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\$2 00 a Year in Advance

GREAT STOCK-TAKING SALE

ABOUT THE FIRST OF FEBRUARY we will commence our Annual Stock-Taking, and previous to removing to our new premises, on the Corner of Mackenzie Avenue and First street, which will be completed and ready for us in the early spring. We are desirous of reducing our stock so that the work of Stock-Taking will be somewhat lessened, and to that end we are marking down our goods to the lowest possible point and are now offering some GREAT BARGAINS as the following will indicate:—

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200 PAIRS LADIES' CENTS 200
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These Shoes are all of the very best makes and you cannot make a mistake in making your purchases at the Cost Price Mark.

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Our Entire Stock of W. G. & R. Colored Shirts, soft and Starched Fronts—genuine bargains—at

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Made by Rowlock and Christy, two of the best Hat Makers in the world to-day. These Hats are all for sale at Bargain Prices.

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We lead in this line. Our importations are large and always the best the market offers.

ONTARIO APPLES—A large shipment, including the famous Northern Spys, Russets, Kings and Greenings.

The Celebrated Bear Brand of Eggs.

Hay, Oats, Bran and Shorts always in stock.

C. B. Hume and Company.

Goods delivered to all parts of City. TELEPHONE No. 81

REVELSTOKE ASSOCIATION

A Branch of the Provincial Mining Association Formed Here With Over One Hundred Names.

Last Thursday afternoon a meeting of all parties interested in the formation of a Revelstoke branch of the Provincial Mining Association was called in the council chamber under the auspices of the board of trade. About thirty gentlemen were present and on motion it was decided to form the association and a committee was appointed to solicit names for membership and report at an adjournment to be held in the opera house on Monday the 2nd inst. At the meeting on Monday evening there was a very representative gathering of citizens, when the election of officers and delegates to the convention to be held at Victoria on the 25th inst. took place.

The following are the minutes:

His Worship Mayor O'Brien was voted to the chair, and H. Floyd secretary of the meeting.

The minutes of preliminary meeting held Jan. 29th were read and adopted. Mr. F. B. Wells reported that 99 members had signed the list and that 78 had paid their subscriptions.

A letter was read from Mr. Kirk stating his inability to attend the meeting on account of absence from town.

A telegram from Mr. K. Lamb was read stating that proxies would be accepted at the general meeting at Victoria.

Moved by Mr. Haggen, seconded by Mr. McRae: That the officers of the Revelstoke branch of the association shall consist of president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and committee of 15. Carried.

Moved by J. M. Scott, seconded by P. Leake: That Wm. Cowan be elected president. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Kellie, seconded by Mr. Wells: That Mr. E. A. Bradley be elected vice president. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Haggen, seconded by Mr. Woodrow: That Mr. Kirk be appointed secretary treasurer. Carried.

The following gentlemen were then elected to the executive committee: Messrs. F. B. Wells, J. M. Scott, C. Hinton, E. A. Haggen, J. M. Kellie, C. F. Lindmark, C. B. Hume, A. Johnson, A. E. Kincaid, J. I. Woodrow, W. M. Brown, F. McCarty, J. Sanderson, T. Kilpatrick, G. S. McCarter.

Moved by Mr. Lindmark, seconded by Mr. Haggen: That this meeting select 5 delegates to attend the convention and hereby authorizes the executive to increase the number according to the roll of membership. Carried.

The following were then elected as delegates:

Messrs. E. A. Haggen, G. S. McCarter, J. M. Scott, A. Johnson, W. M. Brown.

Moved by Mr. Haggen, seconded by Mr. J. M. Scott: That the committee already appointed to procure members and subscriptions be confirmed, with power to add to their number. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Haggen, seconded by Mr. Tapping: That a vote of thanks be accorded the chairman and secretary of the meeting. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned.

A Nakusp Item.

A Nakusp man who may have met with a disappointment writes us a letter pointing out how the Dominion government wastes money. He states that the famous three masted schooner, Galliber's Hoodoo, is in Nakusp harbor, and that it is manned by able and willing representatives of Walker, Gooderham, Seagram and the Revelstoke Liberal club, although Corby's club does not appear to be in it. He further states that the crew, or the Revelstoke Liberal club; we are not quite sure which is meant, is composed of a busted Klondiker, a free-pass California fruit picker, two broken hotel men, two hard luck prospectors, two railroad officials, four tin horn men and a grub destroyer, all residents of Burton or Revelstoke. All this seems to us like a motley crew for a noble ship, but our correspondent must mean it for the crew, for surely the Revelstoke Liberal club is not composed of broken men, with its government so many years at the Ottawa sluice boxes. He further states that not a Nakusp man is employed on the job, because there are no Liberals in that town, or at least there will be none when Big Bill

again comes to that camp in search of votes that count for pup and position. Big Bill probably does not care for. he has just captured two mail routes, seven post offices and a lighthouse. As Bill is so silent he must have had these things handed to him, or took them during the excitement over Lowery's Claim in Ottawa. The matter our correspondent speaks of cannot be remedied except by socialism. Nothing else will kill party heeled, tooters and pap seekers. They swarm equally numerous at either a Tory or a Liberal trough.—New Denver Ledger.

The Wedding Party.

"The Wedding Party," by Kowloski, the picture selected by the Free Press, Winnipeg, to be given to the readers of the Weekly Free Press in January, illustrates the Polish form of a custom which exists in almost every civilized and semi-civilized country.

The painting reproduction presents a scene full of life, gaiety, laughing faces, bright color and lively movement which combine to give the scene a character of joyousness and "go" seldom found in pictorial representations.

Alfred Kowloski von Wierusz was born at Suwalki, Poland, in 1849, and was a pupil of the academies of Warsaw, Dresden and Munich. His "Hunting Scene," sold at the Morgan sale in New York in 1890, brought \$22,250.

"The Wedding Party" is one of the brightest, and will prove one of the most popular, pictures that has up to the present been presented to Weekly Free Press readers. So highly was "The Wedding Party" thought of that it was selected as a special Christmas gift to be given to the readers of one of the largest papers in the United States.

Hospital Ball.

The sum of \$344.75 was the amount realized from the Hospital Ball held last month under the auspices of the Ladies Aid. The total amount of receipts from the sale of tickets, etc., was \$422.75, expenses \$78. The ladies are to be congratulated on the success attending their efforts both from a social and financial point of view.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any of my children from this date without my written order.

H. LAUGHEAD.
Feb. 3rd, 1903.

LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH

The News of the World in Brief As Received Over the Wires From Every Corner of the Globe.

North German steamer Freiburg from Hamburg is ashore near Mocha Arabia.

Report from Fez states pretender to throne been captured.

Prosecution of seven Chinese rebels arrested in Jany, for being implicated in plan for uprising in Canton been abandoned.

Alfred Agster, socialist member of Reichstag, Berlin, fired revolver at himself in committee rooms of house today. Later on it developed he had previously removed the bullet from the cartridge. Mental weakness is the cause.

7,000 unemployed persons marched through the streets of Valladolid, Spain, yesterday demanding work or bread.

Oklahoma City is burning. The best business blocks in the city are already destroyed. No particulars.

King Edward is still confined to his apartments at Windsor Castle but is progressing satisfactorily.

It is announced that from Feb. 1st the whole of the British forces in South Africa, from the Zambesi to the Cape, will be under a single and supreme command to which Lieut. General Lyttleton will be appointed with headquarters at Pretoria.

As a result of a fight which followed the discovery by railroadmen of three Mexicans in a United States bonded car containing \$30,000 in silver bullion, one of the latter was killed and two others are being pursued by a posse.

Ambassador Choate, who has been travelling in Egypt, left Cairo yesterday for England.

Detectives are watching every train from the south, says Dresden despatch, for the Crown Princess, who, it is

feared, may return to see her son who is dangerously ill.

It is announced that a general strike will be declared at Barcelona on Feb. 9th. Workmen of other places have decided to join also.

R. G. MacPherson, Liberal, was elected member for Burrard in the Dominion House in succession to the late G. R. Maxwell.

A settlement of the Venezuelan difficulty is hourly expected.

Sir Wm. MacDonald, of Montreal, has donated a further sum of \$4,500 to the MacDonald Institute at the Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont., making his total donation \$175,000.

The deciding game in the Stanley cup hockey series was won by Montreal last night over the Winnipeg Victorias by a score of 4 to 1.

Montreal despatch says South Shore Railway has raised funds to pay employees who went on strike on Jan. 22nd, because no wages were forthcoming.

Employees Montreal Street Railway have formed a union and unless demands for increase in wages is granted, the men will strike on Friday.

All Canadians defeated Cambridge by 14 to 6 yesterday.

Biggest bonspiel ever held in Winnipeg opens today.

Robt. Hall was elected mayor of Brandon yesterday.

Importation of Nursery Stock.

The department of agriculture has been advised that in response to the strong representations which have been made, the Hon. the Minister of Agriculture has recommended that an extension of one month be allowed for the importation into British Columbia of nursery stock, from these countries to which the San Jose Scale Act applies, viz., the United States, Japan and Australia and that His Excellency the Governor General in Council has been pleased to order that the prayer for the importation of such trees and plants as come under the operation of the San Jose Scale Act is extended for one month, viz., from the 15th of October to the 15th of April instead of the 15th of March as heretofore.

THE BIG BEND GOLD DISTRICT

Some High Grade Gold, Silver and Copper Properties. The Lizzie Ross and Rob Roy's Big Showings of Ore.

The value and size of the ore bodies in the Big Bend are not so well known as those of the famous Lardens, but the fact remains that in the Big Bend district there are some very large showings of gold, silver and copper ore. In Standard Basin there is possibly the largest showing of copper ore in the province, and development work now being pushed through by the Prince Mining Co. have proven their permanency and steady increase in values as depth is attained. From Ground Hog basin have come some of the very richest specimens of free gold ore that has ever been exhibited in British Columbia and these samples have not been equalled even by the rich gold ore of Fish Creek. On Keystone mountain and up Downie creek there are some exceedingly large showings of high grade galena carrying big values in gold, that some day will startle the mining men of the world. On Laforme creek, where the Adair Mining and Development Co. have been operating for the past two or three years on the Adair group, there is a big showing of galena and arsenical iron ore carrying good values in gold, silver and copper. The McCallum group also on this creek have some splendid showings on the surface.

The Noble Three, on Laforme creek, owned by the Double Eagle Mining Co., is a valuable holding. Lying between the Noble Three and the Adair group, on Laforme creek, is situated the Lizzie Ross and Rob Roy, two valuable claims owned by Revelstoke people. These claims were surveyed last year and a crown grant has been obtained. On these claims there is possibly one of the largest showings of galena ore in the province. There is 100 feet of a lead carrying high values across it. There has been considerable work done in stripping and in the assessments each year. The Lizzie Ross and Rob Roy are two rich claims and should be under development among the most promising of the many high grade properties in the Big Bend.

—Mens' Ladies' and childrens' shoes are selling at cost at C. B. Hume & Co's.

SPRING GOODS

Our First Shipment of these Goods have just arrived, with other shipments to follow. They are bought direct from the most up-to-date houses in Eastern Canada—and we do not hesitate when we say that quality and make-up of this first shipment to hand cannot be beaten in the province. Before buying elsewhere, we invite you to look over a few lines which comprise the following:—

COTTONS,
SHEETINGS,
PRINTS
DUCKS
PLAIN
SATEENS
FIGURED
SATEENS

MERCERISED
SATEENS
WHITE
UNDERWEAR
DRESS SKIRTS
FANCY GOODS
FLANNELS
Small Wares, &c.

Finished Stock-Taking

Prices Cut Right in Two on All Our Winter Goods...

We are doing this to make room for next season's goods. This is a golden opportunity for BARGAIN SEEKERS. If you do not believe us come in and compare our goods and prices.

-Reid & Young-

Bourne Bros.

Dealers in
FIRST-CLASS
Groceries

Flour, Feed
McClary's
Famous Stoves
Tinware, Graniteware
Heavy and
Shelf Hardware

Stores at
Revelstoke
Nakusp
New Denver.

THE fishing season having now positively begun, I think I will go down to the deep waters and try my luck. The great mistake made by so many fishermen is that they are looking in the necessary pattern for success in their hobby. Very often, a fisherman has sat for two or three days waiting in vain for a bite, he begins to feel the monotony a little thing, and wants to throw up the whole enterprise. The enthusiastic angler, however, never allows himself to be discouraged. He waits a few more weeks for a bite, and when the exciting moment comes, he wrenches his prize out of the water and feels that he has not lived in vain. When you have once tasted your bread (for whatever you are using for bait) upon the fish, you will never again be able to stand by and see the thing through if it takes all summer.

Appy Tilt—If we only had some lines, row, we might do a little fishin'.
Shady Bowers—Fishin', eh? Who's goin' ter dig de bait, bait de hooks, 'row in de linez, haul out de fish, and ake 'em offen de hooks?
Appy Tilt—Dat's so; we'd have to hire somebody to do dat part of it.—
"Leslie's Weekly."

To be acceptable to the aristocracy,
one must be an ass or a millionaire.

turns out that the late fire in the sultan's palace was the result of a plot by the ladies of the harem. Too many wives can generally be depended upon to make things warm for a man.—*London "Bulletin"*

er—Come and go fishing.
er—How dare you ask me to go
on Sunday; besides, I have to
work. —Ohio State "Journal."

ward is a man who doesn't mind business. Teacher—Where did you get that idea? Johnny—Well, I found it up in the dictionary, and it says, "A man who attends to the affairs of others."—Cape "Register,"

solemnly instructed as to the necessity of carrying the silver card up when answering the door-bell. It was on "At Home" day, and the doorman in immaculate cap and apron, led to the door at the first knock, and called to be the most important representative of the very upper set.

"Here, an' she's in," said Mary, affably, in answer to the usual enquiry, "and she's upstairs. Halfway up she is, and she rushed madly back, and she took the card out from the table, and she held it out to the astonished crowd, exclaiming:

"And wasn't I after forgettin' me!"

A. Minakoff has made an extensive study of the nails of the hand, and of the results of which he reads as of medico-legal importance. "The nails of the right hand in a right-handed person are wider by from one to two millimetres than the corresponding nails on the left hand; while in left-handed persons the reverse obtains, and in the ambidextrous the nails of both sides are of equal width. The thickness of the nails diminishes progressively from the thumb to the little finger."

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Address all communications to the Manager.

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1.-All correspondence must be legibly
written on one side of the paper only.
2.-Correspondence containing personal
matters must be signed with the proper name
of the writer.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1903.

Liberals Speak For Their Party.

It is quite interesting to read the
speeches delivered in Vancouver at
the campaign meetings now being
held.

There are three Liberal candidates
in the field in the Burrard electoral
district and it is proposed to let them and
their supporters speak for the great
Liberal government now in power.

We said on a previous occasion that
offices such as senatorships were sold.
Mr. Cook told his story and every
right thinking man knew that he was
telling the truth.

Now Mr. Charles Woodward, a
prominent merchant of Vancouver,
tells his tale—contradicting a state-
ment of Mr. Macpherson, the govern-
ment candidate. He says in a letter
to the world:

"I stated that some \$17,000 or \$18,000
was spent in the last campaign and
mentioned that it was generally re-
ported that this sum was raised from
large corporations and by the sale of
offices and patronage by the machine
manipulating the Liberal party. I
said that an offer of \$1,000 for one
office was made in writing and on
being pressed for names I mentioned
Mr. Frank Burnett. This can be
verified by many who were present.
Mr. Macpherson's deliberate falsifica-
tion of my speech shows the character
of the candidate seeking the suffrages
of the ratepayers."

Now Mr. Woodward was one of the
inside executive at the general elec-
tions both of 1898 and 1900 and knows
what he is talking about. The Liberal
party could not carry out its pledges
because the election funds were raised
from large corporations and on sale of
offices and patronage by the "mach-
ine" manipulating the Liberal party.

Mr. Woodward proves two things
here that will be very interesting to
the voters of this district. First, the
machine does exist and secondly, this
machine controls the patronage in that
and every other district.

Mr. James McGeer backs up Mr.
Woodward and Mr. McGeer was also a
member of the Liberal executive in
1898 and 1900, therefore he also knows
what he is talking about. Let him
speak:

Mr. James McGeer was introduced
by the chairman as the Irish orator of
the campaign and received a very
hearty reception. As stated that he
was a Liberal and had never cast a
vote except for Liberalism and good
government. The Kelly crowd, how-
ever, had been jumping upon him
because he had sold beef to the gov-
ernment. He said, however, that he
had not sold himself body and soul to
any machine they might foist upon
the people. He wanted to know of
the people why he should not sell beef
to the government as well as any man
who had honest goods for sale.

Sir Wilfred Laurier had stated some
years ago that the opinion of the
Western men was to prevail on the
Chinese question. Every man that
had hitherto gone down from British
Columbia was pledged to exclude the
Mongolian. They had done nothing.
Mr. Macpherson was pledged to do the
same thing—NOTHING—and he would
probably succeed in accomplishing it.
The government would probably re-

quire the support of British Columbia
before many years had gone by.

Tarte, the most powerful man in
Quebec, had seceded from the party,
and unless the government took care
instead of 7 to 8 supporting them from
British Columbia they would have 7 or
8 or probably 10 opposing them.

Mr. McGeer says he would not sell
himself to any machine party (the
Liberal government) might foist upon
the people. Then he speaks as one
who has carefully waited for the ful-
fillment of the promises made by the
government, but after long and patient
waiting they have done nothing,
except to disallow all the Alien labor
laws passed by our provincial parlia-
ment. Says Mr. McGeer:
"Show the government it must carry
out its pledge or you will not support
it. We are now voting for a system
to put Chinese in competition not
to ourselves but to our children. The
next generation will have to fight in
the market for a place along side the
Chinaman."

They say the Dominion government
can do nothing. Look at Australia,
New Zealand and Natal. Are they not
as loyal to the British government as
Canadians? Had they not stood
shoulder to shoulder on the battle
fields in South Africa with our own
men and the Imperial troops? They
passed their exclusion bills time after
again, and at last sent a respectful
note to Downing Street stating they knew
better what was in the interests of
their country than the Imperial
government, and their acts were not
disallowed.

Surely this is very interesting read-
ing and we trust our readers will
remember that what is now quoted
has been stated by prominent Liberals
and not by Conservatives.

Mongolian Immigration.

The immigration statistics just
issued show that during the past ten
years 26,750 Chinese have entered
British Columbia and out of this num-
ber 15,800 have been imported since
1890, or in other words since Sir Wi-
fred Laurier stated in his telegram
that the wishes of the west should
prevail upon the question, 15,800
Chinese have come in. The amount
per capita paid into the treasury pre-
vious to the incoming of the Libera-
party was \$345,782, and since their
advent \$346,988, or a total of \$1,392,770.
Of the total sum after paying the cost
of administering the law \$340,829 was
returned to this province leaving a net
profit to the Dominion government
from the Chinese of \$1,022,931.

The Dominion government cannot
see its way to cut off a revenue
such as this notwithstanding the fact
that the Chinese and Japanese are
eating out the very life and living of
every true born Canadian and British
subject in the west. Think these facts
over.

SQUEEZED TO DEATH

Brakeman Grier Jammed Be-
tween the Locomotive and
Car.

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 24.—An unfor-
tunate accident, attended with fatal
results, happened at Eholt station.
Boundary district, on Thursday after-
noon. The train for Phoenix had been
made up and was ready to start.
When the locomotive backed down to
couple up, the train brakeman, W. J.
Grier, stepped in to make the connec-
tion, and it is supposed that he slipped
and got caught between the couplings.
He was jammed when discovered by
the trainmen, the couplings having
caught him just above the centre of
the body and literally squeezed the
life out of him.

The unfortunate man lived about
thirty minutes after the accident, but
did not regain consciousness, so
exactly what happened can only be
surmised. Grier was a married man
with a family.

Seven New Post Offices.

Mr. Gallier, M.P., while in Ottawa
last week, made arrangements with
the postmaster general for opening
the following post offices: North Star,
near Kimberley; Annis, near Sicamous;
Silver Creek; Moberly, near Donald;
Boundary Falls, near Greenwood;
Goldfields, in the Fish River district;
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children's service; 7:30 Evensong (choral) and
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which all are welcome. Prayer meeting at
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Rev. W. G. CALDER, Pastor.

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Curious Bits of News.

The present mood of the British House of Commons has been in use since the reign of Charles II. It has accordingly witnessed the rise and development of constitutional principles and practice, and of the responsibility of Ministers of the Crown to the House of Commons, and through the House of Commons to the people at large.

Most people, if they were asked to state the color of the sun, would say that it was orange, and they would as confidently assert that the color of the atmosphere was blue. Recent researches and investigations, however, says "Knowledge," point to the conclusion that the real color of the sun is blue, while that of the atmosphere surrounding the earth is orange.

A good many formalities are necessary for the women of Sumatra before they can lay aside their widow's weeds, says "Womanhood." Immediately after the husband's death the disconsolate widow places a flagstaff in front of her door, and on this a flag is raised. As long as the flag remains unmoved by the wind etiquette forbids her to marry, but with the appearance of the first rent she can lay aside her mourning garb, begin to take notice and to receive offers of marriage.

A little machine which threads one thousand needles a minute is at work in St. Gall, Switzerland. The purpose of the machine is to thread needles that are placed afterwards in an embroidery loom for making Swiss or Hamburg lace. The device is almost entirely automatic. It takes the needle from a hopper, carries it along and threads it, then the knot, cuts the thread of a uniform length, then carries the needle across an open space and sticks it in a rack. The work of threading these needles was formerly done by hand.

The highest waterfall in the world, geography tells us, is the Cerrosola cascade, in the Alps, having a fall of 2,400 feet; that of Arvey, in Savoy, is 1,100 feet, and the falls of the Yosemite Valley range from 700 to 1,000 feet. But higher yet is the fall in the San Cayetan canyon, in the State of Durango, Mexico. It was discovered by some prospectors ten years ago in the great Barranca district, which is called the Terras Desconocidas. While searching for the famous lost mine, Naranjal, a great deal of water was heard. With great difficulty the men pushed on, and up and down the mighty chasm, until they beheld the superb fall that is at least 3,000 feet high.

The date-palm may solve the problem of what to do with the arid and alkali lands of Arizona and other Western States. Experiments have been made in the past, but renewed interest is being taken by the section of plant introduction at the Department of Agriculture at Washington. According to the New York "Sun," Professor D. C. Fairchild, agricultural explorer for the department, now traveling in Africa, has procured a number of suckers, or cuttings, from the Delta of the Nile, which will be distributed in the southwestern States. In the United States he has an article of luxury, but in its native country it is a most important food; many regions in Arabia and he Sahara being uninhabitable but on the date-palm.

President Harper of the University of Chicago recently received the following letter from a prospective student at Peconic, Ill.: "Dear Dr. Harper: I have decided to attend the university school of education this fall. I am going to Chicago next Saturday on the morning train, and as I have never been in the city before, I would be glad if you would meet me at the depot. I am five feet four inches tall, have light hair and eyes, and a pleasing appearance. I shall wear a dark-brown traveling skirt and a waist with white yoke. I think I shall show you from your pictures, but for fear I make a mistake, will you please send your card in your hat?"

"A pathetic incident in connection with a biographical scene occurred in Detroit, Mich., March 17 last," says "Popular Science." "A view made at a occupation of Pekin, was being shown across the screen. It represented a detachment of the Fourteenth United States Infantry entering the city of the Chinese capital. As the file of soldiers seemed literally spilling out of the frame on to the stage, there rose a scream from a woman who sat in front. 'My God! she died hysterically, there is my dead other Allen marching with the soldiers.' The figure had been recognized by others in the audience as that of Mrs. Booth, who had mysteriously disappeared some years before. Subsequently Mrs. Booth, the sister, wrote to the War Department, and learned that 'really' was her brother whose presence she so strangely had been confronted with."

Evidence to the Contrary.

Hlsen—Madam, why do you persist in launching me with your umbrella? I want to make you look like a madman, so I can thank you for giving me your seat. Now, sir, don't you go and say that women haven't any manners.—Chicago "Record-Herald."

An Ambiguous Compliment.

Miss Beekley—I'm so glad I'm not an actress, Mr. Soper. I should never know whether my suitors were attracted by my money. Mr. Soper—Oh, Miss Beekley, your money should leave you in no doubt what score!—"Punch."

Changed Her Mind.

The house was "handy to the street car he" and in good repair, there were the proper number of closets and the rent was reasonable, but before coming to terms the house-hunting matron said to the agent: "Is only fair for me to tell you that we have five boys."

"I won't make any difference, ma'am," he said, with a smile. "You will find big families of boys on both sides of you."

"O, then, I don't want the house at all," she exclaimed. "I want to find a neighborhood where there won't be any boys at all!"

At last someone who was still hunting.

The Despot of Vienna.

The citizen of Vienna who does not wish to be out of pocket must keep early hours, for after ten o'clock he is taxed on entering his own house, or, for the matter of that, any house. The "sperrgeld," or door-opening tax, is peculiar to Vienna, as the London "Express" explains. The entire population of that city, numbering nearly two millions, are practically imprisoned in their houses from ten o'clock in the evening until six the next morning. They can go in or out only by paying at least four cents to the janitor or "house-master," as he is called.

Vienna is built on the "flat" or apartment-house plan. Millions of people live in houses of this description. The houses are large, having five or six floors, with four flats on a floor, so that it is not unusual to find a hundred persons living under one roof. There is one common entrance from the street, and after ten o'clock at night this door is bolted and barred. From ten until twelve all who go in or out must pay four cents. After twelve the charge is doubled.

The tax must be paid every time one passes through the doorway, without exception. If a man has occasion to go in and out half a dozen times, he must pay every time. One who has dined with a friend must, if he stays late, pay four cents to get out of his friend's house, and four more to get into his own. A telegram in the night necessitates the payment of the tax before the boy can enter.

The house-master also collects and keeps duplicate copies of the forms on which every individual in the house must report to the police his age, birthplace and religion, his exact occupation, and other personal details which the Austrian authorities insist upon knowing. Nor does the power of this important personage end even here. From the little guard-room which he occupies at the foot of the stairs he sees every one who goes in or out. He ascertains with amazing accuracy the amount of each tenant's income, the events of his family life, and the character of his visitors. His far-reaching power enables him to terrorize every servant in the house into entering his intelligence department, and thus he spies on the innermost life of the subjects in his five-story kingdom.

In some cases the house-master is more powerful than in others. An English resident was obliged to move from an apartment that he particularly liked because he could not venture to speak with any degree of sharpness to the man at the door, even when the man was remiss in his duties. The flat was owned by a railway belonging to the State. This made the house-master a State official, an insult to whom is a very serious offense in Vienna. A reprimand for delaying letters would be construed into an insult, and the Englishman deemed it wise to move to other quarters.

Thousands of people in Vienna live in such terror of the house-master that, it is said, they never make an apple-tart without giving him half.

Buried by a Cougar.

A hunter who was trailing after a moose in British Columbia reports to the "Western Sportsman" an experience which he calls a "narrow escape." If the incident happened as the hunter tells it, it was indeed a narrow escape, but one cannot help suspecting that some of the invigorating ozone of the North-West has got into the story. Nevertheless, it is worth hearing.

"It was warm and dry, and along in the middle of the afternoon I began to pine for rest and a pipe. It was all quiet and no traces of game, and so when I'd had a comfortable smoke I stretched out for a rest. I must have been an hour later that I woke up and found myself covered with two feet of leaves and the bushes in the wood. I was all tucked in that cozy that nobody else could have done it but a cougar, and most likely a female cougar at that. It occurred to me with some force that I'd been fled away for future reference, and that I hadn't waked up any too soon. It didn't soothe me to figure on that cougar stowing me away as a dog hides a bone.

"It seemed that the best thing for me to do was to countermeant the cougar's move. As it were, so I waked up a log about my size and covered it with the leaves—a nice fat hump on the ground. Then I shinned a tree close by, assuring myself beyond any doubts or peradventures that nobody had meddled with the working of my repeater.

"The cougar came in such a short time as to show how fortunate it was that I had waked up when I did, and with her, as I had calculated, were a choice lot of young ones. She had left a dinner located and had been off to get her family.

"Well, that cougar circled around the pile of leaves for a matter of minutes, crouching and picking a nice select place to spring from. When she got satisfied and made the leap she went through the air tremendous, throwing the leaves in a whirlwind and scratching and snarling. It was some of a shock when she found the log, but she didn't display any disappointment. She just took the scent and came to the foot of my tree and looked up, real venomous.

"It seemed to her an awkward job to handle, I having my gun ready so, and the cougar had an inspiration. She went to me about ten feet away and started to go up. She was after that meal and not to be discouraged by any trifles. It was her idea to climb up above me on the other tree and then bring me down with a flying leap.

"I didn't lose any more time with experiments or speculations, but let her have it the first time she came round the tree. The ball went through her jaw and breast, and the varmint went to the ground. The young ones were running around, and I knocked them over with the gun.

"Since then I haven't gone to sleep in the woods so careless and casual like."

"Have the letters been duly examined by the hand-writing expert?" "Yes, your honor." "Very well, let the hand-writing expert now be examined by the insanity expert."—"Ohio State Journal."

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NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special licenses to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in the Big Bend District of West Kootenay:

1. Commencing at a post planted two miles above the head of Death Rapids on the west bank of the Columbia River, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning.

2. Commencing at a post planted two miles above the head of Death Rapids on the west bank of the Columbia River, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1903.

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1. Commencing at a post planted 100 yards east of the Nine Mile shed on Big Bend trail and on the East limit of E. L. McMahon's timber limit, and marked George Johnson's north west corner post, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning.

2. Commencing at a post planted 100 yards east of the Nine Mile shed, Big Bend trail, and on the East limit of E. L. McMahon's timber limit, and marked George Johnson's north west corner post, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1903.

GEORGE JOHNSON.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay:—Commencing at W. le Maistre's north west corner post near Boyd's ranch about half a mile from the Columbia river, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated the 23rd day of October, 1902.

W. le MAISTRE.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay:—Commencing at I. A. Kirk's north west corner post thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains to point of commencement.

Dated the 23rd day of October, 1902.

J. A. KIRK.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay:—Commencing at Peter Agren's south west corner post near Boyd's ranch on the Columbia river, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated the 23rd day of October, 1902.

PETER AGRÉN.

NOTICE

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Dated the 23rd day of October, 1902.

PETER AGRÉN.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Robinson, late of Revelstoke, B. C., deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Daniel Robinson who died on or about the 15th day of November, A. D. 1902, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Harvey, McCarter & Pinkham, Solicitors for the Executors, on or before the 15th day of February, A. D. 1903, their names, addresses and descriptions, and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, duly certified, and that after the said date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated this 15th day of December, A. D. 1902.

HARVEY, MCCARTER & PINKHAM, Solicitors for the Executors

RANCH FOR SALE.

The administrators of the estate of John D. Boyd deceased, offer for sale by tender the property in the Big Bend District, known as "Boyd's Ranch," also the chattel property thereon, a list of which may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Tenders will be received up to Feb. 1st, 1903. The administrators will not be bound to accept the highest or any tender.

HARVEY, MCCARTER & PINKHAM, Solicitors for Administrators.

Revelstoke, B. C., Nov. 27th, 1902.

Land Registry Act.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, in Block 48, in

Town of Revelstoke, B. C., Map 636 B.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Frank Bernard Lewis on the 25th day of February, 1903, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or in any part thereof.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., 17th November, 1902.

NOTICE

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special licenses to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in the Big Bend District of West Kootenay:

1. Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile east of the Columbia River at a point about a quarter of a mile south of the forks of the Smith Creek and Gold Stream trails, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the place of beginning.

2. Commencing at a post planted about three-quarters of a mile east of the Columbia River at a point about a quarter of a mile south of the forks of the Smith Creek and Gold Stream trails, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1903.

J. SMITH.

NOTICE

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in the Big Bend District of West Kootenay:

1. Commencing at a post planted four miles above the head of Death Rapids on the west bank of the Columbia River and marked W. J. Cummings' south east corner post, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1903.

W. J. CUMMINGS.

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Little Dorothy said: "I am sure he will come. With his sleigh full of toys, and his reindeer that run just as swift as the wind, 'cause they must get away to take Santa Claus home again 'fore Christmas day."

really can't tell you where the Claus people dwell, but it must be in Fairyland, 'cause we know well that in bringing such presents, so many and fine, our real fairy-god-mothers must work yours and mine.

Now when you have grown up into big pa's and ma's, if you think yourselves wise and believe there's no Claus. Then he'll steal past your house very quiet and sly, and he won't leave a thing so your children will cry.

That's what my Mamma says, so I know it is true. And for that very reason I tell it to you. There is no one so sad on a bright Christmas day as the boy or girl Santa Claus missed on his way.

He's a jolly old fellow, but as shy as can be. And no one ever saw him hanging gifts on the trees. But we all know he does 'cause we find them there soon as the first streaks of daylight creep into the room.

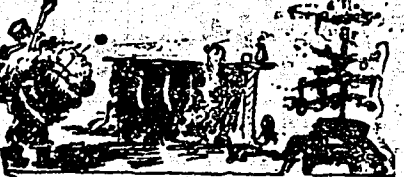
And he's awfully wise, and it's true that he knows where the good children live, and the bad children grow. And he knows all about one-finger-washed faces, and so in making his calls he just skips by such places.

I suppose where he lives it's so clean and so white. That the least speck of dirt just gives him a fright. And to please him, of course, you must go off to bed with your faces as clean as the pillows and spread.

I don't know for sure, but I expect Mrs. Claus, rides along with St. Nick to remind him of flaws. Being careless is one; romping late on the street; being rude and unkind, 'stead of thoughtful and sweet.

There's no use of trying, you can't fool Mr. Claus. For he knows all about it—he's wise as our pa's. But he smiles when he sees us tucked snugly in bed, and approvingly nods if our prayers have been said.

So when morning light dawns, and the night shadows flee, you can hop out of bed and run straight to your tree. For I'm perfectly sure 'mong the gifts hanging there, you will find a big drum and dolls with real hair.



Would Do in Either Case. Santa Claus was in a quandry. He thrust his hands into his pockets and gazed despairingly at the stockings suspended in limp supplication from the mantel-piece. Then he turned it inside out and inspected it. Next, he idly counted its checks. He looked at the offending stocking this way and that with growing ire; he pulled it, he pinched it, he turned it, he twisted it, he fingered it in every way in an agony of indecision. When every hope had deserted him, he stood off and, reckless of discovery, puffed vigorously upon his pipe. And then a bright idea came to his relief.

"Well," he muttered, chuckling at his escape, "but me if in these days, I can tell whether you're a man or a woman's, but a bicycle lamp is sure to suit either way."

Only Got a V. Van Ashe—Did you hang up your stocking? Ten Broke—No, my dress suit—and I only got \$5 on it.

He Knew. Willie—Santa Claus only brings presents to good little boys. Tom (confidentially)—Yes, but he's easily fooled.

An International Complication. "This Christmas any one would know that Robbs was a Briton and his wife an American." "For what reason?" "They're having a scandalous dispute and they can't even settle it by arbitration."

Lucky Escape. Mrs. Upjohn—It was about \$55 we raised for the poor of our parish wasn't it? Mrs. Highgate—It was \$55 exactly. Mrs. Upjohn—My husband told me this morning that nearly half of it was donated by a good-natured sort of fellow who gambles. He won it at cards, and turned it over to our fund. Mrs. Highgate—Well, I'm thankful we didn't find it out till the money was all disposed of.—Chicago Tribune.

CHRISTMAS WAS FORBIDDEN

To Be Observed by the Puritans Who Denounced it as a Heathen Feast.

As everybody knows, Christ was not born on December 25, and Christmas, though celebrating his birth, is really a survival of the heathen festival—among the Celts called Yule and by the Romans Saturnalia—celebrating the turning point of the year and the henceforth increasing power of the sun.

On this account the Puritans denounced Christmas as a heathen and Popish feast and did not observe it. During the Commonwealth they carried their objections into force and forbade the celebration of Christmas. In 1644 Parliament ordered December 25 to be strictly kept as a solemn fast, and that all people should pass the day in humbly beseeching the great national sin which they and their ancestors had hitherto committed on that day by eating boar's head, drinking ale flavored with roasted apples, devouring plum pudding and romping under the mistletoe. For twelve years this order remained in force.

Municipal authorities also sought to reduce Christmas Day to the level of other days. We are told that, "Upon Wednesday, December 22, 1647, the cryer of Canterbury, by the appointment of Master Mayor, openly proclaimed that Christmas Day and all other superstitious festivals should be cast down, and that a market should be kept upon a Christmas Day."

For attending service in the Cathedral on that day many people were mobbed. The inhabitants divided themselves into two parties—the Christmases, and the anti-Christmases—and came to blows.

On December 24, 1652, an Order in Council was issued, proclaiming "that no observation shall be had of the five-and-twentieth day of December, commonly called Christmas Day, for any solemnity used or exercised in churches upon that day in respect thereof."

This was simply a reprobation of an edict of 1647, abolishing Christmas, Easter, Whit Sunday and all other holy days. Soldiers were sent to the houses of all suspected persons to search the ovens and larders and carry away for their own consumption all seasonable dainties found therein. People who ate mince pies and decorated their houses with evergreens were declared unworthy of sitting in Parliament.

But the restoration of King Charles was also the restoration of King Christmas, who has ever since reigned undisturbed. But the Puritan hatred of Christmas lingered long among Nonconformists.

It has now disappeared and services are held in all places of worship on Christmas Day, while the rest is celebrated equally by all sects.

At each cover place a boutonniere of the holly. For the men merely a boutonniere spray. For the women a larger "corsage bouquet," tied with scarlet ribbon. Your table will be charming.

But with an hour's work something more elaborate may be evoked from the Christmas greens. For example, the centre piece may consist of three wreaths joined together and laid along the "backbone" of the table. The central wreath must be considerably larger than the other two. All three may be of holly, or prettier still, the larger wreath of holly, the other two of some decorative ferns.

The centre of each wreath is arranged as a flower bowl containing rich red carnations or roses.

It does not matter whether you preach in Westminster Abbey or teach a ragged class you are faithful. The faithfulness is all.—George McDew.

Write on your doors the saying wise and bold: "Be hold! be hold!" and everywhere "Do hold!" Be not too bold. Yet better the excess Than the defect; better the more than less; Better like Hector on the field to die, Than like posthumous Paris turn and fly.—Longfellow.

ST. NICHOLAS DAY.

Something About the Good Season of "Myths in Sweet Confusion."

CHRISTMAS tide has already long been ushered in, properly speaking, by St. Andrew's day (November 1), the introductory festival of Advent season. But all of them except Christmas Day itself have faded into comparative insignificance, and gradually the St. Nicholas, Kriss Kringle, and Santa Claus myths, with the story of the Christ child, have gathered to the 25th of December in such "sweet confusion" that in it are concentrated the essence and beauty of all, and the former special gift-giving of other days of this season is mostly done away with, says the New York Evening Post. Even St. Nicholas day, December 6, is little celebrated. It seems a pity that the knowledge of American children should be so limited concerning their own patron saint, at least so canonized by the Greek, and the Roman churches centuries ago. He lived during the fourth century in Patara, a city of Lycia, in Asia Minor, but his history proves his cosmopolitan, "patron saint of Russia; in England there are 372 churches named for him, and his tomb at Bari, in Italy, is a shrine for thousands of pilgrims every year. He became the protector of boys and girls, and even found his way to the hearts of sailors and robbers, and was adopted by them.

Gift giving on this day had its origin in the story of a nobleman of Patara who was too poor to dower his daughters, and they were thus forced to remain unmarried.

St. Nicholas heard of this state of affairs, and one night stole unobserved to the house of the nobleman, seeking a way to give him of his own store of gold. The moonlight revealed an open window, and through this the good man flung a bag of money. This provided a marriage portion for the eldest daughter, while a similarly mysterious present the second night dowered the next daughter. The third night Nicholas was discovered by the nobleman, but the saint begged that his gifts might remain unknown to any others. Since that time it has been generally understood that sweetmeats and other trifles found in shoes or stockings set outside the door on St. Nicholas eve have been placed there by the jolly old gentleman himself.

In some parts of Germany Knecht Ruprecht, a modernized form of St. Nicholas, goes to houses on Christmas eve, taking gifts for good children and rods for the disobedient. He is sometimes called "Pelantichol," or Nicholas with the fur. Some of the early Christians, who used the pretty custom of filling shoes and stockings with gifts, told their children that these love tokens were dropped through the roof when the Christ child passed over the house in the night.



At Christmas tide man's pride and joy. Is toothsome Turk and Maiden coy.

Christmas Always Tells. Marjorie—Did George ask your consent to our marriage this afternoon, Papa?

Cobwigger—Yes, my dear. Marjorie—And did you give it? Cobwigger—Not exactly, you see. I told him I would have to consider it. I wasn't quite sure as to his financial affairs.

Marjorie—Didn't he say his income was \$5,000?

Cobwigger—I believe those were the figures.

Marjorie—Isn't that enough to support a wife?

Cobwigger—Yes; unless she requires more.

Marjorie—Then why didn't you give your consent?

Cobwigger—Because I wished to make sure that he hadn't mistaken the amount.

Marjorie—Oh, I know George wouldn't tell a lie.

Cobwigger—You can never be sure in a case of this kind. I lied myself when I decided to marry.

Marjorie—But how are you going to find out?

Cobwigger—Wait till I see what kind of a present he gives you for Christmas.

Christmas Slipper. The clergyman paced up and down the floor of his humble parsonage. It was Christmas morning, and there was a cloud upon his brow.

The clinic papers are the cause of it. He murmured as he trod back and forth in his heavy walking shoes and winced occasionally as he stubbed his toe. "Not a slipper this morning, and oh, I did so need a pair!" He put his hand to his bald head and sighed.

"Not a smoking cap in the lot, either," he muttered. "And this study is certainly cold. Why couldn't they have kept their editorial poems, pictures and paragraphs to themselves? How true it is that ridicule is a most deadly and effective weapon! Now, I must buy a pair of slippers, I suppose, and yet that money ought to go for a lam and some granulated sugar."

A Spider's Genius.

I HAVE considerable respect for the female spider, notwithstanding the fact that she does not treat the male very carefully. "I had an opportunity last summer to watch a large one that had a web in the top of a decaying peach tree with so few leaves that it was in plain view. I caught sight of her first when watching some birds with my glass. She seemed to be climbing from the top of the tree on nothing to a telephone wire some fifteen feet away and somewhat higher than her web. When she reached the wire she went around it and then back. In studying the situation, I found the web was so located that it required a cable to hold it up, and the spider had in some way got one over the wire so far away. This cable was, of course, a slender silken thread which evidently she had thrown out, and on account of its lightness it had floated to the right place and become attached there by its glutinous properties. It seems remarkable that it should have adhered to the wire firmly enough to allow so large an insect to climb over it, which she did every day as long as I watched her. The spider must have brains in which the ability to construct its web and adapt it to conditions is highly developed."

In an article in "Chambers' Journal" the following account of how the spider forms its silken threads is given: "The spider has many special features in the economy of spiders. Their power of emitting slender threads of a silk-like substance called gossamer, with which most of them construct mesh-like nets, and a few long, dangling cables, by which they are buoyed through the air with nearly as much facility as though they had been furnished with wings. The apparatus provided by nature for elaborating and emitting this gossamer is a beautiful piece of mechanism. Within the animal there are several little bags or vesicles of a gummy matter; and these vesicles are connected with the orifice situated at the abdomen. Within this orifice are five little teats or spinnerets, through which the gossamer is drawn. It must not be concluded, however, that there is only one film of gossamer produced by each spinneret. The fact is, that each teat is studded with thousands of minute tubes too small for the naked eye to perceive, and each of these emits a thread of inconceivable fineness. These minute tubes are known as spinnerettes, and the films which proceed from them unite into a single strand of gossamer, which is then spun into a web. The form the spider suspends itself. The finest thread which human mechanism can produce is like a ship's cable compared with the delicate films which flow from the spinnerettes of the largest spider. The films are all distinctly separate, and coming from the spinneret, but unite, not by any twisting process, but merely by their own glutinous or gummy nature. Thus the spinning apparatus of the disdained spider, when viewed by the eye of science, becomes one of the most wonderful pieces of animated mechanism known to man. The animal has great command over this apparatus, and can apply it at will as long as the receptacles within are replenished with the gummy fluid, but as soon as this gum is exhausted all its efforts to spin are fruitless, and it must wait till it is refilled by her incessant chemistry, has secreted it from the food which is devoured."—Waverley Magazine.

Life is Too Short! An evening contemporary has been informed that no day can use the same calendars every twenty years—when the dates of the months fall on the same days of the week—thereby avoiding the expense of five almanacs for the present century. But here is something even better than that. Those persons who have a double advantage of ancient family and careful forefathers, by turning up the calendars—unfortunately, they are not printed ones—for the twelfth century, by Solomon Jarchus, will find the dates and dates coincident with the present century. Such persons can save the expense of buying for one hundred years. Again, those with a frugal mind who have preserved the almanacs of the nineteenth century will avoid an outlay for calendars of the century commencing January 1, 2201, as the dates for the hundred years following will be coincident with those of the last century. But life remarks the London "Chronicle," is scarcely long enough for such economies.

Tommy's Poser. A lady was recently reading to her young son the story of a little fellow whose father was taken ill and died, after which he set himself diligently to work to assist in supporting himself and mother. When she had finished the story, she said: "Now, Tommy, if pa were to die, wouldn't you work to keep mamma?" "Why, no," said the little chap, not relishing the idea of work. "What for? Ain't we got a good house to live in?"

"Oh, yes, my dear," said the mother, "but we can't eat the house, you know."

"Well, ain't we got plenty of things in the pantry?" continued the young hopeful.

"Certainly, dear," replied the mother, "but they would not last long, and what then?"

"Well, ma," said the young incorrigible, after thinking a moment, "ain't there enough to last till you get another husband?"

Ma gave it up.

Wealth's Millstones. "Spring has come," mused Mr. Gotrickwick, as he stood before the window with his hands thrust deep into his pockets.

"Aw, now, how kind you tell, pap?" gurgled his diamond-bedecked daughter.

"Because—" said the father, as he clinked the coins in his pocket, "because the snow has went."

"Stop that noise, Jimmie, or we will send you to bed." "Pa, you don't act like I wuz your real child at all; you act like I wuz jes' somebody else's orphan."

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On the Right Way.

ALMOST every man who has been successful has written an article for some magazine on how he did it, or been interviewed by some newspaper, but all this information has been scattered carelessly about, so that just when we want to know what to do, or the right way to take, we cannot lay our hands on the particular species of advice which we remember to have read. The result is that we stumble along as best we can, and probably make the very mistake of our lives, all for want of knowing what Caleb Cope did at this point.

The writer hopes herewith to supply this deficiency, as he has kept a record of the principal necessities laid down from time to time by great men who have given the results of their experience, and lays them before the reader, to follow closely and not shrink. To begin with, you should select for a birthplace a dingy-looking little farmhouse, on the outskirts of a clearing. Log cabins have gone out of fashion, but something a trifle better is now demanded. As time goes on, who knows? Maybe some of our great men will be born in the "Ladies Home Journal" three-thousand-dollar country houses. This, however, is a remote contingency.

You must be a good mother. While the other boys of the neighborhood are playing hooky, marbles and baseball, you will be doing chores around the house. This, however, does not imply a goodness in any other way. You will, of course, avoid going to Sunday school, and when you are not sawing wood and laying the foundation of the wonderful constitution which is afterwards to carry you through life, you will be reading a few well-chosen books, such as the dictionary, the Bible, and one or two good comic papers. As time goes on, the jokes useful later when you are called upon to make after-dinner speeches.

You can then take your choice of "struggling" through college or leaving the farm with a dollar in your pocket. Better leave college alone, however, as it teaches you a lot of superfluous things you may regret. Many a man who might have accumulated a large fortune has spoiled it all by going through college and learning to love other things more than money. The best plan is to come to New York with a dollar in your pocket. Go at once to the leading savings bank and deposit seventy-five cents. Live on the balance until you get work. As soon as you get work, save at least seventy-five per cent. of your wages, if you can; or, better still, ninety per cent. You must acquire habits of frugality, which will be a source of happiness to you throughout your whole life.

At the end of a few years you will have saved up a few thousands, and your success is now assured. Do not gamble. Gambling is not only safer than robbery, but it is legal. Protected by the laws of your country, you can feel entirely safe. Reorganize a railroad, start a small trust, or get acquainted in Washington. When you get to be seventy-five, you ought to be worth at least a hundred millions. You can then make a bluff at giving it all away, and as it is legal, you can feel entirely safe. Reorganize a railroad, start a small trust, or get acquainted in Washington. When you get to be seventy-five, you ought to be worth at least a hundred millions. You can then make a bluff at giving it all away, and as it is legal, you can feel entirely safe. Reorganize a railroad, start a small trust, or get acquainted in Washington. When you get to be seventy-five, you ought to be worth at least a hundred millions. 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FERGUSON.—On the 28th Jan. at Victoria, B. C., to Mr. and Mrs. A. Ferguson, a son.

MARRIED

LOWE-VEDDER.—At the Central hotel, Revelstoke, on Jan. 20th, by the Rev. C. Ladner, Henry Lowe to Miss Alice May Vedder, both of Slocan City.

DIED

CLIFFE.—At Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., on Friday, January 23rd inst., Charles Victor Cliffe, aged 27 years, eldest son of Mr. Charles Cliffe, formerly of Sandom.

NOTES OF NEWS

Mrs. Caley and son returned on Monday from Vancouver.

J. J. Foley of Arrowhead and Cory Menhenick were visitors to the city yesterday.

Linoleum, Oilcloth, Carpets—going cheap at the Revelstoke Furniture Company.

H. Cook has received the appointment of caretaker of the public school vice C. Benoit resigned.

E. A. Bradley, manager of the Duquesne Mining Co., left yesterday for the company's property.

Just a few more \$1.00 shirts at C. B. Hume & Co's.

A proclamation of the Canada Gazette summons parliament for Thursday March 12th.

Pete Donaldson, formerly of the C. P. R. shops here, is now employed in the Vancouver Engineering Works.

The two young children of Mrs. Lee left on Tuesday evening for Vancouver to reside for a time with their sister, Mrs. John Savage.

The latest word from R. Howson, who is being treated at New York, is to the effect that he is slowly improving and expects complete recovery.

Dan McDougall, formerly brakeman on the passenger train here has been promoted to conductor of the freight train between here and Nakusp. Tom Gordon has also been appointed an engineer.—Sandom Review.

A C. P. R. train hand, named Harlow, had his hand badly smashed while working around the snow plough here last Saturday. Dr. Power dressed the wound, set the fingers and sent the patient to the hospital at New Denver.—Sandom Review.

Mrs. S.F.W. Gainer and family left on Tuesday evening for Snohomish, Wash., where they will reside with relations for some time. A. Hillier, of the HERALD staff, a brother of Mrs. Gainer, accompanied them on the journey.

Geo. S. McCarter was in Golden on Monday on business.

Sauerkraut for sale, T. Skinner, Revelstoke, B. C.

J. Binns, representing the Wilson paper house of Montreal, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. D. McCarthy, who underwent an operation at Vancouver, returned this morning and is much improved in health.

We have just received a large assortment of fancy biscuits in McCormick's, Huntley & Palmers. C. B. Hume & Co.

Theodore Ludgate came up last evening from Arrowhead where he was looking over the ground for the erection of the company's new sawmill and proceeded on No. 1 to the Coast.

Have you tried our tomato-ketchup in tins? 60 cts. and 15 cts. a tin. C. B. Hume & Co.

E. C. Fromey has finished plastering in the Laborers' Co-operative Mining Co.'s building. The work has been done in a first class manner and reflects great credit on Mr. Fromey's plastering abilities.—Golden Star.

Mr. Atwood, mining engineer of London, England, came in on Sunday night and went south on Tuesday morning to look over the Nettle L. and Silver Cup. Mr. Forbes, manager of these properties, met Mr. Atwood here and returned with him south.

C. B. Hume & Co. for strained honey and honey in the comb.

Bert Johnston, C. P. R. brakeman with headquarters here, sustained a nasty accident on Sunday morning last whilst performing his duties as brakeman at Ashcroft. He was engaged in applying the brake on a car which was travelling alone when he lost his footing on the ice with which the roof of the car was covered and fell to the ground breaking his leg close to the ankle. He was at once brought to the hospital here, where he is receiving every attention.—Kamloops Sentinel.

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Thos. Meredith, of Yorkton, N. W. T., who has been looking over the mill and limits of the Arrowhead Saw and Planing Mill Co. for the past week, returned home on No. 2 this morning. Mr. Meredith is well pleased with Revelstoke and the prospects of the lumbering industry tributary. There is a great demand in the Northwest for B.C. lumber.

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B. R. Campbell of Kamloops, was in the city for a couple of days this week.

O. D. Hour, manager of the Laborers' Co-operative Co. at Golden, B. C., went through last night to Sicamous.

The officers and members of Gold Range Lodge, K. of P., are giving an "At Home" to their friends in the lodge room on the evening of the 25th inst.

The Montreal hockey team defeated the Victorias of Winnipeg, last night at Montreal by a score of 3 to 1. The Stanley Cup, therefore, remains with the former team.

J. Taylor, of the Arrowhead saw and planing mills, went south this morning after a couple of days spent here in the interests of that company.

There was a large congregation at the Methodist church on Sunday evening when the Rev. C. Ladner preached the funeral sermon to the late A. N. Smith, who for years was a member of that church.

John Kernaghan came in last week from Laggan, where he has a large gang of men employed in building the C.P.R. hotel at Lake Louise. Mr. Kernaghan reports the work progressing satisfactorily.

Bring your pictures along and let us frame them for you. We bought a big stock of moulds before prices advanced, which we can give you for your benefit. Revelstoke Furniture Company.

Thos. Steed, of the firm of Morris & Steed, who has been visiting friends in Ontario for the holiday season, returned on Sunday morning accompanied by a bride. The HERALD begs to extend congratulations.

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DEATH IN THE FLAMES

Finnish Settlement at Malcolm Island Suffers a Terrible Calamity. Eleven Unfortunates Lose Their Lives.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 2.—Thursday evening witnessed a grim tragedy with dire results to the Finnish settlers on Malcolm island. The news was brought down last night by Matti Karrika. In a terrible fire, which broke out while the men were at a meeting in a large dwelling, in which 21 families were living, 11 persons were burned to death and 17 injured.

The building was the headquarters of the company and was three stories high, and all the married members of the settlement lived in it. There were more than a hundred people in the building when the fire broke out.

City Council.

The city council met last Friday night, the following members being present: Mayor O'Brien, Ald. McLeod, McMahon, Law and Foote.

The school trustees reported the estimated expenditure for school for current year as follows: Teachers' salaries, \$4,200; janitor, \$600; secretary \$50; concreting basement, repairing fence, etc., \$600; fuel, \$300; stationery and school requisites, \$150; incidentals \$150; total, \$6,100. The government grant is estimated at \$4,800, leaving a balance of about \$1,300 to be met by the city. The principal's salary has been increased \$10 per month.

A petition was presented from citizens re the need of a public library and gymnasium. The council were of the opinion that if the city donated a building and lot, the proposed institution should be maintained by voluntary subscription. The mayor named Ald. McLeod, Law and Foote a committee to look into the matter.

A discussion took place re water and light rates, and the rate for installation of electric lights. It was the general opinion of the council that the rates for baths and toilets should be reduced and the matter was referred to the fire, water and light committee, and the city solicitor was instructed to prepare a bylaw fixing the charges. It was also the opinion that if water and light accounts were not paid within two months the supply should be cut off.

Ald. Foote urged the necessity of procuring trucks for the fire brigade. T. Taylor, M. P. P., will be asked to meet the council and citizens to confer on matters of interest to the municipality.

The following standing committees have been struck for the year: General Executive and Finance.—Ald. Hume, Law and McLeod.

Public Works and Property.—Ald. McMahon, Foote and Taylor.

Fire, Water and Light.—Ald. McLeod, Foote and Hume.

Health, Bylaws and Trade Licenses.—Ald. Law, Taylor and McMahon.

Hockey at Vernon.

The Revelstoke hockey team, consisting of Messrs. W. Bews, E. M. Allum, A. Hyatt, P. Boyd, W. Chambers, R. Douglas and J. Moyer, left on Tuesday for Vernon to try conclusions with the local team there. A despatch to town this morning states that in last night's game the Revelstoke boys lost to Vernon by a score of 2 goals to 0.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the HERALD:

The enclosed letter has just been received by me from Robert Tapping, an aspirant to municipal honors in Revelstoke. On perusing this the electors of ward 2 will no doubt feel that they made a grave mistake in not availing themselves of his valuable services. Yours truly,

J. H. ROBINSON.

REVELSTOKE, B. C., Jan. 10th. Mr. J. H. Robinson, hotel keeper.

DEAR SIR: As you dealt out liquor on Jan. 15th, thereby breaking the law by so doing, and as my teamster got the worse for drink, disorderly and abusive and failed to drive the people to the poles, and whereas it is attributed to be the chief cause of me being defeated on Jan. 15th, therefore if I do not get elected as alderman in ward 2 in due time to fill the seat if vacated in case of T. E. L. Taylor failing to be sworn in in due time, I notify you that I shall lay a complaint against you in order to uphold my standing in this city and put down corruption.

R. TAPPING.

Curling

The ownership of the Calgary Brewing Cup for the next year has been decided this week. Pinkham's rink winning the coveted trophy, defeating Rae on Saturday night 18 to 10, and Brown on Monday 15 to 7.

In the Burns cup, Brown defeated Graham 19 to 5, and in the Green Curlers Competition Walker defeated Coursier 12 to 4.

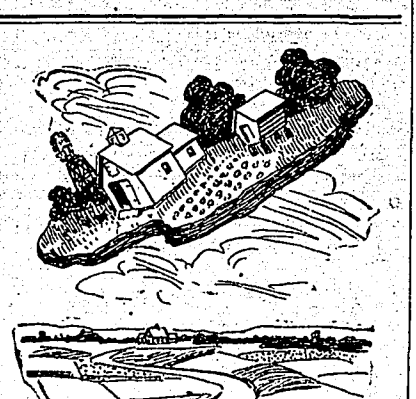
A Business Change.

On the 10th inst. The Breeders' Advocate, a poultry, pigeon and pet stock paper published at Petrolia, Ont., purchased The Canadian Poultry Directory, a similar publication, of Woodstock, Ont. The two papers will be amalgamated under the heading of The Breeders' Advocate, and published at Petrolia. This will add nearly 1,000 to The Advocate's circulation, and will materially benefit those interested in the fancy. Sample copies mailed for the asking.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS are called up to Feb. 10th next for the purchase of the Kindergarten building situated on the northwest corner of the School House block, facing Second street. Each tender is required to be accompanied with \$10.00 deposit (marked check) as a guarantee of good faith to be forfeited in case of withdrawal of tender. Highest cash or secured tender will be awarded the purchase and deposits of rejected tenders returned. Address MRS. H. N. COURSIER, City.

Fred Manning, Mrs. Manning and family, who have been visiting with friends in Ontario for the past two months, returned home Monday evening last.



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