DENVER HOUSE.

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Town Jottings.

F.S.Atwood of Kaslo, was in the city Monday.

E. M. Sandiland went over to Nelson Wednesday.

P.H.Murphy returned Monday from the Boondary country.

John Sheridan is back in town after spending the year in Fernie.

John D. Docksteader of Nelson, paid Sandon a buisness visit this week.

Jesse Prunk, the popular K. & S. conductor is able to be on deck again.

The Misses McKinnon returned Saturday after spending a weeks vacation in Revelstoke.

Thos. Farqhar left Monday morning for Sault Ste Marie, where he intends going into buisness.

A savings bank will be opened up in connection with the post office on the first of next month.

It is stated in some quarters that Wm. Davidson will run as a labor canditate in the Slocan riding.

P. M. Murphy has acquired Geo. Clark's interest in the Filbert hotel. The change took place Wednesday.

The license Commissioners met Monday evening and granted John Nelson a liquor license for the Denver House.

Isaac Cunning arrived this week from Cedar Rapids, Michigan, and has taken the management of the Sandon hotel.

John McRae, of New Denver, has been gazetted as returning officer for the Slocan riding at the forthcoming provincial election.

Next week the Liberals of Greenwood will nominate a candidate for that district, the choice lies between J. Hardy one of the pioneers of the camp and J.R.Brown.

Arrangements are being made by the Nelson Lacrosse club to have the Souris veteran lacrosse team play them. The Souris aggregation are indeed truly veterans, they having held the Chamionship of Manitobia more times than any other club of that province. The members are principally composed of farmers.

A party of Sandonites are camping this week at Union Bay, on Slocan lake. The party is made up of Rev, McIntyre, Miss McIntyre, J. E. Lovering, Miss Lily Davis, and Miss Adair of Revelstoke.

The Rev. Mr. McIntyre's Orange sermon preached last Sunday, has been the subject of considerable comment during the week, it being considered a very able and impartial address on the subject.

Methodist church services on Sunday when the pastor, R. J. McIntyre, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7.30. Sunday school in the morning at 10.15. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Three Forks service Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

W.E. Twiss, the hustling district agent of the Mutual Life Assurance Co. was in the city Monday. He was here putting buisness in shape preparatory to his departure for Vancouver, where he becomes general agent for British Columbia for the same concern.

A.C.McArthur, formerly C.P.R. agent here, but now head of the C.P.R. offices in Rossland, will shortly sever his connection with that company and return to his old home in Nova Scotia. "Mace" friends here will regret to hear of his departure from the province.

The three-plank sidewalk up Cody Ave. extending from the K. & S. depot to Jallands store, was completed this week by D.J.McLaughlan. The sidewalk just completed was always an absolute necessity and pedestrains who travel that way will escape the mud which they had to wade through heretofore.

The claims recently located by Mike Kirlin in the Poplar Creek district are looking up well, a four foot ledge of galena ore has been opened up on the surface, assays of samples taken from the lead gave good returns in gold, silver and lead. Jack and Jim Thompson are associated with Mike Kirlin in the locations.

The day fixed for the provincial elections is October 31st. The nominations to take place on the 15th of the same month. The postponing of the date for elections is explained by reason of permiting any appeals being taken from the court of revision with respect to names on the voters' list.

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ORANGEMEN GO TO CHURCH.

And Listen to an Eloquent Discourse on Orangeism by Rev. McIntyre.

Sunday being the anniversary of the decisive battle between King William and James at the Boyne in Ireland, the Orangemen of the city attended the Methodist chur h where a special sermon was preached by Rev. R. J. McIntyre, pastor. As a brother of the society he understood his subject well and gave a very entertaining and instructive address well worth listening to. He took his text from Deutronomy, and dealt chiefly on a remembrance of historic events, reviewing history bearing on the the question of British civil and religous liberty and showing the several attempts the Roman Catholics had made to bring England again into subjection to the Pope. The Spanish Aramada, the gunpowder plot and other attempts which had all been, by God's special providence, total failures, while the persecution of our forefathers through the Spanish inquisition were touched upon. The constitution of the Orange order received the grater share of his discourse. The aims and objects were forcibly brought out, showing the order to be founded upon broadminded and liberal principles. He expressed his regret that all Orangemen were not as good as they ought to be, but what society can lay claim to perfection in its members? Even among Christ's deciples there was a black sheep. The objection of some people to keeping in remembrance this day he met strongly, by showing from scripture that the Passover was a remembrance of the freedom of the Children of Israel from the bondage of Eygpt by God's special providence.

He next compared the other benefit and kindred societies in their relationship to one and another and their influence in the world, and the good the L. O. L. had done, he concluded by calling upon all Orangemen to let their lives be more in keeping with their constitution and reform.

Due Appreciation.

EDITOR MINING REVIEW:

Sir,—Before leaving Ottawa, the British Columbia Silver-Lead Miners' delegation desire to publicly express their appreciation not only of the action of the government in acceding to their request for a bounty on lead, but also of the unvarying sympathy and consideration which they have received from the members of the cabinet during the necessary investigation of this important question.

Too great credit cannot be given to Senator Templeman and our British Columbia members, especially the member for Yale-Cariboo, for their unwavering support of a cause which we are confident will work as much to the interest of the Province as a whole, as to the mining districts in particular.

Yours faithfully,
John L. Retallack.
Chairman Silver-lead Delegation.

Smelter For the Slocan.

It is not publicly known, but the Slocan district has in prospect a smelter and refining works somewhere adjacent to its mines. If the parties who are now in the country looking quietly over the field with a view to the erection of both lead and zinc smelting works are fully impressed with justification for such works, one will be built not many miles from Sandon. The people who are at the back of the proposition are from New York City and have abundance of available capital to carry through successfully any such undertaking. We are not at liberty to give any particulars than those already mentioned, but if the encouragement looks anyway bright to them next spring at the latest, will witness the comstart on smelting works of sufficient proportions to reduce and refine any tonnage that can be produced from the mines of this camp.

Reco Hotel Arrivals.

Colin C. Brown, Rossland; Geo A McIntyre, Vancouver; J H Freeman, Victoria; J F Potter, Amherst, N S; R Barker, Toronto, Ont; Norman Shaffer, Hamilton, Ont;; Mrs McNeil, Miss May McNeil, G F Malcolm, city; W J Twiss, Ed Rogers, H B Alexander, Kaslo; W S Drewry and wife, John T Brack, C D McRae, J B Ewart, New Denver; M B Barwick, Nelson.

Last Chance Again Works.

The Last Chance mine after a years period of idleness has resumed operations and is now added to the regular working mines of the district. A force of ten men were put to work on Monday and will be gradually increased as room is made for them in the workings.

The St. Leon Hot Springs.

The St. Leon Hot Springs has been opened and is now ready to accom m o date visitors.

Liberals to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the Liberals in the city hall on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock. All Liberals and others in sympathy with the Liberal party are cordially requested to attend.

Mines and Mining

The Boundary mines complain of car shortage to ship their ores.

The Antoine mine in McGuigan basin is to have a 1600 foot tunnel run to tap that well known property at greater depth. Tenders are being called.

The Wakefield mine will shortly increase its force to 70 miners. Manager Lane expects to ship 250 tons of ore per month and will make the first shipment next week, when the car will be sent to Nelson.

The idle handroaster at the Trail smelter will again be in operation in a few days, followed by the blowing in of another furnace as the ore is again being shipped to their works.

The United States is beginning to purchase large quantities of silver for Philippine coinage and if continued which there appears to be no question, will be the means of sending up the price of silver.

B.C. Riblet, of Nelson, the well known constructor of aerial tramways and the largest operator in this line in the west has obtained the contract to build the line for the Nettie L. His success with the Eva and Ophir-Lade and others is well known.

Tin was discovered in Alaska about two years ago. Various samples assayed show no gold of commercial value. One sample gave metallic tin, 49 per cent, iron 3.70 and copper 3.00 per cent. Efforts will be made this fall to thoroughly examine the tin finds to see if they can be made to pay.

The total ore shipments from the Boundary district mines for the first six months of this year, from January to July, inclusive, were 274,265 tons. Although this is not what might have been shipped owing to the Coke shortage, it is nevertheless a substantial increase for the same period of last year.

Capitalists of Minnesota are having their attention drawn to the Poplar Creek district, the recent gold district, and reports from private sources state that a great amount of Minnesota Capital will go into the district if the reports of their representative, who is already in the field investing, are at all encouraging.

The finest crystals of calcite in the world are found in the lead and zinc mines of Joplin, Missouri. In fact, there is no other known locality where such enomous calcite crystals are found and which occasionally run to an amythyst shade, making a beautiful specimen. Groups of perfect crystals appear a hundred or more fine crystals of good size having been known to project from masses of sphalerite ore. Joplin calcites are in every important mineral collection in the world, and in most every instance they are the pride specimens of the specie.

Denver House Opened.

The grand opening at the Denver hotel Thursday evening was a great success in every way. The house has been renovated and refurnished throughout and ranks with the best in the city. The dining room is in competent hands, while in the bar the choicest liquors are to be found. The real inducement of the hotel is the cheap rates, $1.00 a day, making it the only place in town where such low rates are charged. Nelson & Co. solicit a share of the Sandon public and guarantee the best of treatment.

Sandon Ore Shipments.

The following are the ore shipments from Sandon for the week:

Mine.	Tons.
SILVER-LEAD.	
Ruth	21
Total	21
ZINC.	
Lucky Jim	45
Total	45

Metal Quotations.

Silver, 53⅞c per oz.
Copper, $13½ per cental
Lead, $4.10 per cental
Spelter (zinc) $5.77

Lead is quoted in the London market at £11 7s. 9d. and silver 24 7-16d.

Cannel coal ignites more rapidly than bituminous coal, and burns with a bright yellow flame, splitting in fragments with a cackling noise. It does not soil the fingers. At times cannel coal runs as low in volatile matter as true bituminous. It is the richness of this volatile matter in hydrocarbon oils, not its percentage that constitutes true cannel.

Eskimo Mourning Customs.

All Eskimos are superstitious about death, and, although they hold festivals in memory of departed friends, they will usually carry a dying person to some abandoned hut, there to drag out his remaining days without food, medicine, water or attendance. After the death of a husband or a wife the survivor cuts the front hair short and fasts for twenty-five days.

A Contractor.

"What does your father do?" asked the teacher of the new boy.

"He's a contractor," was the reply.

"A railway contractor?"

"No, ma'am; a sausage contractor. He ties up the ends after another man has filled them."

The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Notice to Customers.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of June current, the SANDON BRANCH of The Canadian Bank of Commerce will be closed and all deposits transferred to the NELSON BRANCH of the Bank at the close of business on that date.

SANDON, B. C., June 9th, 1903.

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

Stanley Mineral Claim, situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District Where located:—On Seaton Creek, two miles west of Bear Lake.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Wm. S. Drewry, acting as agent for Isaac A. Austin, Free Miner's Certificate No. B 70003, 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 30th day of May, A. D. 1903.

50-3m W. S. DREWRY.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

INTERNATIONAL Mineral Claim, situate in the Slocan Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located:—On Payne Mountian about 2½ miles from Sandon, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, E. M. Sandilands, acting as agent for J. A. Whittier, Free Miner's Certificate B 69300, Lee N. Parkison, Free Miner's Certificate B 55109 and D. W. Moore, Free Miner's Certificate B 75,321, 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 17th day of June, A. D. 1903.

1-3m E. M. SANDILANDS.

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I have on hand a Special Line of Goods which is higher value than the average purse can stand. They are suitable for presents of all kinds. To clear them off the price is cut just in half. See my window for bargains.

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Deputy Mining Recorder.

Sandon, - B. C.

WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS PERsons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of $18 and all travelling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience note ssential. Mention reference and enclore self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from date hereof I intend to apply to the License Commissioners of the City of Sandon for a license to sell liquor by retail on the premises known as the Denver House.

JOHN NELSON

Dated at Sandon this 8th day of June 1903.

Slocan Ore Shipments.

The following are the ore shipments from the Slocan since the 1st of January, 1903, to date:

SANDON.

Payne	649
Slocan Star	1058½
Ivanhoe	295¾
American Boy	422
Reco	134
Ruth	182
Blue Bird	20
Idaho	21
Monitor	420
Queen Bess	144
Total	3337¼

ZINC.

Payne	823
Ivanhoe	180
Total	1003

MCGUIGAN.

Rambler	1129
Antoine	152½
Red Fox	46
Slocan Boy	16
Silver Glance	55
Surprise	4½
Rio	9
Bismark	18½
Total	1430¼

SLOCAN LAKE POINTS.

Arlington	40
Black Prince	17
Bondholder	2
Bosun	660
Dayton	4
Enterprise	335
Fisher Maiden	280
Ottawa	126
Hartney	21
Republic	50
Meteor	12
Hamilton	4
Vancouver	20
Total	1571

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An Emetic.

A tablespoonful of ground mustard to a tumblerful of warm water is the rule for an emetic.

Mixing Coffee.

One of the tricks of the coffee trade is to sift the beans so as to get the small beans out of inferior Java coffee and mix them with Mocha so as to sell at a higher price. Sometimes even experts will be deceived by this trick.

Assuay.

The loftiest tableland in the world is that of Assuay, in the Andes. An area as big as Yorkshire lies at a height of 14,500 feet.

Lisle Thread.

Lisle thread is made of superior cotton treated in a peculiar manner. The waxy surface of the cotton fiber is impaired by carding, but preserved by combing. The spinning of lisle thread is done under moisture, forming a compact and solid yarn.

Eiffel Tower.

The Eiffel tower is eight inches shorter in winter than in summer.

Good In Fevers.

Glycerin and lemon juice, half and half, on a bit of absorbent cotton is the best thing in the world wherewith to moisten the lips and tongue of a fever parched patient.

Crimes In India.

It has been calculated that in India 48 per cent of certain crimes disappear when hot weather gives place to cold.

Lobsters.

Lobsters often travel in regiments, seeking new feeding grounds. Their migrating armies are always led by the biggest and strongest ones, while the maimed and weakly struggle along behind.

Purifying Water.

Three grains of alum will purify a gallon of water. Let it stand for a time, and if no filter can be had strain it through a piece of calico.

Soapstone.

Every portion of soapstone lost in cutting is utilized in other ways. It gives the dull color to rubber goods, is used in paper to gain weight and is also an excellent article to use in making fireproof paints.

Factory Accidents.

Accidents in factories are said to be much more frequent in bad weather than in good.

Cape Town Lepers.

When the Dutch founded Cape Town, there was no leprosy among the inland natives. A century later two Dutch farmers near to Cape Town were found to be lepers, and since then the disease has been steadily increasing and spreading northward among both native and European races.

Night Watchmen.

The first night watchman was licensed by the New York common council in 1697.

Camphor.

From the earliest times camphor has been a practical necessity to man. Its pleasant perfume, its destructiveness to insect life and its many remarkable therapeutic virtues have more than earned its great popularity.

Pickling.

When pickling, always use the strongest vinegar and have it scalding hot, as cold vinegar becomes ropy and will not keep.

There seems in all probality that winhin six weeks the Granby smelter company will be enabled to successfully operate its full battery of six furnaces as there now appears to be an assurance of sufficent coke to permit them to do so.

F. J. Donaldson will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have entered into partnership with Charlie Hansen in the saloon business, known as the Union Hotel. The said partnership to be known as Hansen & Gustafson.

C. W. Gustafson.

Dated at Sandon this 15th day July 1903.

For Sale.

A large canvas tent for sale. Size 16x20 and in first class condition. For particulars apply to

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Corporation of the City of Sandon

ELECTION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Sandon, that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers in the City Hall, on Monday, July 20th, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing an alderman to represent them in the municipal council, and a school trustee.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer, at any time between the date of notice and 2 p. m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 23rd day of July, 1903, from 9 o'clock a. m. till 7:30 p. m. at the said Council Chamber in the City Hall, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The persons qualified to be nominated and elected alderman for the said city shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years and are not disqualified under any law, and appear on the last revised assessment roll of the said city, as owners of land or real property of the assessed value of five hundred ($500.00) dollars, over and above any registered incumbrance or charges, and are otherwise qualified as municipal voters.

The persons qualified to be nominated and elected school trustees of the said city shall be any qualified of the said municipality.

Given under my hand at the City of Sandon, this 7th day July, 1903.

C. E. LYONS, Returning Officer.

M. L. GRIMMETT, LL. B.

Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, Etc.

Sandon, British Columbia.

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Buffett cars run on trains between Spokane and Republic.

Effective Nov. 22, 1902.

Leave.		Arrive.
9:25 a. m.	Spokane	5:45 p.m.
10:15 a. m.	Rossland	2:10 p. m.
7:00 a. m	Nelson	8:00 p. m.
11:00 a. m.	Grand Forks	4:00 p. m.
9:15 a. m.	Republic	5:40 p. m.

H. A. JACKSON, G. P. & T. A., Spokane, Wash.

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

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NOTICE.

Commencing Sunday, August 17th, 1902, the following time card will be in effect on Kootenay Lake and K. & S. Ry.

KASLO & SLOCAN RAILWAY.

KASLO-SANDON ROUTE.

9:00 a. m. leave	Kaslo	arrive	3:15 p. m
10:40 a.m. leave	Whitewater	leave	1:42 p. m
11:00 a.m. leave	McGuigan	leave	1:22 p. m
11:25 a.m. arrive	Sandon	leave	1:00 p. m

A direct connection is made at Kaslo with steamer both to and from Nelson.

STEAMER SERVICE.

KASLO-NELSON ROUTE.

5:00 a. m. leave	Nelson	arrive	7 15 p.m
3:35 p.m. arrive	Kaslo	leave	8:40 p. m

Calling regularly at Ainsworth and Pilot Bay and at all way landings on signal.

Connecting at Nelson with Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway both to and from Rossland, Spokane, Etc.

Tickets sold to all points in United States and Canada via Great Northern, Northern Pacific, O. R. & N. Co., &c., &c.

Ocean and steamship tickets and rates via all lines will be furnished on application.

For further particulars call on or address

Robt. Irving, Manager Kaslo, B. C.
GEO. HUSTON, Agent, Sandon.

The Mining Review.

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1903.

The general losses sustained throughout Canada by the depreciation of industrial stocks in this country has not brought the Ottawa government to a realization of protecting her steel and iron industries. When urged repeatedly to give the fullest measure of protection, the government has invariably turned a deaf ear to appeals. In consequence of this negligence millions upon millions of dollars have been lost to the country, and industries representing an investment of immense sums sums are threatened with utter destruction. The iron and steel industries are on the verge of collapse, yet the Liberal government stands idly by gazing upon the impending wreck. The production of iron and steel has been largely instrumental in placing Great Britain, Germany and United in the front ranks of the commercial world, and it is from these countries that Canada derives her supply of such commodities. A few years ago great works were erected at Sydney and the "Soo" with the expectation and cutting out foreign importation of securing the trade within the Canadian borders. All that was requisite to make them prosperous was "adequate protection. This has been denied and the men who hope to become a public benefactor by building up Canada have been penalized for having faith in Canada's future.

When the Liberals came into power the taxes of the people were to be reduced. Since coming into power what do we find? For the past twelve months they have been from Customs alone $36,619,659 or $4,566,867 more than in 1902. That is the result of a tariff for revenue only. In 1896 under a protective tariff Canadians were called upon to contribute $20,255,335 in Customs taxes. So that under the new order of things our taxes in one department alone have gone up $16,364,314 a year. These facts pretty thoroughly dispose of the specious argument that increased duties mean increased taxation. The very reverse has resulted under the Liberal regime. And the worse feature of the fiscal policy now in vogue, is that the people are paying millions more each year for the privilege of enriching foreign manufacturers whose wares they purchase. The whole system is bad and under its vicious principles taxation must continue to grow.

A rumor has been current this week in the camp to the effect that the Canadian smelters are about to raise the smelter charges on the treatment of Slocan lead ores, presumably in consequence of the Dominion government not allotting the smelters any portion of the bounty just granted. To say the least the report should be put down as absurd. Of all times to raise the smelting rates the present is the most inopportunate, as they have the attention of the public over the question of already charging exorbitant prices, and if they were inclined to do so now it is reasonable to suppose they would seek a more fitting time when circumstances were more favorable for it.

Why Some Miners Don't win.

In mining the possession of nerve counts for much. The man who is not daunted by difficulties, even if severe, but who determines to see the thing through in the face of obstacles, is the man who makes a success.

It is true that many mines have paid from the grass roots and the number of rich mines that have not only paid their way from the start, but have given wealth at the same time to their fortunate owners, is surprisingly large. The latest, and one of the most famous of these is, of course, the Mizpah group at Tonopah. It made J. L. Butler and his first associates very rich, and out of the hundred men or so who took leases on the property twenty-five or thirty made fortunes and all but five or six made money, although their leases had only nine months to run.

The mining man who will first of all chose his location wisely: examining all the conditions carefully; the character of the district; the record of its producers, if it has any; the advantages of location; the proximity of fuel and water, and the hundred other circumstances which would influence any sane man embarking in a business, and who will then go patiently and systematically into the work of developing his property, will find that success will reward his efforts in a large majority of instances. When such a course is pursued a man can, indeed, hardly fail to succeed, for if the mine be a poor one he will find it out so early that but little time will be lost. He will seek another property, and by sticking to business principles will assuredly make a success.—Mining and Engineering Review.

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An Analysis of a Kiss.

The kiss: A kiss is a peculiar proposition. Of no use to one, yet absolute bliss to two. The small boy gets it for nothing, the young man has to steal it and the old man has to buy it. The baby's right and the lover's privilege, the hypocrite's mask. To a young girl, faith; to a married woman, hope; and to an old maid, charity.

Silver Quotations.

The following are the prices of bar silver during the week:

Sunday	53
Monday	53½
Tuesday	53¾
Wednesday	53¾
Thursday	52⅝
Friday	53⅝

There are at the present time 985 men working in the Boundary mines and Smelters, nearly reaching the 1000 mark.

The Conservative Platform.

[Adopted at Revelstoke, September 12th, 1902.]

1. That this convention reaffirms the policy of the party in matters of provincial roads and trails; the ownership and control of railways and the development of the agricultural resources of the province as laid down in the platform adopted in October, 1899, which is as follows:

"To actively aid in the construction of trails throughout the undeveloped portions of the province and the building of provincial trunk roads of public necessity.

"To adopt the principles of government ownership of railways in so far as the circumstances of the province will admit, and the adoption of the principle that no bonus should be granted to any railway company which does not give the government of the province control of rates over lines bonused, together with the option of purchase.

"To actively assist by state aid in the development of the agricultural resources of the province

2. That in the meantime and until the railway policy above set forth can be accomplished, a general railway act be passed, giving freedom to construct railways under certain approved regulations, analogous to the system that has resulted in such extensive railway construction in the United states, with so much advantage to trade and commerce.

3. That to encourage the mining industry, the taxation of metalliferous mines should be on the basis of a percentage on the net profits.

4. That the government ownership of telephone systems should be brought about as a first step in the acquisition of public utilities.

5. That a portion of every coal area hereafter to be disposed of should be reserved from sale or lease, so that state owned mines may be easily accessible, if their operation becomes necessary or advisable.

6. That in the pulp land leases provision should be made for reforesting, and that steps should be taken for the general preservation of forests by guarding against the wasteful destruction of timber.

7. That the legislature and government of the province should persevere in the effort to secure the exclusion of Asiatic labor.

8. That the matter of better terms in the way of subsidy and appropriations for the province should be vigorously pressed upon the Dominion government.

9. That the silver-lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose

10. That as industrial disputes almost invariably result in great loss and injury both to the parties directly concerned and to the public legislation should be passed to provide means for an amicable adjustment of such disputes between employers and employees.

11. That it is advisable to foster the manufacture of the raw products of the province within the province as far as practicable by means of taxation on the said raw products, subject to rebate of the same in whole or part when manufactured in British Columbia.

Conservative Conventions.

At a meeting of the executive of the Provincial Conservative Association, held in Vancouver, the province was divided into five divisions for organization purposes. The Kootenay Boundary division is made up of the following provincial election districts: Revelstoke, Columbia, Kerme, Cranbrook, Ymir, Kaslo, Slocan, Grand Forks, the City of Rossland and the City of Nelson. At the same meeting the following resolutions were adopted:

1. That conventions for nominating candidates for members of the legislative assembly be made up of delegates chosen as follows:

(a) In city electoral districts, one delegate for every fifty and fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, and if the city is divided into wards, the proportion of delegates for each ward shall be based on the vote polled in each ward at the last municipal election.

(b) In other electoral districts, one delegate for every fifty or fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, the delegates to be apportioned to polling places, or as near thereto as will be fair to the voters of the different neighborhoods.

2. The election of delegates shall be at public meetings, held at a designated central place in each polling division, or in each ward in city electoral districts, if the city is divided into wards. At such public meetings only those who pledge themselves to vote for the candidate or candidates selected at the nominating convention shall be entitled to a vote for delegates

3. Two weeks notice shall be given of the public meetings at which delegates are to be elected, and nominating conventions shall be held in city electoral districts two days after the day on which delegates are elected, and in other electoral districts seven days after. All nominations throughout the province to be made at a designated central place in each electoral district and on the same day.

4. All notices of the date of public meetings for the election of delegates to nominating conventions, the apportionment of delegates, and the place and date of nominating conventions in the several electoral districts shall be prepared by the member of the executive of the division in which the electoral districts are situate, and issued over the names of the president and secretary of the Provincial Conservative Association.

A meeting of the provincial executive will be held at Vancouver within a month, and the date for holding district nominating conventions will then be fixed.

JOHN HOUSTON,
President of the Provincial Conservative Asso'n.

Nelson, June 8th, 1903.

"Dry as Statistics."

It is fairly obvious that the study of statistics is not exactly what would be termed a popular pastime, says Winthrop M. Daniels in The Atlantic. Librarians do not discover any extensive demand for statistical literature. Sir John Lubbock, if I remember rightly, found no place for a single volume of figures in his hundred best books, and in that flood of articles on "Books That Have Helped Me, by Authors Great and Authors Small," the same significant silence seemed to be maintained. There were some very curious books that had apparently proved helpful to certain persons, but there was unbroken testimony of a negative kind that nobody had ever been helped by a blue book.

To say of anything "as dry as statistics" is at once to consign it to the nethermost limbo of aridity. Such is the verdict upon the finished statistical product. As for the methods employed in constructing such tables—weighted averages, index numbers or curves of error—these to the wayfaring men are hidden and ingenious refinements of cruelty, to be avoided at all hazards or at least forgotten with a shudder and a prayer.

How He Fooled the Dog.

A gentleman who is fond of studying wild animals in their natural surroundings once had an opportunity of seeing for himself an example of the cunning for which the fox has become proverbial.

As he was standing near the bank of a river one winter day, he saw a fox run out upon the ice and make straight for a hole. At the edge of the opening he stopped, turned, followed his tracks back to the bank, ran down the stream and paused to await developments.

In a little while a dog came tearing out of the woods, with his nose close to the ice and snow. He ran along the ice with his head down, following the scent until he reached the opening. It was then too late to check his speed. He plunged into the water and was lost under the ice.

The fox meantime had waited in plain sight to watch the effect of his little trick. After the dog came into view the fox remained perfectly motionless until he saw his old enemy disappear. Then, with a look on his face which seemed to combine a good natured grin with a mild contempt, he went nonchalantly off about his business.

A Curious Palm of South America.

One of the most curious palms in the world is called the ita and is very abundant on the banks of the Amazon, Rio Negro and Orinoco rivers. In the delta of the latter it occupies swampy tracts, which are at times completely inundated and present the appearance of forests rising out of the water. The swamps are inhabited by a tribe of Indians called Guaranes, who subsist almost entirely upon the produce of the tree. During the annual floods they suspend their houses from tops of the tall stems of the palms. The outer skin of the young leaves is made into cords for hammocks, and the soft inner bark yields a nutritious farinaceous substance.

The Champion Thin Man.

A knot of men was gathered in the smoking room at the club the other evening. All ordinary topics had been exhausted, and they finally entered upon a contest to see who could tell the most remarkable story about the fat men or the lean men they had seen. A veritable Ananias was awarded first prize without a dissenting voice when he asserted that he had met in his travels a man so thin that he could "go through a flute without striking a note."

Why He Didn't Jump.

Here is one that a young man who knows a good story when he hears it heard one railroad man tell another in a depot up the line the other day:

"We picked up a new Irishman somewhere up country an' set him to work brakin' on a construction train at 3 cents a mile for wages. One day when him an' me was on the train she got away on one of them mountain grades, an' the first thing we knowed she was flyin' down the track at about ninety miles an hour, with nothin' in sight but the ditch an' the happy hunting grounds, when we come to the end. I twisted 'em down as hard as I could all along the tops, an' then of a sudden I see Mike crawlin' along toward the end of one of the cars on all fours, with his face the color of milk. I thought he was gettin' ready to jump, an' I see his finish if he did.

"'Mike,' I says, 'for heaven's sake don't jump!'

"He clamps his fingers on the runnin' board to give him a chance to turn round an' lookin' at me contemptuous, answers:

"'Jump, is it?' Do yez think I'd be afther jumpin' an' me makin' money as fast as I am?"

Southey on Wordsworth.

Of Wordsworth, Southey writes in 1808, says Harold S. Scott in The Atlantic: "He has written a masterly poem called 'The White Doe of Rilston Hall; or, The Fate of the Nortons.' The poem is incomparably fine. It would amuse you to hear how he talks of his own production. His entire and intense selfishness exceeds anything you could have conceived. I am more amused at it than offended; not being sufficiently attached to him to feel pain at perceiving his faults, and yet respecting him far too much on the average of his qualities to be disgusted. It is so pure and unmixed a passion in him that Ben Jonson would have had him in a play had he been his contemporary."

The Polka.

The polka is the natural dance for the feet of the people. Take in evidence its origin. A Bohemian peasant girl was seen dancing "out of her own head," extemporizing from the sheer joy of her heart song, tune and steps. This she did on a Sunday afternoon in Elbeleinitz, and an artist, one Josef Neruda, who spied her, made a note of all he saw. The people of the town adopted the dance and called it the pulka, half step. In 1835 it reached Prague and Vienna in 1840; thence it spread rapidly through Europe. When M. Cellarius introduced it to the Parisians, we hear that all else gave way before "the all absorbing pursuit, the polka, which embraces in its qualities the intimacy of the waltz with the vivacity of the Irish jig."

Different Methods.

"Whatever became of Lamb?"

"Oh, he played the markets and went broke."

"And Wolff, what became of him?"

"Oh, he worked the markets and got rich."—Puck.

None Too Liberal.

"Mr. Linger spends a great deal of time with you, Molly," said Mr. Kittish to Miss Frocks.

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A Turquoise Peculiarity.

About one woman in three cannot wear turquoises without turning them green. Some turquoises will turn green after being worn by any woman. Jewelers of the first class guarantee to replace turquoises if they turn green, and the annual cost of the replacements is stupendous. One jewel house has tried the experiment of having all its employees go around with dozens of turquoises strapped next to their skin to try to detect the green ones, but even when they have passed this test some of them will be brought back by customers, having turned a hideous green. No reason is known for the changing of color.

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