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Is because we have certain goods to sell and we want people to become acquainted with the fact. It is very gratifying the results we have had the past few weeks advertising in the Moyie Leader.

We have less clothing in stock today than we had a few weeks ago. But we have too much yet, and some time when you have half an hour to spare just step in and three things will surprise you:

First, QUALITY, Second, FIT.

And last but not least will be the surprising price you can buy them for.

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THIS SPACE IS RESERVED FOR

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Large sample room in connection with house for commercial men. Best of accommodations.

Headquarters for Commencial and Mining Men.

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ACTIVITY IN LUMBERING

Sawmills are Behind on Orders.

FOR THE LACK OF CARS

East Kootenay Lumber Co. and Moyie Lumber Co. have much work laid out.

There is considerable activity in the lumbering business here at the present time, and the outlook is that it will continue for some time to come. The two Moyie mills are away behind in their orders, but this is principally due to the inability to got cars. The Moyie Lumber Co, for instance, have orders in for between 70 and 80 carlords, and the East Kootenay Lumber Co. for between 250 and 300 carloads.

Sam Grant and his father, Donald Grant, of the Moyie Lumber Co. arrived here this week from Fairbault, Minn., and are looking after the interests of the company. The company have decided to push operations with all possible speed. They will take out as many logs as possible this winter, and will probably enlarge their mill to nearly double its present capacity. Lamb creek, which traverses their immense timber limits, will be cleared, as will also the upper Moyie river, along which they also have a good belt of timber. They have all the work they can possible handle for years to come.

The East Kootenay Lumber Co. have somewhat changed their plans lately. As near as can be learned now they intend to move their Moyie mill west to Yahk on the lower Moyie river and add machinery to double its capacity. Then they will dam Moyie lake at its outlet so they can raise it about two feet and get a head of water for fluming the logs down the river. In this way they can drive logs clear from the head of the lake to their mill down the river. By doing this they have several years cutting in sight. It is also the intention of the company to move their Jaffray mill to Wardner on the Kootenay river.

Presbyterian service will be held as usual in the hall on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 p. m. T. A. BROADFOOT, Pastor.

Good Shoes for Men.

The man who buys his Shoes from us needs judge only of the fit. We protect him in all points of style and Service. It's to our interest to sell you a satisfactory shoe and few know better than we the requirements of Shoe satisfaction.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Glen. Campbell is in Morrissey.

P. J. Cahill was in Cranbrook Thursday.

J. P. Farrell is painting his post office block.

Robt. Robson was up from Cranbrook yesterday.

Joseph McQueen and family have moved to Cranbrook.

O. J. Johnson is home from his trip to Perry creek.

Tim Farrell is still confined to his bed with rheumatism.

D. J. Elmer was home from Wardner for a few days this week.

Paul Jensen has gone to Morrissey and will probably locate there.

Mrs. James Cronin and Miss Linden left for Portland last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McMahon were up from Elko on a few days' visit this week.

Mrs. Soper of Kimberley is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. F. J. McMahon.

The Moyie Lumber Co. is looking for men. There is not an idle man in town.

The work of laying new steel between Aldridge and Yahk was commenced this week.

D. Wilson, inspector of schools, was in Moyie this week and inspected the school. He found everything in good condition.

F. D. Hope was in Cranbrook Thursday conferring with K. E. Beattie with regard to the purchising of a stock of holiday goods.

J. Attwood, Moyie's new station agent, and family arrived here Wednesday from Fort Steele junction.

The Moyie Water Co. have completed fixing their waterpipes for the winter. They do not anticipate any trouble from frost this year.

G. Hillier and daughter, Miss Daisy Hillier, left Thursday for Cranbrook. Miss Daisy will likely go east and attend school during the coming winter.

Constable Wilson was here last Saturday for Ed Hanson, who was arrested for breaking into a cabin. He was taken to Creston and tried before Judge Mallandaine and sentenced to three months in the Nelson jail.

P. A. Van Houten, who has been employed as engineer at the St. Eugene compressor for several months past, left Sunday for Rossland. Van is one of those jolly, wholesouled fellows who makes the world seem brighter for his being in it.

Transfer of C. P. R. Agents.

This week G. Hillier, the C. P. R. agent at this place, was moved to Crrnbrook to accept a better position, and J. Attwood was moved from Fort Steele junction to the Moyie office.

It is with sincere regret that the people of Moye loose Mr. Hillier. Always courteous and obliging, and ever ready to do the people a good turn, he won the affection of everyone, and he came to be looked upon as one of Moyie's permanent fixtures. The move, of course, is a promotion, but not as good as Mr. Hillier is entitled to, for he is one of the oldest and most faithful men in the company's service. Cranbrook has gained an excellent citizen in Mr. Hillier, and they should appreciate the fact and extend him every courtesy possible.

Morrissey Miners Are Out.

The miners at the Morrissey coal mine are out and strike for better pay. The miners at Fernie and Michel may follow suit.

James Baker, of the Western Federation of Miners, was sent for and reached there yesterday evening. When seen at the station yesterday he said he had nothing to give out for publication.

Pollard is a Worker.

E. S. Pollard, who helped to organize the Odd Fellows' lodge in Moyie and took such an active interest in it afterwards, is now over in the Coeur d'Alenes. The last issue of the Wallace Tribune says that "District Deputy Grand Master Pollard, assisted by the officers and members from the Genr and Wallace lodges, instituted a new lodge of the I. O. O. F. at Burke, which was named Burke lodge No. 92."

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Items of Interest Selected

FROM ROUND THE WORLD

License Commissioners take a Stand and Refuse to grant Licenses in New Townsite.

The Cerfew law is being strictly enforced in Rossland.

Santos Dumont proposes to fly by airship from Paris to San Francisco.

An electric car line is to be built between Spokane and Coeur d'Alene City.

A lodge of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen is to be organized in Nelson.

The United States army is to be reduced to its minimum, 59,000 men. It now numbers 67,000.

The Noble Five mine in the Slocan has been closed down and all work on the property suspended.

A diamond necklace, valued at $8,000, was stolen from the Gooderham residence in Toronto last Friday evening.

The Spokane stock exchange has closed once more, and it is the belief of many of the members that it is closed for good.

J. Israel Tarte has been asked to resign from Premier Laurier's cabinet on account of his opposition views on the tariff question.

The annual convention of the Press Association of British Columbia will be held at Halcyon Hot Springs on Sunday, November 9th.

John W. Gates is said to have netted $18,000,000 clear profit for the turning over of the Louisville & Nashville to J. Pierpont Morgan.

Little credit is being given to J. P. Mergan for the settlement of the coal strike. He is said merely to have acted from the pressure placed upon him by Secretary Root and Governor Odell.

The license commissioners have refused to grant licenses for the proposed new town near the Morrissey mines. The board takes the view that as there is no town yet, there is no need of licenses being granted.

James Younger, formerly a member of the notorious James band of Outlaws, committed suicide in St. Paul last Monday by shooting. He gave as a reason for his act despondency over continued ill health and separation from his friends.

Chief Constable Forbes has had written notices served on each of the Fernie hotels notifying them that if gambling is being carried on upon the premises in will have to cease. All loose women in town have also been notified that they will only be allowed on the street at certain hours of the day.

The government at Victoria has received a petition from the Doukhobors of the Assinaboia asking that they be allowed to move to British Columbia, stating that they are not allowed to practice their religion as they would wish, for their religion holds that they must obey the laws of no country—no laws other than those of God. Their request was refused.

Changes at Cranbrook Bank.

Hubert Haines, for the past year and a half manager of the Bank of Commerce in Cranbrook has been transferred to Treherne, Man. F. E. Malpas, formerly in charge of the bank at Fernie, succeeds Mr. Haines at the Cranbrook bank.

Methodist Church Services.

Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Good Master, What Shall I do that I May Inherit Eternal Life?"

We heartily invite you to this service. A. E. MARSHALL, Pastor.

FUEL IN ABUNDANCE SURROUNDS MORRISSEY, B. C.

The recent strikes here and elsewhere show the importance of Coal and Coke.

MORRISSEY Coal mines will always be worked to their full capacity, which insures a large and steady payroll for this place.

Any careful, intelligent investor who will examine the resources surrounding Morrissey, will become convinced that when he buys real estate here at precent prices, he is purchasing at a low price property that will bring him splendid returns. Lots on easy payments.

MORRISSEY TOWNSITE CO.
Thos. Graham, Agt. MORRISSEY.

METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK—Bar silver, 50⅝ cents. Lead, $4.12½. Copper, $11.30.
LONDON—Lead, £10 10s.

EAST KOOTENAY STOCK.

	Asked.	Bid
Crow's Nest Coal	$125.00	$118.00
St. Eugene	50	40
North Star	19½	18
Sullivan	5½	4

Will Build a Hotel.

Thos. Rader and Chas. Farrell of this place have made application for a hotel license at the Morrissey mine townsite, and if successful they will erect one of the best hotels there will be in the place. Mr. Rader was in Nelson this week having the plans and specifications drafted so that work on the building can be started on short notice. Messrs. Rader & Farrell are thoroughly reliable, and the house which they conduct will be nothing if not first class.

Is Giving Away Watches.

In prosecuting its plan to build up the largest circulation in the Kootenay, and incidentally, in observance of its seventh anniversary, the TRAIL CREEK NEWS is giving to each new subscriber a watch. It is not a full jeweled 18 karat gold witch, but is a neat, perfect running time-piece. It is guaranteed for one year and if it fails to keep accurate time during that perion, it will be exchanged for a new one. The guarantee is that of the largest watch company in the United States. The subscription to the NEWS is $2 a year, upon receipt of which a watch will be forwarded, together with the Trail Creek News for one year. IT'S A GOOD WATCH for man or boy. Remittance should be forwarded by express or postal order, to Trail Creek News, Trail, B. C.

St. Joseph's Convent.

NELSON, B. C.

Boarding and Day School conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph, Nelson B. C. Commercial and business courses a specialty. Excellence and swift progress characteaize each department. Parents should write for particulars. One month assures the public of the thoroughness of the Sisters' methods of teaching. (Next term commences Sept. 1st.)

A. L. McKILLOP,

ASSAYER,

NELSON, B. C.

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Pioneer Hardware Store.

Where you will find the largest stock of general hardware in East Kootenay. Mail orders given prompt attention.

Tinsmithing and Plumbing.

G. H. MINER,

CRANBROOK.

'Tween Love and Duty.

A Novel by Annie Thompson.

"Oh, they had proof. The receipt for the rent, neatly mounted on cardboard, was sent me by my brother, who advised me to hang it where I could constantly see it, so that I might always be reminded of the way in which I had disgraced myself and him. He said that he had done more for me before I left Scotland, than he was in any way bound to do; and in paying £50 to cover my disgrace he had been prompted solely by the desire to clear as far as possible the name which he had the misfortune to share with me. He added that he did not wish to hear more of me, that he would return unopened any letters I might send, and that I need not expect further communications from himself.

"One other letter reached me. It was from Mr. Anderson: it was full of warning and kindness and sympathy. He actually enclosed money lest I should be driven to extremities before I could find any employment. My first impulse was to write to him at once, indignantly denying the charge made against me; but I reflected that I had no proof of my innocence, and that words alone would never clear me in the eyes of those who had been so ready to believe me guilty. The receipt was a forgery, and Mark Presslie, a fellow clerk of mine, was the forger. I remember the circumstances perfectly. This rent and se al others had fallen due a day or two before my illness: Presslie had rents to collect on a neighboring estate, and seeing how miserably unwell I looked, he offered to call for me at this particular farm which lay nearer to his route than to mine. He was my senior in the office, and had shown me much kindness: I was thankful enough to be relieved, and never dreamed of doubting him when he told me that he had had handed in the money along with his own, and had explained the matter at the office. They followed my illness and departure.

"When I almost despaired of finding any proof that would clear me, it flashed across my mind that Mark Presslie had not been alone when he went to collect the rents that day. A friend of his and of mine had been with him—John Corbett. Corbett and I had been fellow students at the University: after he took his degree, his health gave way, and he was sent out to Colorado. Four years later he returned, just before my breakdown. I wrote to him from the Cape, telling him my trouble, entreating him to help me. His answer came after three months, but I had worried myself into brain fever by that time. As I became convalescent, the depression and lassitude from which I had suffered before, returned with far greater force. If I had energy enough to long for anything, I longed for death. When Corbett's letters came, I read them as though they referred to another person. The past seemed to be a dream, the future a blank, the present did not interest me in the least. Every night before I slept, I used to say, 'God grant I may die before to-morrow.' I prayed for death then, and I had to live: I pray for life now, and I have to die. It is all a mockery."

A violent fit of coughing interrupted him. Cayford had a vague idea that he ought to rebuke him for calling prayer a mockery: but while he was choosing his words, Alan spoke again.

"Here are Corbett's letters. You must read them yourself; I want all my strength to tell you the rest of my tale."

"You are not wise to speak more, now," said John. "Give me the letters to look at, and finish what you have to say to-morrow."

"How do you know that I shall be alive to-morrow," gasped the invalid. "I tell you, I must speak now. I may never have another chance."

"Go on then: but talk slowly; don't exert yourself more than you need."

Alan lay silent for a few minutes, and then continued.

"While I was waiting to hear from Corbett, I wrote to a relation of my mother's who lived at Melbourne. This gentleman had corresponded with me occasionally, ever since my mother's death: and when I was ordered abroad, I should have gone out to him if the doctor had not urged me to try the Cape. During my illness, the people I lodged with thought I was dying, and they searched through my papers to see who should be communicated with. They found a letter from Mr. Masson, and wrote to him. He came at once. As soon as I was strong enough to be moved, he took me back with him to Melbourne. He had neither wife nor child, he treated me as though I were his son. He made me live with him, and seeing that I was sensitive about being dependent on him, he gave me work in his office, and paid me a salary ridiculously out of proportion to all I did. Before I left Melbourne to come home, I asked him what had induced him to befriend me so; he told me, under his breath, as though he could scarcely steady his voice to say it, that years ago he had loved my mother. Then I understood. John!" cried the invalid, suddenly fixing an intense gaze upon his companion, "can you guess what forces me to come home now? When first I heard how they had defamed me, I was mad with the desire to clear myself, to repay Richard's taunts, to blacken Presslie's name as he had blackened mine: but I tell you, when a man has been down, down, almost to the grave, and feels his feet slipping further in every day, some of his ambitions get dwarfed. After I was so ill I ceased to care what any of them thought of me. I knew I must die of consumption sooner or later. When letters arrived from Corbett with proofs of my innocence and Mark's guilt, I put them aside and took credit to myself for not using them: I thought I was developing a fine amount of Christian charity. But—but—" his voice broke suddenly. "I loved a girl. God! Do you know what that means?"

"Yes," John answered simply, "I do."

"I loved her with all my heart and soul. To be near her, to hear her voice, to see her face, to touch her hand—that meant heaven to me. Once, when I was in her presence, some one spoke of a young fellow who had gone to the bad. I shall never forget the awful look of pity that came into her face. It made me feel as though I had seen God look on sin. It made me long to do something to save the poor wretch, who had caused it. Two months ago it came to my knowledge that she had been informed of my disgrace. Every night since then, I see her in my dreams with that same look of pity in her face for me. I cannot stand it. I care nothing about men's opinions of me, but I do care about hers. She never knew I loved her. I never hoped to make her love me: but I cannot have her think of me as a thief, I cannot have her look at me like that. I must live to clear myself; I will have this disgrace wiped out. Night and morning I pray to God to let me live till this is done; but if He will not let me do it for myself, Corbett must do it; or, failing him, you must do it. Corbett was to meet me at Tenerife. If he is not there, promise me that if I die before I reach home, you will see those papers of mine placed in Mr. Anderson's hands, and my name cleared."

He gasped out the appeal so passionately, that John dreaded the effect of the excitement on him.

"Corbett and I are the only two who know your side of the story?"

"The only two."

"Then if he fails you, and you cannot do it for yourself, I promise to give your papers into Mr. Anderson's hands and see justice is done to you."

"Swear it!"

"I swear it."

In his excitement, Alan raised himself upright.

"Tell Mary—" he said, and choked. John started to his feet in dismay as the red blood oozed out between his friend's lips. Hemorrhage again.

CHAPTER II.

Fortunately the hemorrhage was very slight. Alan Twiss passed a quiet night and slept during the greater part of Tuesday.

"He has made a surprising rally," the doctor said to Cayford. "He seems to have been wonderfully little weakened by the loss of blood."

"Do you think he will live to reach England?"

"He might, perhaps, if he were careful. He actually talks of going ashore at Santa Cruz."

"What folly! You will surely forbid it."

"I have told him it is useless to think of such a thing, but I can scarcely turn the key in his cabin door. He says he has important business in the town."

"I think he could intrust his business to me. I had better go and speak to him."

"Indeed you had better not: he excited himself too much when he spoke to you last. Besides, he is asleep; I gave him a sedative which should keep him quiet for a few hours longer. We have made such good speed yesterday and to-day, that the captain thinks we shall anchor in the Bay before midnight and be off again by 6 o'clock in the morning. If only the poor young fellow can sleep through the noise of coaling, my mind will be relieved."

"And mine," said John.

In preparation for going ashore at Santa Cruz, he read the letters Alan had given him; hoping to glean from them some information about the writer. They were two in number, both written from Tenerife.

Calle San Antonio, Santa Cruz.
January 3rd, '88–.

My Dear Alan:

Your letter, dated last November, has been forwarded to me from home. I am amazed at its contents, and must at once relieve your mind by telling you that I can send you the proofs you ask for, though there will be delay before they reach you. I suppose you have heard nothing of my changed circumstances. My father died soon after you left the country; and when his affairs were examined, they were found to be very much involved. He had been speculating freely and unfortunately; I believe the worry and anxiety he went through, told upon his health. It was some time before our exact position could be ascertained; then it appeared that after the liabilities were met, only about £2,000 remained for me. Fortunately my sisters were provided for. Our house in Glasgow and some £8,000 belonged to my mother, and has been settled by her on the two girls.

I had serious thoughts of applying for the desk you vacated in Messrs Claverton and Anderson's office, but the doctor vetoed that idea. My old symptoms were returning, and he said I must winter abroad. I had almost decided to go back to Colorado, when I heard that the English photographer in Santa Cruz wanted to leave Tenerife, and would dispose of his house and business on moderate terms. There can't have been much competition, for my small offer was at once accepted. You know that photography was my one hobby; I certainly never dreamed of practising it professionally! However I am here in the capacity of photographer, and so far I have done remarkably well.

Now for your affairs. My poor Alan, you have indeed been treated abominably. I could not have believed that Presslie would stoop so low. I know he wanted money at the time, for he wrote to me to ask if I could accommodate him with £50 for a few days, and I could not do it. I have his letter and shall send it to you. You are right in thinking that I went with Mark to Whitecairns. An Ayrshire friend of mine had asked me to buy a pair of young farm horses for him; and, as I learned from Mark that some of the farmers on the Netherwood estate had horses for sale, I arranged to accompany him when he went rent collecting. We called at the Netherwood farms first, and then went to Whitecairns for you. I was in the room with Mark when he counted out the notes and gave March the receipt. These recollections are not of much practical value perhaps, but I have papers that are. They are at home, packed away in an old desk with a number of letters which, luckily for you, I was too busy to look over and destroy before I left Glasgow. I shall write for the desk, and of course everything that concerns this unfortunate business will be forwarded to you at once.

Meanwhile, you must not lose heart. It will not be long before we have your innocence plainly proved. If you are able to return to Glasgow when the winter is over, I will go with you to see justice done. If you cannot leave the Cape, give me directions, and I will go alone to astonish Presslie and your brother. I shall carefully observe your wish, and say nothing on this subject to any one, till you give me leave.

Yours ever,
John Corbett.

Calle San Antonio, Santa Cruz,
February 1st, 188–.

Dear Alan:

Here are the proofs I promised; there are three of them. The first is a letter written in four different handwritings. Your and my signatures are in it, though we never wrote them there. It is dated a fortnight before your name was forged. One night soon after my return from Colorado, MacIvor, Rentoul, Presslie, and I were dining together. I told them of an American I knew who could write four different types of handwriting with perfect ease. I called this a remarkable feat, but Mark affected to think very little of it. He said it was uncommon rather than wonderful, and not more extraordinary than the imitation of four distinct voices by one person. He said that he had a facility in copying handwriting himself, and would wager £5 to £5 that, in a week's practise, he could imitate so perfectly the writing of any three men I liked to name, that I should be unable to detect any difference between his imitation and the originals. I took the bet and challenged him to imitate my writing, Rentoul's, and yours, the three most varied types I could think of. A week later we all dined together again; and he wrote at my dictation a letter which he commenced and ended in his own autograph, while ours was imitated in the three intermediate sentences. It was a piece of insane folly; the danger of which I never realized until you told me of your misfortune. I blame myself more than I can say, for my share in it.

The second inclosure is the letter in which Mark asks for a loan of £50. The third is the most conclusive proof of all. It is a letter he wrote to me regarding the farm horses I was commissioned to purchase. He must have written it hurriedly, or he never would have committed himself as he does in this sentence: "On the whole, I do not think you will see better horses than these at lower Netherwood, except the pair March shewed us when we called for his rent on Thursday. I think he could easily be induced to sell them." How could he have allowed himself to write such a sentence!

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

And Got a Windfall.

"You say his money fell to him?"

"No: he fell to it—tumbled through a coal hole and sued the city."

The Word "Picnic."

Few people know the original meaning of the word "picnic." It is to be found set out in the London Times of a hundred years ago. "A picnic supper consists of a variety of dishes. The subscribers to this entertainment have a bill of fare presented to them, with a number against each dish. The lot which he draws obliges him to furnish the dish marked against it, which he either takes with him in his carriage or sends by a servant. The proper variety is preserved by the talents of the maitre d'hotel, who forms the bill of fare. As the cookery is furnished by so many people of fashion each strives to excel, and thus a picnic supper not only gives rise to much pleasant mirth, but generally can boast of the refinement of the art."

Where He Rode.

A schoolboy who was going to a party was cautioned by his father not to walk home if it rained and was given money for cab hire. It rained heavily, and great was the father's surprise when his son, in spite of the instructions he had received, arrived home drenched to the skin.

"Did you not take a cab as I ordered you, Alfred?" the parent asked sternly.

"Oh, yes; but when I ride with you you always make me ride inside. This time I rode on top with the driver. Say, dad, it was grand!"

A Wonderful Echo.

At a watering place in the Pyrenees the conversation at table turned upon a wonderful echo to be heard some distance off on the Franco-Spanish frontier.

"It is astonishing," said an inhabitant of the Garonne. "As soon as you have spoken you hear distinctly the voice leap from rock to rock, from precipice to precipice, and as soon as it has passed the frontier the echo assumes the Spanish accent."

BOWSER BUYS CATNIP

REMINDS HIM OF BYGONE DAYS AND HE PLANTS IT IN THE BACK YARD.

The Old Fellow Is Filled With Sentiment—Hundreds of Cats Approve of His Action, and He Is Overwhelmed in the Usual Manner.

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THERE were a softness and a sadness in Mr. Bowser's face as he came home the other evening, and Mrs. Bowser was puzzled to tell whether he had found a nickel on the street corner or heard of the death of a cousin. After dinner, during which he mentioned his childhood days and sighed over the passing of years, he proceeded to explain.

"Do you know that we have become cold hearted, indifferent and selfish?" he asked as he heaved a sigh and shook his head in a solemn way.

"Not in particular," replied Mrs. Bowser, who remembered that she had fed four tramps within a week.

"But we have, just the same. How often, as we sit here of an evening, do we call up and discuss the days of our

"IS IT ANYTHING THAT'S GOING TO SWELL UP AND BUST?"

childhood, of our boyhood and girlhood, of the dear old homes that sheltered us before we went out into the world? Not once in ten years. My father and mother are dead as well as your father—"

"And what else?" she asked as he paused.

He suddenly remembered that her mother was still living and was wondering why death had not also claimed her. He thought it best not to say anything about it, however, and went on:

"—and the dear old homes have passed into the hands of strangers. Do we ever speak of the gardens, the meadows, the old pear trees, the lanes and the orchards? Never. There are the hills we used to slide down in winter, the brooks we paddled in when summer came, the groves with their swings and the big walnut trees shading the front porch, but we never recall them. Instead of that we sit here and read or play euchre or go to the theater, and our hearts grow hard and selfish. We ought to be ashamed of ourselves."

Mr. Bowser got up and wiped at the corner of his eye and walked around, and the cat came out from under the piano and sat up and looked solemnly at the figure of the carpet.

"And what happened today to start this train of thought?" asked Mrs. Bowser after awhile.

"The merest trifle," replied Mr. Bowser. "On the street I saw a vender of flowers. Among his flowers he had two bunches of catnip. The instant I got the odor of it I was carried back to my boyhood days. In our homely old garden we had thyme and hollyhocks and pinks and creeping Charlie and catnip. You must remember catnip?"

"Yes."

"The scent of it comes to me through all these long years. I remember nothing of the past so vividly as catnip."

"They didn't make you eat catnip soup when you were a boy, did they?" she asked.

"Madam," answered Mr. Bowser as he stopped before her and glared, "don't run this thing into burlesque! If you have got a brickbat where your heart ought to be, I haven't. I am still a human being, although you have tried your hardest to make me a man of stone."

"Well, you saw two bunches of catnip."

"I did, and I bought them at once. I have brought them home, and I am now going to plant them in our back yard. I am going to have something around to recall the happy days of the past. I don't want to forget that I was once young and innocent hearted— By thunder, but that cat's got a bone in her throat and is choking to death!"

The cat had one eye cocked up to the ceiling and was gurgling and choking, but as Mr. Bowser stepped forward she made a dive under the lounge, and Mrs. Bowser quietly said:

"She often does that when she's amused."

"Oh, she does! Then there's something to amuse her, I take it. Let her do any more gurgling around here tonight and I'll wring her old neck! You and the cat make a nice pair!"

"Then you are going to plant the catnip in the back yard?" queried Mrs. Bowser.

He made no reply, but, getting the parcel from the front hall, he passed out of the back door and looked around for a suitable spot.

"Is it anything that's going to swell up and bust up and tear the house down?" anxiously inquired the cook.

"No, my good woman. Didn't you ever hear of catnip?"

"Seems as if I did. Didn't the Spanish blow up the Maine in Havana with the same, bad luck to 'em?"

Mr. Bowser smiled in his benign and paternal way and set about the work of planting, and in ten minutes the job was done. Then he stood back and surveyed the plants with a mixture of sadness and gratification and said to himself:

"Remembrances of the happiest days of my life, days before I met Mrs. Bowser! When I feel that mercy, pity and charity are being crowded out of my heart, I will come out here and sniff the fragrant odor of this catnip. 'Tis but a homely plant, but 'tis full of sweetest memories."

Then he returned to the sitting room to say to Mrs. Bowser:

"I want to give you and the cat and the cook fair warning that if I come home tomorrow evening and find that catnip damaged or missing there will be a row around here."

"Why should you say that?" she asked.

"Because you have no sympathy with me. The past does not appeal to you. I don't believe you call up old times once a year. Should an old tramp come to the door and prove to be a playmate of your childhood, you'd hit him in the eye with a cold potato instead of clasping his hand."

Mrs. Bowser went up stairs and left him reading his paper, and half an hour had passed when a wild, weird yeowl from the back yard raised what little hair he had on his head. It also brought the family cat out from under the lounge, and her eyes glared and her tail grew bushy.

"By John!—"

His exclamation was cut short by a still wilder yeowl, followed by a rattling and a banging on the back fences. Then came six other yeowls and rattles and bangs, and the voice of Mrs. Bowser called down:

"You'd better go out and see to your catnip! There's more than a thousand cats on the fences!"

"By thunder, but I'll murder 'em to the very last one!" shouted Mr. Bowser as, followed by the excited and meowing cat, he rushed down stairs and out into the yard.

There were not a thousand cats. There were only 900. They were scampering across the yard, roosting on the fences, fighting ten deep over the catnip plants. He picked up a spade and dashed forward with a yell, but his foot caught in an old iron hoop, and he went down. The 900 fled. Six hundred of them ran over Mr. Bowser's prostrate form as they did so, and when Mrs. Bowser got down and extended a hand to help him up his emotions were too deep for utterance.

"Come, Mr. Bowser; come in," she said, and he humbly followed her.

"It often works that way, but you didn't know it," she continued, and still he was dumb.

"It's my seventeenth attempt to assassinate you, and of course you'll apply for a divorce."

But he simply sighed and groaned and went to bed, like an overtired boy. He had met the catnip and the cats, and he was theirs.

M. QUAD.

In Passing.

Briggs—Saw General Swordknot today. The general was looking fine.

Griggs—Did the general have anything to say to you?

Briggs—Not exactly. He didn't speak, but he sounded his tooter at me. He was in his automobile, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Crushed.

The lambkin skipped about the field
In light and careless glee;
His conscience felt no twinge of blame,
So innocent was he.

But news of what they charge for meat
Unto the lambkin came,
And then the stricken creature blushed
And hid his head in shame.

—Washington Star.

Born and Died the Same Day.

"Born and died on the same day" is true of the following conspicuous men: Shakespeare was born April 23, 1564, and died April 23, 1616. Raphael Sogio d'Urbino, the great artist, was born on Good Friday, 1483, and died on Good Friday, 1520, aged thirty-seven. Good Friday is a movable feast, so the day of the month may not have been the same. Sir Thomas Browne, author of "Religio Medici," was born Oct. 19, 1605, and died Oct. 19, 1682. Timothy Swan, composer, was born July 23, 1758, and died July 23, 1842. St. John of God, one of the most eminent of Portuguese saints, was born March 8, 1495, and died March 8, 1550. John Sobieski, king of Poland, who delivered Vienna from the Turks, was born June 17, 1629, and died June 17, 1696.

A "Tragedy."

A Missouri paper gives an account of an amusing little "tragedy" which it claims occurred in its town. A man and his wife were riding home on a street car. He was reading his paper, when another lady got on. The car was crowded, and without glancing up he arose and gave her his seat, receiving a gracious smile in payment. The man's wife immediately got up, gave the bellrope a hard jerk and invited her husband to get off. When he looked around to learn the cause of her anger, he discovered that the woman to whom he had given his seat was his first wife, whom he had divorced two years before. They walked the rest of the way home, and he is still explaining.

The Dinner Table.

The woman from New England buys a "tablespread," while her sister from the south buys a "tablecloth." The woman from Nova Scotia orders the servant to "lay the table," while with most of us natives of the United States the command is to "set the table." In the country the hostess says to her guests, "Sit by," when it is time to eat; in town it is "Please sit down;" in the city among the swells there is no further invitation than the announcement of the servant that "Dinner is served."

HE WAS PARALYZED

Unable to Walk or Raise Hands to His Head.

A More Unfortunate Case Could Not be Imagined Than a Husband and Father in This Wretched Condition.

Oshawa, Ont., Oct. 6.—(Special.)—The experience of Mr. Joseph B[illegible], an employee of the Oshawa [illegible] Iron Works, should be a lesson to every sick person.

Some five years ago Mr. B[illegible], who is a hard-working, industrious and sober man, began to feel a weakness and soreness in the calves of his legs. This gradually increased till he had lost all power in his limbs and arms. He could not even raise his arms to his head to comb his hair, and for over four months could not stand or walk alone, much less step.

All the doctors treated him and gave him up. Then he consulted a Bowmanville doctor who told him he could do nothing for him and advised him to go to the hospital in Toronto to where they might be able to do him a little.

To the hospital he went in January, 1898, and remained under treatment for over four weeks. The doctors told him he could not live and that nothing could be done for him. He was getting worse every day and when removed to the home in Oshawa was like a baby unable to move.

His father-in-law, Mr. John [illegible], had heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and suggested that Mr. Brown try them. He did and he says:

"I used altogether twelve boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and by the middle of May I was able to start work again in the shop and I have not been sick or off work a day since.

"I am sure I owe my life and strength to that great medicine, Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Knights of Old.

The knights of the days of old were so well protected by their armor that they were practically impervious to all ordinary weapons. Once dismounted they could not rise again save by the misericordia, a thin dagger which penetrated the chinks of the armor. In more than one battle knights fallen from their horses could be killed until their armor had been broken up with axes and hammers.

Good Cooks.

"If all sick people had good cooks," says the London Hospital, "how much greater might be the proportion of recoveries!" The value of the foods which are advertised extensively largely, it says, in the manner in which they are prepared for the invalid.

A Half Partner.

A.—That woman who just passed is the partner of your joys and sorrows, I suppose.

B.—She's partner to my joys all right, but when it comes to my sorrows she slips over to see her mother.

Reversed.

Rodrick—Say, old man, you've been through the ordeal of proposing. What does a fellow do after he has popped the question?

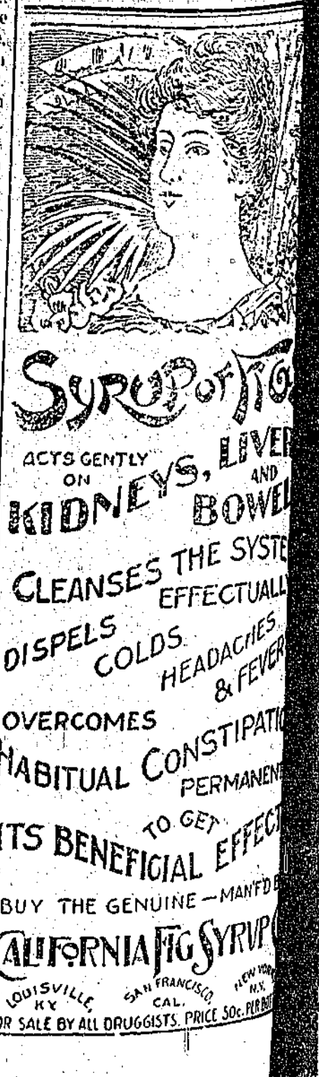
Van Albert—Why, he questions, of course.

In His Dreams.

Hewitt—When I was on the boat the other night, I had a lower berth and dreamed I was sleeping in the upper berth.

Jewett—Sort of overslept yourself, eh?

Good manners is the art of making those people easy with whom we converse. Whoever makes the fewest persons uneasy is the best bred in the company.



JINGLES AND JESTS.

w a Maiden's Won.

man and just a maid,
hammock in the shade;
pair of laughing eyes,
like the summer skies;
little argument
ng of sentiment;
he theme of love begun,
st this—the maiden's won!

Its Status.

t Victim—Confound you, sir! tised a "gusher," and now I here is not a drop of oil com- the well! What kind of a you call that?

llocrat—Ingrowing gusher.

Household Thought.

e pumpkin sets aglow
fancies, don't you know.

e pumpkin, plump and big,
our fancies dance a jig.

e pumpkin makes us sigh
fancies roll in pie.

Solitary Exception.

icials should understand that expects every man of them duty."

cept the customs officials, of e expects them to collect it."

Place to the Swift.

an—I saw two automobiles up this morning.

y—How did it happen?

an—They both tried to run same child.

ce, when one peasant bor- from another's hearth to own, the owner of the fire ompany" the borrower to "to see the fire blaze." the one making the loan his house and goods des- y the devouring element.

OF SORTS.—Symptoms, Head, of appetite, furred tongue, and indisposition. These symptoms, ed, develop into acute disease. rite saying that an ounce of is worth a pound of cure." tle attention at this point may ats of sickness and large doc- s. For this complaint take from *three* of Parmelee's Vegetable *going* to bed, and one or two *nights* in succession, and a cure ected.

men never give up until after eak down.

is a similarity in the mak- salads and jokes. They are kely to suit our own tastes e tastes of others.

e a fire burns upon the hearth rmans say that lightning never

is used as a substitute for on bicycle tires.

women are good looking un- r they find it out.

C. C. Richards & Co.

Gentlemen,—My daughter, 13 years as thrown from a sleigh and her elbow so badly it remain- ff and very painful for three Four bottles of MINARD'S ENT completely cured her and as not been troubled for two

Yours truly,
J. B. LEVESQUE.

Joseph, P.Q., Aug. 18, 1900.

ly is inly skin deep, but ugli- built up from the bone.

Cornelia, a plagiarist isn't ne- ly the author of a play.

Devonshire, England, if a fire blue and dead, it is thought a forerunner of death or dis- in that house.

e never was, and never will be, a sal panacea, in one remedy, for all o which flesh is heir—the very na- of many curatives being such that the germs of other and differently d diseases rooted in the system of alient—what would relieve one ill ld would aggravate the other. We however, in Quinine Wine, when able in sound, unadulterated state, edy for many and grievous ills. By radual and judicious use the frail- systems are led into convalescence strength by the influence which Qui- exerts on nature's own restoratives, lieves the drooping spirits of those whom a chronic state or morbid ndency and lack of interest in life disease, and, by tranquilizing the es, disposes to sound and refreshing —imparts vigor to the action of the d, which, being stimulated, courses ugh the veins, strengthening the hy animal functions of the system, by making activity a necessary re- strengthening the frame, and giving to the digestive organs, which natu- demand increased substance—result, roved appetite. Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, have given to the public r superior Quinine Wine at the usual and, gauged by the opinion of tists, this wine approaches nearest ection of any in the market. All gists sell it.

hink of it! A trolley car runs ough the streets of Jerusalem!

ship-chandler in Front street, ooklyn, bears the high-sounding me of Mr. Westminster Abbey.

rums made of aluminum are used the German Army. They are light- and give a louder and more mu- al sound than those made of other tal.

gitation is the method that plants e school by the side of the ballot- x.—Wendell Phillips.

The more we do the more we can The more busy we are the more sure we have.—Hazlitt.

The Talipot palm of Ceylon has aves which are sometimes 20 feet ng and 18 feet broad.

WASTING AWAY

THE SAD CONDITION OF MANY YOUNG GIRLS.

Mothers Should Be Very Careful When Their Daughters Complain of Headache, Fickle Appetite, Dizziness or Heart Palpitation.

Many mothers neglect the health of their growing daughters. Not wilfully, of course, but because they think the occasional headaches from which they suffer, fickleness of appetite, and pale cheeks, are the natural result of the merging of girlhood into womanhood. This is a serious mistake. There is no period in a girl's life when she needs more attention, and unless the little troubles are successfully treated, more serious ones—perhaps decline and consumption—are sure to follow. What every young girl needs at this period is a tonic medicine that will give her a rich, red blood, strong nerves and bring her safely through a critical period in her life. For this purpose there is no other medicine in the world can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Thousands of girls throughout Canada owe their present health and happiness to this medicine, and thousands of others who are suffering would soon be strong if they would give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. Among the many young ladies who have proved the great worth of this medicine is Miss Jessie Beamer, of Boyle, Ont. Miss Beamer says: "Some years ago I became very ill, and my friends feared I was going into a decline. I was pale; suffered from terrible headaches; my appetite was poor and I grew very thin. I became so weak that I could hardly walk. I remained in this condition for several months, during which time I tried several medicines, but none helped me in the least. Then my mother got me some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and almost from the outset they helped me. As I continued the use of the Pills, the severe headaches left me; my appetite returned and I gained in weight. In fact, I was soon enjoying perfect health, and have since continued to do so. I attribute this entirely to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and will be glad if some other weak and ailing girl will profit by my experience."

Pale and sallow cheeks, dizziness, headaches, palpitation of the heart, and the feeling of weariness that afflicts so many young girls will soon disappear if Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are used. These pills also cure rheumatism, dyspepsia, kidney ailments, St. Vitus' dance, and the other troubles that come from poor blood and weak nerves. Sold by all dealers in medicine or sent post paid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Love may be blind, but small brothers see everything in sight.

Though the ostrich may not be a gambler he has tips on many races.

Dyspepsia or indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, lots of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also being the principal cause of Headache. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills taken before going to bed for a while never fail to give relief and effect a cure. Mr. F. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Parmelee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock."

From a cat's point of view a saucer of cream is the lap of luxury.

Few women know how to grow old gracefully, and even they do not want to.

ST. JACOBS OIL
For Stiff and Swollen Necks.

Mr. Hooper, 57 Grosvenor street, Belfast, writes:—"Having from a cold got a very stiff and painful swollen neck, I tried all the usual remedies without effect. I was almost giving it up, when a book was placed on my counter describing St. Jacobs Oil. I procured a bottle, and had scarcely rubbed it on my neck when I felt better. In a short time the pain left me and the swelling went down. Finding it so good in this case, I then tried it on my ankle, which I had sprained, and which was frequently very painful. I soon had the pleasure of finding that pain also disappear. I must say I consider St. Jacobs Oil of great value."

In chasing the ideal one often succeeds in catching up with the material.

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When a Russian family moves from one house to another they always rake all the fire from the hearth of the old domicile and carry it in a closed pot to their new residence.

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MARKETS.

(Compiled from The Commercial)

WHEAT—The wheat market the past week has been marked by a declining tendency during the last three days of September, ending with Tuesday, and then a stronger and advancing tendency the first three days of this month up to Saturday. In the American speculative markets moderate activity has set in and a more confident feeling seems to prevail. In last week's review we noticed the position of the September option in Chicago, the price of which had gone up to 86c on the 26th ult. This was further advanced until 95c was the closing quotation as the month went out. The exit of the September option seems to have a steadying effect on the different markets, as during the last three days the fluctuations in quotations have advanced or declined more in unison than previously. The closing quotations on Friday, although they show about 1c advance on three days are very little different from what they were a week ago, except on the May delivery, which shows ½ to ⅞c advance. Cash trade in the States and export trade at the seaport is called moderate, at the same time there is a considerable movement, as shown by shipping statistics.

Manitoba wheat has been fairly active during the week, and a considerable business has been done. At the beginning of the week the feeling was depressed and buyers held back and would only take wheat when the price was shaded. Latterly, however, buying has been on a better scale. Prices have fluctuated from 68½c to 69½c for No. 1 hard, delivery first half of October, and from 67½ to 68⅜c, delivery last half October, the outside price being obtainable Friday. No. 1 northern sells at 2c less than No. 1 hard, and No. 2 northern at 2½c under No. 1 northern. There is almost nothing doing in lower grades yet, but No. 3 northern has been sold at 62c, October delivery, and No. 4 wheat at 58c. All prices are in store Fort William or Port Arthur.

Country Wheat—Farmers are delivering freely at all points, and the market is steady at 58c to 60c per bushel for best grades, according to rate of freight.

OATS—Receipts of oats are increasing and the market is weaker. Local dealers are quoting 23 to 25c per bushel for No. 2 white in carlots on track, Winnipeg, and 23c for feed white. At country points from 18 to 20c is being paid for farmers' loads, according to location.

BARLEY—Deliveries are increasing and the market is easier. Malting barley is worth 33c per bushel in cars on track, Winnipeg, and feed grades 27 to 30c.

FLAXSEED—The market is opened at $1.15 per bushel to farmers at country points.

SPELTZ—This grain is beginning to offer at 30c per bushel of 50 lbs. to farmers.

HAY—$6 to $7 per ton for fresh baled in carlots on track, Winnipeg.

POTATOES—30c per bushel.

POULTRY—Spring chickens, 40 to 60c per pair, alive; fowl, 60 to 70c; ducks, 9c per pound; turkeys, 10 to 11c, live weight.

BUTTER.—Creamery—Prices are higher at 17½c to 18c per lb. f. o. b. factory points.

BUTTER—Dairy—Receipts of dairy butter are not sufficient to supply all the demand and the market is firm. Commission houses are paying 12 to 14c for choice to finest dairy, commission basis, in pails or bricks.

CHEESE—10½c per pound is being paid for best makes, delivered in the city.

EGGS—The ruling price is 16½c per dozen for choice eggs, subject to candling.

DRESSED MEATS.—Beef, city dressed, 5¾ to 6½c, country stock ½c less; mutton, 8 to 9c; lamb, 11½c; hogs, 9 to 9½c.

HIDES—Dealers are now paying 6½c for No. 1 hides, 5½c for No. 2, and 4½ for No. 3. Calfskins same price as hides. Horse hides 50c to $1 each.

SENECA ROOT—Dealers are talking lower prices and are not willing to pay over 56c for best root delivered in Winnipeg, which is 2c less than last week's prices. Inferior grades are ranging from 2 to 3c below this figure.

LIVE STOCK.

CATTLE—There is a good export movement of range cattle, the shipments amounting to over 2,000 head per head. Best exporters are still ruling at 4c per pound, point of shipment. Butchers' cattle 3 to 3½c.

SHEEP—Receipts of sheep are ample for all requirements of the market and prices hold steady at 3½ to 3¾c per pound off cars Winnipeg. Lambs are worth 5½c per pound.

HOGS—Demand is very active owing to the good sale for cured meats. Packers are quoting 6½ to 6¾c. Inferior grades ½c to 1c less.

MILCH COWS—Cows are scarce. Good milkers readily bring $45 in this market, the range being from $35 to $45 each.

HORSES—There is a good demand for work horses and an active trade is doing in these. Driving horses are also in good demand.

The Smallest Bequest.

An inhabitant of Borssell, in Zealand, has inherited probably the smallest legacy on record, except, perhaps, the proverbial shilling. His son died in the Dutch Indies, leaving behind him effects to the value of 13 pence halfpenny, to which the father is heir. The money is payable at Middelburg, and the man will have to walk ten Dutch leagues for it, losing also a day's work.—The Independance Belge.

$100 REWARD $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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BABY'S FIRST TOOTH.

A Family Event That Does Not Always Bring Unmixed Joy.

Baby's first tooth does not come unannounced. Inflamed gums and impaired digestion produce a feverish and fretful condition about which the mother often feels concern. The baby boy of Mrs. George McGregor, of Hamilton, Ont., was troubled with diarrhoea while teething and was cross and restless. He did not sleep well and matters became serious. The mother writes as follows: "My sister had used Baby's Own Tablets for her baby and advised me to try them. I got a box and after giving the Tablets to the baby a few times he began to improve and was soon well. He is now a big, healthy baby, and whenever he gets fretful or does not feel well I give him a tablet and he is soon all right again."

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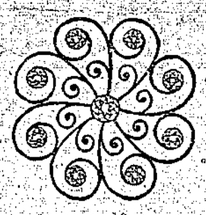
A man is often reminded of something he has forgotten only to discover he can't remember what it was.

Diamond Brooches.



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There are cases of consumption so far advanced that Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup will not cure, but none so bad that it will not give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest, it is a specific which has never been known to fail. It promotes a free and easy expectoration, thereby removing the phlegm, and gives the deceased parts a chance to heal.

The Sicilians say that fire will not burn a man born on St. Paul's day (January 25), but that if a woman be burned on that day the sore will never heal and will eventually cause her death, according to the St. Louis Republic.

W. N. U. No. 397.

If brevity is the soul of wit some of our modern jokesmiths must be soulless.

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H. E. Croasdaile says that while he was back at Halifax representing the Nelson board of trade on the lead question he heard the opinions of many who were thoroughly conversant with the conditions, and as a result his views have been changed in some respects. He now thinks that a bounty on lead is what is needed. Higher duties, he says, were all right, but they would only help to the extent of the amount of lead needed for Canada alone, and as that was only a little over a third of what was produced in the Kootenays in 1900, for instance, it could be seen that the increase of duty asked would be very far from affording a satisfactory solution of the whole question.

One J. M. Cockle of Kaslo upbraids the board of trade through the Kootenaian for attempting to stock Kootenay lake with black bass. He says that black bass are most undesirable where trout exist and should be introduced only into isolated waters where they cannot spread and migrate. That brook trout, without question, will invariably disappear before the new and pugnacious marauders and in most cases the trout are the preferable fish. However, even if there is some truth in this, it is not likely that the 28 black bass recently put in Moyie lake will do any great amount of damage in this generation, at least the people here are not worrying over the matter.

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

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1902.

CHAS. C. FARRELL,
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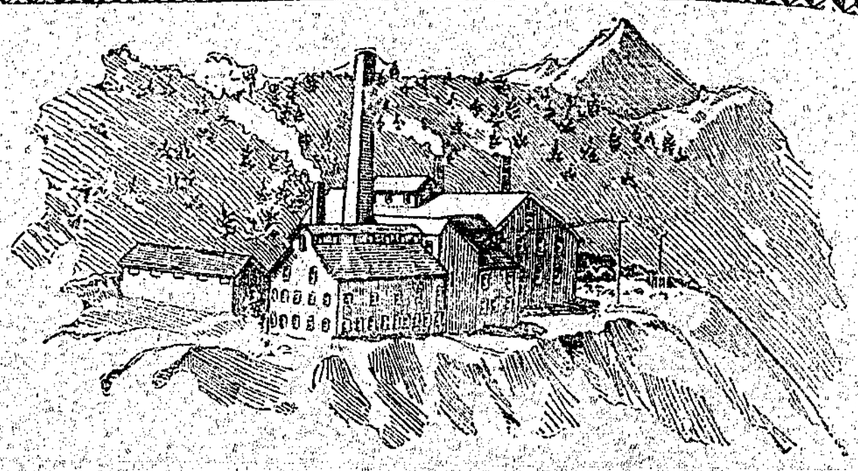

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