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KRUGER HAS APPEALED TO SALISBURY FOR PEACE

The Proposition Regarded as a Ruse.

LONDON, March 9.—5:10 p.m.—It was learned late this afternoon that the peace rumors had been founded on fact; that president Kruger had appealed to lord Salisbury for a cessation of hostilities, offering at length, by cable, the terms which he was willing to accept. These, however, were not taken seriously, as they included practically nothing more than that the Transvaal government offered prior to the issuing of the British ultimatum.

Official circles here regarded the propositions as merely a ruse for the Boers to gain time and did not consider that president Kruger was yet ready to consider the demands which Great Britain would make as a reimbursement for the loss of life and great expenditure.

It was understood that president Kruger's advances had met with an emphatic rejection at the hands of lord Salisbury, who was believed to have said that no such attempt to retain the independence of the Transvaal should be considered for a moment by the British government.

EXTRADITION WAS WAIVED

Bowden in Provincial Jail.

H. Bowden was brought safely back to town yesterday afternoon by special constable F. R. C. Beer. Chief of provincial police Bullock-Webster met them at the mountain station, and the accused was taken direct to the provincial jail. He will be brought up before stipendiary magistrate Crease this morning, when he will probably be remanded until Monday. There are two charges against Bowden, one for the misappropriation of $660, and one for stealing $2065 from the Hall Mines smelter office.

A TRIBUNE representative called at the provincial jail, but Bowden declined to make any statement until he had had an opportunity to confer with a solicitor. It is not certain yet who will defend him.

Special constable F. R. C. Beer said he found Bowden in the Owl gambling house, where he was playing roulette. He had an old Fedora hat over his eyes and was wearing an old flannel shirt, and altogether looked very unlike his usual spick-and-span self. Bowden caused no trouble but went right along to the Spokane city jail, where he was locked up. He had on him at the time of the arrest $1275.25 and a ticket for Seattle. Bowden was quite sober when captured, but was rather shaky from the effects of a drinking bout. He said he had intended to take the next train to Seattle. Special constable Beer had also made up his mind to take that train if he did not find him, so the capture was inevitable. Mr. Beer got track of him the night before and was following him up, and deserves considerable credit for a good piece of work. He said he found the Spokane police extremely courteous and obliging, though they were not able to render him much assistance. Bowden finally made up his mind to come back and not to fight extradition, and Mr. Beer said he behaved admirably on the way home, giving no trouble whatever. It was expected that they would be able to reach Nelson yesterday morning, but the train could not get through, and they spent the night at Wanata, reaching Nelson about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

NELSON LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. J. E. Spankie of Greenwood returned last night from Kootenay Landing, to which point he accompanied Mr. Pringle of Ottawa, who was taken ill while visiting his son, Oliver Pringle, barrister, of Greenwood.

C. H. Hand, manager of the Payne mine, is staying at the Phair.

R. Marpole returned to the Coast last night, after spending the day in going into local matters with superintendent Troup.

The main sewer was obstructed on Baker street yesterday, and a couple of men were engaged most of the afternoon and night in clearing it out. A length of hose was attached to the hydrant at the corner of Baker and Stanley streets and introduced into the manhole with excellent results.

At the last meeting of the United Charities Organization it was decided that two of the members of the board, Mesdames Bellamy and Clark, should call on business men and citizens for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions. The organization is now assisting six cases where the parties are wholly unable to work, and funds are earnestly desired. Secretary Sims had a typical case yesterday when a small boy came into his office and asked for an old pair of boots. The boy's feet were protected only by a pair of stockings and rubbers, both full of holes.

A cablegram was received yesterday from Ernest Mansfield, who is now in London, England. He is meeting with remarkable success in his various enterprises, and anticipates leaving for Canada about the middle of April. It is understood Mr. Mansfield has abandoned his project of visiting New Zealand.

Taylor & Hannington have applied on behalf of Rene Laudi and Ernest Mansfield for crown grants on twelve claims in and about Camp Mansfield.

The matters at issue between J. G. Fauquier of Nakusp and William Parker, owner of the Brooklyn townsite, have been settled. Fauquier bought the house on the Brooklyn property from Mr. Parker, therefore concluding an amicable arrangement.

The smallpox case at Nakusp has turned out to be of a mild nature and no further danger is anticipated. Mrs. McCully, the patient, is recovering nicely. Her husband, who is C. P. R. agent at Nakusp, has had a telegraph wire strung to the house where he is closely quarantined and directs the business at the depot by means of the ticker. H. N. Coursier, government agent at Revelstoke, is the medical health officer in charge of the matter.

Chief Jarvis goes to Northport today if the Nelson & Fort Sheppard trains are running. He will bring back William Gooding, who is wanted for forging a check and passing it at Brown's clothing store. Gooding is held by the city marshal at Northport and will come back without extradition proceedings.

J. S. Sullivan of Trail, C. P. R. engineer for the Pacific division, arrived in the city last night to go over the Balfour line. J. Lonsdale Doupe, of the land office at Winnipeg, is also here. His duties are in connection with the purchase of the right of way.

The communication forwarded to acting government agent W. J. Goepel by the city clerk in compliance with the city council's resolution, has been referred to the attorney-general. The officials are anxious to put the 25 or 30 men confined in the provincial jail at work, and expect to hear from Victoria in time to submit a proposition to the aldermanic board on Monday night.

Fred Mountain, formerly chief of the provincial police of this district, is staying at the Phair.

E. P. Whalley reports that the preliminary arrangements for the vaudeville entertainment he is getting up on behalf of the Canadian Patriotic Fund have been successfully completed, and the comedietta, entitled "Billing and Cooing," will be rehearsed for the first time this evening. There are but two characters in it which will be taken by Mrs. Whalley and Freeman Lake. The names of the others who will take part in the entertainment will be announced later.

E. F. Burns came down to the city from Balfour yesterday. He has the clearing of the right-of-way well under way on his subcontract, and expects to complete this portion of the work next week. This is regarded as particularly rapid work.

J. C. Drewry is in the city en route from Moyie to Rossland. He is delighted with the results which have been obtained at the Moyie and Lake Shore mine, one of the St. Eugene Consolidated group. There are now 84 men working on the property and a tunnel is being driven on the 800-foot level, which has crosscut twelve feet of solid ore with no hanging wall in sight. The mine has fifteen levels with ore in each one. Messrs. Whyte and Tait visited the property a day or so ago and took away samples of the ore.

As the Rev. R. Frew is still confined to his room with a severe attack of la grippe, the Rev. Mr. Young, Presbyterian missionary at Ymir, will take both services in St. Paul's church tomorrow.

The Hamilton Powder Company's magazine is to be removed from its present location at Seven-mile, where it is said to endanger the safety of John McMartin's camp, to a spot just this side of Five-mile. The building will be located permanently after the road is completed.

The men at Angus Stewart's camp on Nine-mile point have commenced the construction of the buildings which are to comprise the camp. These consist of a kitchen and dining hall 40 by 100 feet in dimensions to accommodate 125 men, bunk houses on a similar scale, commissary building and office. Nine-mile will be the most extensive camp on the line.

The construction of the hospital at Nine-mile point was commenced yesterday, the Nelson Saw & Planing Mills, Limited, supplying the material. The building will be 60 by 40 feet as already stated and will be equipped with 40 beds. Dr. F. J. Ewing will have a staff of nurses on duty after the premises are completed.

No word had been received up to last night by the officials of the Baptist church from Rev. H. H. Hall of Portage La Prairie, to whom a call was extended. The arrangement for Sunday is that services will be conducted by Mrs. M. L. Rattray, principal of the business college.

The Nelson minstrels held their final rehearsal last night, and ran over the list of bright songs and witty gags which go to make up their entertainment. The company will march from the opera house to the depot on Monday morning in their striking dusters and hats purchased for the trip. They show in Sandon, New Denver, and Kaslo on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights respectively.

North Star Shipments.

Moyie Leader.

Frank Robbins, managing engineer of the North Star mine, and Neil McLeod Curran, financial agent, left last Monday for Trail to arrange for the treatment of North Star ore. The railroad has been completed to the tramway, and last Saturday two carloads of ore were shipped to Cranbrook and one to Great Falls. This is the first ore shipped over the North Star branch, and it was most appropriate that it should come from the North Star mine. The tramway is now in working order, and everything is ready for regular shipments.

Montreal Wants it.

MONTREAL, March 9.—The proposal among some of the western members of the Canadian Mining Association to have the annual meeting held permanently in Ottawa meets with strong opposition from Montreal members, who contend that the argument that Ottawa is more central is not in accord with the facts. They declare that the excellent train service to Montreal makes the metropolis more central.

A Famous Bridge.

MONTREAL, March 9.—The Grand Trunk Railway Company today announced that the famous old international bridge at Black Rock, above Buffalo, New York, will be renewed almost entirely this year. The Detroit Bridge & Iron Works Company have the contract.

Hay-Pauncefote Treaty.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The senate committee on foreign relations today reported the Hay-Pauncefote treaty to the senate, with an amendment reserving to this country the right to defend the canal in the cause of order.

GOOD BUSINESS THIS WEEK

Wholesalers Satisfied.

The Nelson wholesalers report a good week's business, with every prospect of trade being brisk from now on. During the latter part of the week the tie-up on the Nelson & Fort Sheppard road rather disorganized trade along the line, but as the road is now open the dealers will make up for lost time. A new feature has arisen in connection with THE TRIBUNE'S weekly list of shipments, and in future all consignments to the various camps along the line of the Balfour extension will be described as being forwarded to "lake points."

Yesterday's shipments were as below:

W. F. Teetzel & Co., assayers' supplies.—Ferguson, Slocan City, Woodbury Creek and Kaslo.

H. Byers & Co., hardware and mining supplies.—Trail, Erie, Windermere, Lake Points, Kaslo and Sandon.

Vancouver Hardware Company, hardware and mining supplies.—Creston, Cranbrook, Kaslo and Ymir.

Lawrence Hardware Company, hardware and mining supplies.—Ainsworth, Pilot Bay, Slocan City, New Denver, Enterprise Landing, Granite Siding, Clubbs Landing, Ymir, Erie, Salmo and Lake points.

H. J. Evans & Co., commission merchants.—Ymir, Robson, Rossland and Woodbury creek.

Nelson Planing Mills, Limited, sash and doors.—Lake points.

Turner, Beeton & Co., dry goods and liquors.—Kaslo, Slocan City, Lardeau, Lake points and Three Forks.

A. Macdonald & Co., wholesale grocers.—Slocan Junction, Material Yard, Sirdar, Whitewater, Grand Forks, Moyie, Creston, Kuskonook and Ainsworth.

J. Y. Griffin & Co., provisions and produce.—New Denver, Slocan City, Greenwood, Phœnix, Columbia, Grand Forks, Whitewater and Trail.

Parsons Produce Company, provisions and produce.—Trout Lake, Rossland, Slocan City, Waneta, Grand Forks, Cascade, Summit, Phœnix, Greenwood and Midway.

Kootenay Cigar Company, cigars.—Revelstoke, Calgary, Golden, Banff, Canmore and Fernie.

SLOCAN MINING NOTES

NEW DENVER, March 4.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Ore is coming in in small lots from the Capella group on Goat mountain. Pete Angrignon has the contract and he has been making two trips a day. It is a dry ore, its chief value being in various combinations of silver. These shipments demonstrate that it pays to work properties on Goat mountain.

With the ore shipments from Slocan City last week's total was 510 tons, and the aggregate from the Slocan for the year about 3000 tons.

Development on the March Bird group is showing up a fine lead, with promising evidences of mineral. This is another Goat mountain property.

Sixty tons of ore were shipped by the Arlington last week, making 160 tons to date. It was sent to Trail.

This week the Bosun has shipped 10 tons of high grade ore. Other shipments will follow shortly.

The Black Prince, Springer creek, has made another shipment of 40 tons, which was consigned to the Trail smelter. This property is being developed by the owners.

The tunnel on the Neglected has passed through the big fault and is rapidly straightening up. It is expected that ore chutes will be cut in a few days. At present the ledge is between four and five feet in width.

No mail from the States or the coast arrived yesterday, owing to slides.

The increase in business on the C. P. R. line is most noticeable.

Ovation to the Naval Brigade.

DURBAN, March 9.—The naval brigade arrived today in command of captain Lamberton. They number about 200 and were enthusiastically received. The railway station was lined with men from H. M. S. Terrible, and the meeting of the comrades caused many touching scenes. When the gunners, who played such an important part in the relief of Ladysmith, headed by the bands and flags of the Terrible, appeared, carrying the tarred Union Jack from H. M. S. Powerful, which had flown throughout the siege of Ladysmith, the cheering was tumultuous. The crowd was of immense proportions.

PRESIDENTS ARE IN THE WAY

Burghers Would Submit.

LONDON, March 9.—A Times dispatch from Poplar Grove, under yesterday's date, goes so far as to assert that the Boer rout was complete, that the submission of the Free State is being demanded by the burghers from their unwilling president, and it is expected that its submission will be made within a week. The correspondent adds:

"Probably the Boers' wisest course was flight, but it was most undignified and is certain to produce consternation at Bloemfontein. There is a growing outcry against any further identification of the Free State with the Transvaal's interests."

Dispatches from the Boer camp at Glencoe, via Lorenzo Marquez, depict president Kruger as donning a bandolier, seizing a rifle, and inviting volunteers to accompany him, as he wished to have a shot at the enemy himself. President Kruger is quoted as having declared in his address to the troops that he "did not know whether arbitration or intervention would end the struggle, but that it would end quickly within the next month he strongly believed."

Norval's Pont Occupied.

LONDON, March 9.—2:05 p.m.—The war office has issued the following dispatch from lord Roberts: "Clements has occupied Norval's Pont and the adjacent drift. As soon as the engineers, pontoons and troops arrive, he wil lcross the river. Gatacre occupied Burghersdorp on March 7th, and was greeted with great enthusiasm on the part of the loyal inhabitants. His scouts are reporting that large numbers of rebels in the neighborhood are anxious to surrender."

Martin Turned Down.

VICTORIA, March 9.—[Special to The Tribune.]—The people's emergency convention held at Westminster today in response to a call by the Columbian was attended by about 100 Liberals and Conservatives. Premier Martin attended and gave an address, but subsequently a resolution was passed declaring: "That the meeting views with alarm the possibility of the Hon. Joseph Martin forming a ministry and carrying the country."

Boers Disorganized.

POPLAR GROVE, March 9.—General French, who is ten miles ahead, reports that his front is clear of the Boers. All other reports tend to confirm a state of disorganization of the Boer forces of the Transvaal as well as of the Free State. The general impression is that the further progress of the British to Bloemfontein will not be opposed.

Boetcher's Body Recovered.

KASLO, March 9.—The remains of R. O. Boetcher, the miner who was entombed in his tunnel on the South fork of Kaslo creek, were brought into town last night and were given a military funeral today. The dead man was a member of the Kaslo Rifles and the company turned out to fire the farewell shot over his grave.

Recruting in the East.

MONTREAL, March 9.—Recruiting of 125 officers and men to take the places of the members of the first Canadian contingent who have died from disease or been killed or wounded in South Africa, began today. The recruiting stations are confined to eastern Canada. No difficulty is expected in obtaining the required number.

Boer Cartridges Destroyed.

POPLAR GROVE, March 9.—A great amount of ammunition was destroyed today. This included several boxes of explosive bullets, on the outside of which the Boers had marked "manufactured for the British government."

Wilkinson on Roberts.

LONDON, March 10.—Mr. Spencer Wilkinson in the Morning Post dealing with the disappointment expressed by the war correspondents respecting the Poplar Grove battle says: "Doubtless it was not a great victory, since the enemy was not punished and no great strategical advantage was gained. It cannot be denied that the Boers have pursued a wise course in defiance of the very bad tactical and and strategical advice of president Kruger and president Steyn. From the British point of view it is a pity that the advance was not followed up, for in that case, lord Roberts would probably have captured the whole force."

BOERS WERE COMPLETELY ROUTED AT POPLAR GROVE

Artillery and Cavalry the Cause.

LONDON, March 9.—The war office has received the following dispatch from lord Roberts:

POPLAR GROVE, Friday morning.—Presidents Kruger and Steyn were both present at the fight of March 7th, and did all in their power to rally their troops. The rout, however, was complete, the men declaring that they could not stand against the British artillery and such a formidable force of cavalry."

LONDON, March 10.—The correspondent of the Daily News says: "The Boers were seized with a panic, thus spoiling the whole plan which had been beautifully calculated to destroy them utterly. As the sixth division emerged from a hidden position and appeared on the crest with the mounted infantry in skirmishing order, the Boers thought the whole earth was covered with soldiers, in their front and rear and on their flanks. They did not wait to verify their suppositions, but fled, seized apparently with a dread that they might share the fate of Cronje."

All the special dispatches from Poplar Grove confirm the reports of the panic of the Boers. The Morning Post's correspondent says:

"President Kruger shed tears at his ineffectual attempt to rally the Boers who were completely paralyzed by lord Roberts' masterly tactics. They were too demoralized to heed his expostulations, and declared that the British cannon were everywhere."

Unreasonable Conditions.

LONDON, March 10.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Pretoria, dated Thursday, March 8th, via Lorenzo Marquez, which has been censored by the Boer government: "Conversations I have had with the highest statesmen shows that the Boers want some arrangement. They say that if England is waging a war of conquest they will fight to the finish. Otherwise they believe that a plain statement of the British intention will reveal the basis of negotiations, now that England's prestige is repaired. Presidents Kruger and Steyn conferred on Monday at Bloemfontein on the incorporation of the above representations in a cablegram to lord Salisbury. The preservation of the independence of the two republics is a sine qua non."

Her Majesty's Reception.

LONDON, March 10.—The huge serenade in front of Buckingham Palace, which was the feature of Thursday's welcome to her majesty, was repeated this evening, some 20,000 persons participating. The queen, the prince of Wales and other members of the royal family appeared at the windows, and the people sang "God Save the Queen" and other patriotic songs. Her majesty has not suffered from her experience of the last two days. The Court Circular says: "Her majesty was today received everywhere with the same enthusiasm as yesterday, which has greatly gratified the queen."

Boer Generals Resign.

LONDON, March 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "I learn that there is dissension between president Kruger and general Joubert, and that the latter has resigned. Probably president Kruger will assume the chief command. General Schalkberg and the other commandants are also likely to resign for similar reasons, and because president Kruger ignored their advices to make peace overtures after the first Boer victory."

Jumping on Skates.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Fred Germer of Long Branch, New Jersey, made a new world's record for high jumping on skates at the Clermont avenue rink Brooklyn, tonight, clearing the bar at 4 feet 2½ inches. Germer and Joe Quinn, of Red Bank both made new figures for the standing broad jump on skates. The former went 8 feet, 6½ inches and the latter 6 feet, 6¼ inches.

Free State Envoy.

BERLIN, March 9.—It is reported here that the Orange Free State has sent Herr Olnter-Wessels to New York, to exert his influence in the interest of the Free State.

BOER POWER IS COLLAPSING

No More Guns Wanted.

LONDON, March 10—4.15 a. m.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, when explaining to the bankers the terms of the new loan, gave them an intimation that the government considered the end of the war near. "Since the estimates were prepared," he said, "events have taken place that have changed the situation, and probably not all the money will be required."

Whatever the government may know or intend, unofficial opinion seems to think that the Boer power is collapsing. The eighth division has been under orders to embark for several weeks, but these orders, so far as the artillery contingent is concerned, have been recalled, lord Roberts having reported that no artillery from home is necessary.

This is the first pause in reinforcements since the war began. Sir Redvers Buller, second in command in the field and lord Wolseley are understood also to consider that no more artillery is needed. Lord Roberts has altogether 512 guns, including siege pieces.

It is quite clear that general Buller will not try anything large in the future, as he is to lose sir Charles Warren and the latter's 10,000 men, who have been ordered to join lord Roberts. It is the expectation of the war office that lord Roberts, notwithstanding the necessity of garrisoning his depots, will be able to operate a constantly increasing force, so that by the time the Transvaal frontier is reached he will have 70,000 troops.

His telegrams dealing with non-essentials are taken to mean that he is up to some mischief, as his apparent inactivity usually spells uncommon activity.

Mafeking, as a beleaguered town, attracts some sentiment and sympathy. Nothing has been heard from there since February 19th. There is a rumor this morning that colonel Baden-Powell has been relieved, but this cannot be traced to any reliable source.

Britain to be Supreme.

LONDON, March 10.—The Standard, which is in closer touch with the policy of the government than any other ministerial organ, says: "We have reason to believe that an authoritative statement will shortly be made by the government reaffirming the impossibility of conceding any terms of peace to the Boer republics which would involve a perpetuation of the political and military independence that led to the present costly and sanguinary conflict."

Vidal Will Command.

OTTAWA, March 9.—It has been practically settled that lieutenant-colonel Vidal of the headquarters' staff, as mentioned in these dispatches on Wednesday, will command the Canadian contingent to replace the Leinster regiment at Halifax.

Ex-Ambassador Dead.

NEW HAVEN, Connecticut, March 9.—Hon. F. J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, died this afternoon. He had been ill since early in January with pneumonia.

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Worth Seeing

No. 1—Ladies' Tailor Made Suits, all the newest styles and materials, special values at $10, 12.50, 15.00, 15.50, 20.00, 22.50, 25.00 and 30.00.

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The Tribune.

MANITOBA has a new sensation. It is not a very pleasant one, however, and may be summed up as an insinuation that none of the marriages which have taken place in the province, since the Macdonald government assumed power, are legal. As might be supposed the report is circulated by the political opponents of premier Macdonald, with a view to convincing the people that he is a bungler. As usual legal opinions are trotted out to bolster up the story. It is shown that the statute requires marriage licenses to be signed by the minister of agriculture and immigration; that no such minister has yet been appointed; that the provincial treasurer has been signing licenses; that therefore they are not in accord with the statute and that marriages presumed to be authorized by them are illegal. So anxious are premier Macdonald's opponents to get in a blow at him, that they will not concede the lieutenant-governor the power to make the provincial treasurer acting minister of agriculture and immigration, which he did.

SHOULD Charles Wilson of Vancouver persist in his attempt to force party lines in the pending provincial elections it can have but one effect: the widening of the breach which already exists between the Mainland and the Island Conservatives, and the undoing of much of the work of organization that has been carried on during the past year. It is easy to understand the change of front of some Conservatives since they in convention decided to make a straight Conservative fight. They were not then confronted with the immediate prospect of Joseph Martin for premier, and the right-about which many of them have taken may be accounted for in the changed conditions which they meet upon what most people consider the eve of an election. Charles Wilson is not any too firm in the saddle as leader of the Conservatives, and in view of this it might be dangerous for him to push the members of the party too far in a policy which is repugnant to them. It is not necessary to go outside of Vancouver to secure first-class evidence of open revolt from the resolution of the Conservative convention at New Westminster. No less than three of the most prominent Conservatives of that city having expressed their determination of breaking away. They are F. C. Cotton, the leader of the late Semlin party, Charles E. Tisdall and mayor Garden, whose popularity with the party is not second to that of the present leader. In addition to these may be added every Conservative member of the late government party. Before they can be whipped into line the tail will have to wag the dog.

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Sulphur and Brimstone for fumigating.

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Fine Santos, 4 pounds	1 00
Santos Blend, 5 pounds	1 00
Our Special Blend, 6 pounds	1 00
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A trial order solicited. Salesroom 2 doors east of Oddfellows block, West Baker street.

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A boarding and day school conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Peace. It is situated at the corner of Mill and Josephine streets in one of the best residential portions of Nelson, and is easily accessible from all parts of the city.

The course of study includes the fundamental and higher branches of thorough English education: Business course—bookkeeping, stenography and typewriting. Science course—music, vocal and instrumental, drawing, etc. Plain art and needlework, etc.

For terms and particulars apply to the Sister Superior.

AINSWORTH LICENSE DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Fournier has made application under the provisions of the "Liquor License Act, 1899," for an hotel license for the premises described as the "Montreal Hotel," at Lardo River, between Howser and Trout lake, and that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of the Ainsworth License district will be held to consider such application at the Court House, at the City of Kaslo on Monday, the second day of April, 1900, at the hour of eight o'clock in the afternoon.

W. H. BULLOCK-WEBSTER,
Chief License Inspector.

Provincial Police Office, Nelson, B. C., 9th March, 1900.

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office in Rossland up to and including the 15th day of March instant, for the purchase of the stock in trade and store furnishings of S. A. Hartmann, merchant, who assigned for the benefit of creditors.

The stock consists of gents' furnishings, ready-made clothing, boots, shoes and miners' clothing, and amounts to about $8700.

Inventory can be seen at assignee's office and stock can be inspected at any time.

Terms cash. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, and to be marked: "Tender re Hartmann Estate."

Dated at Rossland March 6th, 1900.

EDWARD BAILLIE, Trustee.

FOR SALE.

Large two and a half story frame house, containing double drawing room, 4 bedrooms and dressing room with clothes closets, dining room, large kitchen, hot and cold water, bath room with bath complete, toilet; lighted with electricity; within five minutes walk of the business portion of the city; beautiful situation overlooking the lake. Two lots, each 25x120 feet, fenced, and with lawn in front. A very desirable residence, newly furnished and carpeted throughout with best furniture and carpets. Furniture and kitchen utensils will be sold either with the house or separately.

For terms and particulars apply to W. A. Galliher, at the office of Galliher & Wilson, over McArthur's furniture store, Baker street, Nelson, B. C.

Notice of Application for License.

I, Adolphe Lapointe, of the City of Nelson, in the province of British Columbia, hotel keeper, hereby give notice that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Nelson, at their first meeting to be held after the expiration of thirty days from this date for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail, in my hotel, known as the "Montreal Hotel," situate on lots numbered 23 and 24, in block numbered 6, in the said City of Nelson.

A. LAPOINTE.

Nelson, B. C., February 8th, 1900.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next meeting of the Board of License-commissioners for the City of Nelson, held after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, for a transfer of the saloon license now held by me, dated the 15th day of January, 1900, for the Glue Pot saloon, situate on the west half of lot 4 block 2, Nelson, B. C., to John Lindblad of Nelson, B. C.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 1900.

Witness: H. H. WARD. W. A. WARD.

SAWMILL FOR SALE.

The sawmill and plant lately owned by Joseph T. Roberts, at Rykert's Landing, and consisting of a 30-horse power boiler, engine, Griffith & Wedge top-rig sawmill, edger, planer, belting, etc., etc., will be sold where they now stand. Apply to

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NELSON MINERS' UNION NO. 96, W. F. of M.—Meets in miners' union rooms, northeast corner Victoria and Kootenay streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome.

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THE regular meetings of the Carpenters' Union are held on Wednesday evening of each week, at 7 o'clock, in the Miners' Union hall corner Victoria and Kootenay streets.

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JAMES COLLINS, Secretary.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.—The regular meetings of the Nelson Trades and Labor Council will be held in the miners' union hall, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets, on the first and third Thursday of each month, at 7.30 p. m.

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NELSON LODGE, NO. 23, A. F. & A. M. Meets second Wednesday in each month. Sojourning brethren invited.

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There will be a meeting of the directors at 2.30 p. m.

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CITY LOCAL NEWS

Frank Delaney, former freight clerk at Robson, was brought to the general hospital yesterday suffering from a severe attack of appendicitis. Captain George Robertson of the steamer Lytton was also brought in from Robson to the hospital.

T. R. Archbold has purchased the residence of captain C. S. Moore, corner of Baker and Kootenay streets. The consideration is understood to have been $4000.

The Spokane train arrived yesterday afternoon on time, after having failed to pass the mud slide at Seven Devils for two days. The C. P. R. is having miniature mud slides along its lake front tracks, and in places the stream of semi-liquid clay has covered the track several inches deep. At several points the section men have been compelled to remove a considerable quantity of mud from the track.

Joseph Paquette, operator in charge of the Spokane Falls & Northern Telegraph office, has been appointed by the court administrator of his father's estate.

On Tuesday morning sheriff Tuck will sell by auction a portion of the personal effects of Bowden, the defaulting smelter employee, a seizure having been made to secure $15 rent and costs thereof.

Arthur Butt, the crazy man who came down from Balfour on the steamer Angerona, will be re-arraigned before E. A. Crease, police magistrate, this morning. The three days' confinement in the police cells has brought about a great improvement in the young man's mental condition, and he is now comparatively lucid.

The city is having trouble again with the sewer which runs down lane between Carbonate and Silica streets. A big cavity has made its appearance, and a length or two of pipe has apparently been carried down to unknown depths.

Magistrate Crease held a small debts court yesterday and took evidence in the suit of Elliot & Morrison vs. Harley Manhart. Judgment was given in favor of the plaintiffs.

Messrs. Cambie and Lewis, C. P. R. engineers, were in consultation yesterday with A. L. McCulloch, city engineer, regarding the grade Baker street at the approach to the new depot. Baker street will have to be opened for some distance, and a heavy cutting made to reach the proposed site.

The transfer was recorded yesterday by John Stinson and A. B. Buckworth of Ymir, to P. R. Ritchie and A. L. McFarlane of Rossland, of the Syndicate, Evelyn, Arthur and Hancock claims on Porcupine creek, and the Silver Tip and Bear's Nest claims, located on the divide between Cayuse and Tulip creeks.

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