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THE NAMES OF CITIZENS

To be Robbed of a Right.

Every effort should be made to thwart the attempt that is being made, in the interest of Conservative candidate Fletcher, to deprive nearly five hundred British subjects of the privilege of voting at the coming provincial election. The applications of this large number of citizens duly qualified by law to have their names placed on the voters' list of Nelson riding are objected to by George R. G. O'Driscoll, Robert Corlett, and Charles Henry Palmer, who are merely acting as tools in the interest of the local Conservative Association, whose members are actively supporting Frank Fletcher in his efforts to become a member of the legislative assembly. THE TRIBUNE stands for provincial rights, and today its managers will take up the fight of the men who are being robbed of a political right by a gang of as unscrupulous politicians as were ever congregated in a single community in Canada. Every man whose name appears below will be deprived of the right to vote if action is not taken promptly.

Fowler, Arthur, Nelson, miner
Parkin, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Gauthier, Xavier, Ymir, laborer
Ross, Ulysses St., Ymir, machinist
Hayward, Edward, Ymir, millman
Bolton, Edward, Ymir, millman
Lannan, Patrick, Ymir, millman
O'Callaghan, Thomas William, Ymir, cook
Poirier, John Theo, Ymir, teamster
Dummont, Joseph, Ymir, prospector
Fulton, Thomas, Ymir, teamster
Eldridge, John Dwight, Kitchener, miner
Morrison, Kenneth, Kitchener, miner
Dixon, Robert, Kitchener, miner
Sanderson, Robert Ferguson, Kitchener, miner
Matthews, Archie, Kitchener, laborer
Currie, John Alexander, Kitchener, merchant
Oman, Andrew, Kitchener, trackman
Adamson, Alexander, Nelson, laborer
Arnott, John Melville, Nelson, laborer
Burbidge, Phillip, Nelson, laborer
Barkeley, Thomas, Nelson, laborer
Burns, Robert, Nelson, bridgeman
Bourgeois, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Barry, John, Nelson, laborer
Bain, Archie Creswell, Nelson, carpenter
Buchanan, Robert Charles, Nelson, miner
Bougie, Francis Xavier, Nelson, blacksmith
Burns, Joseph, Nelson, quarryman
Boyd, Wilfred George, Nelson, tailor
Bewett, Henry A., Nelson, miner
Calladine, William, Nelson, laborer
Cantara, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Cannelle, Edward, Nelson, miner
Crittenden, Ferdinand, Nelson, miner
Cornish, James, Nelson, laborer
Coles, Selly, Nelson, cigarmaker
Collett, Frederick, Nelson, laborer
Couture, Oneziphar, Nelson, miner
Campbell, James Melville, Nelson, miner
Daly, John, Nelson, miner
Dean, Alfred, Nelson, miner
Deneault, Alexandre, Nelson, miner
Elliot, Ernest, Nelson, clerk
Engberg, Charles August, Nelson, foreman
Fournier, Joseph Alfred, Nelson, cook
Fraser, James Alexander, Nelson, laborer
Flack, Thomas, Nelson, carpenter
Gallaugher, William Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Galloway, Frank Scott, Nelson, cook
Grey, James, Nelson, miner
Gordon, Robert, Nelson, laborer
Greenlees, Wm. John, Nelson, clerk
Harris, James, Nelson, laborer
Habegard, Martin, Nelson, laborer
Henderson, Thomas Henry, Nelson, laborer
Hiatt, George, Nelson, laborer
Hill, William, Nelson, laborer
Hogan, Michael James, Nelson, shoemaker
Hughes, Claude Austin, Nelson, deckhand
Heenan, John, Nelson, miner
Jackson, Harry Duncan, Athabasca mine, miner
Johnson, William S., Nelson, laborer
Keough, James, Nelson, deckhand
Kelly, Angus Francis, Nelson, laborer
Knowles, William Robert, Hall, clerk
Leiper, William, Nelson, deckhand
LeBarron, James, Nelson, deckhand
Lucas, Albert, Nelson, deckhand
LaPointe, Horasse, Nelson, laborer
Lindsay, George, Nelson, section foreman
Lynch, Fred, Nelson, cigar maker
Marchand, William, Nelson, carpenter
Maloney, John, Nelson, miner
Morrison, William, Nelson, laborer
Moffat, George, Nelson, laborer
Munro, Thomas, Nelson, miner
MacArthur, Daniel William, Nelson, foreman
Manhart, J. P., Nelson, railroad bridge foreman
McIntyre, John Walter, Nelson, printer
McLennan, Neil Hector, Nelson, laborer
Oakes, Sterling Kellette, Nelson, miner
Pratt, Napoleon, Nelson, laborer
Rooney, David, Balfour extension, railroad employee
Read, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Stewart, William Barton, Nelson, freight clerk
Shanahan, Michael Joseph, Nelson, baker
Small, Phillip Henry, Nelson, railroadman
Spriggs, Lemuel, Nelson, teamster
Todd, Gilbert John, Nelson, storekeeper
Thompson, John William, Nelson, smelterman
Tebo, William Lawrence, Nelson, telegrapher
Thomas, William Henry Penryn, Athabasca mine, miner
Thompson, John Edward, Athabasca mine, miner
Wafflet, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Warren, William John, Nelson, teamster
Walters, Leopold, Nelson, brickmaker
St. Denis, Napoleon, Nelson, miner
Berube, Peter, Nelson, miner
Laidley, Thomas B., Nelson, contractor
Ford, James Wharton, Nelson, motorman
Parsons, John, Nelson, cook
Clark, Robert, Nelson, barber
Gibson, John, Nelson, carpenter
Smith, James, Nelson, miner
Johnson, Oscar, Nelson, miner
McGuire, Thomas Herbert, Nelson, plumber
Neven, Lewis, Ymir, laborer
Poltiar, Joseph, Ymir, miner
Snyder, Leonard D., Nelson, laborer
Sleeman, Frank, Birdseye mine, miner
Sleeman, Henry, Birdseye mine, miner
Archibald, Cyril Isaac, Nelson, bookkeeper
Bradshaw, Joseph Charles, Nelson, conductor
Blakeley, John, Nelson, blacksmith
Beggs, Charles, Nelson, laborer
Crawford, Enon Fernando, Nelson, blacksmith
Darrough, William J., Nelson, prospector
Dawson, Benjamin Richard, Nelson, freight checker
Fraser, Mungo Morrison, Nelson, shed-foreman
Forsyth, Archibald Thomas, Nelson, prospector
Fleck, Alvin Clarence, Nelson, teamster
Grier, Michael, Nelson, cook
Grant, Alexander William, Nelson, miner
Hay, Arthur Percy, Nelson, clerk
Marshall, Jonathan, Nelson, cook
McDonald, William, Nelson, planeman
McGowan, Anson J., Nelson, miner
McNeill, Alfred, Nelson, merchant
McQuarrie, Angus Hector, Nelson, waiter
McKay, William D., Nelson, brakeman
Nickerson, Francis Gordon, Nelson, bank clerk
Purcell, Nathaniel, Nelson, bricklayer
Robie, Harry James, Nelson, merchant tailor
Richer, Henry Ooide, Nelson, steward
Riley, John, Nelson, laborer
Spaul, Walter James, Fifteen-mile Point, clerk
Scott, Matthew John, Nelson, foreman
Stokes, Robert Thomas, Nelson, roadmaster
Templeton, John W., Nelson, teamster
Traves, James, Nelson, blacksmith
Wilson, Edwin, Nelson, street carman
Hill, George William, Erie, miner
Brean, John, Ymir, miner
Crozier, John, Creston, laborer
Duchine, Narcisse, Creston, cook
Dolan, John, Creston, miner
Leamy, Lewis, Creston, foreman
Mallett, Mike, Ymir, miner
Maitland, Thomas Lovatt, Ymir, miner
Munroe, George, Creston, tinsmith
McMeekin, George, Ymir, miner
McIntyre, Harold Perley, Ymir, miner
McGovern, James, Creston, laborer
Okell, Arthur, Creston, agent
McGillvray, Robert, Nelson, laborer
McKillop, Daniel, Nelson, laborer
McDonald, Duncan, Nelson, laborer
Pool, Robert, Nelson, laborer
Rhodes, John, Nelson, teamster
Smith, Robert, Nelson, laborer
Thompson, Henry, Sirdar, cook
Unecume, Edward, Nelson, laborer
Woods, William J., Nelson, clerk
Wood, Alexander, Nelson, laborer
Whyte, John Alfred, Nelson, laborer
Campion, William Richard, Nelson, conductor
Hawkins, James Joseph, street car conductor
Holmes, Joseph William, Nelson, carpenter
Adason, George, Nelson, stonemason
Broderie, Moses, Nelson, laborer
Buckland, George, Sirdar, stonecutter
Crane, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Charboneau, Harry, Nelson, teamster
Davidson, James, Nelson, laborer
Fleming, Sidney Alfred, Athabasca mill, millman
Gincburg, Harris, Nelson, merchant
Graveille, Frank, Nelson, miner
Holland, Isaiah, Nelson, laborer
Hammond, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Harrod, Arthur Westbrook, Nelson, laborer
Iwerson, Lawrence, Nelson, laborer
Morin, Agapit, Nelson, laborer
Matherson, Alexander, Nelson, laborer
McLaughlin, Elmer, Nelson, laborer
McBride, James, Nelson, laborer
McKay, Donald, Nelson, laborer
Oughton, John, Nelson, stonecutter
Papineau, Henri, Nelson, miner
Racket, John, Nelson, laborer
Stein, Andrew Nelson, laborer
Smith, Charles William, Athabasca mine, laborer
Tracey, Arthur, Nelson, teamster
Uniac, Patrick Joseph, Nelson, teamster
Wilson, Steve, Nelson, stonecutter
Doolan, Lawrence, Kuskanook, roadmaster
Allen, John, Kuskanook, free miner
Sloggett, Thomas Francis, miner
Boyle, Frank, Nelson, laborer
McBeath, David, Nelson, contractor
Peters, Lawrence, Nelson, contractor
Lauder, Mark, Nelson, bartender
Cameron, Charles H. M., Nelson, clerk
Allen, Joseph Harry, Nelson, laborer
Barbour, William, Nelson, miner
Bell, James, Athabasca mine, miner
Balding, James, Nelson, laborer
Cunningham, Archibald, Nelson, teamster
Craze, Joseph, Athabasca mine, miner
Cross, Walter William, Nelson, laborer
Clark, William, Nelson, laborer
Delaney, Patrick, Nelson, carpenter
Ekman, August, Nelson, laborer
Freeman, John Theodore, Ymir, miner
Hughes, Walter J., Ymir, miner
Hall, George William, Nelson, laborer
Jacquemin, Jacques, Nelson, laborer
Kelly, Matthew, Nelson, laborer
Lyon, George Bullas, Athabasca mine, miner
MacPhail, Donald Stewart, Balfour extension, speculator
Moffat, John, Athabasca miner, waiter
Mitchell, Herbert Walter, Athabasca mine, miner
McDaniels, Robert, Nelson, laborer
McCulloch, Angus, Balfour extension, railroad employee
McCarthy, Edward, Nelson, laborer
McLauren, Murdock, Athabasca mine, miner
McCarthy, John William, Granite mine, miner
McDougall, Angus E., Nelson, car-

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POSITIONS OF THE TROOPS

Roberts' Wide Front.

LONDON, May 4.—4:15 a. m.—General Broadwood's cavalry brigade has reach Isabelfontein, 28 miles north of Thaba Nchu. General Ian Hamilton is bivouacking at Jacobspruit 15 miles north of Thaba Nchu. General Tucker's division is moving eastward from Karee siding. The divisions of generals French and Rundle are in and near Thaba Nchu. Thus lord Roberts has 50,000 men operating clear of the railway along a front of forty miles. He is advancing slowly with some successes, but nothing decisive. Yet at all points of concentration the Boers appear in force sufficient to compel the British to proceed with caution. The wide front in a rugged country makes turning movements often difficult.

Observers at headquarters in Bloemfontein seem to think that the Boers are preparing to evacuate Brandfort and Ladybrand. The Boers still holding Thaba Nchu district are estimated at 4000. They have among their guns a forty pounder. One correspondent writing from Bloemfontein, Wednesday, at 1:15, said the British hoped to cut off the whole commando.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing May 2nd, says: "I have just ridden hither from Thaba Nchu along the line of our advance east of Bloemfontein. The distance is fully forty miles and yet almost every point of concentration is contested by enemy.

"General Rundle with the eighth division is posted on our right flank with orders to guard a strong and boldly outlined frontal position in a country of decidedly difficult nature. There the Boers have posted a number of guns of superior weight and range to our own. However, they show no disposition to do more than to keep in touch with us, and to harass our advance. Further to the west general Ian Hamilton with his division of mounted infantry is pressing northward, encountering only a desultory fire. The Highland brigade from Valkrantz has been engaged, while general Tucker, commanding the seventh division has moved eastward from Karee siding and has returned south followed by the Boers. Nevertheless, the cavalry, owing to the greater number of the enemy, have been prevented from completing the movement that was intended to encircle the Boers on the march to Brandfort, and the enemy are now prepared to offer stubborn opposition on an entrenched hill to the southeast of Kroonstadt. They will probably abandon that position as soon as their stores have been moved north of the Vet river. General Tucker's attempt to advance on Brandfort showed the enemy to be in considerable strength. The colonial cavalry were engaged and they lost twenty horses while under fire from pom-poms."

The British have captured Brandfort.

The Library Ball.

The library ball in aid of the Nelson Public Library will be given this evening in the opera house. A large number of tickets have been sold and an enjoyable evening is assured. Great pains has been taken with the floor, and Herr Steiner with an orchestra of six instruments will supply the music. The program is as follows:

1. Valse ..... "My Sweetheart."
2. Two-step ..... "Honeymoon."
3. Valse ..... "Love's Proposal."
4. Scottische ..... "La Gabrielle."
5. Valse ..... "Tres Jolie."
6. Polka ..... "The British Grenadiers."
7. Valse ..... "American Citizen."
8. Two-step ..... "King Cotton."
9. Valse ..... "Strauss in Dance."
10. Lancers ..... "Gambrinus."
11. Valse ..... "Venus Reigen."

1st Extra
2nd Extra
3rd Extra

12. Polka ..... "In Clover."
13. Valse ..... "As The Sun Went Down."
14. Two-step ..... "Flag of Victory."
15. Valse ..... "Blue Danube."
16. Jersey ..... "The Original."
17. Valse ..... "Zenda."
18. Military Schottische ..... "Cinderella Club."
19. Valse ..... "Artist Life."
20. Two-step ..... "Tommy Atkins."
21. Valse ..... "Senorita."
22. Medley ..... "After the Ball."

Yesterday's Transfers.

Yesterday's entries at the mining recorder's office were: W. B. Townsend transferred to the Marguerite Gold Mining and Smelting Company of Rossland the Lucky Bill, Diamond Hill, Blue Bird and Banker's Panic claims located in the Pend d'Oreille district. John Blomberg of Nelson transferred an undivided half interest each in the Greenwood Fraction situated in the west side of Eagle creek to Oscar Johnson and J. Swedberg. H. C. Brougher of Wardener, Idaho, transferred a quarter interest in the Half Eagle claim situated on the north side of Sheep creek, consideration $2500. William Lambert of Nelson conveyed to Ole Skatbo and O. Lund of Nelson the Ladysmith and Buller claims on the government road between Sandy and Eagle creeks.

BROWN FINANCE MINISTER

Latest Political Shuffles.

VANCOUVER, May 3.—[Special to the Tribune.]—J. C. Brown of Westminster, the "Winchester" of bygone political days, went down to Victoria this afternoon to be sworn in as minister of finance. This was the news given out by prominent supporters of premier Martin. Mr. Brown himself would have little to say, merely stating that he objected on principle to telling of things before they happened.

It is given on good authority that the Columbian newspaper has been purchased by the Conservatives.

The principal point of local comment in connection with the government convention last night is the change of front of McPherson, M. P. P. McPherson was asked at the meeting how he would vote if there was a tie between Cotton and Martin. He made the unequivocal promise that he would support Martin as against Cotton.

VICTORIA, May 3.—[Special to The Tribune.]—J. C. Brown of New Westminster arrived here tonight with the intention of being sworn in as finance minister tomorrow morning. Ryder left his keys at the department today and went to Nanaimo. Brown will be a candidate in New Westminster if accepted at the convention on Saturday.

CITY LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. A. E. Hodgins leaves today for England, where she will visit for some months.

Ng Man Hing, a Chinaman who has proved a valuable missionary to his fellow countrymen, is working in Nelson under the auspices of the Presbyterian church. Hing is preparing the ground here for another native missionary, who will shortly be appointed to work among the Chinese of Nelson and Rossland.

R. J. Coleman, of Alton, Ontario, arrived in Nelson yesterday. Mr. Coleman has the honor of planning and carrying out successfully an excursion of his fellow-townsmen on a steam threshing outfit a distance of eight miles over ordinary country roads. He will make his home in Nelson and help the boys with ball and other athletic games.

Alexander Stewart yesterday sold lots 11 and 12 in block 24 to J. A. Kmuir. The lots were formerly owned by Dave McBeath.

J. Tunstall, mining recorder at Vernon, has been made deputy mining recorder for the Arrow Lake mining division. This appointment has been made for the convenience of miners and prospectors in the Fire Valley section, which is more accessible to Vernon than to Arrowhead.

Nelson Amateur Operatic Society.

The recent production of Pinafore was such a success that many of the music lovers of Nelson decided to organize a society which should put such plays on the boards from time to time. Accordingly a meeting was held in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon, and the Nelson Dramatic Operatic Society was duly organized and the necessary officers elected. It was decided that another play would be produced in the autumn, and the committee was empowered to draw up the constitution and bylaws and report to a meeting to be called by the president. The officers elected were: President, G. V. Holt; vice-president, J. H. Bowes; secretary and manager, Melville Parry; treasurer, H. B. Haines; committee, J. C. T. Crofts, G. F. Beer, L. B. Hodge, T. G. Haultain and W. W. Beaton. Those present at the meeting included: Mesdames W. A. Macdonald, F. W. Peters, H. Langford, and H. Connon, G. V. Holt, Melville Parry, H. B. Haines, T. G. Haultain, F. Steiner, N. T. McLeod, L. B. Hodge, J. C. T. Crofts, W. W. Beaton, H. W. R. Moore, G. Williamson, O. Newling, G. F. Beer, C. B. Winter, W. B. Smith, J. H. Joran and G. L. Lennox.

May Erect Woollen Factories.

THE TRIBUNE learns that several well known capitalists of Brantford, Ontario, have been securing information as to Nelson and the Kootenays with a view to locating a factory here for the manufacture of woollen goods. Their contention is that by purchasing the raw material in the Territories and turning out a first-class finished product on the ground, a considerable saving could be made in the cost of freight and selling.

Valuable Vases Seized.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Two Chinese vases worth $40,000 were seized by the customs officials today on the French line pier for alleged evasion of the customs laws. The vases were the property of M. de Malherbe of Paris. The authorities learned of the importation of the vases into the city from China via Vancouver and Quebec and located them at a storage warehouse. M. de Malherbe exhibited them at that place to several collectors, it is said, and asked $40,000 for the pair. The vases were removed a few days ago. M. de Malherbe intended to sail with his vases on La Bretagne yesterday.

BOERS WERE DRIVEN BACK

Hamilton's Success.

LONDON, May 3.—The war office has received the following report from lord Roberts under date of Bloemfontein, May 2nd.:

"General Hamilton met with considerable success yesterday and drove the enemy from the strong position they had taken up at Hout Nek, with comparatively small loss to us. The Boers dispersed in several directions, mainly to the east and north, leaving 26 prisoners on our hands, including one commandant and 16 other wounded men.

"General Hamilton is now in camp at Jacobrust. As the men needed rest after fighting seven out of the last ten days, I ordered them to halt for the day.

"General Broadwood's brigade of cavalry arrived upon the scene in time to afford valuable assistance by threatening the enemy's rear. During the afternoon general Ian Hamilton was joined by general Bruce Hamilton's brigade of infantry.

"The enemy admit having 12 killed and 40 wounded yesterday. Among the former was lieutenant Gunther, a German. Among the latter was Maximoff, the Russian commander of the foreign legion. Twenty-one out of the fifty-two of the enemy's casualties occurred among the members of that legion. Two Frenchmen were among the killed.

"General Hamilton speaks in high terms of the good services performed by the Eight Hussars, under colonel Clowes, and a regiment of Royal Lancers, which came into general Broadwood's brigade and assisted in making the Boers vacate their position.

Will Run and be Elected.

VANCOUVER, May 3.—[Special to The Tribune.]—There is absolutely no foundation for the reports in circulation at Nelson and Kaslo that F. C. Cotton had decided to abandon provincial politics in order to make the race as a Conservative for the Dominion house. Mr. Cotton will contest Vancouver as the leader of the provincial party, and his election is a certainty, for he has a large following among organized labor and has the support and confidence of the business men of this city.

Heroic Gordons.

LONDON, May 4.—The Daily News has the following from Thaba Nchu, dated Wednesday: "In yesterday's flanking movement captain Towse and fifty Gordon Highlanders were surrounded by 250 Boers who demanded their surrender. Captain Towse ordered his men to fix bayonets and charge. With a wild cheer the Gordons rushed the enemy and swept them away with great slaughter. Captain Towse was blinded in both eyes by the enemy's fire and throughout behaved most heroically."

Delagoa Bay Award.

BERNE, May 3.—The complete Delagoa Bay award, which the secretary of the tribunal assured the United States minister, John C. Leshmann could be delivered on April 15th at the latest is not yet forthcoming and further considerable delay is probable as the United States and and British government are unable to determine till they examine the text whether the award is acceptable.

Wages Increased.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The employees of the Standard Oil Company in Williamsburg, Green Point and Long Island City, to the number of fully 5000, today received an advance in their wages and a reduction of one hour in their working time. The increase is from one to 15 per cent.

CHAPLEAU MILL IS ORDERED

Construction Starts at Once.

J. M. Williams, who has just returned from England, leaves today for the Chapleau mine, of which he is engineer in charge. The mine, which belongs to the Mallinson West Kootenay Exploration Syndicate, is situated near Slocan City. Mr. Williams goes to look over the proposed right-of-way for the aerial tramway which will be 3780 feet long. While in England he placed an order for a battery of ten stamps and two Wifley vanners with Fraser & Chalmers of London and Chicago. Four miles of a wagon road will also have to be constructed to the foot of the tram, and Mr. Williams intends to make a quick job of it, as he has promised his directors that the mill will be running in four months from date. As the wagon road has to be built before the machinery can be got in and a dam and sluces have to be constructed, Mr. Williams has not left himself much time to spare, but he is confident that everything will be running smoothly at the appointed date.

WAVERLEY CHANGES HANDS

Oscar Stevens the Lessee.

The Waverley Hotel changed hands yesterday, W. Oscar Stevens, who has been connected with the Hotel Phair for some years, closing a lease for the property and will taken possession tomorrow. Under the management of Charles Prosser the Waverley prospered and attained an excellent reputation. Under Mr. Stevens the house is certain to forge ahead more rapidly than ever.

Mr. Stevens, the new lessee of the Waverley came to Nelson a couple of years ago, since when he has made a host of friends without losing one. For the past year he has been the proprietor of the Phair news stand, and conducted the business with enterprise and tact. His experience in the hotel business is extensive and patrons of the Waverley will be looked after by a thoroughly up to date and enterprising young hotel man.

Within the present year the hotel Waverley has been substantialy enlarged and improved at an expenditure of $11,500. The house contains 40 comfortable rooms newly carpeted and decorated. The dining room, office, billiard room, heating apparatus and conveniences are thoroughly modern. The cuisine has engaged an excellent reputation and it is safe to predict that in this and all other respects the Waverley will be a success under the new regime. Further improvements to the office and billiard room are contemplated at once.

Mr. Stevens will be found after today in his new quarters at the Waverley.

University Representation.

LONDON, May 3.—Sir John Batty Tuke, vice-president of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, has been elected to represent the universities of Edinburgh and St. Andrews in the house of commons without opposition. James M. Barrie, the novelist, having decided not to contest the seat.

Presents From China.

BERLIN, May 3.—The semi-official Gazette published today the following: "The Chinese minister has received a telegram to the effect that the dowager empress and the emperor are sending congratulatory letters and a present on the occasion of the crown prince's birthday."

Count to Be Extradited.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The British ambassador has applied to the state department for the extradition of count Lautrec, who is under arrest at Chicago on a charge of passing bogus checks in Canada.

Relief Bill Passed.

OTTAWA, May 3.—[Special to The Tribune.]—The bill granting $100,000 to the fire relief fund passed the senate today and now awaits the assent of his excellency, the governor-general.

The Maine Goes Back Again.

LONDON, May 3.—The American hospital ship Maine after having been inspected by lady Randolph Churchill and others of the committee sailed from Southampton for the Cape today.

LADIES' PARASOLS

We just expected such weather as this when we bought these Parasols. That's one reason why we have so many and having such a quantity is why we sell them so cheap.

Of course you'll need one and this store stands ready to supply your needs. Just see these prices, then come and see the goods.

Ladies' Black Silk Parasols at $1, $1.25, $1.75, and up to $4.50 each. Ladies' White Silk Parasols at $3 and $4 each. Ladies' Fancy Colored Parasols at $4, $4.50, and up to $10 each. Children's Silk Parasols in Stripes and Plain Colors at $1.50 each.

Kerr & Co.

Agents for Standard Patterns. Madden Block, Baker Street

Clothing Sale

Here are some very special attractions offered for today's traders at our store

Great Suit Sale at especially low prices.
Nobby All-wool Suits Elegant Black and Blue Serge Suits
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New things in Shirts New things in Ties
New thiugs in Hats New things in Underwear
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Headquarters for Portland Cement, Fire Bricks,

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Kootenay Agent

R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd., Victoria

Roberts'

Army is discarding the Khaki Suits for something more seasonable for the Fall. Why don't you follow suit and place your order for one of our stylish spring or summer suits. We have all the latest patterns in Spring and Summer Suitings to fit you out. Don't order before you call and see

H. M. VINCENT

Merchant Tailor

BAKER STREET NELSON

We have sold 75 per cent of all the

Portland Cement
Fire Brick and
Fire Clay

Used in Kootenay.

We also handle

Steel Mining Rails,
Blacksmith's Coal, Sewer Pipe, Etc.

H. J. EVANS & CO.

NELSON, B. C.

The Tribune.

In this issue THE TRIBUNE publishes the names of 489 electors whom the managers of candidate Fletcher's campaign are seeking to disfranchise. Candidate Fletcher is the nominee of the Conservative party and the machinery of the Conservative party is being used to secure his election. During the past two weeks some 550 applications have been filed with the collector of votes to be placed upon the voters' list. The applications came chiefly from members of the different labor unions, and as the Conservative managers were convinced that their candidate could not rely upon the support of labor sympathizers they found creatures who permitted the use of their names upon which to enter the objections to 489 electors. The men who do the dirty work for the Conservative party in Nelson did not enter a protest against any name entered upon the voters' list, because in this event the electors so challenged would have a chance to be heard and the formal objections to their right to vote would be easily disposed of. Instead of this the Conservative party's managers seek to take advantage of a technicality in the Elections Act, and have protested every application to vote which has been made by labor sympathizers and which has not been posted a sufficient time to be placed upon the voters' list. There is one way in which the electors so unjustly dealt with may hope to defeat the scheme of candidate Fletcher's campaign managers and this is to file at once a declaration that they are duly qualified voters and that they have complied with all the requirements of the Elections Act. For the convenience of the voters whom it is sought to disfranchise, the services of a commissioner for taking oaths may be had at THE TRIBUNE offices after 12 o'clock noon today. Voters should attend to this matter without delay, as the court of revision will be held on Monday morning next.

Two prominent members of the Nelson Conservative Association, while disclaiming all personal knowledge of the attempt of the association to disfranchise close on to five hundred British subjects, said that the association should not be blamed for the wrong-doing of four individuals. One of the two went as far as to say that the effect of this unscrupulous work would have no bearing on the next Dominion election in this province, as the Conservative party is already hopelessly beaten.

Roberts' Kindliness.

The following is taken from the first number of the Daily Friend of Bloemfontein, published by the war correspondents in South Africa, and shows lord Roberts' kindliness:

"We have been requested to publish the following telegram from the military secretary to G. O. C. line of communication, Cape Town:

"'Please release Dolf Johannes Kleyngeld of Klip Drift farm, a prisoner of war of Boshof commando. His field cornet's name is Jan Terfontein. Give Kleyngeld a free pass to his home and ticket to Kimberley. Field marshall has consented to his release on parole at the personal request of his wife, who came to Headquarter Camp.'

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McDonald, Donald, Nelson, lineman
Nelson, George, Nelson, stonecutter
McLaughlan, John, Nelson, laborer
McKay, John, Nelson, brakeman
McDonald, John Duncan, Nelson, foreman
McBeath, William Harvey, Nelson, laborer
McIntosh, John James, Nelson, miner
McLayden, Daniel, Nelson, deckhand
McLean, Robert, Nelson, blacksmith
McBride, John, Nelson, laborer
McDonough, William, Nelson, cigarmaker
McLean, J. Alvin, Nelson, laborer
McLeod, John, Nelson, miner
Oberton, Elzeor, Nelson, laborer
Oberton, Fred, Nelson, miner
Olheiser, Frank, Nelson, shoemaker
O'Kelly, Anthony Dudley, Nelson, laborer
Price, Henry, Nelson, deckhand
Prevot, Felix, Nelson, laborer
Parr, Alfred, Ymir, miner
Rowley, Sandford, Nelson, laborer
Rock, Thomas, Nelson, miner
Roach, Nicholas, Nelson, blacksmith
Rochon, Joseph, Nelson, teamster
Rahal, Phillip, Nelson, blacksmith
Rioux, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Smith, John W., Nelson, laborer
Stewart, Angus, Nelson, laborer
Salisbury, William, Nelson, miner
Sinclair, William Lindsay, Nelson, bookkeeper
Thompson, John Henry, Nelson, laborer
Young, John, Nelson, laborer
Young, William, Nelson, laborer
Weeks, Bert, Nelson, plumber
Weeks, Thomas Albert, Nelson, laborer
Zelazny, Albert, Nelson, cigarmaker
Zinn, Albert E. W., Nelson, laborer
Armstrong, Richard, Nelson, miner
Antler, Mercer, Athabasca mine, miner
Bennett, Walter, Nelson, butcher
Beaton, Norman Christre, Nelson, miner
Bloomfield, Frederick, Nelson, teamster
Brisbois, Samuel, Nelson, miner
Burns, Patrick, Nelson, laborer
Brooks, Hiram Albert, Nelson, miner
Balomgren, Charles, Nelson, laborer
Burns, James Harry, Nelson, miner
Belanger, Joseph, Sirdar, brakeman
Burns, John, Nelson, laborer
Barrett, Stephen, Sirdar, stonecutter
Crossfield, Walter Harold, Nelson, laborer
Cameron, John Barclay, Nelson, clerk
Cochrane, James, Nelson, miner
Currie, Archibald, Nelson, carpenter
Currie, Archibald, Nelson, contractor
Clark, Samuel, Nelson, laborer
Dunn, Charles, Nelson, laborer
Desmond, Charles, Ymir, miner
Dent, Charles, Nelson, miner
Duffy, Anthony, Sirdar, miner
Emslie, Andrew, Nelson, laborer
Ellis, William, Edward, Nelson, insurance agent
Gillie, Samuel, Nelson, laborer
Gignac, Edward, Nelson, laborer
Gomgen, John, Nelson, laborer
Green, Jacob, Nelson, painter
Holden, Isaac, Nelson, horseshoeer
Henderson, Robert, Nelson, engineer
Hardy, James Thomas, Nelson, policeman
Hyland, Thomas, Athabasca mill, cook
Haskins, Edward, Sirdar, cook
Harrigan, Peter, Nelson, laborer
Huffman, Isaac James, Nelson, barber
Hunter, George Graham, Nelson, carpenter
Jackman, James, Nelson, miner
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McPhee, Charles, Nelson, railwayman
Cummins, R. Edwin, Nelson, telegrapher
McMahon, Robert, Nelson, barber
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Pelletier, John, Ymir, miner
Pfeiffer, William Alvin, Nelson, carpenter
Robichane, Peter, Creston, cook
Rheaume, Arthur, Creston, laborer
Tizo, James A., Creston, miner.
Young, Henry, Ymir, minister
Forde, Thomas, Nelson, laborer
Rodenberg, Begin Henry, Nelson, miner
Armstrong, John George, Nelson, laborer
Anderson, James Augustus, Nelson, laborer
Archambault, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Bennett, John, Nelson, carpenter
Beck, Gustaz, Nelson, laborer
Burkholder, Francis Herbert, Nelson, plumber
Dresnahan, John, Nelson, miner
Barron, Ezra, Nelson, miner
Burton, Thomas, Nelson, miner
Binette, Napoleon, Nelson, laborer
Bartlett, John, Nelson, bridge carpenter
Brennan, Moses, Nelson, miner
Bobier, George, Nelson, laborer
Brewster, Robert, Procter, laborer
Beamish, Benjamin, Nelson, cook
Burgess, Stewart, Nelson, cook
Bell, Claude, Nelson, cook
Beleck, Fred, Five-mile point, laborer
Chrisholden, Peter, Nelson, bridge carpenter
Corrin, James, Nelson, laborer
Crozier, George, Procter, bridgeman
Cordiner, Alexander, Nelson, laborer
Rollands, Daniel R., Nelson, bookkeeper
Campbell, John, Nelson, laborer
Diode, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Dagenais, Louis, Nelson, blacksmith
Davies, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Davis, James Robert, Nelson, laborer
Evans, Harry, Nelson, laborer
Allan, James, Nelson, laborer
Atkinson, James Lewis, Nelson, laborer
Cameron, Donald S., Nelson, teamster
Davies, Thomas James, Nelson, miner
Dupuis, Renie, Nelson, steamboat mate
Fortier, Michel, Nelson, laborer
Fraser, Duncan Alexander, Nelson, bridgeman
Gillett, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Grahame, Ralph, Nelson, miner
Greenlees, William, Procter, bridgeman
Gagnon, Louis, Nelson, miner
Gibbons, James, Nelson, laborer
Hawe, James, Nelson, laborer
Hurst, Charles, Nelson, laborer
Hardy, John, Nelson, laborer
Hudson, Harold Edmond, Nelson, laborer
Hatton, John, Nelson, miner
Allan, John, Nelson, teamster
Joyce, John, Nelson, bridge carpenter
Jones, Robert Wallace, Nelson, miner
Joynt, Samuel, Procter, laborer
Keating, William, Nelson, laborer
Keating, John, Nelson, laborer
Kaulbock, George, Nelson, teamster
Lind, Benjamin, Nelson, laborer
Lee, Robert, Hall, miner
Lewis, James, Nelson, laborer
Lomprey, J. Max., Nelson, miner
Lanyon, Reginald Edward, Nelson, railway clerk
Lacroix, John, Nelson, laborer
Luft, John, Nelson, miner
Lee, John Miles, Procter, miner
Lonsdale, Thomas, Nelson, laborer
Maloney, Barney, Nelson, laborer
Mabbatt, Joseph James, Nelson, laborer
Madden, Edward, Nelson, laborer
Mack, James, Nelson, laborer
Murray, David, Nelson, miner
Montroy, George, Nelson, teamster
Miller, Thomas, Nelson, cook
Moore, Lewis, Nelson, laborer
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McRobie, Arthur, Nelson, barber
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McDonald, Roderick Archibald, Stewart's Camp No. 2, bridgeman
McLennan, Archibald, Nelson, laborer
McKenzie, Alexander, Nelson, miner
McNeill, Thomas, Nelson, miner
McDonald, Alexander David, Nelson, miner
McKinnon, Angus, Nelson, miner
McGregor, Alexander, Nine-mile Point, hotelkeeper
McKinley, James Henry, Nelson, laborer
McKinley, Thomas A., Nelson, laborer
McSherry, Nelson, butcher
Nadan, Vital, Nelson, laborer
O'Connor, Daniel, Nelson, cook
O'Brien, William Doyle, Nelson, timekeeper
Pare, Edward, Nelson, laborer
Plant, Louis, Nelson, laborer
Pratt, Orley, Nelson, laborer
Quick, Michael, Nelson, laborer
Robidoux, Julian, Nelson, laborer
Riley, Joseph, Nelson, laborer
Rankin, William Roulston, Nelson, laborer
Rice, Daniel, Nelson, timberman
Rankin, Donald Arthur, Procter, timber inspector
Reagan, John Michael, Nelson, stonemason
Simpson, Robert John, Procter, waiter
Soderstrom, Hanning, Nelson, laborer
St. Luc, Peter, Nelson, laborer
Sullivan, Dennis, Nelson, laborer
Sinnott, John, Nelson, laborer
Smith, Samuel Robert, Nelson, laborer
Shellington, Charles, Nelson, cook
Stewart, Alexander, Nelson, bridge carpenter
Shea, Joseph, Nelson, bridgeman
St. Jean, Paul, Nelson, teamster
Smythe, James, Five-mile Point, cook
Thompson, Joseph, Nelson, cook
Tobin, William, Nelson, cook
Trahan, Henri, Nelson, laborer
Wren, James, Nelson, laborer
White, James, Nelson, laborer
Whiteside, Benjamin, Procter laborer
Walsh, Thomas, Procter, cook
Wood, Robert, Nelson, quarryman
Wade, Phillip, Nelson, teamster
Wilks, James, Nelson, laborer
Willingham, Harry, Nelson, teamster
Whitlock, Alfred, Nelson, cook
Weldon, John, Nelson, miner
Waddington, Francis James, Nelson, engineer
Watson, Alexander, Stewart's Camp No. 2, laborer
Zimmerman, Joseph, Nelson, bartender
Asselin, Joseph, Nelson, miner
Bruce, Peter, Nelson, baker
Chambers, Robert, Nelson, baker
Campbell, Kenneth, Nelson, laborer
Delawar, John P., Nelson, miner
Ebbs, William, Nelson, shoemaker
Farnsworth, Abraham, Nelson, laborer
Forestell, John Phillip, Nelson, cook
Fryer, Edmond George, Nelson, cook
Harry, William J., Nelson, teamster
Harman, Howard, Nelson, teamster
Keogh, Colmar, Nelson, laborer
Loudin, Fred Livingstone, Nelson, miner
Murray, Charles Francis, Nelson, waiter
Meyer, Ernest, Nelson, clerk
Mooney, Thomas, Nelson, laborer
Monroe, Norman Stewart, Nelson, contractor
Matheson, John, Nelson, blacksmith
Miller, Ben, Nelson, miner
McDonald, George, Nelson, teamster
McKay, John Dougherty, Nelson, plumber
McDonald, Hugh, Nelson, laborer
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McRae, John F., Nelson, fireman
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BLOEMFONTEIN.

A special correspondent of the Montreal Herald gives the following sketch of the capital of the Orange Free State.

Bloemfontein has the air of a busy place. The streets are crowded with soldiers, army wagons and horses, moving and crowding all day long. The shops are pretty well depleted, as no fresh suppiles have come in for five months or since the war began. The price of all articles is extravagantly high. But the military governor is trying to prevent extortion by fixing the maximum price of all articles of food, but competition among corps is so great there is little doubt but that higher prices are paid for many articles. Flour is one pound per 100 pounds; bread, three pence halfpenny per pound; sugar, four pounds ten shillings per 100 pounds; eggs, two shillings per dozen; butter, two shillings per pound, etc.

Lord Roberts, who has taken up his quarters in Government House, or, as it is called here, the Presidency, is rather comfortable.

The Presidency is a large, handsome, well-furnished building, larger and better than any government house in Canada. The furniture is costly and handsome. But this magnificent, large government house occupied by the president and his family, strange as it may appear, does not possess a single bath.

This is the more strange, as there are waterworks in the city and water is laid on to the house.

The parliament buildings, government offices and in fact all buildings here have a squatty appearance, as they seldom rise above one storey in height. They are, however, well and substantially built, and present an air of durability that is lacking elsewhere in some parts of South Africa.

All business here is done in English; in fact it is the common language spoken by all white people. The shops are owned by English people and the professional class is almost altogether English.

The manner in which the news of the capture of Bloemfontein reached the outside world will be of some interest. The telegraph line to the south was cut by the Boers; to the west the field telegraph was useless, as it had broken down.

Notwithstanding this, London readers had a full account of the surrender on the second day after the capitulation. The distance from Bloemfontein to Kimberley is about 100 miles.

Three despatch riders set out from Bloemfontein during the evening of Tuesday or the earliest dawn of Wednesday. One was for the London Times, a second for Reuter's Agency and the third for the Daily Mail, London, England. Out from the city the despatch riders went, making their way in the darkness or in the dawn over the red slushing tracks that had suffered the steady downpour of the night's rain. The breakdown of a horse meant a delay that might be reckoned in days or hours.

The Times rider met with disaster early. The horse he rode fell, causing a delay in reaching the next station.

The Daily Mail rider was still more unfortunate. In the dim light of dawn he rode against a barbed wire fence, and so terribly lacerated his horse's legs that further riding was out of the question.

Binding up his scratches, he found himself compelled to walk back thirty-five miles to Bloemfontein, unable to ride.

So the Times and Reuter's agency, each armed with duplicate despatches from the commander-in-chief, were left to compete in the race for Kimberley.

In the afternoon, Wednesday, bullets whistled past the riders as they hurried on. Time was precious, and the riders urged their horses with all speed. Reuter's rider came in first, covering the entire distance on three horses in twenty hours and twenty minutes, which is a record that has not been excelled. The Times rider came in several hours later. The enormous expense of forwarding war news in this manner can only be borne by press associations or newspapers like the London Times.

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LAND NOTICE.

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JOHN LAIDLAW.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 3rd day of April, 1900.

LAND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that after one month I will make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land in the District of West Kootenay, in the Province of British Columbia, situated on the west side of Kootenay lake, on Boulder creek, about two miles south of Balfour. Commencing at Initial Post marked "John Burk, N. E. Corner," thence west sixty-four chains; thence south twenty-five chains, thence east sixty-four chains, thence north twenty-five chains to the Initial Post.

JOHN BURK.

Dated at Nelson this 7th day of April, 1900.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the first meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Nelson held thirty days after the date hereof, for leave to transfer the license now held by me for a saloon known as the Athabasca saloon, situate on the southeast corner of Baker and Kootenay streets, Nelson, B. C., being on lot 1, block 12, in Nelson aforesaid, to Patrick J. Russell, in trust for the Athabasca Hotel Company, Limited.

Witness, P. E. WITSON. JAS. NEELANDS.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1900.

NOTICE.

The members of the Cooks' and Waiters' Union will meet at Union Hall on Thursday, April 26th at 8 p.m. A good attendance is requested.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

The Nelson plumbers, gas and steam fitters' union meets every second and fourth Friday at the Miners' Union hall at 8 p.m.

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MANAGER

Corporation City of Nelson

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W. E. WASSON, Acting City Clerk.

Nelson, April 26th, 1900.

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FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

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

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Nelson Lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias, meets in I. O. O. F. Hall, corner Baker and Kootenay streets, every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting Knights cordially invited to attend. R. G. Joy, K. of R. & S. Leonard Scott, C. C.

NELSON L. O. L., No. 1632, meets in I. O. O. F. Hall, corner Baker and Kootenay streets, 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. Visiting brethern cordially invited. R. Robinson, W. M. W. Crawford, Recording Secretary.

NELSON ÆRIE, Number 22, Fraternal Order of Eagles, meets every second and fourth Wednesday in each month in Fraternity Hall. Visiting brethren welcome. W. Gosnell, President. Charles Prosser, Secretary.

TRADES UNIONS.

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. M. R. Mowatt, President. James Wilkes, Secretary.

NELSON PAINTERS' UNION—The regular meeting of the Painters' Union is held every Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the Painters' Union hall, behind the Clarke hotel. T. O. Skatho, president. Alfred Turner, 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. G. J. Thorpe, President. J. H. Matheson, Secretary.

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. R. Robinson, President. James Colling, Secretary.

BARBERS' UNION.—Nelson Union, No. 196, of the International Journeymen Barber's Union of America, meets every first and third Monday of each month in Miner's Union Hall, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets, at 8:30 p.m. sharp. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. J. H. Matheson, President. W. S. Belville, Secretary.

LABORERS' UNION.—Nelson Laborers' Protective Union, No. 8121, A. F. of L., meets in Miners' Union Hall, northeast corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets, on the first and third Monday of each month, at 8 p.m. sharp. Visiting members of the American Federation cordially invited to attend. John Mullen, President. Percy Shakelton, Secretary.

CIGAR MAKERS' UNION meets 1st Tuesday in every month in the W. F. M. hall. Executive board meets every Saturday.

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CITY LOCAL NEWS

Judge Forin held chambers at the court house yesterday and disposed of a number of routine legal matters.

The C. P. R. has settled with the Victoria authorities and the embargo on the lumber, poles and ties along the Crow's Nest road was removed yesterday. J. R. Martin, timber inspector, received telegraphic instructions and immediately released the stock under seizure.

The gun club has elevated its traps on the flats at the foot of Stanley street so that it will be possible to shoot there for a week or two longer. The club will move to Fairview park as soon as arrangements are completed for their accommodation.

The trail to the Molly Gibson mine has become so soft that the temporary shutdown foreshadowed in THE TRIBUNE recently has come about. It became impossible to get provisions over the trail and the staff of thirty men was compelled to come down the hill. Manager Maguire hopes to resume work within three weeks. A surveyor laid out a line this week for the tramway which is to be built at an estimated cost of $20,000.

The most recent list of wounded from the Canadian contingent in South Africa contains the name of R. R. Foster, brother of Sid Foster of Nelson. Private Weir, late of the Queen's Own, Toronto, is critically ill with fever at Netley hospital. He is a brother of R. A. Weir of the local C. P. R. staff.

The lacrosse club's first practice on Sunday morning will, it is hoped, bring out a good representation of the Nelson stickholders. Among the men included in the management's string of players are the following: C. Frost, goal; Joe Thompson, C. D. Blackwood, Harry Howden and Dan McNichol, defence; Barney Archibald, Eugene McNichol, A. Perrier, Jack Fox, Fred Johnston, Charles Jeffs and Dave Rutherford, home. In addition there are several new players who are thought to be fast men.

The suit of McKie vs. Phillips may possibly be tried here next week. It is an adverse action in respect to the Surprise mineral claim, situated on the St. Mery's river. Macdonald & Johnson are acting for the plaintiff and Taylor & Hannington for the defence.

W. Cameron of Kerr & Co.'s establishment is leaving for Vancouver to assume a position there. He is a fast lacrosse player and was counted as a desirable addition to the Nelson team's home line.

The Nelson fire brigade is corresponding with the Kaslo celebration committee to ascertain what prizes are being offered for the hose reel race on the queen's birthday. If the purse is liberal enough to make the game worth the candle a fast team will enter the competition with George Steele as captain.

A letter has been received from Harry Winfield, who went out with the second Canadian contingent, dated Van Wyks Vlei, March 22nd. Tom Brown and Eaton are in his troop and are well, as he is himself. His troop is making a flying trip through the disaffected districts, and they are anxiously awaiting a chance at the Boers.

E. P. Whalley has handed THE TRIBUNE a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the entertainment recently got up by him in aid of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The receipts amounted to $163.25 and the disbursements to $78.35, leaving a balance of $84.90, which was placed to the credit of the fund. Mr. Whalley wishes to extend his thanks to all those who so kindly assisted in making the entertainment a success.

The rifle company turned out for drill in fair strength last night. Lieutenant Beer marched the corps to the recreation grounds, where the company had a rattling drill in extended order and practical service work. It is now a question whether the company will take their Maxim gun to Kaslo on the queen's birthday, but it is probable that the boys will take the quick firer along.

The manager of the Blair college ball team at Spokane has written the local baseball magnates to secure a game for the 26th inst. The Blair team plays at Rossland on the queen's birthday, and say they would rather visit Nelson than any other point in the province, promising to avoid "stage fright" if a match is secured. The local management will close the date if enough enthusiasts can be found to guarantee the expenses.

C. W. West, Mike Scully and the Nelson Transfer Company donated teams yesterday to help out the baseball club in improving the recreation grounds. The three teams tackled the rising ground on the upper side of the park and removed a considerable quantity to the lower side. A marked improvement was made, and when the proposed changes are complete Nelson's ball grounds will be first-class in every respect.

The Nelson Municipal Band has been engaged to head the Nelson Rifles, the uniformed Knights of Pythias and the Nelson firemen in the queen's birthday parade at Kaslo.

The civil list for the assizes which open on Tuesday will be very light. The peremptory list includes McMillan vs Sandilands and Bigelow vs LaBau. The first action is brought by McMillan, formerly of the firm of Crawford & McMillan late of Sandon, for an accounting from Sandilands and the successors of the assigned estate, Macdonald & Johnson for plaintiff, F. L. Christie for defendant. Taylor & Hannington for defendants J. W. Peck and other creditors. In Bigelow vs LaBau, Elliott & Lennie will appear for plaintiff, and Galliher & Wilson for defendant.

The auction sale of sawmill property at Rykert took place yesterday, but no transfer was made as the upset price of $890 was not reached.

At 7:30 o'clock last night the fire brigade was called to the residence of J. C. T. Crofts, Observatory street, where an electric wire had caused a trifling fire. The family had stamped out the trouble with pails of water when the department arrived and their assistance was not required. The brigade made a fast run to the fire.

P. Burns & Co. are now comfortably located in their new store in the Burns block, and Kirkpatrick & Wilson are preparing to move into the old stand. When the latter firm are installed in the old Burns premises their present building will be torn down and the excavations for the new brick block pushed ahead rapidly.

A number of residents of the Hume addition have been served with summonses to attend at the sitting of the supreme court on the 11th inst., when application will be made by the townsite company for an order to resurvey the townsite. The error in laying out the plan was not in the survey of the blocks, but in the division of the blocks into lots, hence a number of owners assert that they will be put to serious loss and great inconvenience if the application is granted. Macdonald & Johnson will appear for the townsite company and Taylor & Hannington for the owners of lots.

The upper deck of the big slip at Procter has been successfully sunk. The operation was somewhat delicate, but the contractors were fortunate in making it a success on the first trial. The deck, which consisted of 100 feet of ties, stringers and rails, was towed out and fied up just over the piles which were to support it 13 feet under water. About 300 tons of stone were used to submerge the outfit. When low water comes again the stone can be removed and the deck spiked down.

During the week a number of new instruments have been received for the members of the Municipal Band, which promises to be one of Nelson's most efficient and enterprising musical organizations. The instrumentation is as follows: Herr Steiner, conductor; F. Coggon, Sid. Foster, A. Perrier, cornets; R. Lappy, D. Wambold, J. Ferguson, clarinets; C. Hauser, L. Ridley, altos; T. Johnston, E. O. Chandler, trombones; E. L. Otis, solo buritone; Charles Dake, tuba; T. A. Mills and D. McCaig, drums. The band surprised its friends by the quality of their music on Wednesday night and a treat is undoubtedly in store for citizens when they have had a few weeks extra practice.

E. E. Vincent, who is in the city representing the Calgary Brewing Company, received a telegraphic message yesterday conveying the news of the death of his mother at Calgary.

Thomas Madden received word yesterday morning of the death of his mother. The blow was unexpected, as no word had been received of her illness. Mrs. Madden was a native of Valcartier, Quebec, and was 74 years of age. Of her children, five sons and two daughters reside in Kootenay, namely, Thomas, Martin, Robert, John and James, and Mrs. Labbe and Mrs. Levesque.

Yesterday mayor Houston received two copies of the daily edition of "The Friend" of Bloemfontein, Orange Free State, dated March 15th and 16th, from captain A. E. Hodgins of Nelson, who is at the front with the first regiment of Canadians. The papers will be placed among the other art treasures which the mayor has stowed away.

Having Purchased the Business

Of Fred J. Squire, merchant tailor, Nelson, I intend to continue the business so as to keep the patronage of all Mr. Squire's old patrons and get a share of the general trade. I am now prepared to show the latest styles in all lines of spring goods. A special line on hand at $25 per suit. All other lines at low rates. None but Union labor employed.

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Harry Haley has applied for a divorce, and legal proceedings will shortly be instituted.

Wanted—At once a cook for a small crew of men in a boarding car. Apply J. P. Manhart, C. P. R. station, Nelson.

Furnished house wanted immediately; seven rooms and bathroom. Address J. G., Post office, Nelson.

Hack calls left at the Pacific Transfer barn on Vernon street. Telephone call 35.

For Sale.—One-third interest in Mineral Claim near Ymir, for $100, money to be expended in development. Apply to Alex Stewart, Turner & Boeckh block, Nelson.

For sale—the north half of block 100, Nelson. Address P. O. Box 572, Nelson.

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PROVINCIAL PARTY CONVENTION

The electors of the Nelson Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District, who support the Provincial Party are requested to elect delegates to a nominating convention, to be held at Knights of Pythias Hall, Nelson, on Saturday, May 12th, 1900, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., representation in the convention to be as follows:

	Delegates.
Waneta	1
Erie	2
Salmo	2
Ymir	6
Hall's Siding	1
Porto Rico	1
Nelson	25
Procter	3
Kuskonook	2
Sirdar	1
Creston	3
Kitchener	1
Rykert's	2

Delegates-elect, if unable to attend the convention, shall have the privilege of appointing proxies. Credentials must be signed by the chairman and secretary of the meeting at which they are elected, or if elected at a primary election by the judge and clerk of such election. Delegates must be registered voters.

DAVID McBEATH,
Chairman Provincial Party, Nelson Riding.
FRED STARKEY,
Secretary Provincial Party, Nelson Riding.
Nelson, April 25th, 1900.

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION.

A primary election will be held at Nelson on Thursday, May 10th, between the hours of 2 and 8:30 o'clock p.m., to elect twenty-five delegates to attend the nominating convention of the Provincial Party for the Nelson Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District. Polling place, store in Victoria block fronting on Josephine street. All registered voters who are supporters of the Provincial Party shall have the privilege of voting.

DAVID McBEATH, Chairman.
FRED STARKEY, Secretary.
Nelson, April 25th, 1900.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

A special meeting of the Nelson Trades and Labor Council will be held at Miners' Union Hall, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock p.m., sharp, for the purpose of considering the final report of the arbitration committee on the grievance between the Painters' Union and a certain firm of master painters in this city. All delegates, especially carpenters, stonemasons, laborers and plumbers are urgently requested to be present.

By order JAMES THORPE, President.
J. H. MATHESON, Secretary.

Corporation of the City of Nelson

COURT OF REVISION.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision of the City of Nelson, for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment for the year 1900 will be held in the city hall, Nelson, on Monday, June 4th 1900, at 10 o'clock a.m.

W. E. WASSON,
Acting Clerk.

Nelson, May 1st, 1900

ATTENTION, MINERS!

Drilling contest: one down hole, for purse of one hundred and fifty dollars, Kaslo, May 25th. Entries close May 17th. For particulars address,

W. J. DAVENPORT,
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We know that our values cannot be equalled by any other house in Nelson. We are so sure of this that we will give money back if it cannot be proven.

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