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SAYS HOWARD SHOT GOEBEL

Some Sensational Testimony.

FRANKFORT, Kentucky, September 19.—The first really sensational testimony in the trial of James Howard, charged with having fired the shot that killed William Goebel, was given by Bowman Gaines, a local liveryman, and James Stubblefield, former deputy sheriff of Clay county. The former identified Howard as the man who ran out from the state-house grounds and jumped over the fence after the shooting. The witness was positive in his identification, as the man wore a moustache, and was followed by a tall man. A boy near by at the time will also corroborate Gaines' statement.

The most sensational witness, however, and at the same time the most important witness from the prosecution's standpoint, was James Stubblefield, a one-legged and one-armed ex-deputy sheriff of Clay county. Stubblefield testified that Howard exultantly told him he fired the shot that took Goebel's life. Stubblefield lost his limbs as a result of the Clay county feud last year. His testimony in detail was that Howard stopped at his house in February, shortly after the shooting. Shortly after he came in Stubblefield said that he remarked to Howard: "Jim, you all have been having trouble down at Frankfort."

"Yes," responded Howard, according to the witness. "We have raised hell and cleaned the platter," and added: "I never sight down my gun barrel but what I get meat or money, and this time I got both." The witness says Howard was again at his house several days later, and he asked him what he meant by his former remark. Howard responded: "By God, I meant just what I said."

Witness said he then pressed him, putting the direct question: "Jim, do you mean to say you killed Goebel?" Howard, he says, responded in the affirmative, and said he believed his mountain friends would stand by him, and that 500 men could not take him to Frankfort for trial.

Stubblefield said he did not tell the story of Howard's confession to him until he heard that Howard and his friends were planning to kill him. The defense subjected the witness to a severe cross-examination, but failed to tangle him to any extent.

VILJOEN NOW IN COMMAND

Of the Boer Army.

SPRITZKOP, September 18.—General Viljoen, who succeeded Louis Botha in the supreme command of the Transvaal forces, is reported to be moving northward in the direction of Hectorspruit, with 3000 men and 30 guns. He is known as the "Fire Brand," and will endeavor to protect the war.

New York, September 19.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: A large part of the Rustenberg commando has surrendered and there are reports that commandant Botha has given himself up.

The Mail's correspondent in Maritzburg says it is stated that lord Roberts is expected to leave Pretoria for England about October 3rd.

New German Liner Arrives.

New York, September 19.—The new steamer Princess Irene, the latest addition to the fleet of the North German Lloyd line, arrived in port today from Bremen via Cherbourg. The Princess Irene was built by the Vulcan Company at Stettin. During the voyage the Princess Irene experienced very heavy weather. On September 13th and 14th she experienced a hurricane from southwest to northwest, with a heavy sea. For twelve hours the wind blew with cyclonic fury. She is commanded by captain Wetin, formerly chief commander of the company's steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II.

Salisbury Sent No Note.

LONDON, September 19.—The British foreign office informs the Associated Press that no reply has yet been sent to the German note. Referring to the alleged telegram of lord Salisbury to Li Hung Chang, outlined apparently by the

Shang-Hai correspondent of the Daily Express, the foreign office officials say the British premier has not sent any message to Li Hung Chang. It is pointed out at the foreign office here that the Washington press messages, averring that the British and the Japanese governments have already announced their support of the German policy in China, are unfounded, so far as Great Britain is concerned.

TRYING TO FORCE MATTERS

In Chinese Negotiations.

WASHINGTON, September 19.—With the German proposition to postpone peace negotiations with China until the persons responsible for the Peking outrages are punished, and the French and Russian notification of the purpose of these governments to begin such negotiations at once, awaiting him, the president found much matter of importance to dispose of upon his arrival in Washington for Canton this morning. He lost no time in notifying the officials he desired to consult on his return and the day was largely given up to private discussions.

Although it was stated that no answer would be ready to the German note today, it appeared that the president, after talking over the situation with attorney general Griggs, acting secretary Hill and assistant secretary Adee, had arrived at a conclusion as to the nature of the response that should be made. Mr. Adee spent the afternoon consulting acting secretary Hill and in drafting the note of response, but all information as to its nature was refused at the state department. It was said that the note is to be gone over carefully at a further meeting between the president and such of his advisers as are in the city.

The German government apparently is anxious for a speedy reply, as baron Sternberg paid two visits to the state department this afternoon after the German note was delivered. The Chinese minister also was twice at the state department today seeking to influence the government not to join in the action suggested in the German note. The conclusion reached from the day's developments is that the powers are dividing as to China, and at present Germany and Great Britain stand aligned against France and Russia, while both sides are ardently seeking the adherence of the United States government. The issue appears to be made up in such shape as to dismiss further hope of attaining that harmony of action respecting China that the president has been seeking so far, and the point apparently has been reached where the United States must take sides at once or proceed to be independent of the other powers in reaching a settlement. Thus far there has been a restraining force in the desire to avoid making the United States the first of the powers to break the silence that has been maintained up to the present time in dealing with China.

Concession Holders on Strike.

PARIS, September 19.—A large number of concession holders of the exposition, and proprietors of side-shows and restaurants, who are threatened with ruin, owing to, as they claim, the excessive demands of the authorities, and the failure of the latter to fulfill their original engagements, have announced their decision to close their establishments in a body tomorrow unless the authorities consent to submit their claims to an arbitration committee. M. Picard, director-general, has hitherto been inexorable, but in the face of the decision of the concessionaries, the execution of which would mean disaster to the Saturday fete which will be given at the exposition to 12,000 visiting mayors, after their banquet in the garden of the Tuilleries, M. Millerand, minister of commerce, has consented to the appointment of arbitrators. This is a victory for the concessionaries, who designated the strike prior to Saturday's fete in order to force the government's hands.

President Bangs Dead.

BOSTON, September 19.—E. D. Bangs, president of the Boston Stock Exchange, died at his home in Winchester, today, from the effects of a railway accident in which he was injured some time ago.

BIRDS EYE TO BE WORKED

Owners are Satisfied.

Work is to be resumed at once on the Birds Eye property. J. W. Wilson of London, father of the Wilson brothers, who have been operating the property, visited the mine yesterday. The decision regarding the resumption of work was arrived at last night.

Mr. Wilson remarked to a TRIBUNE reporter: "I am very much pleased with the Birds Eye and believe we have the makings of a mine there. Work will be recommenced without delay, and is to be continued until the property is thoroughly proved. We will start by sinking from the main tunnel, continuing the present shaft. The number of men to be employed on the start will be governed by circumstances, but when the shaft is completed a large crew can be utilized to advantage. The question of a mill for the property remains to be solved. If the Birds Eye turns out to be what we hope, a mill, and a good big one, will follow as a matter of course. The last assay from the property was \$42, and with ore in sufficient quantities, as we hope the winter's work will demonstrate, the Birds Eye should be one of Nelson's most important properties."

Captain Gifford, manager of the Silver King, was in the city yesterday. He states that the crew at the mine now numbers 50, the staff having been somewhat decreased pending the installation of the machinery ordered a few weeks ago. The first shipment of plant is due to arrive on October 10th, and the balance will be to hand before the end of October. Development is being carried on steadily, but no features of particular interest have developed.

W. H. Dowling left yesterday morning for Spokane, taking with him the mineral collection from the Nelson district for the Spokane fruit fair.

An unusually fine mineral specimen is on exhibition at Vanstone's drug store. It is from a claim near the Skyline at Ainsworth owned by J. Brush and is a dry ore containing chloride of silver, which is said to run 1300 ounces. The vein is only the width of the specimen, about six inches.

J. B. Old of Fire Valley is back from a six months' trip to his old home in Cornwall, England. He reports times very good in the tin mining districts of Cornwall, owing to the great demand for tin and the scarcity of that metal. The tin ore of Cornwall is low grade, but as tin seems to be a metal about as scarce as platinum, there is a fair profit now in working mines that fifteen years ago were abandoned. Mr. Old came to Nelson in 1891 and has real estate interests here and in Fire Valley and mining interests on Kettle river.

The construction of the Molly Gibson tramway is progressing rapidly, the majority of the standards being in position. The wagon road is in bad shape at various points and the government is being urged by settlers and parties owning property in the district to make repairs.

E. Rammelmeyer, superintendent of the Emily Edith, one of the coming great mines back of Silverton, Slocan district, has been in Nelson for a few days on a visit to his family. He leaves for the mine today.

All Favor Annexation.

LONDON, September 19.—An effect of the dissolution of parliament has been to elicit declarations from almost all the Liberal papers and politicians in favor of the policy of annexation in South Africa. The manifestos of the party leaders have not yet appeared, but as soon as they do appear, the speechmaking will begin, and the campaign will go forward furiously. It is asserted with an air of authority that lord Salisbury will again be premier, and that all the members of the present cabinet will be retained, unless defeated at the polls. This would make lord Salisbury's fourth premiership.

Steel Companies Combine.

PITTSBURG, September 19.—The American Sheet Steel Company and the Republic Iron & Steel Company have entered an arrangement by which the former withdraws from

the merchant trade and the latter from sheet production. In this deal the sheet company has secured the sheet mills of the Republic at Toledo, Ironton, Hazelton and Youngstown, Ohio, and Alexandria, Indiana, and will dismantle them along with three sheet mills at Shelton, Pennsylvania. The Republic gets the big bar mill of the Reeves plant at Canal Dover, Ohio, and will remove the machinery to its other mills.

WOULD SACRIFICE DUMMIES

Li Hung Chang's Trick.

BERLIN, September 19.—It is understood that the immediate cause for issuing Germany's circular note to the powers regarding the Chinese settlement was the fact that Li Hung Chang, during his recent interview with Dr. Munn von Schwartzstein, the German minister to China, mentioned a number of names of alleged high mandarins, hitherto wholly unknown, as those responsible for the Peking outrage, and said that China was willing to punish them. This explanation seems to be borne out by the following statement, which was made by the German foreign office today to the correspondent of the Associated Press in Berlin: "What we want to avoid is an opportunity for allowing China to impose any such concessions upon the powers by delivering up for punishment persons who had nothing to do with the Peking atrocities. Hence it is advisable for the representatives of the powers to designate beforehand all who are not guilty. Germany wishes to reach an agreement with the powers regarding the guilty and their punishment."

Sato, first secretary of the Japanese legation here, said today: "I think there will be no difficulty in getting the powers to agree on principle to the German proposition to punish the guilty. The real difficulty will be in deciding how high to go. If they decide to include prince Tuan they will find that the empress regent was back of him. Russia, in my opinion, will not now withdraw her troops from Peking, inasmuch as Germany and the other powers remain. She will decide that circumstances have changed and that she must remain also. Probably all the interested powers will agree to adopt the German proposition with the possible exception of Russia, who has hitherto carefully avoided mentioning the punishment of the guilty. Certainly the United States will adopt it."

The Lokal Anzeiger says "Mere notoriety does not suffice for the assumption of guilt. The ministers at Peking must produce proofs against each person charged."

The Berlin Post and the National Zeitung declare that the note proves that Germany does not wish excessive or unreasonable demands, but that she will insist upon the punishment of those really guilty as the only way in which China can be taught a lesson which she will not forget.

The Berliner Tageblatt remarks that the position of Germany will demonstrate whether any power does its special interests more important than the joint interests.

The Vossische Zeitung declares that Germany will not be satisfied with half measures.

The Borezen Zeitung contends that the foreign envoys in Peking cannot afford to place the empress regent and prince Tuan on the list, and must therefore be content with merely naming the actual anti-legation leaders.

The Nuaste Nachrichten demonstrates at length the necessity of punishing the real culprits.

Socialists Are Displeased.

MAINZ, Germany, September 19.—The Socialist congress today, after a heated discussion, adopted resolutions protesting strongly against Germany's course in China. Herr Scheenlank said the worst feature of the general political situation was the fact that Germany was now in the midst of absolutism with a mock chancellor and a mock reichstag.

Pig Iron Corner Collapsed.

LONDON, September 19.—The corner in Scotch pig iron has caved in. The price was maintained at 77s. for some time, and yesterday 77s. 3d cash was called. It collapsed today at 68s. There was a paucity of business throughout.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS BEGUN

By France and Russia.

WASHINGTON, September 19.—The first definite determination to begin peace negotiations with China seems to have been reached by the French and Russian governments, which has made known their purpose to proceed with negotiations with Li Hung Chang and prince Ching as soon as feasible. This will likely have an important influence on the present negotiations which are hinging to a considerable extent on the opening of peace negotiations. Within the last few days the United States minister at Paris, general Horace Porter, has been seen frequently at the office of the French minister of foreign affairs, M. Del Case, and it is understood that the sentiments of the most friendly accord have been exchanged between the two countries. As France is acting with Russia, this determination appears to remove any prospect of a modification of the Russo-France determination to withdraw from Peking. It also disposes of all questions as to the credentials of Li Hung Chang, and places France in a position of being ready to proceed on the credentials he has brought forward.

If it is the purpose of France and Russia to begin peace negotiations, it would follow that at least some of the great powers will not concur in the German note requiring the surrender of the chief Chinese ring-leaders, as an indispensable prerequisite to the opening of peace negotiations. The German note is based on the theory that no peace negotiations can go on until the Chinese malefactors are surrendered.

On the other hand the Franco-Russian attitude contemplates proceeding with the peace negotiations at the earliest feasible time, without attaching any indispensable condition as to the present surrender of the Chinese offenders. Whether there is any connection between the German note and the Franco-Russian conclusion to go on with the negotiations is purely conjecture, but it is probably significant that they came about the same time.

NEW YORK, September 19.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: "A German telegram from Shang-Hai states that troops are streaming to Tsi-nan-fu from the whole of China and that Tsi-nan-fu, which is about 800 miles southwest of Peking, is regarded as the permanent residence of the emperor."

HONG KONG, September 19.—It is reported in the West River district that the Chinese troops are visible in every town and they are actively drilling. A Chinese gunboat is again patrolling the river, and it is expected that some action is contemplated. The Sandpiper, which has been patrolling the delta, has proceeded to Canton.

Pittsburg Phil Quits Horses.

NEW YORK, September 19.—George E. Smith, "Pittsburg Phil," announces he has decided to sell all the horses he has in training, never again to own a racer. He is quoted as saying: "I find there is no profit for me in owning horses. I have to take very short prices against them and when I am interested in a horse in a race, why my judgment is anchored. More than that, I am compelled to take two to one against a horse when six to one would be more than a fair price. It is ruination."

Received with Honors.

HONG KONG, September 19.—The German steamer Sachsen, having on board field marshal count von Waldersee, commander-in-chief of the international forces in China, and his staff, have arrived here. The field marshal landed and was received by a guard of honor of British troops. He will this evening proceed to Shang-Hai and from there to Taku on board the German cruiser Hertha.

More Fighting in the Philippines.

MANILA, September 19.—In an engagement between a body of Filipinos, numbering about 1000 men, and detachments of the 15th and 37th United States infantry regiments, yesterday, the Americans had 12 men killed, 20 wounded and five missing.

Nevada Bank Robbed.

RENO, Nevada, September 19.—A Gazette special from Winne-

muca says the First National Bank of that city was robbed today at noon by three men. Horses were in waiting outside the bank. When the robbers completed their work, they mounted and started through the streets at top speed. Hundreds of citizens, alarmed by the shooting, rushed from their homes and drew the fire of the robbers, who escaped unhurt. It is not known how much booty was secured.

STRIKERS STILL CONFIDENT

Seventy Per Cent Affected.

HAZELTON, Pennsylvania, September 19.—The third day of the strike passed off as quietly as the two previous days. Beyond the occasional stoning of mine workers going to or from work, there has been no disorder. It was estimated tonight that about 70 per cent of the mine workers of this region were idle today, which is quite an increase over yesterday's figures. President Mitchell did not issue a formal statement tonight because of his absence from headquarters. He said, however, that from reports he had received, he figured on more than 120,000 men being idle in the anthracite district. He added that most gratifying reports were received. No negotiations for a settlement of the strike are yet in sight, and the situation in that respect is oppressively the same as it was yesterday.

The meeting this afternoon, at Jeddo, of the employees of G. B. Markle & Co., who operate the Jeddo, Elbervale, Highland and Okdale colliers, proved to be probably the most remarkable gathering of its kind ever held in the anthracite region. It was expected to be a heart to heart talk between John Markle, managing partner of the firm, and his employees, who number 2500, but it developed into a joint debate in which Mr. Markle, president Mitchell, reverend father Phillips, and national committee-man E. H. James took part. It began in a dignified manner, but generated into a hard argument, and wound up very close to personalities.

All was quiet in the entire coal fields today. Even the much advertised clash in the Lukens region of the Pennsylvania railway was side-tracked through the decision of the strikers that it would be unwise to march on the non-union men at Williamstown and force them to quit work. Nevertheless there were fewer men at work today than yesterday. President Mitchell claims that more than 120,000 men are now idle.

Contradictory reports come from the Schuylkill region. One to the effect that the strikers at Morea, after going out today, had decided tonight to return to work tomorrow, is being received with incredulity at strike headquarters.

The mine operators after generally maintaining a silence for several days are showing a disposition to talk for publication, and as a result several statements from their side are printed. All breathe the same spirit. No recognition of the United Mine Workers, and a fight to the finish with president Mitchell and his followers.

More Newfoundland Wrecks.

St. John's, Newfoundland, September 19.—Forty-two fishing vessels are ashore in the straits of Belle Isle, and as many as 30 will be totally lost. This is in addition to the disasters previously reported. Shipwrecked crews, aggregating 70 persons, have been brought south by the mail steamer, and a special steamer will go for the rest. Reports of the loss of three more lives were received today.

Assassins After Salisbury.

LONDON, September 19.—There was an unusual gathering of uniformed police and Scotland Yard detectives at King's Cross railroad station this morning awaiting the arrival of lord Salisbury from his country seat. It is said that since the premier's return to Hatfield he has received an anonymous letter of a character which has led to increased police vigilance.

Coal Advancing in Price.

BOSTON, September 19.—The coal merchants of this city have decided that the price of stove coal from today on shall be \$7 a ton, an advance of \$2 a ton within a week. The object of the dealers in raising the price to \$7 is to stop the people, who seem to have been seized with panic on account of the great strike, from buying.

MACDONALD IS RELIEVED

As Britain's Chinese Minister.

LONDON, September 20.—The only news of importance from China this morning is contained in a dispatch to the Times, from Shang-Hai, dated yesterday, asserting that sir Claude MacDonald is to become British minister at Tokio, and will be succeeded at Peking by sir Ernest Mason Sateow, the present British minister at the Japanese capital. "This," says the Times correspondent, "is disappointment to Britishers in the far east, as they had hoped that a strong diplomat would be sent to Peking." It is probable that vice-admiral Seymour will meet sir Claude MacDonald at Tien-Tsin.

Reports from Nankin point to the increasing activity and influence of the anti-foreign party. The manner in which Yang-Tse viceroys have been ignored by the throne in reference to the peace negotiations, while imperial edicts order the Manchu leaders to resume the control of affairs, is capable of only one interpretation. Shang-Hai specials seem to show quite a shower of edicts regarding negotiators, to which little importance is attached.

According to the Daily Mail's St. Petersburg correspondent, Russia will claim an indemnity of £100,000,000.

SHANG-HAI, September 19.—Vice admiral Seymour, on board the British dispatch vessel Alacrity, sailed today for the north.

BERLIN, September 19.—A special dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger, describing the capture and burning on September 11th of Liang-Hiang, southwest of Peking, by a German naval battalion, accompanied by 40 Bengal lancers, says the foreign force faced 6000 Boxers, and a number of Chinese regulars, the enemy losing 380 killed.

HONG KONG, September 19.—An imperial edict, received at Canton, appoints Li Hung Chang, prince Ching and Sheng to be peace negotiators. Since the suppression of newspapers in Canton still more damaging leaflets have been circulated, announcing Chinese victories, and that the allies are seeking peace. It is supposed that these were written with a view of fomenting the anti-foreign feeling. The viceroy is powerless to suppress this form of agitation.

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION

Discussed in Washington.

WASHINGTON, September 19.—H. H. Lusk, formerly member of parliament of New Zealand, was today before the industrial commission. He explained the system of arbitration in New Zealand, which he said had been extremely satisfactory. This system was in the form of compulsory arbitration, and it had had six years' trial. The fact that there was compulsory arbitration there made both employees and employers very careful as to the justice of their cases before they acted. In those courts of arbitration in New Zealand no lawyers were allowed to appear.

Labor organizations in New Zealand are generally incorporated, and they had found no disadvantage in such incorporations. The arbitration law had at first been favored by the employees and fought by employers before it had been enacted. Up to last year three-fifths of all labor in New Zealand was organized. Practically the scale of wages in New Zealand were made by the labor organizations for the men outside the unions as well as for those within it. The arbitration court of New Zealand never fixed the maximum rate of wages, it simply fixed the minimum rate of wages that can be paid. The operations of this system, he said, did not hamper industries for the reason that in the six years that it has been in operation the industries had increased one-third. This was effected by an increase in old industries and the springing up of new ones.

Wedded at Rosland.

ROSLAND, September 19.—Julius de Labarthe and Miss Ayres were married this morning at the residence of W. H. Aldridge, manager of the Trail smelter. The bride is a niece of Mr. Aldridge. Rev. Mr. Hedley, of St. George's, Rosland, performed the ceremony.

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NO LONGER ON "THE SQUARE."

Now that there is no reason for keeping quiet the scandals of the ring, which really caused the legislature to kill the Horton law, under which fighting flourished, many stories of irregularities are coming to the surface. One of them explains the mysterious ability to strike a terrific blow by the slender Kid McCoy. According to those who should know, it all came from his method of bandaging his hands. These persons say that the young Hoosier without bandages on his hands could hit no harder than any other man of his weight. An illustration of his methods is said to have occurred in his battle with Peter Maher. In that fight Maher went down and unmistakably out under a blow that did not seem to spectators to have great force back of it. Afterwards Maher said it seemed to him he had been struck with a chunk of lead. He was not far wrong. Before entering the ring to meet Maher, McCoy drove all persons from his room except George Considine, who put on the bandages. These bandages consisted of heavy and wide strips of canvas, thickly coated with an adhesive substance, which quickly hardened. The canvas was wound round and round McCoy's hands, until across each set of knuckles was raised a ridge quite half an inch thick. The coating on the canvas hardened, and the fighter wore a protection to his hands that weighed as much as iron and which was almost

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as hard. Little wonder that Maher thought that he had been sand-bagged when McCoy hit him. It was remarkable that Maher was not permanently disabled, as he was struck a powerful blow, and McCoy's fist was, with its incisions, heavy enough to have broken his jaw.

Mrs. James J. Corbett is proving the adage that "Holl hath no fury like a woman scorned." Her charge that the fight between her pompous spouse and McCoy was a fake is so corroborated in detail by McCoy's wife that New York in general is prone to believe that Jim's victory over the clever Hoosier was prearranged. Mrs. Corbett further startled the sporting world recently by declaring that the last fight between Corbett and Sharkey was a pre-arranged affair, and that McCoy, one of Corbett's trainers, was paid \$2000 for jumping into the ring and forcing the referee to give a decision in Sharkey's favor. She says that she drew the cheque herself, and believes she can produce the paper to substantiate her story, if need be. Mrs. McCoy had this to say in reference to the missing "Kid," who has sued her for divorce and whom she has also sued:

"The act of my husband in absenting himself and not pressing his suit or defending mine shows he is a craven. It shows who is the guilty party. It was this morning that I discovered the full measure of his depravity and lack of manhood. He took from the vault in New Amsterdam, where it was for safe keeping, \$10,000 worth of jewelry and valuables given to me by my first husband, William H. Grasmire. In the box also were storage cheques for my sealskins, which are very valuable. I have not yet learned whether he has secured these."

And so the battle rages, and the public is expecting revelations that

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will show the rottenness that has marked almost the entire pugilistic game since the days when John L. fought them "all on the level."

A Limit on Strikers.
Toronto Star.

The case of the nine metal polishers who were charged by manager T. J. Carroll of the Hamilton Brass Manufacturing Company, with besetting and watching the buildings and premises of the company, with a view to compelling the company to abstain from doing acts which they had a legal right to do, or compel-

Nelson Furniture Company's Sale

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The Liabilities Are Big.

MONTREAL, September 18.—The liabilities of the Montreal Cold Storage and Freezing company, which came to grief through dealing in bogus warehouse receipts, reach the enormous total of \$550,000, of which \$390,000 is secured.

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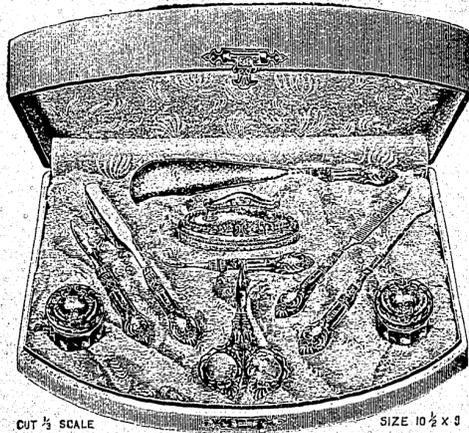
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CITY LOCAL NEWS

The Kootenay Railway & Navigation Company's new steamer has been successfully launched from the company's shipyards and is now receiving the finishing touches. She has been named the Kaslo and promises to be the fastest craft on the lake.

Several changes are on the tapis at the C. P. R. station. Harry Hamilton left last night to resume his studies at Toronto university. W. D. Forrester has resigned from the service and will be succeeded by J. H. Ford of Port Steele as ticket clerk. J. A. Sheets, late of Montreal, has taken a desk in the freight office.

The gas company has a claim of something over \$100 for damage done to their gasholder by a stump blasted out by the C. P. R. men grading on the flats, and which tore a hole through the roof of the holder permitting 10,000 feet of gas to escape.

W. R. MacInnes, general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific's lines west of Lake Superior, is putting a day or two in Nelson. He jokingly says that whenever he visits Nelson his company loses money. Mr. MacInnes is one of the coming railway men of the west, and the company that has his services will make money, if there is any to be made in handling freight.

The board of trade meeting announced for last night did not eventuate owing to lack of a quorum.

A meeting of the Cooks and Waiters Union will be held in the Miners' Union hall on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. Business of importance will come before the meeting.

The chorus of the Mikado had an excellent practice under the conductorship of Herr Steiner at St. Saviour's Sunday school last night. The next practice is on Saturday night at the same place, and next week practices will be held at the

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opera house. The committee has decided to produce the Mikado on October 15th, 16th and 17th. If the production is a success the company will probably visit Spokane during the following week.

The Nelson firemen are not to compete at the tournament in Spokane next month. Chief Thompson will probably attend the fire chiefs' convention, which meets there during the fruit fair.

T. J. Scanlan, the Stanley street grocer, desires it to be understood that he is not the writer of the letter regarding the milk supply recently published in THE TRIBUNE.

Ewart & Carrie are preparing plans for office buildings for the Arlington mine. One building is to be erected at the mine and the other at Slooan City. The Arlington is preparing to ship three carloads of ore daily with the probability of increasing their shipments to seven cars in the near future.

A. A. Boak, of Vancouver, is in the city inspecting the local offices of the various insurance and loan companies, for which he is general agent. Mr. Boak is registered with his family at the Hotel Hume.

Thomas Howell left last night for Fernie to assist Rev. Harry Stillman, pastor of the Methodist church, in a couple of weeks evangelistic services. Mr. Howell will devote much of his time in future to religious work.

J. E. Halton, scenic artist, is engaged in getting out the stage settings for the forthcoming production of the Mikado. He is also retouching the scenery carried by the French Dramatic Company. Mr. Halton will probably locate permanently in Nelson.

George W. Hughes, a pioneer of the Slooan, is at the Phair.

The French Dramatic Company presented "Just Before Dawn," at the opera house most acceptably last night. Several members of the Nelson rifle company assisted in the opening act. Tonight the bill is "Shades of a Great City," in which comedy predominates. The play has made a hit elsewhere and will doubtless attract a large house.

The at home given by the ladies aid of the Methodist Church last night in the paragonage was a great success. The following ladies and gentlemen took part in the program: Piano solo, Mrs. Wallace; solo, G. L. Lennox; solo Mrs. Thurman; solo, Mr. Smith; duet Mr. Lennox and Mrs. Thurman; solo, Mrs. Bell; solo, Mr. Moore. Refreshments were served in the church, where a number of dainty little tables were arranged.

NELSON AND DENVER TALK

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The commercial capital of South-eastern Kootenay has now direct telephone connection with the commercial and political capital of Colorado. This connection is made at Spokane with the lines of the Inland Telephone & Telegraph Company, whose lines extend from Spokane to Butte, Montana, thence to Salt Lake, Utah, then on to Denver.

Will Sue for a Grant.

TORONTO, September 19.—By practically a unanimous decision the public library board of Toronto has decided to take legal proceedings against the city council to secure \$2053, the amount cut off by the board of control from the library board's estimate for 1900.

Steel Plant Will Resume.

PITTSBURG, September 19.—Oliver's south-side plant of the American Steele & Wire Company

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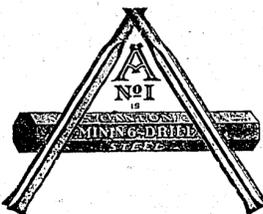
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has resumed operations, and orders have been issued to start the Anderson plant and the rodmill of the same concern within a week. The mills have been closed since the Gates order last April. Resumption is caused by the return of confidence in the iron and steel trade and the heavy demand for wire and nails. Employment will be given to several thousand men in this district.

Big Race is Off.

New York, September 19.—The veterinarian, Dr. Sheppard, who has been attending Bellehoo Bay, William C. Whitney's two-year-old thoroughbred, ever since the injury to his hoof, which the horse suffered while running for the Flatbush stakes, has certified that the wound, though not liable to cause permanent disablement, will take at least two weeks longer to heal. It is practically definitely settled, therefore, that there will be no special race between Bellehoo Bay and Tommy Atkins of the Keene stable.

Yesterday's Mining Records

Yesterday's mining records were: Transfers—The U. S. claim, six miles up Wild Horse creek, by T. A. Howard of Rossland to Sam Newswander of Kaslo.

Certificates of work—To C. C. Knutson on the Northport; to Swan Morin on the Standard.

Nova Scotia Man Buncoed.

Troy, New York, September 19.—John Downey arrived in this city this morning from Bradford, Pennsylvania, where he had been working in the lumber district. While waiting for a train to take him to his home in Nova Scotia, he was buncoed out of \$50 by a stranger who claimed to be a resident of Nova Scotia.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

PHAIR—A. J. O'Reilly, Ottawa; P. O. Sissons and wife, Medicine Hat; Court A. R. Wachtmeister, Sweden; A. E. James, Moosomin; N. F. Townsend, R. Reddick, Rossland.
HUME—C. P. Fullerton, Winnipeg; William Burns, City; F. A. Webster, Toronto; T. H. McKeggie, Harris, Ontario; J. L. Gilford and wife, Hall Mines.
QUEEN'S—G. H. McKean, George McKean, Proctor; Miss E. J. Lind, Ymir; C. A. Hall, Spokane; J. S. Cole, Nelson; A. E. Suelle, Trail; Arthur Wilson and George Newton, Fernie; S. Deshrisay, Ymir.

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Lost—A brindle bull terrier pup, about three months old. Return to P. E. Wilson and get reward.

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