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TORM SWEPT ISLANDS

he Worst Hurricane Experienced in a Century.

WROUGHT GREAT HAVOC

n the Island of St. Vincent, 300 Persons Were Killed, 2,000 Injured and Much Property Destroyed.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 16.—The rricane of Sunday was the worst sitation experienced by the West dies during the century, not except- g those of 1819 and 1867, both in olence and extent. The hurricane ept along the island chain from rbadoes westward to St. Vincent d thence north west to St. Thomas, here it was last heard from. Barba- es suffered mostly from the rain. hich destroyed the crops and roads, it did on other islands, while the ntre of the storm swept St. Vincent d Guadaloupe. Details received from Vincent show that an unparalleled struction of life and property has ken place there. Out of a population 41,000, 300 were killed and 2000 re injured and rendered homeless. sides this, owing to the complete struction of their provisions, they are starving. The island has been solutely gutted by the wind and ds from the mountains, not to speak damage done by waves along the st. There has been great loss of pping along the track of the lone. Relief funds are being raised response to an appeal from the gov- or of St. Vincent, where all descrip- ns of food and clothing and other essaries were lost in the general truction. The demand for building terial is unlimited. No details of work of the hurricane have been ived from Guadaloupe.

MESSAGES OF SYMPATHY.

ondon, Sept. 16.—Queen Victoria sent a message of sympathy with sufferers from the hurricane to the rnor of Barbadoes, and the secre- of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph mberlain, has also forwarded a pethetic message from the United es, where Mr. Chamberlain is now visit. The governor of Barbadoes renewed his appeal for aid. He s that three quarters of the popu- n are without shelter and food, and they are crowding into the popu- centres, which, he explains, will accommodate their own inhabit-

rgoes of food have been ordered pply the immediate wants of the rers, but the relief must be con- ous and must be kept up for a long to come.

LOST IN THE COLUMBIA.

e Men are Drowned Through the Capsizing of a Boat.

velstoke, B. C., Sept. 16.—A sad ning accident occurred this morn- n the Columbia river, a few miles of Revelstoke, resulting in the f three lives. It appears that five with a boat loaded with provis- for the Caines Creek Mining com- , were going through the rapids, they lost control of their boat, h capsized throwing the contents the men into the water. The s of the men drowned are Raw- n, Doyle and Allan. The bodies not yet been recovered. The and freight are a complete loss.

STONED BY THE MOB.

ards Incensed at the Condition of Returning Soldiers.

o, Spain, Sept. 16.—A crowd of 700 people beseiged the house of al Toral today, demanding that roops which arrived yesterday Santiago de Cuba, on board the sh steamer Leon XIII, be imme- y landed. They proceeded to the quays, cheering the troops and were with difficulty dispersed by the soldiers of the garrison. Afterwards, a crowd of about 1500 people returned to the quays and when they saw the soldiers landing, barefooted and nearly naked, they beccame infuriated and surrounded General Toral's house, hooting and hissing and stoning the buiding. Eventually the Spanish general succeeding in escaping to the Leon XIII, and on learning this the mob gathered on the dock and stoned the steamer for half an hour, smashing the cabin windows. Eventually the Leon XIII was obliged to leave the place she was moored. Five steamers are ready to transport the returning Spanish soldiers and civil officers with the archives and munitions of war from Cuba. But, it is believed, it will take four months and cost 80,000,000 pesetas to bring the troops back to Spain.

ARRESTED IN CHICAGO.

A Returned Klondiker, Who Struck It Rich, Held as a Forger.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—A. F. D. Crofton, who returned from the Klondike three days ago, has been arrested, charged with passing a forged draft for $1200 three years ago on the First National bank of Chicago. Crofton strongly denies his guilt. Five years ago, the police authoritties say, Crofton and one L. Jellet, passed bogus drafts on Chicago, Montreal and Winnipeg banks to the extent of $12,500. Jellett was sentenced to five years at Winnipeg and Crofton was caught in El Paso, Texas, and brought back to Chicago for trial. Owing to his youth he was given an indeterminate term in the Pontiac reformatory. Having served one year, Crofton managed to secure his release. After leaving Pontiac, the police state, Crofton, by representing himself as the Western agent of a Boston, Mass., investment company, managed to secure $1200 from the First National bank of Chicago. He is then said to have gone to Dyea, Alaska, where he struck it rich and was on his way east to spend the winter when arrested.

IN THE BALL FIELD.

Sept. 16.—At Philadelphia—First game—Chicago 2; Philadelphia 1. Second game—Chicago 10; Philadelphia 8.

At Washington—Washington 3; Cleveland 5.

At Brooklyn—Game called on account of darkness.

At Baltimore—Baltimore 3; Cincinnati 2.

At Boston—Boston 1; St. Louis 2.

UP IN A BALLOON.

London, Sept. 16.—Next to the highest balloon ascension on record was made here this afternoon from the Crystal Palace Sydenham, by Stanley Spencer, the well known aeronaut, and Dr. Berson. The altitude attained was 27,500 feet. The temperature at this height was 61 degrees below freezing. The balloon finally descended near Romford in Essex.

A RECEIVER ASKED FOR.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Meyer Bernherd, of Wisconsin, filed a petition in the circuit court today for the appointment of a receiver for the National Linseed Oil company. He charges the directors of the company with mismanagement and alleges that they have been engaged in gambling operations.

THE REMAINS IDENTIFIED.

Middleboro, Mass., Sept. 16.—Joshua L. Perkins, of this town has returned from Bridgeport, Conn., where he viewed the remains of the young woman found in the Yellow Mill pond near that city recently, and he states he is satisfied that the dismembered body is that of his daughter, Marion Grace Perkins.

THE EARL OF DYSART DEAD.

London, Sept. 16.—The Earl of Dysart, William Ulick O'Connor Cuffe, is dead. He was born June 10, 1845. He was formerly page of honor to the queen and a captain in the Grenadier Guards. He was the fourth earl of Desart.

FREE SIVLER AND BRYAN.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 16.—At the Democratic Congressional convention here today resolutions for free silver and for Bryan in 1900 were tabled.

AGUINALDO'S GREAT DAY

In a Dress Suit, He Opens the National Assembly

AMIDST NATIVE CHEERS

His Message Thanks America For Restoring Liberty, After Many Years, to a Down-trodden Race.

Manila, Sept. 16.—The Philippine National assembly was inaugurated at Malolos yesterday with great enthusiasm. There were thousands of visitors from all the provinces and a great display was made. Aguinaldo, at 9 o'clock in the morning, entered the hall of the old convent occupied by the Spansh local government. It is an extremely plain room adorned only with some religious pictures. The insurgent leader was in evening dress, according to the Spanish custom. The others wore ordinary custumes. Aguinaldo, who was received with cheers and also with cries of "Viva Americanos" by the crowd of natives inside and outside the hall, read a decree welcoming the members, who included several Spaniards. He next read a message eulogizing the army and thanking the friendly nation which had set the historical example of liberty and had assisted a down-trodden race.

Continuing, Aguinaldo urgently and eloquently exhorted the assembly to "follow the noblest principles" and invoked the "spirits of the martyred Filipinos." The assembly then adjourned for the day.

A Spanish delegate suggested that business be resumed in the afternoon, but a Filipino objected and accused the Spaniard of attempting to undermine the constitution. To this the Spaniard replied that he was a sincere republican and that his only desire was the welfare of their country. Thereupon the Filipino apologized and the proceedings continued. During the afternoon many Americans and Europeans arrived, and Aguinaldo was kept busy receiving visitors, including the American consul.

THE PEACE COMMISSION.

Madrid. Sept. 16.—The Spanish peace commision has been appointed. Senor Montero Rios, president of the senate, will preside. The other names are withheld until the queen regent has given her approval. Duke Almodovar de Rio, the foreign minister and Senor Moret, former secretary of the colonies, are engaged in drafting the instructions for the commission. The queen regent has signed the joint bill passed by the Cortes authorizing the cession of national territory under the terms of the protocol.

General Augustin, former captain general of the Philippines, accompanied by his family, arrived today at Genoa and is about starting for Spain.

AGUINALDO INTERVIEWED.

The correspondent of the Associated Press had a private interview with Aguinaldo, who is extremely unwilling to compromise himself with the natives. He said that a majority of the Filipinos had been struggling for freedom for years and centuries and that they now believe that object has been obtained. Aguinaldo professed entire ignorance of the autonomous systems in vogue in the British colonies, of the protectorate and of American states autonomy. He said he was unable to understand the idea and only understood absolute independence. Personally, he believed a protectorate for the Philippines was necessary, but he feared that the people would be disappointed in this. He had not studied political economy and knew nothing about various forms of government. He inquired whether Australia was an American colony and he said he had never heard of a Malay protectorate. Continuing he said there was no need of protection for the Philippine islands, because the Filipinos were able to cope with any army. He admitted that he had never seen a foreign army, with exception of the garrisons at Hong Kong and Singapore, and he had never seen those troops on parade.

Aguinaldo declined to discuss the American army and protested his undying gratitude to Americans. He said they had come to the Philippines to fight the Spaniards only, and now that they had finished the task it was expected that they would return to America. He was unwilling to believe that Americans would demand a reward for an act of humanity, and he declined to admit the necessity of a quid pro quo. The Philippines leader expressed his confidence that the newly founded government would build a navy ultimately. In the meanntime, he said, the great nations should protect and aid a young nation instead of grabbing her territory. If the Americans should refuse to withdraw, the national assembly, he said, must decide the policy to be pursued, a policy which he declined to forecast. Further conversation was prevented by the strains of a brass band, but General Aguinaldo was interviewed also by a dozen American and one Japanese journalist. A Spaniard supposed to be an officer, un-uniformed, traversed the town sneeriing at and denouncing the principal Filipinos. On his resenting a friendly remonstrance, he was arrested.

THE COLOR LINE.

Texan Soldiers Refuse to Take Pay From a Colored Paymaster.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Paymaster General Stanton has turned over to the president all the papers relating to the recent unpleasantness, growing out of the refusal of a Texas regiment to receive pay from Major Lynch because he was colored. The president has taken no definite action beyond expressing approval of General Stanton's course in sending a sharp despatch to the commanding paymaster of that department, stating in effect, Kuas Major Lynch has been regularly commissioned by the president as an army paymaster the troops must take their pay from him or else go without pay. Thus, the matter stands, with papers before the president.

THE OCCUPATION OF CUBA.

Troops Will Not be Sent Thither Until the Unhealthy Season is Past.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The military movements are being directed rapidly towards the assembling of a large army in southern stations for winter camps and preparatory to the military occupation of Cuba and Porto Rico. About 70,000 troops are now located in the south and orders will be issued sending the first, second, sixth, ninth and tenth cavalry from Montauk to southern stations. The purpose is to establish winter camps between the 31st and 35th parallels. The major part of the army thus assembled is destined for service in Cuba, with a much smaller force for Porto Rico and a reserve in the winter camps. It is the intention however, not to send the army of occupation to Cuba until after the unhealthy season has passed, and meanwhile the troops will be put in the best possible condition.

B. & O. REORGANIZATION.

Mr. Hill of the Great Northern Rail way Will Have a Hand in It.

New York, Sept. 16.—Business associates in Wall street of Mr. J. J. Hill of the Great Northern today admitted the truth of the rumor that he will probably be a factor in the reorganization of the Baltimore & Ohio. He admitted that he had not acquired an interest in the property, but that he expected to. It was denied that he has in contemplation to identify the B. &. O. in any way with the Great Northern. The present outlet by the way of Duluth and Superior to Buffalo, and thence by the trunk lines, it was positively asserted, was not to be changed. It was authoritively stated in this connection that in so far as the Great Northern is concerned there is not the least intention of extending its working connections south of St. Paul.

THE SUNKEN WAR SHIPS.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Naval men say that it would be unwise to attempt to raise the hull of the Spanish war ship Cristobal Colon, as she could never again be made a serviceable ship. Lieutenant George F. Blow, who had special charge of the wrecking operations under Commodore Watson, has reported that it is impossible to save the vessel. So far as the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa is concerned, it is understood high hopes are entertained that she can be saved. It is reported that her bottom is firmly fixed on a rock and the wreckers have been doing everything in their power to repair the hole so that she can be floated.

QUOTATIONS ON SILVER.

New York, Sept. 16.—Bar silver, 60¾; Mexican dollars, 47⅛.

Copper, quiet; brokers' price $12; exchange $12.25 to 1$2.37½.

Lead, quiet, but steady; brokers' price $3.85; exchange, $4 to $4.05.

Tin, quiet; Straits, $16.05 to $16.15; plates, steady.

CHIEF OF THE OBLATES.

Montreal, Sept. 16.—Very Rev. Father Lefebre, superior of the chapter of the Oblate fathers in Montreal, will leave tomorrow to assume charge of the entire order in the United States. He will make his headquarters in Lowell, Mass.

THE NEW UNDER SECRETARY.

London, Sept. 16.—Mr. George Wyndham, conservative M. P. for Dover since 1889, has been appointed under secretary to the foreign office, in succession to Rt. Hon. Geo. N. Curzon, the newly appointed Indian viceroy.

THEY WANT RECIPROCITY

Buffalo Citizens to Petition for a Treaty.

DECISIVE ACTION ASKED

On the Part of the Merchant's Exchange in Order That the Trade of That City May be Benefitted.

Buffalo, Sept. 16.—A petition, signed by a number of the city's influential citizens is being circulated among the members of the Merchants Exchange, asking that body to take decisive action on the question of reciprocity with Canada in time for the next meeting of the Quebec conference. The petitioners are strongly in favor of a reciprocity treaty, and point out that Buffalo, being the terminate point of the important Canadian railways, would be sure to be benefied from a free exchange of the products from the two countries.

DREYFUS' PRISON.

A Seamship Passing Too Close to It Is Fired Upon From the Shore.

Paris, Sept. 16.—Officials circles and the public generally are in no way perturbed by the news from Fashoda. On the contrary, they appear to be indifferent. Much greater excitement prevails respecting the Dreyfus affair. It is understood that M. Marujoule, minister of commerce, M. Tilaye, minister of public works, and M. Pigo, minister of agriculture, will accompany General Zurlinden, minister of war, in retiring.

A curious story is publish to the effect that a passenger steamer, which, while passing Devil's island, approached closely in order to enable passengers to see the habitation of Capt. Dreyfus, was disagreeably surprised by four canon shots fired from the island. It was learned afterwards that all vessels venturing too near were similarly greeted.

President Faure returned here at midnight and was received with an ovation by a small crowd which had gathered, apparently betokening that a large section of the public still oppose a revision of the Dreyfus proceedings.

YUKON OFFICIALS.

The Miner's Association Ask for a Commission of Inquiry.

Port Townsend, Sept. 16.—The City of Seattle arrived today from Skagway with 150 Klondikers, who lelft Dawson, September 2. The amount of gold brought out is estimated at from $50,000 to $200,000. The recently organized Miners' Association held its first meeting August 19 and drafted a letter to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, appealing to him for the appointment of a commission to inquire into the manner in which gold commissioner Fawcett has conducted his office and also making specific charges against him and other officials.

CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF.

Morristown, N. J., Sept. 16.—The title of amateur golf champion, for which over a hundred of the best golfers in the United States have struggled for the last few days, on the Morris County golf links, will be decided there tomorrow and the contest has narrowed down to a duel between the east and the west; between Walter Smith, of the Onwentsia club, Chicago, and Findlay S. Douglas, of the Fairfield county golf club, of Greenwich, Conn. The semi-finals were witnessed today by the largest gathering of men and women ever seen on a golf course in this country. Following are the results: Semi-finals, Findlay S. Douglas, beat Walter J. Travis, Oakland Golf club, Bayside, L. I., eight up and six to play; Walter B. Smith beat C. B. McDonald, Chicago Golf club, two up and one to play.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 16.—The first day's play in international cricket match between Captain Warner's team of English amateurs and a representative eleven of strongest Philadelphia cricket teram, may be described as a draw. Captain Brown of the Philadelphias won the toss and elected to send his men to bat first, and they were retired for the rather discouraging total of 94 runs. The Englishmen, when the 8th wicket had fallen and play was stopped for the day, had only 79 runs. They have only one more wicket. Because of the illness of three of their players, they are batting only ten men in the first innings.

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CROOKED WAYS.

If there was laxity of method, to give it a mild designation, in one instance in the administration of departments under the late provincial goverment, the inference to be drawn is that there was mismanagement in all. The men who would give $30,000 to a contractor who had no lawful claim on the province, could not be expected to act honestly in other directions. It may be that most of these offenses against the people were perpetrated shortly before the elections. The supporters of Mr. Turner were sure of his success and as money is a prime requisite in a political contest, it had to be forthcoming from some quarter. It is handy to have a contractor with a government contract around just about then. The evident irregularity in the Jevon's contract, spoken of by Hon. Mr. Hume, was not the only instance, we may be sure, of queer work which will be brought to light. It could not be otherwise. When politicans remain long in power they are apt to grow careless of the public interests and to act as if they had proprietory rights in what does not belong to them. They come to believe that the country cannot very well do without them, and they consider any proposition to depose them an attack upon the foundations of the country. And when pressed they will go to any length to keep the advantage they hold. There have been many illustrations of this in Canadian history, but the culprits have always fallen before public opinion. It would have been better for Mr. Turner never to have held office, than for him to go out of it discredited in this way.

CANADA'S PROSPERITY.

Whatever the conditions may be in other parts of the world, Canada is in the full flood of prosperity, which means comfort, ease and wealth to many from ocean to ocean. British Columbia is a hive of industry, directly and indirectly benefitting thousands; the territories report the brightest prospects regarding agricultural pursuits. Manitoba has had a wonderful harvest, and business never was brisker in the commercial and manufacturing centers of Ontario and the Maritime provinces. Therefore, Hon. Mr Fielding had facts upon his side when, in a speech at Gagetown, N. B., he pointed out that never in her history had Canada been so prosperous as she is today, and there seems full justification for his belief, earnestly expressed, that there will be a surplus of over $1,000,000 in the national treasury this year. Canada waited long for her salvation. It has come at last, and the country stands today the most progressive and promising on the face of the globe.

A DISCREDITED ROUTE.

Lamentable stories of suffering and destitution come in from the Ashcroft trail. Hundreds of persons, they cannot be called miners, who attempted to reach the Yukon by this route found themselves stranded with no means to help them out to the front again.

This is one of the results of booming a trail into the gold fields of the north which did not exist. This and other trails were exploited in the eastern papers as the only all Canadian routes to the Yukon and this was done by those who had nothing upon which to base their assertions. The trail was represented as an easy one over which men could pack to the Klondike, finding a good road all the way, the country adjacent to which had never been prospected and might, on examination, prove as rich as the far famed placers of the Yukon.

Trusting in these reports hundreds embarked their fortunes in expeditions from Ashcroft only to find that there were insuperable obstacles in the way of success. Pack trains were thinned out and finally lost through lack of provender; men found it impossible to take in enough provisions to support them on the journey, not to speak of what would be necessary to sustain them after they reached the diggings, should they ever reach them, an extremely doubtful outcome at any time. And there was no direct trail. Consequently it is easy to understand why disaster overtook most of those who ventured that way. Men accustomed to travelling in the hills, old prospectors who know how to live where the uninitiated would starve, might be able to make a successful trip by the Ashcroft route, but the large majority who went in that way were eastern people not inured to the exactions of so serious an undertaking. They are largely to blame, but the chief responsibility rests with those who advocated the Ashcroft trail because they "thought" it would furnish a good route.

A USEFUL OFFICE.

Mr. Vernon, ex-agent general for British Columbia in London, by his wilful neglect of the interests of the province that conferred honor upon him and his supercilious attitude generally, not only brought discredit upon himself, but he discredited the office so that the new government, finding that little benefit has been derived from it, contemplate abolishing it altogether. This would be a mistake. Because Mr. Vernon did not fill the position as it should have been filled, and could be by judicious selection, is not an argument against the office. It might as well be said that because Mr. Turner did not act properly as premier of the province, that the premiership should be abolished. An experienced man as agent general in London could make te office an invaluable one to the province. This part of the colonial empire is now attracting widespread interest in the old land. Britishers are pleased and proud to know that there is here, under the flag, and likely to be forever under the flag, a province rich in mines and already playing an important part in the mineral production of the world. An office in London where all available information could be got, where a record was kept of all mining properties, with reports regarding them; where anyone in quest of knowledge about this province, its agricultural land, timber, fisheries and industries generally, could be satisfied—an office such as this maintained in London, under a capable man, could be made a most useful appendage of the provincial government, which should weigh the matter well before coming to a decision not to continue the agency.

General Shafter having fought his fight and handed in his report can now retire to the pantheon of military greatness where Hannibal, Scipio, Napoleon, Marlborough, Wellington and other light weights have ruled the roost too long. They may have been great in their day, but Shafter is greater than any of them. He weighs 360 pounds.

The Rossland Leader takes pride in the fact that there were no cases in the police court there one morning and says that the magistrate should have been presented with a pair of white kid gloves. If that were the custom in this orderly city Magistrate Crease would have kid gloves enough to open a glove store.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser says that Mr. Bostock and Mr. C. A. Gregg are in the Kootenay to arrange for the return of the Hon. J. Fred Hume without opposition. Nonsense There is no need of such a visit. There will not be any opposition.

The virtue of prosperity is temperance, yet right at the beginning of his career, Mr. Aguinaldo becomes addicted to the dress suit. It is only a short step in the downward course to the plug hat.

If the French are looking for trouble in the Soudan, there is every probability that they will be gratified.

What the Cubans want and what they will get are two very different propositions.

At last accounts Hogan of Westminster was still at the keg and drawing hard.

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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.

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CHAS. H. FARROW, Secretary.

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GENERAL LOCAL NEWS

EVENTS OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND NELSON.

Brief Mention of Happenings in the District During the Past Few Days.

J. E. Poupore, the contractor, is in town.

Sir Charles Tupper leaves Ottawa today for England.

S. M. McMichael, customs inspector, is staying at the Hume.

G. T. Tunstall has returned to the city from a visit to Brooklyn.

Miss Mooney has opened out an elegant stock of fall and winter millinery. *

Rossland and return $3.65, via the Canadian Pacific railway, September 17 and 18. *

H. E. T. Haultain, mining engineer of Rossland, returns home on this morning's train.

The tracklaying on the Crow's Nest Pass railway has now reached to within 30 miles of Kuskonook.

George D. Potter, of the Pueblo smelter, and J. E. Jackson, of Aurora, Ill., are in the city on an ore buying trip.

C. E. Woods, who has been surveying the lands alotted to the Crow's Nest Pass railway under their charter, is staying at the Hume.

The Hon. C. H. Mackintosh left Spokane yesterday to attend his daughter's wedding, which will take place at Victoria next week.

Among those registered at the Queen's are W. H. Glaze, Erie, Miss Weir, Seattle; T. H. Ingram, Calgary, and Miss T. Fletcher, Slocan City.

Save time and money by taking the Canadian Pacific on Sept. 18 to Rossland. The train leaves at 6:40 p. m. Fare for the round trip $3.65. *

A. Macdonald, head of the well known firm of A. Macdonald & Co., of Winnipeg, is, with his son Charles Macdonald, registered at the Phair.

Among those registered at the Hume are, T. W. Wright, Northern Light; G. A. Mitchell, Rossland; H. Roy, Rossland; J. J. Gosselin, Stanbridge.

In response to a message from New Westminster that help would be acceptable, the mayor and council telegraphed a contribution of $500 to the relief fund.

A temperance meeting will be held in the Salvation army hall on Monday evening next, and those opposed to prohibition are invited to come forward and express their views. An interesting discussion is expected.

Among those registered at the Phair are A. E. Masuret and C. G. Dixon, Spokane; F. J. Hill, Whitewater; H. Stevenson, Rossland; R. W. Brown, Vancouver; A. Graham, Spokane; P. J. Hickey, Sandon, and B. C. Kingsbury, Spokane.

Miss Pitt of London, Ont., an experienced trimmer, is at the Hume. Miss Pitt has taken a position in the millinery establishment of Mrs. McLaughlin and will assist in her fall opening on Monday. *

The body of A. Barnhill, whose death was recorded in yesterday's Miner, has been embalmed by D. A. McArthur & Co. The brother of the deceased, who is expected in town today or tomorrow, will take charge of the remains.

Miss Mooney requests the ladies at Nelson to attend her millinery opening on Wednesday, 21st instant, in A. Erland's store, where she will display all the latest novelties in American and Parisian styles. *

The base ball team will have a practice game this afternoon on the recreation grounds. As this is the last chance of a practice before the match at Rossland, it is earnestly requested that their be a full attendance.

W. R. Wilkie, manager of the Imperial bank of Canada with headquarters at Toronto, and A. B. Hearn, manager of the Imperial bank at Revelstoke registered last night at the Hume They will spend a few days in the city.

W. Tiernay, who has a contract on the Crow's Nest Pass railway, east of Coal creek, was in town yesterday. He is very much taken with Nelson and has decided to come here to live. At present his family is in Spokane, whither he goes today, returning in a week.

The connection between the city reservoir and the electric light penstock has been made with the result that the service has been made better. It has been found, however, that the drain on the city reservoir is to great to allow the water to run for any length of time at night.

There was a drunken man in the Model restaurant yesterday who refused to pay for his meal, used bad language and generally made himself objectionable. The policeman happen to be elsewhere at the time, but the mayor was in the neighborhood and promptly marched the offender off to the city lockup.

The silver trowel to be presented David Wilson, grand master A. F. & A. M. of British Columbia, in commemoration of the laying of the corner stone of St. Saviour's church, has been received by Fred Irvine. It is a handsome souvenir, with an appropriate inscription. Mr. Irvine will display it in the windows of his store during the day.

Owing to sickness in the family of Hewitt Bostock, M. P., that gentleman, who is now at Rossland, is required to return home at once. Mr. C. A. Gregg, who expected to meet Mr. Bostock here, received a message to this effect yesterday, and was requested to announce that it was with great regret that Mr. Bostock felt compelled to cancel his proposed visit to this portion of his constituency.

THE WESTMINSTER FIRE.

Help Coming in From all Sides to the Stricken Town.

The various towns in Kootenay are responding nobly to the calls for help from New Westminster. Among the many substantial contributions received may be numbered the Vancouver Board of Trade fund which has reached the $3000 limit, Rossland has contributed $5000, the Northwest territories $1000, Nelson $500, Kamloops $500, Nanaimo $500 and Hiram Walker $250.

The banks of Vancouver are obtaining instructions from headquarters to subscribe $500 each, while the Women's Council has collected $448.

Mayor Ovens of New Westminster has written the following letter to Mayor Garden of Vancouver:

"The supplies already coming in from Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and other places are meeting the wants of the citizens in a most satisfactory manner. I am hopeful that the cases of actual suffering will be confined within very narrow limits. A careful estimate places the number of homeless people at about 2500, and the number of business houses and houses destroyed at 500. The loss will reach fully, $2,500,000."

Travel via the Canadian Pacific rail way September 17 and 18 to Rossland and save time. Round trip, $3.65. *

RATES GO UP.

The First to Move are the Northern Transcontinental Lines.

The Northern transcontinental railroads have been advised that, effective September 21, the lines between Chicago and St. Paul will advance their passenger rates betwen those points from $8 to $11.50, the standard tariff.

Railroad passenger agents are now somewhat anxious to know what the new transcontinental rates are to be, says the Seattle Times. It is not belived by many that the fares which are announced as probably to be advanced on the 25th will be as high as previous to the rate war. The railroads have learned something while engaged in this merciless slaughtering of rates, that is, that most people ride when rates are low and that notwithstanding long and protracted cutting, the roads have somehow made money.

Some think the day of very high fare is over. Previous to the fight the rates to New York were $77.50 first class, and $65.50 tourist, and by the Canadian Port Arthur route, $70 and $60.50. This differenec is what has been designated the "differential" and what has caused all the trouble. That differential gave the Canadian a mighty leverage when the rush to the Klondike began and the American roads, to keep up their share of the travel, had to make bids for business by paying higher commissions. Then the C. P. R. began cutting and the war commenced.

As showing the lengths to which the war went, the present rates on New York are $35 and $25.

TO EXPEL THE FRENCH.

London, Sept. 17.—A despatch to the Morning Post from Cairo says General Kitchener has absolute authority to claim Fashoda as Egyptian territory, and to expel the present occupants forcibly if necessary.

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A MINISTER IN TOWN.

A Talk With the Hon. J. Fred Hume, Minister of Mines on Matters of Interest.

The Hon. J. Fred Hume, minister of mines, has arrived in Nelson on business connected with his approaching appeal to the electors for re-election.

Mr. Hume informed a Miner reporter that things were running smoothly with the new administration, the various ministers now being thoroughly au fait with the details of their respective departments. The affairs of his own department had not required so much straightening out as had those of some of the others, which had been left in bad shape by the retiring administration.

Mr. Hume stated that a commissioner was about to inquire into several doubtful transactions which had come to light in the lands and works department. Mr. Justice Irving had originally been nominated as commissioner, but had been obliged to decline owing to his approaching visit to Nelsoon to preside over the assizes. His successor had not been nominated when Mr. Hume left the coast.

One transaction which would be very carefully inquired into is what is known as the Jevons contract. Mr. Jevon had a contract with the late government in connection with the parliament buildings, and he received from the late government, just before the elections, the sum of $30,000 which, it is contended, he had no right to receive, and for which no value was received in the shape of work done. It is claimed by the present government that this was a sop given for political purposes.

On paying out this sum, the Turner government received a full receipt for all work done in connection with the work; but, nevertheless, another bill was soon received amounting to $16,000. The Turner government actually referred this claim to arbitration. Needless to say, the present government had cancelled the arbitration agreement.

Speaking of the condition of affairs generally on the coast, Mr. Hume said that the Victoria merchants were feeling the effects of having overstocked themselves in anticipation of an immense Klondike rush that never came. In Vancouver, however, business was brisk, and a great many new buildings were going up. Mr. Hume was uncertain how long he would remain in Nelson, but if his return is unopposed his stay here is likely to be ccomparatively brief.

For Rossland Labor Day celebration be sure your ticket reads via Canadian Pacific railway. *

ST. KEVERNE BOND OFF.

Another Instance of Troublesome Minority Stock Holders.

A full account of the proposed plan of bonding the St. Kervene mine near Sandon by John A. Finch of Spokane was given a short time back in The Miner. News has now come to hand that the scheme has been dropped owing to the action of a small section of the eastern stockholders.

A meeting of the shareholders was held in Spokane last Wednesday night for the purpose of ratifying the scheme, there being represented 620,000 share of the 900,000 issued, who were all in its favor. Mr. Finch thereupon informed the stockholders present that he had received several letters and telegrams from small eastern stockholders denouncing the plan as a high handed proceeding, and he had also noted an adverse criticism in the Toronto Mail and Empire.

The result was that though he believed the plan to be a good thing for the stockholders large and small, Mr. Finch said he did not care to undertake the project if he were to be thus bitterly denounced by the people whom he sought to help.

The meeting could suggest no other feasible plan, and adjourned for a fortnight. It now seems very doubtful if the company will be able to secure sufficient funds to develop the property.

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NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an extraordinary meeting of the Shareholders of the "Exchequer Gold Mining Company, Limited Liability," will be held at its head office, on Baker street, in the city of Nelson, B.C., on the 26th day of September, A. D., 1898 at the hour of eight o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of

(1) Considering propositions for the working and further developement of the mines.
(2) Ratifying a certain agreement of the 6th September, A. D., 1898.
(3) Appointing Trustees and Officers for the said Company and to transact such further and other business as may come before the said meeting.

Dated this 10th day of September, A. D., 1898.

J. C. DREWRY,
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MOURNING THE EMPRESS

Great Grief of the Emperor Francis Joseph.

A SECOND ARREST MADE

A Vienna Paper Reports an Anarchist Attack Upon the Prince of Naples.

Vienna, Sept. 16.—There was a steady procession of people until the church closed at 5 o'clock, among them, Prince Albert of Belgium, and other persons of high rank. Even after the doors were shut thousands remained outside. The presidents of both houses of the Austrian and Hungarian parliaments deposited wreaths near the casket. After the blessing of the remains, Emperor Francis Joseph knelt down and repeatedly kissed the coffin. He asked the maids of honor whether her majesty had suffered much. They replied that she had not.

It transpires that a painful scene occurred at the church. The emperor was prostrated with grief. Upon arriving at the Hofburg chapel on Thursday night, his majesty became almost unconscious from the intensity of his emotions. Many of those present wept in sympathy.

The Neues Wiener Tageblatt publishes a report of an attempted anarchist outrage on the Prince of Naples at Leoben, during the course of the prince's journey to this city. An anarchist named Tizzi was arrested. Another named Cabiglio escaped.

TO ATTEND THE FUNERAL.

Potsdam, Sept. 16.—Emperor William has started for Vienna.

ANOTHER ARREST.

Geneva, Sept. 16.—An Italian named Giovanni Silva has been arrested on suspicion of being an accomplice of the assasin of the Empress Elizabeth.

Count Nigra, the Italian ambassador, has again protested against the attacks that are being made on Italians throughout Austria. Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, has replied that the emperor has given personal directions, with a view of preventing a renewal of the attacks.

THE ENTHUSIASM WILL COOL.

London, Sept. 17.—The Times this morning publishes a letter from its Porto Rico correspondent in which the writer thinks the enthusiasm with which the Americans were received will cool considerably when the inhabitants discover that they must toil as hard under American as under Spanish dominion. The future prospects of the island, however, the correspondent says, are wonderfully improved, and the island will probably become almost a close market for American goods.

A BRIGADIER DROPS DEAD.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 16.—Brigadier General J. T. Haskill, U. S. A., dropped dead this afternoon at 4:30 p. m. The excitement of the day, incident to the return of the 17th infantry, brought on heart failure.

STREET CARS FOR JAPAN.

St. Louis, Sept. 16.—The St. Louis Car company, haas received an order for 250 street cars for the Japanese government. The amount to be paid for the rolling stock is $300,000.

ERNE AND LAVIGNE.

New York, Sept. 16.—J. F. Dowdell has offered a $5000 purse for a fight between Lavigne and Erne at Coney Island. Billy Lavigne for the "Kid" accepted from Buffalo and Kennedy for Erne. The fight is to take place on September 23.

FIGHTING IN CRETE.

Athens, Sept. 16.—It is rumored that a conflict between insurgent and Turkish troops has occurred near Candia. According to reports some Christains were killed and a number wounded.

A MYSTERY OF THE RIVER.

The Body of an Unknown Man Found Near Northport.

Northport, Sept. 16.—The body of a man was found in the river about three and a half miles below Northport on the reservation side about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning by J. E. Gantenbein, while on his way to Onion creek. When found the body was on the river bank, having been cast up with a mass of drift wood. Acting Coroner Dawson was notified and empaneled a jury which repaired to the place where the remains were found. The body was that of a man about 45 years of age, of very large physique. He must have been in life over six feet tall and weighed over 200 pounds. His hair was rather light and curly. He wore overalls over a pair of heavy miner's boots. Further indentification of the remains was difficult, owing to the same having been some time in the water and very much decomposed. In the pockets of the overalls were found some tobacco, a plain strap and a ring on it and a pocketbook containing three Canadian bills of the denomination of $20 each, an American nickel and a Canadian cent. Also a hospital and mail receipt dated Goat River, August 17, 1898, certifying that R. McDermott had paid medical and mail dues for August and signed by T. H. Boyd, W., and a provincial revenue tax receipt No. 59,237, issued to K. McDermott in payment of $3 and signed C. M. Edwards, collector. It is believed that the deceased was drowned about two weeks ago near Goat River, and was one of gang of men employed by the Canadian Pacific on construction work. The remains will, owing to the decomposed, state be interred near where found and in the meantime it is to be hoped that through the papers found on the body friends of the deceased can be communicated with.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed whole tenders will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon Wednesday 21st for the erection of an addition and certain alterations to Kootenay Lake General Hospital. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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