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ROSEWATER METHODS UNPOPULAR

Military Journals Complain of the Present Manner of Suppressing Boer Outbreaks.

FORD'S TELEGRAMS TREAT ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS

NEW YORK, November 25.—In a special despatch to the New York Tribune dated London, 6 a. m., Mr. Isaac N. Ford says of military operations in South Africa: The resistance of the Boer guerillas continues unabated, but does not lead to any decisive results. Apparently there is only one commando with a strength of one thousand men and that is the one which has been fighting Smith-Dorien's brigade. The other bands engaged in what the English leader writers describe as brigandage do not exceed 500 men, and the bulk of the fighting for the Boer cause is now done by bands of two hundred men without artillery. These hostile forces recruit wherever they go and maintain their strength unimpaired, notwithstanding the constant capture of prisoners and slaughter of men by twos and threes. These operations cannot be properly dignified with the name of war and the ingenious and imaginative Dr. Leyds will find it hard to make out a case of international intervention. Military journals here continue to complain of rosewater methods of suppressing these Boer outbreaks and reluctantly admit that sentimental considerations will prevail until general Kitchener replaces lord Roberts.

Kruger's Reception.

If the barometer is falling in the financial exchanges and cautionary signals are flying in Lombard street, it is not because the currents of French opinion are markedly adverse to England. Paris, even with the exposition closed and Mr. Kruger the hero of the hour, is not a storm center. The English press candidly admits that while the existence of considerable hostile feeling is unmistakable, there is no real ground for national complaint. One journal quietly remarks that the demonstration of English feeling against Austria at the time of the reception of Kossuth was at least as violent as the outbreak of French enthusiasm in favor of Mr. Kruger and against the government which has deposed him.

The Czar's Illness.

A real source of uncertainty and alarm is the illness of the czar, with its bearing on the Chinese complications. The Lancet, reasoning from the telegraph reports of the medical diagnosis of the czar, asserts that the range of temperature and rate of pulse indicate a mild attack of enteric fever and that convalescence will be speedy and sure. There are various sensational reports from the continent, including a Paris rumor that the attack of typhoid is acute and has affected the patient's brain. The latest telegrams tend to increase rather than to diminish the apprehension respecting the czar's condition and there is apparently a deep feeling of alarm and uneasiness among the great dignitaries at St. Petersburg, although the rumor about a regency has not been fully confirmed. When special prayers are offered throughout Russia by the holy synod for the czar's restoration to health there may well be uncertainty in all European capitals respecting the maintenance of the strongest bulwark of peace in the far east. While the czar lives there is reason to expect a prudent and statesmanlike settlement of the Chinese question.

The Knotty Chinese Question.

The latest report from Tien-Tsin point to a serious disagreement of the powers respecting the enforcement of the death penalty against the guilty mandarins. The powers are rumored to be divided into two equal groups, the United States, Russia, France and Japan opposing rigorous action, and Germany, England, Austria and Italy strongly favoring it.

The logic of the situation forecasts a promise of some kind, and an agreement upon a practical scheme of peace proposals. The attitude of the United States is not sharply condemned here, since there is much latent sympathy with it. English censors content themselves with describing the American policy as unintelligible, although there are clearer and more explicit accounts of it in New York and Washington dispatches than are received of the diplomatic course of any other government. They are too ready to assume that the state department is willing to leave the empress a free hand in dealing with the mandarins responsible for the outrages, and to demand almost a nominal indemnity, and since the presidential election is over they are now forced to attribute what they consider vagaries of American diplomacy to a deep suspicion of Germany and anxiety to retire from China, and to complete the conquest of or pacification of the Philippines.

Lord Kitchener's Promotion

Discussing military affairs, especially the promotion of lord Kitchener, Mr. Ford says: The promotion of lord Kitchener to the rank of lieutenant-general was the chief result of yesterday's cabinet council. Ha attains this dignity at the age of 50 and is now fully equipped to take lord Roberts' place in South Africa without exciting jealousy over points of seniority and military etiquette. Lord Kitchener is almost the only general in the British army who is without a social clique in London. He detests society, and is no carpet-knight. He even has the reputation of being a woman-hater. He has, however, what is more valuable than social prestige, namely, the active support of the prime minister. Lord Salisbury has the greatest admiration for him, and is probably responsible for his succession to the chief command in South Africa, as he was for his appointment as chief of staff last December.

Military Matters.

The Times is publishing an important series of articles on the weak points and general inefficiency of the present military system. Mr. Broderick is making an exhaustive study of the subject, but war office and military experts are not looking for radical or far reaching reforms. Although the canteen scandal is a minor matter, it excites even more discussion among military men than projected reforms on a large scale.

The acquittal of both lieutenant Breckett and master-gunner Acheson by a court martial has left the mystery of the marked half crown unsolved. If they are innocent nobody is guilty, unless there be a second underling ready for trial. The whole affair has been badly managed from the beginning, and another inquiry, if ordered, will leave the matter still in an unsatisfactory state.

RAILWAY AND STEAMBOAT

The New Schedule.

The new schedule went into effect yesterday on the Spokane Falls and Northern road and on the K. R. & N. system between Kaslo and Spokane. The Spokane train left Nelson several hours earlier than usual and returned about the former hours. The effect of the new arrangement was very apparent on the road. The only accommodation provided for passengers on the evening train was a combination baggage car and smoker into which all the travelers, including several ladies, were crowded. The train made long stops along the road and altogether the service was unsatisfactory. A number of persons coming through from the coast via. Spokane, desired to take the new route over the Nelson and Bedlington to Kuskonook but were informed that their tickets only called for transportation over the S. F. & N. The steamer International arrived here about on time last night. No arrangement has been made for carrying the pouch mails over the new fast route as yet but it is understood that a report on the matter has been forwarded to the post-office department.

Interfered With the Work.

Last week's cold snap interfered with the work in the C. P. R. yards, but operations are again in full swing and a large number of men are employed principally in laying the new tracks. The yard is in bad shape, a natural sequence to the process of taking up old tracks and laying new ones throughout, but the usual routine of work is carried on without delays. The non-arrival of barges while the storm lasted on the lake gave the yard crew a couple of days' holiday, but when navigation reopened they were compelled to make up for the lost time by extra hustling. Since then the business has been heavy and there is every indication that the usual Christmas rush is getting fairly under way. Passenger engine No. 25 which broke an eccentric a few days ago went into the round house for repairs and was sent out again yesterday.

Raised the Flags.

NEW YORK, November 25.—Details of the veteran corps of artillery of the military society of 1810 at sunrise this morning raised flags over the blockhouse in Central Park and in Battery Park. The event was in commemoration of evacuation day, the day that the British troops left New York.

BURRARD NOW VERY CLOSE

GARDEN HAS AN EVEN CHANCE WITH PARSON MAXWELL.

Both Sides Now Claim Majorities Ranging From 200 Up---Betting Men Now Hedging.

VANCOUVER, November 25.—[Special to The Tribune.]—With the polling day in Burrard still a fornight off, political feeling has been running very high here during the past week. The bitterness which has been engendered by the sectional, social and religious animosities, developed by overmuch campaign speaking, is increasing, and if the Liberals should proceed with their determination to telegraph for sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Tarte to meet Clark Wallace and sir Charles Tupper on a common platform, the result will hardly be for peace or harmony. Each side claims victory in sight. Mayor Garden has counted noses and thinks he sees 250 majority. Rev. Mr. Maxwell, who claimed 500 majority a month ago, has latterly pruned his estimate down to 200. The betting which was two to one in favor of Maxwell, is now at even money.

A Noted Jockey Arrives.

NEW YORK, November 25.—The new French line, La Lorraine, which arrived this morning, experienced a hard time crossing. In addition to the weather, which was exceedingly rough, several accidents occurred to the machinery, which caused the vessel to slow down while repairs were being made. Her rail was smashed in and there was a dent in the smoking room roof caused by the giant waves which broke over her forward deck. There arrived on the La Lorraine Cash Sloan, the jockey, who has been riding in France. Sloan was under contract to the duke d'Grammont, baron Leonine having the second call on his services. He said that he had ridden in about 144 races, winning one out of every four, which gave him the highest percentage of any jockey in France. He came in second in 20 races and in many others secured third.

Arrival of the Campania.

NEW YORK, November 25.—The Cunard liner, Campania, which arrived in quarantine Saturday evening, came up to her dock early this morning. She had a rough passage, experiencing gales and squalls almost all the way across. None of the officers cared to discuss the decision of the admiralty court against the Campania for running down the bark Embleton last July.

TONNAGE BONUS SUGGESTED

TO PROVIDE VESSELS FOR THE COAST LUMBER MILLS.

American Ships Now Discriminate in Favor of Puget Sound and California Points.

VANCOUVER, November 25.—[Special to The Tribune]—Great dissatisfaction exists among local lumbermen and millowners regarding imperfect shipping facilities and the freight rates prevailing on oceanic consignments. The suggestion is being seriously considered by the trade that the provincial government be memorialized regarding the matter, and asked to grant a tonnage bonus for the construction of British Columbia owned ships for the lumber carrying trade. The statements of local lumbermen are to the effect that San Francisco and Puget Sound shipowners have increased freight rates from British Columbia ports to such an extent that lumber cannot now be shipped from Vancouver to foreign ports at a profit. As deep water ships are difficult to obtain, owing to more profitable freight carrying trade in other parts of the world, the San Francisco and Puget Sound shipowners are able to materially injure the lumber trade of British Columbia. As soon as it became apparent that British Columbia lumbermen were dependent on American shipping, the freight rates were increased, so that now a ship can be loaded at Puget Sound or California ports for 60 cents per thousand less than in British Columbia.

GENERAL DOMINION NEWS

Prominent Banker Dead.

MONTREAL, November 25.—George A. Schofield, general manager of the Bank of New Brunswick, died today as a result of a stroke of paralysis. He has been 50 years in the bank.

Ottawa Notes.

OTTAWA, November 25.—The Western Condensed Milk Canning, Coffee and Creamery Company are seeking incorporation, the chief place of business being Mission, B. C. Capital stock $40,000. The incorporators are principally Maritime province men.

The Hudson's Bay & Northern Railway Company will apply next session for an amendment to its act of incorporation. The company wants an extension of time for commencement and completion of work.

Christy MacDonnell, Dawson; C. B. West, M. D., Regina; S. Crosthwaite, Calgary; staff sergeant McGinnis, Moosomin, were gazetted inspectors of the North West Mounted Police.

Wants to Buy.

KINGSTON, Ont., November 25.—J. A. Shipley, a Napanee millionaire has made an offer to purchase the Kingston street railway.

Two Drowned.

PORT DOVER, Ont., November 25.—Fishing tugs returning from Long Point report that C. C. Warren and H. Halden were drowned while out duck hunting, by upsetting in a squall.

Cause of Typhoid.

TORONTO, Ont., November 25.—Dr. Boyce, provincial health officer, attributes the large nmber of cases of typhoid in the province to a lack of frosts during October.

Burned in His House.

WAISLEY, Ont., November 25.—The home of Donald Blue, Gillies Hills, was burned today. The old man lived alone and was burned to death.

Kruger in Paris.

PARIS, November 25.—Mr. Kruger passed Sunday with his family at the Hotel Scribe, observing the Sabbath in accordance with the customs of his fatherland. His apartments were closed to visitors and he remained in the hotel for perfect rest. The boulevards were alive to a late hour last night with merry makers. The Hotel Scribe was cordoned and the revellers did not disturb his rest. This morning found him quite refreshed from fatigue. After an early breakfast he conferred with Dr. Leyds. There being no church of his own denomination in Paris, he held a private service in his apartments surrounded by his entourage. Mr. Kruger read a portion of scripture and a member of his suite read a sermon prepared in advance. The Boer statesman expressed a desire to have an organ to assist the singing, but this could not be obtained.

At an early hour free circulation was resumed in the streets about the hotel, whose only guardians, two policemen, stood on either side of the principal entrance. The number of passers-by were not greater than the ordinary Sunday crowd. Toward 3 o'clock, however, pedestrians increased and along the boulevard came one hundred shouting and singing boys. Their advent increased the enthusiasm, which was greatly worked up and the streets began to fill. Cheers for Kruger began and the police immediately established a cordon about the hotel. Several companies of republican guards quickly arrived. In half an hour the scene resembled that of yesterday. Responding to cries and plaudits, Mr. Kruger came for a moment upon the balcony accompanied by his grand-daughters; again at 5 o'clock the tumult was such that he reappeared but only for a moment. During the afternoon and early evening, there was no falling off in the number of spectators.

A FATAL SALOON QUARREL

YOUNG MINNESOTA MILLIONAIRE THE VICTIM.

Minneapolis Newspaper Man Uses a Knife and Must Answer to a Charge of Murder.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minnesota, November 24.—Frank H. Hamilton, a Minneapolis newspaper man, is a prisoner at the central police station with the charge of murder against him as a result of stabbing to death Leonard Day, a young millionaire society man of the city, at the West Hotel today. The tragedy took place in the billiard room of the West Hotel at 2 o'clock in the morning, after a quarrel participated in by Hamilton, Day and a number of other prominent men. All had been drinking, it was said, to a considerable extent.

The men who had taken part in the affray at once left the place, but were later found by the police, who took charge of the case. There was a long cut on the top of the man's head, his face and wrist were badly bruised, and a knife thrust on the left side of the neck had severed the sub-clavicle artery.

Coroner Nelson, at the request of friends of the prisoner and of the dead man, held an inquest this afternoon, when all the witnesses of the tragedy testified. No one saw the fatal blow struck, but all agreed that Hamilton was the only man with whom Day had been fighting.

NELSON MINES AND MINING

Trout Lake Properties.

Thomas Taylor, M.L.A., of Trout Lake city, is in the city for a few days. Referring to the conditions existing in the Trout Lake district Mr. Taylor says: "The mining industry has been more active than for several years previous and while only two properties are on a shipping basis this winter there are various factors which point to an active season next year. The Nettie L. mine, owned by the Great Western Mines, Limited, will ship 1100 tons of ore during the sleighing season and it is estimated that the shipment will net $100 per ton. The last shipment from the property did not run as high as this, but it is asserted that the ore was not properly assorted at the mine. The Silver Cup mine expects to ship 500 tons of high grade ore during the winter. This property is owned by the Sunset Mining Company, an offshoot of the Horne-Payne syndicate. The greatest drawback we have to contend with in the development of our district is the lack of railroad facilities. The fact that the C.P.R. surveying party is now working west of Trout Lake points to a resumption of work on the Lardo road in the spring, and this impression is confirmed by reliable information from other sources.

The Big Nugget.

So far as is known the biggest nugget ever taken from Forty-nine creek was that weighing nine ounces washed out in McVicar's last cleanup. The nugget was found in a hole on bed rock and was about the size and shape of an egg with a smoothly polished surface. Three men, W. Murphy, Tom Rogers and Harry Wright, were working in one pool, and Rogers turned the big nugget over with his pick. He was greatly excited over the big find. Grabbing the nugget Rogers raised a shout and without waiting to show his partners what he had found rushed around a bend in the creek where the balance of the outfit was working. Everyone crowded around to admire the lump of gold and it was some minutes before work was resumed. In this cleanup it is stated that over 100 ounces of coarse gold was taken off bed rock exclusive of what went into the sluice boxes.

Walter A. Segsworth, formerly assayer at the Venus mine, returned last night from Victoria where he has been laboring in the provincial assayer's office for the past two months. In the fall examination for proficiency in assaying Mr. Segsworth passed second, thereby securing the certificate now required to practice in the province.

A. Powys contradicts the report of the bonding of the Republic claim.

A Better Understanding.

WASHINGTON, November 25.—Such information as has come to the state department in the last few days is said to indicate a favorable condition of affairs respecting the chances for a more satisfactory understanding among the ministers of the powers than during the early part of last week, when a dead-lock seemed imminent. Just what is the nature of the information is not known but possibly it came as a result of secretary Hay's last note to the powers setting out afresh the object of the United States' government as to China.

This note contained the instructions that have been sent to minister Conger and are believed to be of such a nature as to constitute an appeal from the extreme course suggested by some of the powers as to the treatment of the Chinese government on some of the matters upon which ministers have been unable to agree. Nothing has come from minister Conger during the past 48 hours.

LONDON, November 26.—The Shang-Hai correspondent of the Times telegraphs that advices from Pekin say that the United States have refused to join in the demand for the execution of the princes and other high officials.

Notes from Manila.

MANILA, November 25.—Funeral of baron Dumaraisk, the Frenchman who was killed by the insurgents while within their lines last year, where he had gone to intercede with Aguinaldo for the release of the Spanish prisoners, took place today in the church of San Augustin, in Manila. It was attended by a distinguished concourse, including generals, commissioners, consuls, and hundreds of Americans who were on each side of the catafalque in front of the altar. Archbishop Chapelle blessed the remains.

An Electrical Test.

SCHNECTADY, New York, November 25.—A test of great importance to the electrical world is to be made at Niagara Falls tomorrow, when a party of leading general electric officials and experts will experiment upon a new high potential switch. Preliminary tests have been made with the 10,000 volt current at the Mechanicsville station, but these were not considered satisfactory, as they left somewhat in doubt the limit of the machinery, hence the experiments to be made at Niagara Falls, where a power of 20,000 volts can be had.

Request Denied.

LONDON, November 25.—"We understand," says the Daily Express this morning, "lord Roberts recently requested the government to send 20,000 regulars to South Africa to relieve the same number still in the field, but that his request was declined on the score of expense."

THE CZAR'S CONDITION IS CRITICAL

It Is Asserted That the Bulletins Conceal the Gravity of His Illness.

QUEEN RECEIVES A DAILY TELEGRAM FROM THE SICK BED

BERLIN, November 25.—The following dispatch dated St. Petersburg, November 25, 3.40 p. m., has been received here: "It is persistently rumored in St. Petersburg that the condition of emperor Nicholas is critical. Well informed people here declare that the disease has made far greater progress than the Czar's physicians have published. A fatal issue is now gravely feared."

ST. PETERSBURG, November 24.—From three sources of information directly connected with as many ministers of state the correspondent of the Associated Press ascertained that imperial officials are extremely pessimistic regarding the condition of emperor Nicholas and assert that the Livadia bulletins conceal the gravity of his illness. In spite of the notorious ease with which an alarmist rumor can be put in circulation in the Russian capital, many good judges believe that the chances of the Czar's recovery are diminishing.

One report says that the emperor in addition to typhoid fever, with pectoral complications, has brain fever, the result of a blow he received from a fanatical policeman during his tour in Japan, and it is even asserted in some quarters that trepanning has become necessary. Although the imperial ministers have assumed wider powers of administration since his majesty's illness, the whole machinery of government is affected by his disability and many departments are almost at a standstill. Russian laws and customs impose an immense burden of detail work, principally in the matter of signature upon the czar; for example, numerous special pensions, whose payment on each occasion requires the emperor's name.

ST. PETERSBURG, November 25.—12 midnight.—The following bulletin was issued this morning at Livadia: "The czar passed a quiet day yesterday. At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon his temperature rose to 103.5, the pulse being 88. At 9 o'clock in the evening the temperature was 102.2 and the pulse 80. His majesty slept well during the night. This morning his general condition and strength are satisfactory. Temperature 99.5, pulse 75. No complications whatever have been observed.

LONDON, November 26.—While the latest bulletin regarding the Czar's condition is much less favorable than its predecessor, there is nothing as yet to confirm alarming rumors. Queen Victoria daily receives a telegram from the Czar, and it is understood that no exceptional anxiety is displayed. According to the Moscow correspondent of the Daily Press, an examination of the water taken from the well used for drinking purposes at Livadia proved the presence of typhoid germs.

An Odessa despatch to the Daily News dated Thursday, says: "Reports for the last two days indicate a serious decline in the strength of the czar."

Russian censorship prevents any leakage of news. It is understood that the czarina will remain at Livadia for her accouchment, and even under the best conditions it will be impossible to remove the czar before February.

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THE Liberals held a meeting at Kaslo on Saturday night. There was a fair attendance, but no great amount of enthusiasm. The speakers were A. L. Sifton of Calgary, S. S. Taylor of Nelson, and G. O. Buchanan of Kaslo. From reports received from different places, there is no such earnestness in this contest as was displayed in the provincial contest last summer.

THE Labor party of Vancouver has decided to nominate Robert Macpherson as its candidate for the vacancy in Vancouver caused by the resignation of mayor Garden. While Macpherson says he will be a straight Labor man, it is evident from his utterances that he has little sympathy for the present administration, and in event of election may safely be classed as an oppositionist. In the last general elections Mr. Macpherson offered as a Martin candidate, but was defeated. In a by election his chances should be very good as a Labor-Liberal candidate.

THE new arrangement over the Great Northern railway system in this section of the province went into effect yesterday. The steamer International leaves Nelson at 7 o'clock in the morning and connects at Pilot Bay with the Alberta, the Alberta connecting at Kuskonook with a train that runs direct to Spokane. Returning, the International leaves Kaslo at 2:20 p. m., connects at Pilot Bay with the Alberta returning from Kuskonook, and arrives at Nelson at 6:20 p. m. The Spokane mail now comes over the new route, and it is sent on through to Sandon the same day it leaves Spokane. There is now no Sunday train out of Nelson on the Nelson & Fort Sheppard.

COLONEL TOPPING, of Trail, is one of the Liberals who believe in home smelting. That he holds views upon this question differing from the majority of the Liberals is due no doubt to the circumstance that colonel Topping understands the question, and the importance of its bearing upon the industrial development of Southern British Columbia. From colonel Topping's letter, which appears in another column, it is evident that he does not stop at lead ores. He points out that the ores of the Trail Creek camp can be smelted as economically in British Columbia as at Northport, Washington; but simply because it suits the purpose of the British company owning the Le Roi mine, to treat its ore in the United States, the province of British Columbia is deprived of what should rightly be its monthly pay roll of $40,000. That colonel Topping's views upon this question are shared by many other Liberals in British Columbia is no doubt true; but the fact remains that there is now less hope for a satisfactory solution of this question at Ottawa than there would be at Victoria. While the tariff in a measure has ceased to be an issue in Canadian politics, there is nevertheless a deeply rooted prejudice in the minds of Liberals of the old school against any further protection. THE TRIBUNE agrees heartily with colonel Topping, but it cannot close its eyes to the fact that the doughty colonel will have much difficulty in overcoming the prejudices of the members of the party with which he has identified himself. The home smelting and refining of Kootenay ores would benefit, not only the mining centers of the province, but every farmer from Manitoba to the coast; but before this phase of the matter receives due consideration the Liberals must strive to forget the theoretical trade teachings which they have been nursing for the past 20 years.

WRITTEN BY CONSERVATIVES.

[THE TRIBUNE has placed a part of one column at the disposal of the Conservatives, whose views will be expressed therein from time to time during the campaign. A like privilege is accorded the Labor party and the Liberals.]

A good old Tory meeting, which must have recalled to those present similar ones in other parts of the Dominion, was held at the McKane committee rooms on Saturday evening. The crowd gave unmistakable evidence that the recent apparent Conservative apathy is only on the surface and that it needs very little to bring about great enthusiasm over John McKane's election. Telegrams were read from sir Charles Tupper and Mr. John McKane announcing that they would be in Nelson on Saturday next; communications were also read from the Hon. T. M. Daly and others, all showing the fresh interest aroused in the coming contest. Stirring speeches were delivered by John Toye, W. A. Macdonald, D. Carley, J. A. Irving, W. E. McCandlish, G. McNabb, G. L. Lennox and Jacob Dover, while Messrs. Lennox and Murray further enlivened the meeting with cheerful songs, which dispersed at a late hour.

A public meeting will be held in the opera house on Saturday next at which sir Charles Tupper and Mr. McKane will address the electors. Further particulars later. During the week the Hon. R. McBride, minister of mines, and the Hon. T. M. Daly will be here and deliver addresses. Meetings in the Slocan, East Kootenay and Ymir districts will be duly announced.

The committee hope that all favorable to Mr. McKane will meet every evening from now on at the committee rooms, which will be open day and night in charge of F. W. Pettit, who will furnish any information required.

There being only ten more days, they should be devoted towards convincing the opposition that the Liberal-Conservative party intends to return John McKane by an overwhelming majority on Wednesday week.

TOPPING ON LIBERALS.

EDITOR OF THE TRIBUNE: I am a fairly strong Liberal, and admire the liberal action of your paper in allowing either party to express their political faith through your columns. I also like your advocacy of an export duty on ores. You might think that the Liberal party do not believe in adding to the duty on either incoming or outgoing articles, but when it is shown to be necessary to a section to protect them, the Liberals have and will continue to do so.

One reason why I am a Liberal is, because of the fact that they are not "iron clad," and that their policy is to do the best they can for any and all parts of Canada. I have believed in an export duty for years, and would have advocated it earnestly and all the time but for one fact, which was, that it would have been a direct tax on the Slocan and other lead ores. But now, when people of our section of the province are unanimous in asking for an imposition of duties on the manufactured products of lead, when every indication points to the fact that we will get the legislation that we desire, allowing us a market for our lead, while competition will keep down the cost of smelting, therefore, I believe the time has come to advocate the imposition of an export duty on ore of at least $2.00 per ton.

As all are aware, though it has not receivd the attention that it deserves, more than half of the ore mined at Rossland is smelted within the boundaries of the state of Washington, taking away from the province a legitimate pay-roll of about $40,000 per month. The moment this ore crosses the line, that moment it ceases to benefit Canada or Canadians.

Why should we favor Washington state that will not allow us to locate or buy a mineral claim or town lot? It would be an excuse if ore could be reduced more cheaply there, but I know that it can not. Since the completion of the Crow's Nest Pass railway, coke—and good coke too—can be laid down at Nelson or Trail at least $1.00 per ton more cheaply than at Northport. Limestone, the only other foreign flux required, is also found in quantities in this section of the province, and I venture to assert that in no part of the world can ore be reduced more economically than in southern British Columbia.

I sincerely believe that for the more complete protection of Canadian labor and Canadian business men, that we should do all in our power to impress these facts upon the government. Yours sincerely,

E. S. TOPPING.

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Douglas Staden, the American newspaperman, has finished a graphic account of the welcome accorded the imperial volunteers by the City of London upon their return from South Africa. Though reports differ as to the utility of the imperial volunteers as a field force they were received as the flower of the army in London and the deduction is made from the welcome that henceforth the long snubbed volunteers will be regarded as an integral part of the army. In his account of the reception Stader says:

Monday's procession may be regarded as the marking of the coming-of-age of the volunteers, and the spectacle was worty of the event. Never probably in the history of the world has there been such a crowd. The Jubilee crowd in the city was nothing to it. In Fleet street it was nearly twenty deep on each side of the thin red line stationed there, which was to keep a lane for the procession, but looked more like the ham in a sandwich. There was no lane left at all until the mounted police and the staff and their escort of Hussars, riding four abreast, trampled one out.

"From the duke of Wellington's house at Hyde Park corner to the Guildhall, London lost its shape in banners, like a man-of-war on the Queen's birthday. The Baroness Burdett-Coutt's house, which she has so generously gave up to the C. I. V. and their relations, presented the most tasteful appearance, with its handsome bunches of Union Jacks. The three best decorated buildings in Pall Mall were the war office, where the bunting was managed better than anywhere else; the Carlton Club, with its rich draperies of royal blue and gold, the United Service Club, where lord Roberts spends so much of his time when in London, which was decorated rather similarly to the Carlton, but with additions of crimson cloth and bunting. It was in the Strand that festoons of flags and flowers hung across the street became general. Many buildings in the Strand were very handsomely and effectively draped, but none were attracting so much attention as two in Fleet street. Right opposite to where I sat, a hundred yards on the city side of the Griffin which marks the site of Temple Bar, the west gate of London, there was a tall Venetian palace, decorated with great taste and elaboration. These broad belts of crimson cloth wreathed with flowers and decorated with bunched Union Jacks and the armorial shields of the great powers, ran right round the building. Over its door was a huge shield painted like Britannia's, with the Union Jack, and with the portrait of lord Roberts embossed in its center, while the three stories of its bay were decorated with the Royal Standard, the City arms, and the Royal arms respectively, embedded in little forests of Union Jacks. The City arms, whose white ground with a red St. George's cross and the bloody dagger has been adopted as the C. I. V. flag, were more handsomely presented here than in any other decorations I saw. It turned out to be the office of Joseph Lawrence, the new sheriff, who was all but elected M. P. for Cardiff a week or two ago, and is chairman of the Linotype Company. The other building to which all eyes were directed in Fleet street was the khaki colored house given up to the survivors of the charge of the Light Brigade, which bore the inscription, 'Welcome companions of victory! the survivors of the Light Brigade greet their young comrades.' Volleys of cheers greeted the veterans from the passing crowd. One of the most touching points in the whole of the decorations was the inscription wreathed in flowers hung across the street just before the entrance to the Guildhall, 'God bless Bobs.'

"The procession was a trifle late. It reached the gates of the city about half-past three. There was no lane for it. The little posse of mounted police, and the Hussar escort of the staff had to act the snow-plough all the way from Temple Bar eastwards; there never had been such a crowd in the world. All the millions of London, reinforced by all the people that trains could bring in from the country, were out in the streets to welcome London's regiment back from the war. And now with the Grenadiers' band playing 'The British Grenadiers,' which melted into 'God Save the Queen' as they passed the threshold of the city, the C.I.V.'s were upon us. Every man's head was bare, and more handkerchiefs were waving than ever were seen together before. Splendid fellows they were, these C. I. V.'s, so quiet, such mighty men physically, so burned with Africa's sun. Very wisely the guns, the gallant 12-pounders, painted khaki to render them invisible to the enemy's gunners, were put first, guarding the Boer standard captured by the C.I.V. at Jacobsdaal, the first victory in the great turning movement of Lord Roberts, which was the turning point in the whole war. As the stalwart, bronzed men, so modest over their honors, but so resolute looking, sat back on their merry Irish gun-horses the crowd cheered until it was hoarse. The mounted infantry, poor fellows, when they came, did not have half a chance, marching dismounted, with nothing to distinguish them from the infantry pure and simple but the lack of bayonets. The rain had ceased, the autumn sun was shining out fitfully, just enough to give fresh glitter to the long line of bayonets which stretched down Fleet street from end to end. The cyclists, with their battered cycles, came in for a special ovation, as, of course, did the wounded, who had to ride in the ambulances because they could not stand the fatigue of a march of four and a half hours and four and a half miles through four and a half millions.

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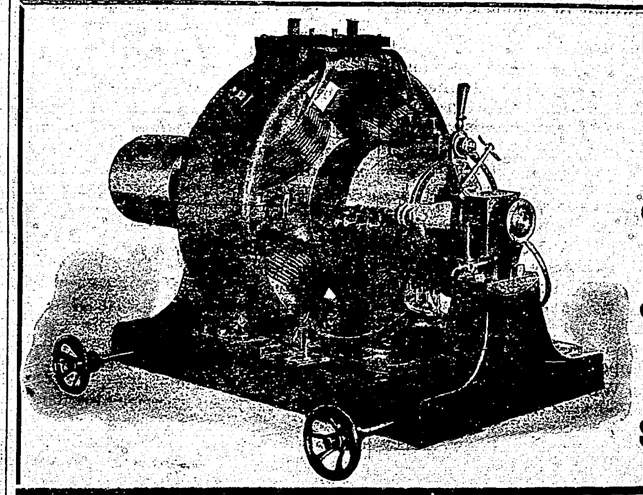

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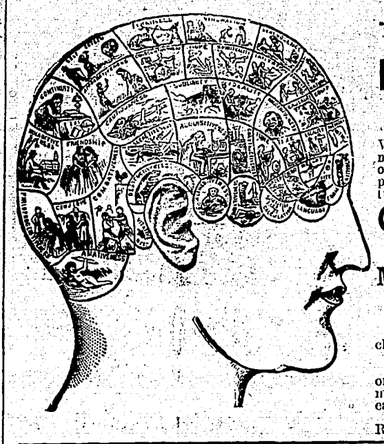

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act" and Amending Acts.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Trumbull and Alexander John McDonald, lately carrying on business as Tobacco and Cigar Merchants in the City of Kaslo, British Columbia, in partnership under the firm name and style of Trumbull & McDonald, by deed of assignment for the benefit of creditors, bearing date the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1900, have assigned all their and each of their personal estate, credits and effects which may be seized and sold under execution and all their and each of their real estate unto Robert McLean, of the said city of Kaslo, mill manager, in trust, to pay and satisfy ratably or proportionately and without preference or priority all the creditors of them, the said Charles Trumbull and Alexander John McDonald, or of either of them, their just debts, according to law.

The said deed of assignment was executed by the said Alexander John McDonald on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1900, and by the said Charles Trumbull on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1900, and by the said Robert McLean on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1900.

All persons having claims against the said Charles Trumbull and Alexander John McDonald or against either of them are required on or before the 30th day of November, 1900, to deliver to the trustee vouchers and particulars of the same, together with particulars of any security which may be held by them therefor.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 30th day of November, 1900, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets among those parties who are entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had due notice.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of McAnn & McKay, Front street, in the said city of Kaslo, on Thursday, the 15th day of November, 1900, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon.

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EXAMINATION OF ASSAYERS FOR LICENCE TO PRACTICE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with section 12 of "Bureau of Mines Act," a special examination for efficiency in the practice of assaying will be held in the City of Nelson, on December 3rd, 1900, and such following days as may be found necessary. Details of such examination may be found in the B. C. Gazette—on file in each Government Office

Intending candidates should make application for such examination 10 days in advance to the Provincial Assayer, Secretary of Board of Examiners, Victoria.

Such application to be accompanied with the
RICHARD M'BRIDE,
Minister of Mines,
Department of Mines, Victoria, B. C., 5th November, 1900

NOTICE.

Rossland, B. C., November 9th, 1900.

To F. B. SALISBURY:

Notice is hereby given that I, William Griffiths, intend to claim the interests in the following named mineral claims formerly held by F. B. Salisbury, on which he has neglected to pay his share of the expenses of the annual assessment work. To wit:

A one-half (½) interest in the "Bunker Hill" mineral claim.
A one half (½) interest in the "Sullivan" mineral claim.
A one-half (½) interest in the "Fidelity" mineral claim.
All the adjoining claims, situated on the west fork of the north fork of Salmon river, in the Nelson Mining Division.

This action is taken under Section 11 of Chapter 45, of the statutes of 1899 and amendments of 1900.

WILLIAM B. TOWNSEND,
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LAND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the gold commissioner for a lease on crown lands, situate in West Kootenay district, about ten miles from the city of Kaslo, in a northerly direction, consisting of 160 acres of unoccupied crown lands, commencing at a post marked C. P. L., thence north on the lake front 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains to place and post of commencement.

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NELSON MINERS' UNION NO. 96, W. F. of M.—Meets in miners' union rooms, northeast corner Victoria and Kootenay streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. M. R. Mowatt, President. James Wilkes, Secretary. UNION SCALE OF WAGES FOR NELSON DISTRICT—Per shift, machine men, $3.50; hammersmen miners, $3.25; muckers, carmen, shovelers and other underground laborers, $3.00.

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.

BRICKLAYERS AND MASONS' UNION.—The Bricklayers and Masons' International Union No. 3 of Nelson meets second and fourth Tuesdays in each month at Miners' Union hall. J. W. Etcher, president; Joseph Clark, recording and corresponding secretary.

LABORERS' UNION.—Nelson Laborers' Protective Union, No. 8121, A. F. of L., meets in Fraternity Hall, Oddfellow's block, corner Baker and Kootenay streets, every Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. sharp. Visiting members of the American Federation cordially invited to attend. James Mathew, President. John Roberts, recording secretary.

NELSON PAINTERS' UNION—The regular meeting of the Painters' Union is held the first and third Fridays in each month at Miners' Union hall at 7:30 sharp. J. H. Millward, President; Will J. Hatch, Secretary

PLASTERERS' UNION—The O. P. I. A. No. 1 meets every Monday evening in the Elliot block, corner Baker and Stanley streets, at 8 o'clock. J. D. Mayer, president; Donald McLean, secretary.

COOKS' AND WAITERS' UNION—Regular meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, at 8 o'clock in Miners' Union hall. Visiting brethern cordially invited. C. F. Bell, president; J. P. Forestell, secretary-treasurer.

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. F. J. Bradley, C. C.; J. A. Paquette, K. of R. & S.

NELSON L. O. L., No. 1692, 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.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Province of British Columbia, Nelson, in West Kootenay, to wit:

By virtue of a writ of fieri-facias, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at the suit of the Bank of Montreal, plaintiffs, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels of the Two Friends Mine, Limited Liability, defendants, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title and interest of the said defendants, Two Friends Mine Limited Liability, in the mineral claim known as and called "Two Friends," situated on the divide between Lemon and Springer creeks, on the east slope of Lemon creek, located on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1895, and recorded in the office of the mining recorder for the Slocan City Mining Division of the West Kootenay District, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1895; and also all the right title and interest of the said defendants, Two Friends Mine, Limited Liability, in sixty (60) tons of ore, more or less, mined from the mineral claim "Two Friends," and now upon the property: To recover the sum of two thousand and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-five cents ($2,089.85) together with interest on two thousand and eighty-six dollars and thirty-five cents ($2086.35) at six per centum per annum, from the 26th day of September, 1900, until payment, besides sheriff's poundage, officer's fees, and all other legal incidental expenses: All of which I shall expose for sale, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said judgment, debt, and costs, at the front of my office next to the court house, in the city of Nelson, B. C., on Friday the 28th day of October, A. D., 1900 at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

NOTE.—Intending purchasers will satisfy themselves as to interest and title of the said defendants.

Dated at Slocan City the 12th day of October, 1900.

S. P. TUCK, Sheriff of South Kootenay.

The above sale is postponed until Monday, the 26th day of November, 1900, at the same place and hour.

S. P. TUCK,
Sheriff of South Kootenay.

The above sale is further postponed until Friday the 21st day of December, 1900, at the same place and hour.

S. P. TUCK,
Sheriff of South Kootenay.

"COMPANIES ACT 1897."

Notice is hereby given that the appointment of John Mallison Williams as attorney of "The Chapleau Consolidated Gold Mining Company, Limited," and of his substitute, Charles W. Graham Browning, has been revoked, and that Gabriel Lucien Robert Weyl, accountant of Nelson, B. C., has been appointed as the new attorney of the said company, and the registered office of the company has been changed to Observatory street, Nelson, B. C.

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Dated this 20th day of November, A. D., 1 90

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CITY LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Johnson, a business man of Toronto, Ontario, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church yesterpay.

Hon. Richard McBride, minister of mines, will be in Nelson today, and will leave for Rossland on the night train.

A. V. Mason of London, England, arrived in Nelson last week to assume the secretaryship of the Tramway company, in succession to T. Duncan, who is leaving the city shortly.

Large congregations attended the opening services at Emanuel Congregational church yesterday. Rev. William Munroe delivered interesting sermons, in which special reference was made to the occasion.

O. Meredith Jones, M.D., F.R.C.S., of Victoria was in the city yesterday in consultation with Dr. LaBau. An operation was successfully performed at the general hospital yesterday and Dr. Jones left last night for the Coast.

Several Nelson men recently requested THE TRIBUNE to determine a wager as to the statutory age of a candidate for the presidency of the United States. The constitution of the Union requires aspirants to be at least 35 years old.

J. A. Hunnex of Erie is a guest at the Queen's hotel. Mr. Hunnex is one of the Erie men now engaged in playing a game of chess by mail with the Nelson Chess and Checker Club. The match is progressing steadily and the outcome is awaited with interest.

The arbitrators in the matter of Beer vs. C. P. R. met on Saturday and determined upon an award which will be placed in writing and filed with the clerk of the supreme court to be delivered to either party on payment of the costs incurred. The arbitrators are W. E. Dowsing for the C. P. R., Dr. Hall for G. F. Beer and W. G. Goepel appointed by the court.

James Williams, superintendent at the Poorman mine, received a telegram on Saturday informing him that his brother-in-law, Harry Berryman, proprietor of the Bay View saloon at Vancouver, had died that morning as the result of an accidental gun shot wound. The deceased was known to many Nelsonites, having spent several weeks here last summer. Mr. Williams left for the coast at once.

No doubt one of the largest audiences of the season will greet professor Alexander tonight at the opera house. It is said that he is witty as the Irish, logical as the Scotch, and practical as the American. He is a Canadian by birth, and his success has been such that he was selected by Fowler & Wells Co., the greatest phrenological firm in the world, to represent them in the field. He will give public readings of four prominent subjects selected by the audience tonight.

Sir Charles Tupper is in Rossland with John Lawles of London, England, a member of the English house of commons. Mr. Lawles is president of the Velvet Mines, Limited, operating in Rossland and sir Charles is an extensive stockholder in the company, whose property they are visiting on a tour of inspection. The veteran Conservative leader has come through the severe political campaign with spirits undiminished and may deliver several addresses in this constituency.

KOOTENAYS NEED A JUDGE

Court Business Warrants It.

Each succeeding sitting of the supreme court at Nelson and Rossland emphasizes the necessity of having a judge of the supreme court resident in the Kootenays. During the recent sittings here and at the session now in progress in Rossland more legal business has been dispatched or is pending than has come up at Vancouver or Victoria in any ordinary year, this on the authority of an official who is familiar with the statistics. Such a condition of affairs would seem to justify a supreme court judge being located in the Kootenays when four are provided to hear cases at the coast.

The supreme court sitting at Rossland is still in session, Mr. justice Walkem presiding. Court has been in session daily for two weeks and is now in the midst of a jury trial which will be concluded on Tuesday. There then remain twelve cases on the docket, a couple of which are likely to take three or four days each, so that the sitting is likely to last well into December. During last week Mr. justice Walkem received a wire from the attorney-general's department requesting him to return for a full court sitting. This would have left the Rossland court only half finished and litigants would have been put to great inconvenience and loss. A meeting of the bar took place at which a resolution was adopted pointing out the injustice of suspending proceedings in the midst of a sitting and judge Walkem agreed with the legal fraternity. He arranged matters with the department and court went on uninterruptedly.

Among the last cases on the Rossland docket is that of Morley vs. city of Rossland. This is an appeal by Thomas Morley, manager of the Thompson Stationery Company's business in Nelson against a verdict given by a magistrate at Rossland, by which he was fined for selling goods in the city without obtaining a special trader's license as provided by the city's by-laws. The defence entered was that the goods sold by Mr. Morley were manufactured in British Columbia and were therefore not liable to the trade restrictions against goods made out of the province.

Mail Changes.

Outgoing mails are somewhat affected by the change of time between Nelson and Spokane. In future all mails for the east, Spokane and intermediate points will be closed in the post office at 6 o'clock in the morning, while the Kaslo mail closes at 7 o'clock each morning. The Spokane mail should arrive here almost an hour earlier than under the old schedule. When arrangements are made to carry the incoming eastern mail via Bonner's Ferry and Kuskonook the service will be much improved as the danger of missing the eastern mail carried by the Great Northern is reduced to a minimum.

Fireman Injured.

Arthur Pitchford, driver of the fire department, was painfully hurt on Saturday morning. He was driving the fire team for practice, having taken out the hose and ladder wagon for that purpose. In turning from Victoria street onto Stanley the wheels struck the street car tracks overturning the wagon. Pitchford was strapped to the seat and narrowly escaped serious injury. As it was both of his ankles were badly sprained and he will be unable to perform his duties for some time.

Work on the Royston.

The Royston Mines Limited has a small crew of men at work on its Morning mountain group. The tunnel on the vein is now in 45 feet, and the result of the assays from the face are awaited with interest. The tunnel is in ore, and is showing up well.

PERSONAL.

J. Lonsdale Doupe of the C. P. R. land department was in the city yesterday.

Thomas Taylor, M. L. A., of Trout Lake City is registered at the Hotel Phair.

D. T. Fielding of Rossland and Joseph Murray of Kaslo are at the Tremont hotel.

E. B. Braden of Spokane, representing the American Smelting Company is in the city today.

Oscar N. Lott of Kaslo and Thomas Kane of Northport are registered at the Queen's hotel.

Mrs. Hodder of Kaslo, who was a patient at the general hospital for several weeks, left for home Friday. She is fully recovered.

Chief Thompson of the fire department returned yesterday after spending a week at Halcyon springs. The chief is quite recovered from his recent illness.

Harry Atkins, one of the locators of the Juno group on Morning mountain, returned on Saturday after spending several months in Los Angeles county, California.

BUSINESS MENTION.

Cellar to Rent—Apply Merchants Bank of Halifax.

All kinds of ordinary sewing done at reasonable prices. Apply 234 Latimer street.

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

Don't forget the Nelson Furniture Store has good values in lace curtains, $1.00 a pair.

For Rent—Store in Tremont Hotel block. Apply to Malone & Tregillus, Tremont hotel.

For rent—Two-room house on Victoria street, block 37. Apply Matheson & Graham's barber shop.

For Sale—Two pair of good sleighs, with brakes. Apply W. C. McDean, corner Silica and Ward streets.

Large well furnished rooms to let. Apply rooms 1 and 5 Macdonald building, corner Josephine and Vernon streets.

For Sale—Piano by Evans Bros., Ingersoll. Cost $395.00. Natural oak finish. What offers? Apply W, this office.

There are still lots of good bargains in carpets at The Nelson Furniture Store, 40 cents per yard and up.

French gentleman wants furnished room in family where he could learn English. No objection to teaching French in return. Address Box 215, Nelson.

Wanted—convenient to center of city—two rooms and bathroom, with attendance, furnished or unfurnished. Write to A. M. Johnson, P. O. box 80, city.

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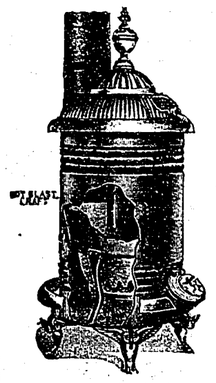

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The first annual supper of the Nelson Carpenters' Union will be held at the Victoria Hotel on

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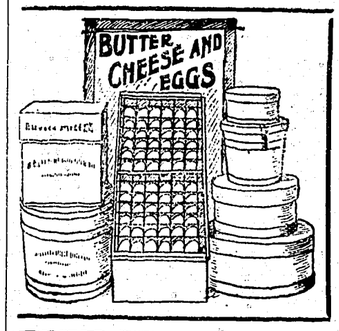

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Thanking you for past favors,

The West Kootenay Brick & Lime Co., Ltd.
T. G. PROCTER,
Late Managing Director

Nelson, B. C., 5th October, 1900.

To the Public . . .

Having taken over the business of the West Kootenay Brick & Lime Company, Limited, of Nelson, I beg to ask for a continuance of the patronage which you have heretofore extended them. My aim will be at all times to supply you with our products at lowest possible prices. Being in a position to manufacture goods in larger quantities than before, we shall be able to supply the trade at a lower figure.

It is our intention to install machinery to manufacture our marble products, and next season we shall be in a position to supply these products at reasonable rates.

We shall also keep on hand a stock of Fire Brick, Fire Clay, Tiles and Cement.

Our Bricks and Lime Rock have taken the First Prizes at the Spokane Industrial Exposition in 1899 and also this year. We also secured prizes last year and this year for Ornamental and Building Stone.

We are prepared to offer special rates to Contractors and Builders.

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