. When Sir Nowell Salmon alluded to the "preparedness of the navy," and Lord Landsdowne to the "readiness of the army," there were prolonged cheers.

The assembly greeted the rising of the Marquis of Salisbury to toast the Sirdar with nervous silence, as it had been whispered that he had an important and grave statement to make. His statement was important, but it was pacific as he announced a settlement of the chief difficulty with France. The premier said in part: "No one can wonder at the vast enthusiasm by which the career of the great soldier has been received, especially when we consider the strange dramatic interest of the circumstances and conditions amid which his laurels were won by the Sirdar. Besides being a splendid soldier, he is also a splendid diplomatist. It must have required unusual talents successfully to carry out the delicate mission up the Nile which conducted him into the presence of Major Marchand. The Sirdar has lately expressed the hope that the difficulties arising from the presence of Major Marchand may be within the power of diplomacy to adjust. I am glad to say that up to a certain point he has proved a true prophet. This afternoon I received from French ambassador the information that the French government have come to the conclusion that the occupation of Fashoda is of no sort of value. (Prolonged laughter and cheers.) And that they thought, in the circumstances, that to persist in an occupation which would only cost them money and do harm, merely because some bad advisers thought it might be disagreeable to an unwelcome neighbor, would not show the wisdom with which, as I think, the French republic has been uniformly guided.

"They have done what I believe every government would have done in the same position, resolved that the occupation must cease (cheers). I must not be understood as saying that all causes of controversy are removed. That is not so. Doubtless there will be many discussions between us; but a somewhat acute and somewhat dangerous cause of difference has been removed."

General Kitchener's reply, which was modest and not important, gave unstinted praise to the British, Egyptian and Soudanese troops. The Sirdar said he would indeed have been an incapable leader if he had failed of victory with such soldiers. He gave some details as to the expenses of the expedition, dwelling with pride upon the cheapness, and, in summing up the "assets that remain," referred to 600 miles of railway, gunboats, a flotilla of sailing craft and, after a pause, the Soudan. (Laughter and Applause).

A striking feature of the scene was the presence of a number of young officers of the Guards, Life Guards and 21st Lancers, who had served with the Sirdar. Several of them were wounded and walked with crutches or with their arms in slings.

A RAILWAY WAR.

Great Transcontinental Highways to Fight for Southern B. C. Trade.

The officials of the Canadan Pacifi railway will soon have one of the biggest fights of their existence on their hands, and it is understood that at this early date steps are being taken to get things in shape for the battle which is soon to begin with the American railroad interests, headed by the Great Northern railway, over an entrance into Southern British Columbia, to compete with the Canadian Pacific railway. The American roads profess to know that the C. P. R. authorities fear the outcome of the fight on account of the vast amount of capital which is said to be behind the move on the part of the Great Northern. At Ottawa it will be the Corbin fight of last session over again, only on a much larger scale.

The C. P. R. came out successful last session after a hard fought battle and since that time the Corbin interests have passed into the hands of the Great Northern, and that they are prepared to carry on the business where Mr. Martin left off is now well known in railway circles. At the present time representatives of the Great Northern, are said to be at work in Canada paving the way for the introduction of a measure at the next session of the Canadian house seeking legislative approval for the construction of a line into southern British Columbia from the United States.

The coming struggle will be all the more interesting on account of the fact that all the American roads which have been fighting against the C. P. R. in the passenger and freight rate fights, are allied with the Great Northern in this matter, and it is said would be very glad to get in a blow at their most feared rival.

At the recent dinner given in his honor at Winnipeg, while he was on his annual tour of inspection Sir William Van Horne, president of the C. P. R. foreshadowed the coming struggle when he stated that the Great Northern people would be probably found at Ottawa at the next session of parliament seeking legislation to get a line into British Columbia to cut into the trade of that region. Sir William declared that it would be a shame if Canadians did not get all the trade resulting from the Canadian Pacific road, as it had been built largely with public subsidies.

A Spokane paper in that connection announces that "The Great Northern is making ready for a great struggle with the Canadian Pacific railway. The traffic of British Columbia is to be the prize of battle. Back of the C. P. R. will be its powerful agents in the Dominion government; back of the Great Northern will be all the great American railways which all hope to share in the gains once the grip of the Canadian octopus is broken."—Montreal Star.

HONOR ROLL.

The following pupils of the Nelson Public School attained rank one, in their respective classes for the month ending October 31.

Division IV—
Primer C—Leon McCandlish.
Primer 3—Jennie Curry.
Primer A—A. Raymond Bard.
MRS. W. PEARCY, Teacher.

Division III—
Primer B—Georgie Gore.
Primer A—Charlotte Clayton and Milton McCandlish, equal.
Junior II—Amy Swannell.
MISS NORA O'REILLY.

Division II—
Senior Part II—Harriet Smith.
Junior III—Pearl McAlmon.
Senior III—Pauline Annable.
MISS N. DELMAGE.

Division I—
Senior II—Ernest Steel.
Senior IV—Hattie Mallette.
Senior V—Anna McDonald.
J. HOSTLEY SOADY, B. A., Principal.

Meteorological Report.

(Observations taken by A. H. Holdich.)

DATE	DAY	HIGHEST	LOWEST	RAIN FALL	BAROMETER
Oct. 30	Sunday	46.0	39.0	0.30	27.70
Oct. 31	Monday	43.0	39.0	0.08	27.50
Nov 1	Tuesday	50.0	38.0	0.18	27.56
Nov 2	Wed'day	43.5	36.0	0.04	27.50
Nov 3	Thursday	49.0	35.0	0.14	27.65
Nov 4	Friday	50.0	34.0	0.09	27.90

A BURNING SHIP GOES DOWN AT SEA

Fire Drives the Ship Company Overboard.

EXPLOSIVES ON BOARD

A Passing Schooner Stands by and Aids in Rescuing the Crew and Passengers. Lives Lost.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 4.—Captain Hale and a number of the crew and passengers of the Clyde steamer Crotan, New York for Wilmington, North Carolina, and Georgetown, South Carolina, arrived here this afternoon, reporting that the steamer was burned and sunk off Cape Charles, November 1. Five persons were drowned. The steamer carried a general cargo. The names of the lost are: Second Assistant Engineer McCarthy, of Nova Scotia; Steward James Curtis, of Jersey City; passengers, Mrs. James Curtis, wife of the steward and Jennie Willard, colored of Wilmington.

DETAILS OF THE DISASTER.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 4.—The Crotan was but 20 hours from New York on her way to Wilmington and going at a good rate of speed with a smooth sea and calm weather when, at 3 p. m., a fireman came hurriedly on deck and reported that the ship was on fire. A general alarm was given and an effort made to lower the boats, but the fire spread with such rapidity that all efforts to reach them were unavailing. In less than 10 minutes after the fire was reported the ship was completely enveloped in flames from stem to stern. Shortly after the fire was discovered an explosion took place in the cargo which blew off the after hatches. A second explosion followed a few minutes later, and the ship was then a mass of flames. It was at this time that Captain Hale, seeing that to remain on the vessel meant sure death, gave orders for all hands to jump overboard and save themselves the best way they could. The captain was the last man to leave the ship, remaining on deck with his first officr until they were completely enveloped in flames and the vessel had commenceed to sink. There seemed to be no panic on board and men and women after lashing on their life preservers leaped into the water. Some of the passengers had their faces scorched and many had their clothing on fire when they jumped into the sea.

The captain and first officer succeeded in securing a yawl boat which had been damaged in lowering, and by hard work rescued eight persons from the water. The burning ship was sighted by the four masted schooner Alice Clark, of Portland, which lay becalmed six miles off, and her captain sent a boat crew to aid in the work of rescue. They succeeded in saving 12 persons, many of whom had been an hour or more in the water and had become nearly exhausted. They were taken on board the Clark and given every possible attention. No explosives were known to be among the ships cargo and the origin of fire is a mystery to her officers and crew.

AFFAIRS IN FRANCE.

Dupuy Says That Light Will be Thrown on the Dreyfus Case Before Very Long.

Paris, Nov. 4.—In the chamber of deputies, M. Miran, socialist opened a discussion upon the general policy of the government. He complained of the excessive measures taken during the strike, of the reactionary tendency in the army and of the dismissal of Professor Dreyfus, a university professor.

M. Dupuy replied that the government did not intend to introduce new laws, as those already existing sufficed to guarantee order and protect the army. As to the Dreyfus case, the premier added, light will be thrown upon it the day the court renders its decision, which will be enforced by the government. The chamber approved the ministerial declaration by a vote of 429 to 64. The minister of finance M. Paytral introduced the budget, and the minister of foreign affairs replying to demands for discussion of the Fashoda question, said he was unable to fix a date for it in view of the interests he had to safeguard; but, the minister added, he hoped to arrange an early date for its discussion.

The minister of justice, M. Lebret, replying to a motion providing that all revision cases be submitted to the whole court of cassation instead of to particular departments, said it was impossible to alter the procedure already started in the Dreyfus case. The house then adjourned.

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PROPER BUILDINGS NEEDED.

It is hoped that the Nelson Board of Trade will, at its regular meeting, decide upon strong representations to the government as to the great need there is in this city for government buildings commodious enough to meet the ever-increasing requirements of the place. The member for the *riding* should long ago have taken action to have such buildings provided, but evidently Mr. Bostock has not that regard for the needs of the principal city in his constituency that he should have. He seldom comes here and has created the impression that he avoids the place. Of course, this is a mistaken idea, for Mr. Bostock has many duties to call *him* elsewhere. The fact remains, however, that he has done nothing towards meeting the wishes of the people of Nelson in regard to public buildings. We would advise the Board of Trade to send their requests directly to Hon. Mr. Tarte, minister of the department of public works. Mr. Tarte is a gentleman who interests himself in all public needs within the province of his department and can be depended upon to give all such matters immediate attention. The government has been called upon to spend very little money in this city, and it can not refuse to provide the buildings desired. Much less important places than this secure government offices such as they need without trouble, and Nelson should have no difficulty in this direction. A custom house, internal revenue office and a postoffice are wanted. It is for the government to say whether these should be under one roof. If the government consulted future needs it would erect a post office that would be commodious *enough to serve this rapidly* growing city for many years to come, and it would provide a separate building for a custom house and internal revenue office.

LEAD PRODUCTS.

Hon. Joseph Martin is satisfied that silver-lead and lead products will be commodities which will be taken into consideration in a reciprocity treaty, if one be entered into between the United States and Canada. It is also understood that if no treaty be arrived at that the Dominion government, in order to give British Columbia the protection it is entitled under the present protective policy of the government, will increase the import duties on lead products, or place them the same as those which apply on silver lead and lead products entering the United States. This is one of the alternatives proposed by Mr. Hugh Sutherland which should be adopted if the lead producers of this province are to receive fair treatment. It is understood that the government is in full possession of the facts bearing on the matter and that the subject has already been before the Quebec conference for consideration. At the present time the producers of silver-lead and lead ores in this province labor under great disabilities which seriously affect the profits which should be theirs. If the remedy layin their own hands it would be very easy to apply it, but it does not. It is a question of legislation and every one knows that the Canadian government has hesitated to adopt any policy which could be construed into retaliation or exclusion. Such are contrary to British ethics in the administration of public affairs. If our American friends would see that it would not put them at a disadvantage but would ensure them larger trade, they would amend the customs duties applying to silver-lead and lead ore, but *unfortunately* the *government* at Washington is constrained to consider public opinion in the western mining states, and that opinion is decidedly against what are called "concessions to Canada." The time will come when these duties will be found to have been a great mistake, inasmuch as they drove Canadians to look around for relief, with the result that they devised means to retain in their own country the profits accruing from the treatment of ore, which profits formerly went to American smelters.

OPERA HOUSE WOULD PAY.

Nelson promises to become quite a place for theatricals, what is known to the profession as "a good show town." For the past week an excellent dramatic company, has filled the rink nightly with fashionable audiences, and notwithstanding many drawbacks in the shape of lack of accommodation, have given most creditable performances. The company will stay another week and two other companies discovering that Nelson patronizes amusements liberally are anxious to come in and share in the honors and the rewards of effort. The great lack at the present time is a theatre or building which, while serving the purposes of an opera house as required, could also be utilized for social and other gatherings. For want of a more suitable place the rink has been made to serve, and the owner of that place has done all in his power to meet requirements. But the building is illy adapted for dramatic entertainments and will shortly, the winter being at hand, revert to the purpose for which it is intended.

We are glad to say that plans are in *preparation for an opera house on* Victoria street, in a central position and easily reached from all parts of the city. The citizens should lend this enterprise every assistance in their power and encourage it in every way. The more substantial the character of the building the better for the owners and the more creditable to the city. With such a building available we shall have first-class companies, and in a city so devoid of amusement as this, they will be certain of audiences that will be as encouraging as they will be profitable.

COMMUNICATIONS.

MUSIC IN NELSON.

To the Editor of The Miner.

Sir:—Winter will soon be with us and the Kootenay winter is perhaps a little trying to the patience of most of us. *Certain it is that the endless* resources for amusement which in the summer this country affords are considerably curtailed in the winter. That being so it behooves us all for the good of the community to do what we can in the way of affording some form of recreation during the coming winter. I think I may safely say that, to a great number of our citizens good music is exceedingly attractive. We have any amount of musical talent in Nelson which is far above the average considering the size of the town, and only requires a certain amount of organization and a little amount of individual application by the fortunate possessors of that talent in order to produce excellent music. Under these circumstances some of us have managed to meet together informally, and individually help each other to practice and to organize one or two good concerts for the coming winter. (By the way there is plenty of room for recruits.)

The want of a proper building for concerts is sadly felt, a want which I trust will shortly be supplied; still under the circumstances we intend to do the best we can with the means at our disposal. The ladies of the National Council of Woman have requested us to give a concert under their auspices on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 24, The Presbyterian church has been kindly lent for that purpose. The proceeds of the concert are to be divided equally between the Kootenay Lake General hospital and the proposed free library. A special feature of this concert will be the debut in Nelson of Mrs. Melville Parry who posseses a beautiful and perfectly trained soprano voice which has earned for her a well deserved reputation in Winnipeg and elsewhere. Mrs. Melville Parry has generously offered her services for these deserving institutions and it remains for the public to show their appreciation of her goodness by insuring us a full house for this concert

A choir of ladies and gentlemen and a small orchestra have been practicing zealously for some time past in the hope of being able to perform the music which they have undertaken for this event as perfectly as their musical attainments will permit. It must be remembered *that no little self denial* has to be exercised by ladies who have household duties to attend to and men who have their daily work to occupy them in order to give three and sometimes four evenings a week to practice and for their sakes to I do most sincerely hope that they will have the hearty support and material co-operation of their fellow citizens. Full particulars as to seats, programme, etc., of this concert will shortly appear.

It is also proposed to render on Christmas Eve, during the service in the new English church, portions of the Messiah and Old English Carols.

Also in Lent of the ensuing year we intend to give an Oratorio. We also propose to give popular concerts on the first Sunday of every month. These concerts, which will commence *at 3:30 in the afternoon*, will last about an hour and a quarter and will consist of sacred and classical music, both vocal and instrumental. No charge will be made for admission but collections may sometimes be made for the expenses of the music and for such charitable and public institutions as may at any time require assistance. Here again the want of a proper building handicaps us. The first free Sunday concert will be held on December 4, and unless a suitable building can be obtained, I can only offer my house. I could seat 70 people and the acoustic properties of the room are not first class, still, unfortunately, I can *think of no other place. It must be* distinctly understood that wherever, the concerts are held they will be absolutely free to any one. However, to avoid any overcrowding or disappointment, tickets will be issued for every available seat and anyone who requires a ticket has only to apply to me for the same. The tickets will be allotted in the order in which they are applied for, and my own more intimate friends must forgive me if I apply severely the maxim of "first come first served," for it would be obviously unfair to do otherwise.

A programme of the music will appear in The Miner on the Saturday immediately preceding the Sunday on which the concert is to be held. Yours faithfully,

W. BROUGHAM.

LABOR IN SLOCAN.

To the Editor of The Miner:

Sir:—In your issue of the 2nd inst., is an article entitled "A Labor Famine" in which R B. Kerr of New Denver says that every available man is employed in the mines, carpenters are not to be had, and it is difficult to get men to cut wood, even at $3 per day, in Sandon almost impossible," etc. In justice to men looking for work *I take the liberty to contradict* this statement. Men in every instance are more available than work. When one considers that cutting cordwood, especially at the mines means working in sleet and snow almost continually at this particular season, they can readily see the reason why it is difficult to get men for that kind of work. Right now there are over twenty idle men in Silverton who are willing to work at anything and there are men coming in from Sandon every day who tell the same story—No work there.

With all respect to Mr. Kerr I must say that his statement is entirely misleading. The *conditions described* by Mr. Kerr did exist a few weeks ago but now that the snow is sending prospectors in from the hills the reverse is true. Yours truly,

TRUTHSEEKER.

Silverton, Nov. 3.

STEAMER ASHORE.

London, Nov. 4.—The British steamer Manchester City, from Shields for Montreal, previously reported as having a disabled rudder, etc., awaiting to be towed to the Tyne, is ashore on the sands at Nigg Bay, in Cromarty Firth.

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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.
10.31 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.
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Mixed Leaves Daily	Stations	Mixed Arrive Daily
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11:10 "	Cody Junction	11:30 "
11:25 "	Cody	11:35 "
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ROBT. IRVING, G. F. & P. A. GEO. F. COPELAND, Superintendent
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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.

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

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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).

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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.

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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, MacDonald Block, cor. Vernon and Josephine streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

CHAS. H. FARROW, Secretary.

COURT KOOTENAY, I.O.F., NO. 8133 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. Furkiss, 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.

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GIVEN A FAIR WARNING

General Hallowes, Acting Governor, Denounces the Recent Disturbances. Lawlessness Not Tolerable.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 4.—General Hallowes, the acting governor, arrived in the Maroon district yesterday, where he covened a public meeting and denounced the recent disturbances with soldierly directness and determination. He made a speech of 800 words, but each sentence was pregnant with indignant reprimand and warning. He said that he wished every one to understand that he did not blame the Maroons for the recent occurances so. much as he blamed that lawless part of the community, which by meetings, money contributions and other means, encouraged a serious breach of the laws. Continuing, the general said he would warn these persons that they were well known by name and action to the government, adding that the law must be maintained and that he intended to maintain it with the utmost vigor. The general then dealt with the land question, which was the root of the recent troubles, promising ameliorating legislation and pledging the government to do justice in the matter. The visit of General Hallowes to the Maroon district has produced an excellent effect, seemingly completely appeasing the feelings of discontent which existed among the Maroons.

OMENICA PLACERS.

The Famous Tom Creek Sold to English Capitalists.

Tom creek, the famous placer stream of the Omenica country. has been sold to an Engilsh syndicate for the sum of $20,000. This interesting piece of mining news was brought down from the north by the steamer Queen City, which has unexpectedly arrived in port. The news possibly means much for a country, which while known to be very rich in the precious metal, requires considerable capital to develop.

Tom creek has an interesting history. Years ago it was a famous stream for the men of the pan and the rocker that adventurously penetrated an almost unknown land in search of gold. Some very large nuggets were found, and a stampede to the creek and the surrounding country took place. Small fortunes were taken out, and it was thought for a time that Cariboo had been eclipsed. The diggings, however, appear to be worked out, and were almost abandoned A few years ago, however, Jas. D. Wells, of Omenica, mining recorder; Colonel Black, of Victoria, and several other gentlemen believing that the creek could be worked well with machinery, secured nearly all the claims on it. While doing a little development work, they have simply held the claims, with a vew to selling them. Mr. Wells was in Victoria last fall with this object in view but did not put a deal he had on through. For several months past negotiations have been going on with the representative of an English syndicate in regard to the properties, and the deal has at last put through.

It is said that it is the intention of the company to take expensive mining machinery into the creek and work it for all it is worth. He believes that it will prove a profitable investment. Should Tom creek turn out rich, much attention will be attracted to Omenica, which while known to be a rich country has been passed over by capitalists.

THE SILVER MARKET.

New York, Nov. 4.—Bar silver, 61⅛; Mexican dollars, 47½; silver certificates, 61⅛ to 61¾.

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CITY AND VICINITY

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

Yesterday, for the third day in succession, there was a clean record in the Police magistrate's court.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Ladies Aid Society will be held in the school room of the Presbyterian church on Monday, 7th November at 3 o'clock.

The new saloon which Abe Johnson is going to open on Baker street is rapidly nearing completion, the work of putting up the fixtures beginning today. The new saloon will be called the Bodega.

The subject of Rev. Mr. Frew's sermon at the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening will be "The Ministry of Books," illustrated from Ian MacLaren's, "The Upper Room." There will be special music by the choir.

The marriage of Mr. F. M. C. Croskill, late of Halifax, N. S., and Miss M. B. Robinson of Sackville, N B., will take place at the English church, Nelson, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. H. S. Akehurst officiating.

At the close of the Sabbath morning service the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered in the Methodist church by the pastor. The evening subject will be "God's Greatest Enterprise." All are welcome.

In reference to a statement in yesterday's issue that T. W. Wright, who had a contract at the Last Chance mine, had left town without paying his men, it may be stated that the Wilson Bros., who own the mine, paid up the miners in full.

Those wishing to take advantage of the rebate on the electric light rates are coming in fair numbers to the city hall. It is to be hoped that the majority will not wait until the last moment, thus causing the same rush and inconvenience that was experienced last month.

Fred Mountain, chief of provincial police in this district whose position, as previously announced in The Miner, is to be taken by W. H. Bullock-Webster, has been promoted. Mr. Mountain has not as yet received any instructions from head quarters as to his new duties.

Today is the two hundred and ninety-third anniversary of the discovery of the gunpowder plot and will be celebrated by the Orangemen of Nelson and their friends by a dinner at the Victoria hotel this evening at 8 o'clock of which notice is given in another column.

The Inland Telephone company operating between San Francisco and Spokane, are stringing a metallic copper wire between the latter town and Nelson which will shortly be in operation. The line on this side of the Boundary will be operated by the Canada Western Telephone & Telegraph Co.

In the last issue of this paper it was inadvertently stated that Provincial Constable F. R. C. Beer arrived in Nelson with another constable having a lunatic in their charge. Mr. Beer is not a member of the provincial police force but is a justice of the peace, the constable referred to being Mr. Jarvis.

Miss Simpson, who was one of the unsuccessful contestants for the gold watch at the Catholic bazaar, received this week a tangible proof of the appreciation of her efforts in connection with that undertaking, by being presented with a handsome gold watch and chain by the ladies who had charge of the bazaar

A telegram was received yesterday afternoon by F. Mountain, chief of provincial police in this district. announcing the death of a man named Oleson, who had been working at Pat Welche's camp on the Robson-Penticton extension, and requesting the coroner to go down there. Dr. Arthur accordingly left for Brooklyn on last night's train. The circumstances surrounding the man's death are not known in town.

The secretary of the Nelson football club received notice yesterday that the Rossland team will not come over to Nelson to day. The return match is consequently off. An Association football practice game will, however, be held on the recreation ground this afternoon, at which it is earnestly requested that all players will be present, as the club hopes to hold one or two association matches before the season closes.

The Ladies Guild of the English church have arranged for an oyster supper for Monday evening next. Through the kindness of the owners and Messrs. Lillie Bros., they have secured the store lately occupied by W. G. Lillie's boot and shoe establishment, next door but one to the Bank of B. C. Here from 8:30 in the evening they will be prepared to serve oysters in many different styles, and assure their patrons of a thoroughly satisfactory supper.

REMOVAL SALE

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PERSONAL MENTION

Hugh Sutherland of Winnipeg, is staying at the Phair.

Alderman J. J. Malone is confined to his home through illness.

Mr. Justice Walkem left for Victoria on yesterday evening's train.

W. B. Wilcox, editor and proprietor of the Brooklyn News is staying at the Queen's.

C. L McCol, chief paymaster on the Crow's Nest Pass railway, left for Brooklyn on yesterday evening's train.

J. P. Peterson, proprietor of the Crown Point hotel, and Mrs. Peterson, of Trail, are registered at the Phair.

Among those registered at the Phair are F. S. Forest, Spokane; J. T. Beatty, Winnipeg; R. Armstrong, Kuskonook; G. H. Ireland, Toronto.

C. Shields, vice president of the Spokane Falls & Northern railway, and, C. G. Dixon, general passenger and ticket agent, are staying at the Phair.

Among those registered at the Hume are Mrs. G. B. Church, Spokane; Miss. F. Hudson, Flint, Mich.; G. C. Shaw, Victoria, and J. Rudburg, St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, who have been spending a few days in Nelson as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood, left for Winnipeg yesterday evening on the 6:40 train.

Among those registered at the Queen's are L. Larson, Silverton; W. J. Paul, Robson Mills; E. G. Warren, Rossland; A. Whittier, Erie; Mrs. C. D. Sprague, Fort Steele-; J. B. Tierney, Cranbrook; F. M. Cummings, Ymir; J. Sharples, San Francisco, J. G. McLean, Cascade City.

A ROYAL RECEPTION.

A private letter received by a gentleman in Nelson from a friend in England states that upon the arrival of the United States battleship St. Louis in the harbor of Southampton on October 19, a general holiday was proclaimed in the city and the principal buildings were decorated for the occasion with flags and bunting a prominent feature of the decorations being the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes interwined. The St. Louis was saluted by every ship in the harbor. The reception to the offices was most enthusiastic.

NOTICE.

All accounts due to the Kootenay Cigar company up to November 1, are to be paid to Mr. F. J. Farley and all accounts due by the company will be paid by him. 6*

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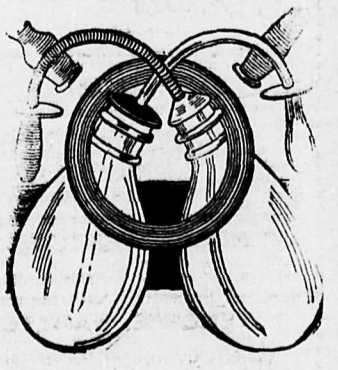

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Sandon-Kaslo train daily. Boat and Spokane train daily except Sunday.

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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.

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

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(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,

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THE GERMAN KAISER LEAVES JERUSALEM

Great Crowds Witness His Departure.

DANDLES ARAB BABIES

At Jaffa He Boards the Royal Yacht and Sets Sail For Bayroot—The Remarkable Pilgrimage Almost Ended.

Jerusalem, Nov. 4.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany embarked on board a train for Jaffa this morning amidst the firing of salutes from the guns of the fortress and the cheering of large crowds of people. Their majesties declared they were greatly pleased with their visit and shook hands with the principal civil and military authorities. Their majesties have made themselves most popular with all classes of people, the affableness of the emperor being much remarked. He took the Arab babes in his arms and told their frightened mothers that he was the father of seven children and also complimented them upon the healthfulness of their infants.

SAILED FOR BAYROOT.

Jaffa, Nov. 4.—The emperor and empress of Germany and their suites, on board the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern, started for Bayroot at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

THE BITTNER THEATRE CO.

"The Millionaire's Wife" Put on Last Night at the Skating Rink.

The Bittner company showed a powerful play last night, when they put on "The Millionaire's Wife," a drama which reminded one of that one-time favorite "East Lynne." When the curtain rises Harry Grantly and his wife, Florence, are discovered discussing the approaching visit of Blanche Sterling, an old school friend of Florence's. Blanche is not well off, and Harry, from motives of generosity is anxious for her to come, but his wife, who thinks Blanche comes between herself and her husband, objects to the proposed visit. Harry angered by what he considers capriciousness insists. So Blanche arrives, and, notwithstanding all Uncle Burdette's efforts as a mediator, Florence becomes insanely jealous, and finally is estranged from her husband. After much bickering, they decided to separate, and Harry settles a large sum of money on his wife, and also gives Blanche Rose Cottage, their old home, and a small income in reparation for having, as he considers, unwittingly damaged her reputation.

In the meantime, James Gordon, the man who does the chores, recognizes in Blanche a former wife of his, who levanted with all his savings. He had followed her for a long time, eventually going out of his mind through his sufferings. He came to Rose Cottage from the asylum. Gordon tells his troubles to Miggs, ex-dime museum keeper and tramp, who spends his spare time in making love to and getting meals from Sally, the pretty housemaid. Gordon confronts his wife in her bedroom and Miggs hears everything that goes on, but is bribed to silence. In the fourth act Blanche gets a letter from Harry who says that he is ruined and ill, but will marry her as he promised. Blanche will have nothing to do with him now he is poor, orders him out of the house, and after a painful scene Harry, who is very ill, falls fainting on the sofa.

Jessup the lawyer, is attending him, when Florence, who had bought the house the day before, comes in and tries to bring him to. While thus engaged Uncle Burdette comes on, having got Gordon out of the asylum where Miggs has put him, with Gordon and the necessary witneses. Harry recovers and, with his wife, hears the unmasking of Blanche. The two are reconciled, and the wretched Miggs is hauled off in irons to meditate on his mishaps in jail.

Florence Grantley, the loving, proud but rather tactless wife, was powerfully and sympathetically played by Miss Mattie Choate. Miss Milly Stevens, as Blanche the scheming adventuress, gave an exhibition of very clever acting, showing herself to be an accomplished artist. Mrs. Kelly, as saucy Sally, was a fascinating and pretty soubrette. Her vivacity was in strong relief to the gloom that otherwise rather shrouds the peice.

As Harry Grantley, J. Waldron treated the audience to one of the best pieces of work he has given us yet. He was extremely good throughout. W. J. Fredericks, for a wonder was not the villain, but instead the kind hearted old Uncle Burdette, a cleverly and artistically portrayed character. The scoundrel Miggs was played by E. B. Kelly with his usual dash and cleverness. Miggs' comicality went far in the eyes of the audience, to redeem his baseness. The mesmerising scene was very funny and unexpected. W. W. Bittner, as the unfortunate Gordon, was very effective. It was a powerful piece of work, well thought out and well executed. Jessup, the alert and cynical lawyer, was well played by E. Mitchell, and Lew Rose, as Joe the gardener, afforded much amusement to the audience. The specialities included some fresh Waragraph pictures, among which were the execution of Mary Queen of Scots, a country prize fight, and a kissing scene. L. McClellan gave a German dialect song and clog dance with his usual cleverness, and was awarded an encore. Lew Rose got a well earned encore for a comic song, and L. McClellan and Chris Moran again were loudly applauded and encored for a very laughable comic duet and dance.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a matinee for children at reduced charges. Each child will receive a bag of candy, and this evening at the usual hour the Bittner company will play the ever popular "Charley's Aunt."

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.

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

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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 daily except Sunday.

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, daily except Sunday.

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.

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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.

SITUATION WANTED—As bookkeeper or any office work. Seven years experience in book work. Address "Correspondence," Miner office.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that John Charles Tom, trading as Tailor and Clothier, at the town of Golden, in the Province of British Columbia, has by deed dated the first day of October, 1898, assigned to me all his personal estate, credits and effects which may be seized and sold under execution, and all his real estate for the general benefit of his creditors, pursuant to the "Creditors Trust Deeds Act."

A meeting of the creditors will be held at my office in the said town of Golden, on Saturday, the 22nd day of October, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

All creditors are requested to forward full particulars of their claims, duly verified, to me on or before the fifteenth day of November, 1898, after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.

Dated at Golden, B. C., October 1st, 1898.

E. A. HAGGEN,
Financial Agent, Golden.
Trustee.

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TENDERS WANTED

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up till noon of Monday, November 21st, for the purchase of the tailoring and ready made stocks in the assigned estate of J. C. Tom, of Golden. Schedules and terms will be supplied by the undersigned on application personally or by letter.

E. A. HAGGEN, Golden, B. C.

NOTICE.

The bodies that were buried in the Old Cemetery are now being removed to the New Cemetery and unless arrangements are made at one for lots and permits the Contractors have instructions from the City to bury the bodies in trenches.

The work is under managment of S. H. Brown, a competent undertaker and embalmer and any who wish a private removal or new caskets can make special arrangment by calling at the office of J. E. ANNABLE, Victoria St

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of Lot 1, Block "I" with improvements, situate in the Town of Ymir, Rented for $12 per month. Tenders to be sent in on or before November 10, 1898 to JOHN DEAN, Administrator of the Estate of Silas F. Collensworth, Ymir, B. C

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us as wholesale commission merchants in Nelson, B. C., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to the undersigned Thomas Gallon and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Thomas Gallon by whom the same will be settled.

Witness: William Cannell } THOMAS GALLON. ERNEST KING.

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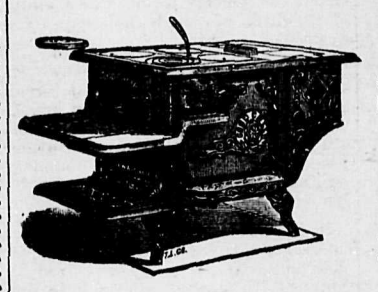

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