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AND NOW THE PALMETTO STRIKES IT

Managers of the Mine Sanguine They Have the Extension of the Queen Bess Vein.

WORK TO RESUME ON THE MARIAN---OTHER MINING NEWS

Following the recent strike on the Queen Bess mine comes the report of another discovery of mineral, this time on the Palmetto group an adjoining property owned by the Palmetto Mining Company and managed by A. W. Wright. A crosscut tunnel to tap the lead at a depth of about 50 feet came into an ore body which Mr. Wright states is two feet in width and of fine quality. The Palmetto was taken over by the present company about three years ago but was shut down for some time during the labor trouble. When work was resumed recently the crosscut was started to tap the vein, which it did as intended. Development is being continued steadily, and while the management is not stoping ore the ton or more of clean shipping ore taken out daily in the course of development is being carefully sacked and will be shipped during the winter. The Palmetto ore runs 140 to 150 ounces in silver and 60 per cent lead, and as the management is convinced they have the extension of the Queen Bess vein, the proposition is naturally regarded as one of the most promising in its particular section.

The Marian to Resume.

J. K. Clark of New Denver, a well known Slocan mining man, was in the city yesterday on business. He is manager of the Marian property on which work is to be resumed shortly. The Marian is a silver-lead property adjoining the California on the northeast and the Hartney on the southwest. It is in the same belt as the Bosun, Alpha and other well known properties. Touching his proposition Mr. Clark says: "The Marian is an excellent prospect." It is owned by E. L. Sawyer and J. G. Chapman of Toronto, who are said to be contemplating stocking the proposition. The ore is high grade and particularly strong in lead values, the latter being said to average 70 per cent, while the silver values usually run as high as 150 ounces. A considerable amount of work has been done on the Marian and several carloads of ore are sacked ready for shipment. This will be got out when work is resumed early in January. On the California a small crew is at work steadily, and a crew of 15 to 20 is at work on the Hartney group which gives every indication of becoming one of the leading producers in the New Denver camp. The Hartney has been developed extensively for over a year and when it commences shipping, which may be the case this winter, will have an extensive ore body in sight and be in a position to make heavy shipments.

From the Kaslo Group.

George Gurd has returned from a visit to the Kaslo group on the south fork of Carpenter creek which he is working under bond for an eastern syndicate. He brought back a number of handsome samples of dry ore and states that the property is looking well. A new tunnel has been started to form a third level and this is projected to tap the vein at about 650 feet. The second crosscut opened into ten inches of ore which runs 400 to 800 ounces of silver. The values are found in stephanite, a sulphide of silver of an iron black color otherwise known as black silver or brittle silver ore. An upraise has been started between No. 2 and No. 1 levels for the purpose of exploring the ore body, and the completion of this work will be awaited with interest. The ore can be readily sorted by hand, the difference in weight between that containing values and the barren rock being perceptible at once. A feature of the vein is that sections of galena, resembling closely the high grade product of the Slocan Sovereign, a promising adjoining property, are found frequently. This would seem to indicate the presence of a vein of galena, probably in close proximity to the dry ore. At the other end of the group from where operations are being carried on at the present time is a strong vein of galena which is to be developed next spring. Considerable ore is being taken out of the Kaslo in the course of development and the high grade quality is being sacked away for shipment at a later date. An experiment will be made shortly as to the best method of treating the dry ore from the Kaslo. A couple of systems are said to be practicable, one being that of crushing the rock and washing away the silicates as is done in Mexico, while the second is a new idea of an apparatus on the ground to smelt the ore, utilizing the sulphides as a flux. Adjoining the Kaslo and further up hill are the Trade Dollar and Sunset properties, both of which are shipping and promise to be permanent producers. Further up stream is the Mountain Cow, recently acquired by an English syndicate, and described as a promising proposition. Also in the same district is the Vulture on which a parallel vein is now being tapped by a crosscut. The Vulture is to ship this fall.

A Deal at Ainsworth.

A deal was closed recently at Ainsworth whereby A. D. Westby of Minneapolis, Minnesota, acquired the Golden Nugget group on the north fork of Crawford creek from Charles D. Taylor, the locator and owner. The group includes the Golden Nugget, Bryan and Atlanta claims and is regarded as an excellent prospect in a district which gives indications of eventually becoming an extensive producer. Two veins cross the claims, one carrying gold values and the other silver. The former is four feet in width and can be traced for 200 feet, while the second vein is traceable for 1000 feet and is claimed to run 200 ounces of silver. The negotiations were closed too late for development to be started this winter and operations are therefore postponed until spring. The group is a mile east and almost on the same ridge as the well known Pontiac property. Elias Fitterling of Minneapolis, who is identified with Mr. Westby in the Golden Nugget deal, is also interested in the district. He is part owner with Norman Perkins, superintendent of the United States postal car service between Chicago and Spokane, of the Blue Bird property which they acquired about a year ago. Development will probably be commenced on the Blue Bird also next summer.

On the Mountain Con.

The Mountain Con group, located about four miles up the south fork of Carpenter creek from Cody, is a proposition about which much has been said during the last few weeks. In this period W. W. Warner of Sandon, who held a lease and bond on the three claims comprising the group, turned his title over to an English syndicate at a figure said to be $25,000, of which $5000 was paid down. The new owners have been in possession for three weeks and a comfortable camp has been constructed with the object in view of continuing work all winter. During Warner's regime he shipped three cars of ore which netted him a trifle over $7000, from which an idea of the possibilities of the property may be deduced. The name is rather odd, and so far as THE TRIBUNE has been able to learn no one seems to know where the word Con is derived from. It is not an abbreviation of consolidated, but may allude to the view obtainable from the property or any other of the half dozen meanings attached to the expression.

Chapleau Mill Works Well.

Lucien Weyl, acting manager of the Chapleau mine, came down from the property yesterday after a couple of weeks absence, in the course of which the company's mill was started. Mr. Weyl states that the mill is running smoothly and that matters at the mine are progressing most satisfactorily. The machinery was got into running order quickly, and after the end of this month a close record will be kept of the mill in order to make a test run. The apparatus is handling 25 tons of ore daily.

The Molly Gibson Shipments.

The Molly Gibson mine is now shipping a carload of ore daily to the smelter. The output averages eighty ounces and nets the management a neat daily income. The enlarged underground crew is at work and everything is in splendid shape at the property for a successful winter's operations.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

MONDAY'S QUOTATIONS.

STOCK.	Asked.	Bid
Athabasca	$ 5 75	$ 4 62
B. C. Gold Fields	3½	2½
Black Tail	12	9
Brandon & Golden Crown	9	4
Butte & Boston	3	1
Canadian Goldfields Syndicate	8½	7½
Cariboo Hydraulic	1 52	1 46
Centre Star	1 47	1 42
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	63 50	59 00
California	8½	6½
Evening Star	7½	5½
Fairview Corporation	2¾	2½
Golden Star	2½	2
Giant	3	2½
Iron Mask	28	22
Jim Blaine	10	5
King	6	3
Knob Hill	58	45
Lone Pine-Surprise Consolidated	10	5
Monte Christo	3	1½
Montreal & London	6¾	5½
Morning Glory	10	7½
Morrison	3½	2½
Noble Five	5	2½
North Star	95½	93½
Novelty	1	...
Old Ironsides	30	45
Olive	14	10½
Payne	83	81½
Princess Maud	3	1
Rambler-Cariboo Consolidated	26½	25½
Republic	63½	61½
Slocan Sovereign	7	3
Vananda	2½	2½
Virtue	31	30
War Eagle Consolidated	1 05	1 02
Waterloo	2½	2½
White Bear	4	3
Winnipeg	3½	2½

SALES.

31 Athabasca	$ 4 70
125 Fairview	2
15 0 White Bear	2
150 0 Monte Christo	1½
1000 Vananda	2½
1000 Rambler	35½
1200 Hammond Reef	14

FOR FILIPINO GOVERNMENT

Politics in Manila.

MANILA, December 17.—The first political party under the American regime is in process of formation. Its principles have been embodied in a platform which will shortly be made public. It is understood that the declarations of the platform give the fullest recognition to American sovereignty and also favor a considerable degree of native autonomy in internal and local affairs. Several of the most intelligent Filipino leaders, who have been instrumental in bringing the matter to a head, have been in conference with those interested and the platform will be outlined in the Philippine commission by senor Ruencamino, former premier in the so-called government of Aguinaldo, and Dr. Frank E. Bourne, an American, formerly chief surgeon with the rank of major and health officer of Manila. Mr. Bourne was with Prof. Deane of Worcester prior to the American occupation and has confidential relations with the Filipino leaders. The commissioners are not likely to give public expression to their views regarding the formation of political parties, but the principles of the new organization so far as made known seem to be favored by intelligent Filipinos.

Fought in the Mud.

The big corporation road roller had a stiff fight with the mud yesterday. The apparatus was being moved to Baker street west and had to pass the corner of Ward street, where no macadam has been laid and the mud has collected ankle deep. The machine could not get through with smooth shod driving wheels and the engineer substituted the spikes for the flat plugs. Thus armed the roller made the trip with flying colors before a couple hundred citizens who gathered to witness the performance.

All Six Failed to Show Up.

There was no meeting of the city council last night, none of the aldermen putting in an appearance. As the mayor cannot do business alone, or with the assistance of the city clerk and THE TRIBUNE and Miner reporters, an adjournment was taken. A special meeting will be called some time during the week to pass the accounts and payrolls, in order that the city employees can enjoy Christmas with a few dollars in their pockets.

Movement of Boers.

CAPE TOWN, December 17.—Several hundred Boers have crossed from Orange River Colony into Cape Colony near Aliwal North and have reached Kahadaal.

BATTLE OF HEAVYWEIGHTS

MAHER AND RUHLIN SPAR SIX FIERCE ROUNDS.

The Fight Was Witnessed by Four Thousand People---Ruhlin Wins. The Fight by Rounds.

PHILADELPHIA, December 17.—Gus Ruhlin, tonight, at the Pennsylvania Athletic Club, bested Peter Maher in one of the fastest fights between heavyweights that has been seen for some time. The bout was limited to six rounds, and under the local law forbidding any decision being announced by the referee, the judgment as to the outcome was left to the audience. Ruhlin did most of the leading and several times during the fight had Maher very tired. The bout was witnessed by 4000 people.

Round 1.—Maher led with left and they clinched. Ruhlin led with right and Maher countered. Ruhlin led with left and Maher landed with right on Ruhlin's jaw and they clinched, followed by an exchange of right and left. Gus sends left on Maher's ear, followed by clinch. Ruhlin forced the Irishman to the ropes. Maher landed right on Gus' heart and Gus sends upper cut on Peter's jaw as the bell rang.

Round 2—Gus led with short left to body and Peter sends right to Gus' body. Gus landed left on the side of the Irishman's head. Then they mixed things up and both went to the ropes. Peter landed left to jaw and Gus right to wind. Maher fell short and Gus sent another to Peter's wind. Both clinched. Gus sent left to face and Maher seemed tired. Ruhlin landed right over heart followed by a clinch. An exchange and Maher sent his left to Ruhlin's wind, Gus following with a right on Peter's jaw.

Round 3.—Both ducked leads and Peter landed right on jaw. Gus sent hard left to jaw. Peter retaliated. Gus crossed right to jaw and another hard right to ear. Ruhlin feinted and landed right on ear and left to wind. Both clinched.

Round 4.—Gus landed left on wind. Both clinched, Gus crossing right to jaw and jabbed left on nose and they clinched. Peter sent left on face and Gus left and right to face and followed with right to wind. Gus landed heavily on jaw and repeated. They clinched and an exchange was followed by two lefts by Gus on the jaw. A clinch and Maher sent left to jaw as bell rang.

Round 5—The round opened with a clinch. Gus after a light right on the face sent left uppercut on Maher's jaw, which sent him reeling. Maher sent left to jaw and they clinched. Gus landed right on neck and left on jaw followed with uppercut, which staggered Maher. Gus sent left and right to face and straight left on Maher's head as bell rang.

Round 6—Gus did all the leading in the early part, Maher sending left to head. Gus landed right on heart and right and left to face. A series of exchanges and Gus sent right and left to jaw. Peter landed right on jaw and Gus left and right to face, followed by a left and right to jaw, and another similar couple.

Records Lost.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—It is said at the navy department that a serious loss has been suffered by the navy department by the fire at Norfolk navy yard yesterday. The money loss is of secondary importance, as the fire destroyed valuable records that cannot be replaced and many necessary plans which can only be replaced at much expense and time.

Narrow Escape.

PEKIN, December 17.—While a number of German officers were dining today they narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation in the fumes of a Chinese stove. Four out of the seven were partly insensible for more than half an hour. Fortunately all recovered. The stoves in this country are a constant source of danger.

A New Departure.

MONTREAL, December 17.—The C. P. R. have arranged to make a complete record of its staff, giving an official list of every man and where employed by the system. Promotions will be made as far as possible from this staff and by merit. Manly also announces that evening classes in stenography and telegraphy will be established in Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver and Toronto to give the juniors an opportunity for qualifying for promotion.

Milner's Change of Residence.

LONDON, December 17.—The colonial office, in announcing that sir Alfred Milner succeeds lord Roberts as administrator of the conquered territory in South Africa, says his taking up his residence at Johannesburg on account of his health must not be regarded as a settlement of the capital question.

Hanged the Third.

BONNEVILLE, December 17.—John Roll, the third of the colored men implicated in the murder of Ollie Simmons, was hung to a tree in the court house yard by a mob of about 100 men from Rockport this evening. Two of his companions were lynched at Rockport last night for the same crime.

Vessel in Danger.

SEATTLE, December 17.—The Pacific Coast Company's steamer City of Topeka is ashore in Lynn canal with strong prospects of becoming a total wreck. There was no loss of life.

Old Li Is Sick.

BERLIN, December 17.—A dispatch received here from Pekin December 16th says Li Hung Chang is suffering from influenza. The dispatch also denies that the dowager empress is going to Cheng Tu, province of Sze Chun.

ONE OF BLAINE'S TREATIES

A Question of Extradition.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—In the United States supreme court today there were two counter motions in the habeas corpus cases of Fred Lee Rice, R. Rutledge and Thomas Jess, which cases involve the extradition treaty of 1899, between the United States and Great Britain, negotiated by secretary Blaine for the United States and sir Julian Pauncefote for Great Britain. Mr. S. H. Trude of Chicago, representing the petitioners, moved that they be admitted to bail and the attorney for the British consul moved to dismiss or affirm the decision of the court below, and failing in that that the case be admitted to an early hearing. The case comes to the supreme court on appeal from the decision of the circuit court for the northern district of Illinois and involves a number of interesting questions. The motion to admit to bail is exceptional in the supreme court and is in itself an innovation. The petitioners were arraigned for having committed a bank robbery in Ontario and are now confined in a Chicago prison on the charge. The extradition is sought under section 6 of the treaty, which requires that the extradition of British subjects shall be secured by proceedings in conformity with the laws in force in the surrounding states.

Afraid to Stir Up Dreyfus Affair.

PARIS, December 17.—In the chamber of deputies today during the debate on the amnesty bill, Mr. Vaveille, radical Socialist, representing one of Louvre districts, moved an amendment excluding false witnesses from its provisions. The premier, M. Waldeck Rosseau, replied that the effect of the amendment would be to stir up the whole Dreyfus affair again and the Republican party would find itself confronted by points it had already overcome and which it would be unpardonable to resuscitate.

Another Strike.

SHAMOKIN, Pennsylvania, December 17.—Twelve hundred men and boys of the Natal colliery, operated by the Shamokin colliery, struck today because sixteen blacksmiths and carpenters had not received the ten per cent increase in wages.

Bubonic Plague in Montevideo

BUENOS AYRES, December 17.—Five cases of what is believed to be bubonic plague have developed in Lucuman.

A fine cougar skin is on exhibition at McLachlan Brothers' store on Baker street. The animal was shot recently at Erie.

PROVINCIAL AND DOMINION NEWS

Smallpox Cases at Vancouver Thought to Have Been Contracted at Skagway.

ELECTION PROTESTS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY, ETC.

VANCOUVER, December 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Two cases of smallpox were located today and the patients (brothers) named Saint were removed to the isolation hospital. The infection was probably contracted at Skagway.

Several miles of dike was partially washed away on Lulu island and Fraser river delta by a very heavy storm on Saturday night and Sunday. Twenty thousand dollars' worth is the estimate of damage done.

Two large burglaries were committed in Vancouver and Westminster on Sunday night. At the latter place several hundreds of dollars' worth of jewelry was taken from Theer brothers' store.

Marriage Invalid.

MONTREAL, December 17.—Rome having confirmed the decision of the Quebec religious authorities that the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Delpit was illegal on the grounds that both being Catholics they had no right to be married by a Protestant minister, Delpit is taking proceedings to have the decision given civil effect by the courts of this province. Mrs. Delpit declares that should the case go against her it will be carried as far as the privy council. She contends she is and was at the time of her marriage a Protestant. The church decides she was not. The couple have three children.

Election Protests.

TORONTO, December 17.—The election protests in Ontario only number nine. Five by Liberals against Conservatives: Birkett, Ottawa; McNeill, North Bruce; Fulton, North Wellington; Pringle, Cornwall and Stormont, and Thornton, West Durham. The four Conservative petitions against Liberals are: Ross, South Ontario; Belcourt, Ottawa, and a claim of West Durham seat for Thornton and of Nipissing seat for Klock. This is the smallest number ever filed after an election. Both sides had others but dropped them by consent.

ST. JOHN, New Brunswick, December 17.—The New Brunswick Conservatives have protested York, Sunbury and Queens, and two St. Johns seats—Alberta and Westmorland. The Liberals have protested Kings, Restigouche and Charlotte.

MONTREAL, December 17.—A protest has been filed against the elections of J. A. C. Ethier, M. P. for Two Mountains, and George Loy of Reahurnes, both Liberals.

Inquiry Ordered.

QUEBEC, December 17.—An inquiry has been ordered into the charges preferred against certain officers of the 17th Levis battalion, who are accused of falsifying pay rolls of the regiment. The inquiry was demanded by officers of the regiment not inculcated in the charges. Lieutenant-Colonel Vien, captain L. Duplessis and captain Davidson has been named as a board of inquiry.

Promoted to Lieutenancy.

MONTREAL, December 17.—Private Hay S. Mitchell, of No. 3 company, third regiment Victoria Rifles, and member of E company 1st contingent, was notified this morning of his appointment by the war office to a second lieutenancy in the 3rd battalion, Middlesex, as a reward for distinguished services in the field.

Laurier Visits New York.

MONTREAL, December 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, accompanied by lady Laurier, solicitor general Fitzpatrick and Miss Fitzpatrick left tonight for New York to spend the Christmas holidays.

Health Recovered.

MONTREAL, December 17.—Dr. Kennedy, chief medical officer of the C. P. R. road, who has been ill in the royal Victoria hospital for some weeks, left for home today.

Insurance Companies Consolidate.

TORONTO, December 17.—The Traders' Life and Accident Company of St. Thomas has been absorbed by the Continental Insurance Company of Toronto.

Municipal Ownership.

WOODSTOCK, Ontario, December 17.—The town council today purchased the electric light plant from the company for $14,000 and will run it under municipal ownership.

Back From South Africa.

MONTREAL, December 17.—Sir Charles Ross, who has spent the last twelve months in South Africa, has returned home.

Made a Chevalier.

MONTREAL, December 17.—E. Galibert of Montreal has been nominated to the grade of chevalier in the Legion of Honor by the French government.

Arguing on the Canal Bill.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—Just before adjournment, late this afternoon, the senate gave its consent to a fixing of a definite time to vote upon the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Senators Munroe and Mason had occupied the time of the executive session in making speeches upon the treaty and when Mr. Mason, who was the last speaker, concluded, senator Lodge renewed his request to take a vote next Thursday. No voice was raised in opposition and the unanimous agreement was recorded. The understanding is that the voting shall be on the amendments at 3 o'clock and that the senate shall continue in session until the treaty itself is reached. Senator Munroe talked for two hours, contending for the right of the United States to act in this matter independently of other nations. Senator Mason spoke in support of his suggested amendment authorizing the United States to defend the canal as it may deem proper in case it constructs it.

Investigation Ordered.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—In view of the wide publicity of the charges against the administration of the United States district court of Alaska, and especially the mining laws of Cape Nome, Alaska, Mr. Carter of Montana today introduced a resolution in the senate directing the committee on judiciary to investigate the question. By the resolution they are directed to investigate the conduct of the judge of the district court of Alaska located at St. Michael and to report to the senate the names of all persons connected with the litigation before the court concerning which any complaints have been or may be made.

Burned the Village.

MANILA, December 17.—Advices just received from Iloilo, island of Panay, say that the insurgents Saturday night burned a large part of the village of Cabatuan. Assistant surgeon F. A. Washburn of the 26th Volunteer infantry, with 18 men, held the principal buildings. A strong wind was blowing at the time. The Americans sustained no casualties.

Fast Torpedo Boat.

NEW LONDON, Connecticut, December 17.—The new torpedo boat Bailey made the fastest time on record for a United States vessel on her preliminary trip at Newport, Rhode Island, last week. Over a standard knot the Bailey made it in exactly one minute and fifty-eight seconds after three trials. The official speed run will be held in Long Island sound this week. The boat will have to make sixty knots in two hours to cover the requirements of the contract of the government.

The Great Northern tunnel under the Cascade mountains is now open for traffic. It took over three years to construct this tunnel.

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Regular price, $12.50
Xmas snap, - 9.75

Your choice of a Tweed, Worsted or Serge Suit
Regular price, $14.00
Xmas snap, - 10.75

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THE merchants of no town in Canada will make a larger or better display of their wares during the holidays than will the merchants of Nelson. This town has more than a local reputation for its splendid stores, and the merchants are bound that they will maintain the town's reputation.

THE Sandon Paystreak admits that there is a smelter trust in the United States, and that no competition in the purchase of Slocan ore need be looked for from that quarter, but it contends that the smelters in Canada are also in the trust. If that is true, is it not better for Canadians to be cinched by Canadians than robbed by Americans?

THE Bonnington Falls Power Company crowd are just a trifle surprised to find that Frank Fletcher will oppose the candidate they brought out for mayor. Mr. Fletcher's record in the council is not at all satisfactory to the Bonnington Falls Power Company. They want men in the city council who will split hairs over technicalities, not men who will say: "The City of Nelson will have no "competitor in a business that the "city is engaged in."

ACCORDING to statistics compiled by the officials of the United States mint at San Francisco, the gold mines of the Klondyke produced over $21,000,000 this year, every dollar of which was assayed or minted in the United States. This goes to show the great advantage that would accrue to the business interests of Canada were the gold mined in Canada marketed in Canada. Were assay offices established at Victoria and Vancouver, the merchants of these towns would get the bulk of the trade incident to the selling of gold that now goes to Seattle and San Francisco. A government that does not protect the interests of its own people is not doing its full duty, and if the Laurier government does not establish assay offices at both Vancouver and Victoria at an early date it will not be doing its full duty to the people of Canada.

An Outside Opinion.

Lardeau Eagle.

The general get-up, streets, etc., of Nelson would do credit to any town in Canada. Mayor Houston's progressive ideas of municipal government are all right, whatever his personal faults may be. Any man who holds higher ideals of government than the average citizen is too often jumped upon because of jealousy rather than because there is any real grievance. It seems to be human nature. Any person living a public life, especially those who entertain ideas of legislation which are beneficial alike to all, may expect to be made a mark for every Tom, Dick and Harry's criticism. It is an easy matter to misconstrue the actions of anyone and attribute all kinds of motives; but it is not so dead easy to find men who have backbone enough to carry out a certain policy in the face of every opposition. This western country needs more men of back-bone and common sense, and as distasteful as it may be to a few jealous disgruntled weak-kneed fault-finders, the general principles must be adhered to to ensure protection from greedy private corporations. A man may have faults in his personal make-up (who has not?) but so long as he sticks to principles which the best of economic students contend are right and just, he is entitled to the hearty support of all in helping to bring about a perfection of that system. For this reason, in the absence of a known better qualification, John Houston should consent to remain mayor of Nelson. He has just commenced the idea of municipal ownership and control of municipal utilities, and he should be allowed to carry out his purpose, if Nelson wishes to retain the high position it already holds in Kootenay.

Mining Records.

Yesterday's mining records were: Transfers: The Shiloh claim on Bear creek ¾ of a mile from Ymir, by Andrew Dods to the Silver Crown Consolidated Mining Company.

Certificates of improvements: To the Silver Crown Consolidated Mining Co. on the Shiloh claim.

Locations: The Ida Elmore on the east side of Forty-nine creek, by W. A. Johnson, the Comstock on Beaver creek, by Edward and G. G. Peters, M. E. Taylor and Samuel Thomas, the Copper Leaf on Falls creek, by P. Cunningham.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NELSON:

At the request of a number of electors, I have decided to offer myself as a candidate for mayor at the coming civic elections. I have served as alderman two years of the four during which the city has been conducting its own affairs, and my record while in the council on the questions that are now the most important issues before the people of the city is such as will bear inspection.

I believe that the city has valuable assets in the water and electric light systems, and while in the council I did everything possible to safeguard these assets; and if elected mayor no act or vote of mine will be in favor of allowing any outside corporate interest to become a competitor with the city in the business of electric lighting, a business in which the city has already invested $70,000.

While in the council in 1897, I voted in favor of incorporating a fair wage clause in all contracts, and that principle was carried out in both letter and spirit. I see no reason to change my views on that question now. And I believe, further, that with competent foremen and superintendence that the city can get as good value for the money spent by having the great bulk of its work done by day's labor as by the contract system, and no good reason can be advanced why the city should not pay the same rate of wages and work men the same number of hours as prevails in private enterprises.

I am in favor of giving the business and property interests every safeguard possible, and to that end I believe the fire department should be made as efficient as possible, consistent with the revenues of the city.

Nelson should be kept in advance of its rivals, and everything possible must be done to induce manufacturing enterprises to locate here, for it is the payrolls that build up the cities of today.

Nelson, a western city, is as orderly and law abiding as eastern cities. This is because the people of Nelson are tolerant. I believe that this spirit of toleration should be continued, and I will if elected mayor do no act to abridge or curtail the rights or privileges of one class of our citizens merely because another class may have different views.

The city has made a start in permanent street improvements, and I am in favor of continuing these improvements as fast as possible, with due regard to the revenues of the city.

If elected mayor, I am in a position and will pledge myself to devote my time to the conduct of the city's business.

FRANK FLETCHER.

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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. C. P. LOUDIN.

NOTICE

Anybody knowing the whereabouts of Richard Morton will confer a favor upon his anxious and enquiring relatives by communicating the same to the undersigned who is in direct communication with them.

JAMES WILKS,
Secretary Nelson Miners' Union

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CURRENT RATE OF INTEREST PAID.

Coinage of Silver Resumed.

Denver (Colorado) Mining Reporter.

Upon the closing of the Indian mints in 1893 to the free coinage of silver rupees, the government, who had accumulated quite a stock of gold, decreed that the rupee should be considered as the equivalent of 19 ½ English pennies in gold, and that all rupees brought to the mints would be exchanged for gold coin at that figure, which was the equivalent of 48½ cents American currency. All rupees so redeemed were at once melted down to bars and sold for gold at the commodity value of silver at the time of sale, and all gold so obtained was added to the redemption fund and used to buy more rupees. Of course this produced more or less contraction of the rupee circulation, and resulted in something of a loss to the government; as the commodity value of silver was always less than its coinage value. But it was believed that this loss would be easily borne if fluctuation in the value of the rupee could be stopped, and if gold could be forced into circulation. However, very few silver coins were—after the first few months of the new regulations—offered for redemption, only such in fact as represented net payments abroad; and as the general balance of trade has been uniformly in favor of India, such were light. After seven years of trial, the government has been forced to abandon the scheme, and is now coining rupees as fast as it was awhile ago engaged in destroying them. This is one of the circumstances that have caused the price of silver to advance. The demand for silver coinage in India is now said to be so strong that the government has been compelled to resume rupee coinage to prevent financial disaster. In other words, the efforts to introduce gold coinage among the people of India is so far a failure.

Dowie Again in Trouble.

LONDON, December 17.—The reverend William De Ronden Pos is taking legal action against John Alexander Dowie, the zionist of Chicago, claiming that he was libeled in the issue of "Leaves of Healing" of October 16th in which the reverend Mr. Pos is accused of fraud and immorality. Counsel for the plaintiff describes Mr. Dowie as a British subject and said he was now in Paris on his way to Switzerland, and asked for the court's permission to serve a writ out for its jurisdiction. Leave was granted subject to Mr. Dowie having liberty to appeal against the order.

Cannot Understand It.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—Such reports as the state department has had from Mr. Conger up to the present fail to develop a satisfactory reason for the insistence of the British upon amending the Pekin agreement on the one hand, or for the action of the foreign ministers in acceding to the amendment on the other. A close perusal of the British suggestion still fails to show that it is in any sense material. As already stated, it appears to be nothing more than the elimination of an explanatory phrase which in no degree affects the action proposed in the section of the agreement to which the amendment applies. Thus the action is left to stand by itself without a statement of reason which would even qualify or limit the action, which in this case relates to the punishment of the Boxer leaders. Consequently it is believed here that this disagreement will be merely temporary and the most serious consequence be another delay at a moment when the worst phase of the negotiations seems to have passed safely.

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Death Penalty Provided.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—Representative Ray of New York today introduced a bill for the suppression of train robberies in the territories of the United States and elsewhere. It provides the death penalty for those guilty of a "hold-up" in case the death of any person on the train results. In case no one is killed the penalty is hard labor from twenty to thirty years.

Confirms the Report.

LONDON, December 17.—General Kitchener in a dispatch received by the war office confirms the previous dispatch from Aliwal North, Cape Colony, of last night announcing the capture of a detachment of Brabant's horse, December 13, near Sastron, Grange River Colony, and says 107 men were made prisoners on the occasion.

Will Vote on Thursday.

WASHINGTON, December 17.—The senate has reached an agreement to vote on the Hay-Pauncefote treaty next Thursday morning, and on the amendments at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Soon to Become a Mother.

ROME, December 17.—A message asserts that the king of Italy, Victor Emmanual, has informed the premier, signor Saracco, that the queen will become a mother about six months hence.

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Cellar to Rent—Apply Merchants Bank of Halifax.

Boy Wanted—Good, smart boy wanted at Fred Irvine & Co.'s.

For Sale—Furnished rooms. Apply Mrs. Nelson, Carney block.

If you want to buy or sell anything go to the "Old Curiosity Shop."

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

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

Wanted—A first-class foreman for granite quarry near Nelson. Apply John Gunn, Robson.

Girls want situations, waitresses, chambermaids, housework. Nelson Employment Office, Baker street.

Wanted—Position as bookkeeper or any clerical position. Good references. Apply T. B. C., Tribune office.

If Joe Rushon will communicate with the Cabinet cigar store, Baker street, he will learn of something to his advantage.

For Sale—A new house, very convenient, modern improvements, easy terms. Apply A. E. Clarke, Stanley and Carbonate streets

Wanted—One or two furnished rooms, suitable for young man and wife; centrally located preferred. Apply S. M., Tribune office.

To Rent or For Sale—Residence of F. W. Peters. Will rent furnished for two months or sell. Apply to H. A. Laugford, tramway office.

Wanted—Position in store, grocery or gent's furnishings, by young man, five years' experience. Good references. I. M., Tribune office.

Lost, yesterday, a pocket book containing a ten dollar bank note and some receipts. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to A. Enstead, P. O. box 168, Nelson.

For sale—Lot 10, block 17, 30 foot frontage on Victoria street, two houses on property. Price $2800, terms easy. Address Frank G. Graham, care of Matheson & Graham's barber shop.

Miss Von Der Werth—Clairvoyant, palmist and card reading. Gives advice on commercial business and mining; reunites unhappy lovers and broken-up families. Room 1, over Thomson Stationery Company.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

The regular meeting of the Nelson Trades and Labor Assembly will be held in the Miners' Union hall on Thursday evening, December 20th, at 8 o'clock. All delegates are requested to attend.
J. H. MATHESON, Secretary.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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

By virtue of a warrant of execution issued out of the county court of Kootenay, holden at Nelson, at the suit of Robert Heddle, plaintiff, and to me directed against the goods and chattels of James Leonard Stamfo d, defendant, I have seized and taken into execution all the right, title and intere t of the said defendant, James Leonard Stamford, in about fourteen thousand two hundred and fifty (14,250) shares, more or less, of the stock of the Venus Gold Mining Company, Limited, non-personal liability; to recover the sum of three hundred and sixty-four d l ars and twenty cents ($364.20), amount of said execution, besides sheriff's poundage, officers' fees, and all the other legal incidental expenses; all of which I shall expose for sale, or sufficient thereof to satisfy said judgment debt and costs, at my office, next to the court house, in the City of Nelson, B. C., on Wednesday, the ninth day of January next, A.D. 1901, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Note.—Intending purchasers will satisfy themselves as to interest and title of the said defendant.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., 18th day of December, 1900.

S. P. TUCK, Sheriff of South Kootenay.

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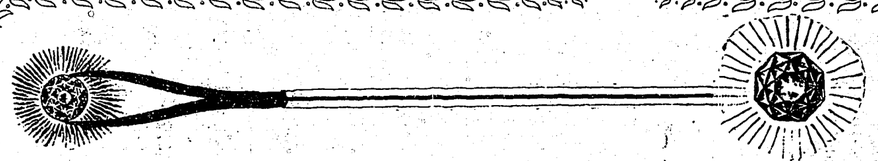

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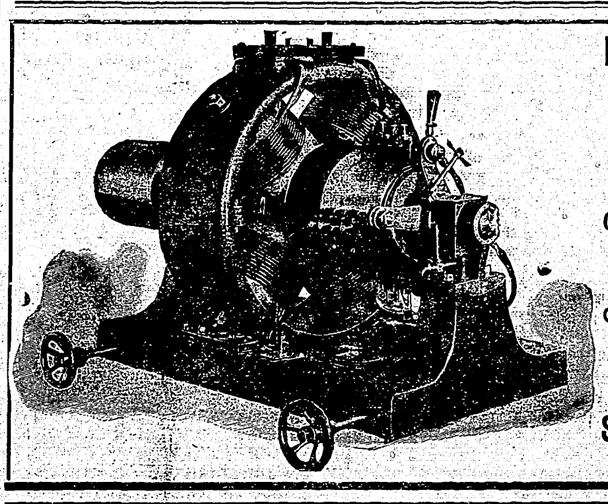

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It is our intention to install machinery to manufacture our marble products, and next season we shall be in a position to supply these products at reasonable rates.

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

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To GEO. H. LAMMERS, J. R. CRANSON, or to any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Harvey Joy mineral claim, at Morning Mountain, Nelson Mining Division.

You are hereby notified that I have expended One Hundred Dollars in labor and improvements upon the above mentioned mineral claim, in order to hold said mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within ninety days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in said claim will become the property of the subscriber, under section four of an Act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900." SILAS H. CROSS.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1900.

ENGINEERS.

CHARLES PARKER—Mining and milling engineer. Turner-Hoekh Block, Baker street, Nelson.

TRADES UNIONS.

NELSON MINERS' UNION NO. 96, W. F. of M.—Meets in miners' union rooms, northeast corner Victoria and Kootenay streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. M. R. Mowatt, President. James Wilkes, Secretary. 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. R. McMahon, president; J. H. Matheson, secretary-treasurer; J. C. Gardner, recording 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 of 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. 172, meets every Monday evening in the Elliot block, corner Baker and Stanley streets, at 8 o'clock. J. D. Moyer, 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 brethren 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.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, etc., Nelson, B. C.," will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 2nd January, 1901, inclusively, for the erection of a Post Office, etc., at Nelson, B. C., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of James Allan Macdonald, Esquire, architect, Nelson, B. C.; G. A. Keefer, Esquire, resident engineer, New Westminster, B. C.; William Henderson, Esquire, clerk of works, Victoria, B. C., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
JOS. R. ROY,
Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 3rd December, 1900

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for it.

BUREAU OF PROVINCIAL INFORMATION

In order that the Government may be in possession of definite information with which to supply those seeking investments in this Province, I am instructed to invite particulars from those who have properties for sale, and who may feel disposed to forward such particulars to this office for the purpose in question.

In view of the proposed early reorganization of the Agent-General's Office in London, England, the desirability of having on file a list of farms and other properties for sale, with full and accurate details is obvious. Properties submitted may include farms and farm lands, industrial or commercial concerns, timber limits, water powers, or other enterprises affording opportunities for legitimate investment.

It is not proposed to recommend properties to intending investors, but to afford the fullest access to the classified lists and all available information connected therewith, and to place inquirers in communication with the owners.

The fullest particulars are desired not only of the properties themselves, but of the localities in which they are situated, and the conditions affecting them. For this purpose printed schedules will, upon application, be forwarded to those desirous of making sales.

R. E. GOSNELL,
Secretary Bureau of Provincial Information.
Victoria, B. C., November 16th, 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,
Agent for William Griffiths.

MUSIC.

Mrs. D. B. Murray, graduate in vocal and instrumental music, is now prepared to receive pupils for instruction in voice culture, Italian method, also piano and organ.

For terms and further particulars apply room 5, A. Macdonald building, corner Josephine and Vernon street.

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 26th 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, 1 00, 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.

ELLIOT & LENNIE,
Solicitors for the Company.

Dated this 20th day of November, A. D., 1900.

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OVERCOATS offered at from 10 to 25% Discount.
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Always willing to show Goods. No trouble. Every Garment Guaranteed.

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HONDI CEYLON TEA

We have just received a large consignment of the celebrated Hondi tea, direct from the gardens. It is easily the best tea in the market and is sold with a guarantee. Money refunded if not found satisfactory.

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Telephone 161.
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List of second-hand machinery on hand, which has been thoroughly overhauled and is as good as new:
1 2½-H. P. Locomotive-type boiler, with engine attached and all fittings, ready to turn on steam.
1 6"x8" Double-Cylinder Friction Drain-Hoist, built by Ingersoll Co.
1 Sinking Pump, No. 5 Cameron, New York.
1 Sinking Pump, 10"x5"x13", outside packed plunger pattern.

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Agents for Northey Pumps. Stock carried.

P. O. Box 198. THIRD AVENUE, ROSSLAND.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in virtue of the Act of the Dominion Parliament, 63 and 64 Victoria, Chapter 103 and Chapter 104, the name of

THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF HALIFAX

will be changed to

The Royal Bank of Canada

from and after the Second day of January, 1901.

E. L. PEASE,
General Manager.

Halifax, 1st November, 1900.

CITY LOCAL NEWS

The regular meeting of the Nelson Trades and Labor Assembly will be held in the Miners' Union hall on Thursday evening next.

Constable Drummond of Moyie arrived in the city yesterday with Dennis Mahoney, who will serve four months in the provincial jail here for theft.

The supplemental examination for teachers' certificates announced to open yesterday morning at the central school did not materialize, no candidates putting in an appearance.

The management of the Athabasca has added a new feature in the shape of a hot lunch for its patrons, which is served between the hours of 12 and 2. Hot turkey is on the card for today.

The Kootenay Cigar Company is now competing for the trade of smokers who purchase Havana cigars. They are manufacturing the Baronessa, a clear Havana cigar with an exceptionally fine flavor.

The only attraction yet announced for Christmas day is the turkey shoot on the flats near the C. P. R. wharf. The supply of birds will be unlimited and any style of rifle may be used. The firing commences at 9 a.m.

Recently a cage and a valuable song bird were stolen from William Frank, Baker street. The police looked into the matter and their inquiries touched the guilty parties so closely that the stolen outfit was returned unharmed.

The police were informed yesterday morning that a lodger at the Clarke hotel had been robbed of a watch. Further investigation disclosed the fact that the watch was lying safely among the blankets on the bed which the man had occupied.

The board of trade meets tomorrow night. This will be the last meeting of the year and several matters which will create considerable discussion will likely come up, among these being the report of the special committee appointed to prepare a recommendation anent the mining royalty.

On Thursday night the annual meeting of the Nelson charities organization takes place in the parlors at Emanuel Congregational church. At this meeting the annual reports of the organization will be presented and the officers for 1901 elected. All citizens interested in charitable work are invited to attend.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at St. Saviour's church yesterday morning when Miss Agnes B. Crickmay was united in marriage to George D. Curtis. The bride was given away by her brother, E. J. Crickmay, and the groom was supported by his brother, T. D. Curtis. A large number of interested friends witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. H. S. Akehurst.

LICENSES WERE GRANTED

To the Following Applicants.

The first meetings for the license commissioners of the Nelson and Ainsworth districts have been held and the matter of licenses for the approaching year are now disposed of. The Ainsworth commissioners, Messrs. Stephenson and Mackay, met at Kaslo, W. H. Bullock-Webster, inspector, being in attendance. The licenses granted were as follows: Grant King, C. F. Olson and James Madden, Ainsworth; George P. Fournier and Donald McLennan, Whitewater; O. C. Ulvin, Lardeau; W. J. Simpson, Howser. An application from Goodenough & McPherson of Whitewater was adjourned to permit the applicants to amend the firm name.

The Nelson commissioners met in this city, Messrs. Teetzel, Gilker and Matheson being present. Licenses were granted to the following applicants:

Sherbro & Mannarias, Kuskonook; E. M. Peters, Ymir; John Philbert, Ymir; J. W. Masterson, Ymir; Thomas Flynn, Ymir; C. D. Archibald, Ymir; Boyer & Lovell, Ymir; Grant Morris, Ymir; Samuel Miller, Ymir; Joseph Boyer, Ymir; John Cosgrove, Valley hotel, near Ymir; J. A. Benson, Salmo; John McIntyre, Hall; Martha Collins, Erie; Fred Adie, Waneta; Noll Cox, Porto Rico; G. M. Benny, Sirdar; R. J. Long, Creston; George Munro, Creston; Joseph Walker, Kitchener; Alf Manson, Fairview, near Nelson; William Roberts, Florence Park; Robert Wood, Woodville, near Nelson; Joseph Blanchard, Pilot Bay; David Clark, Pilot Bay; T. G. Procter, Procter; D. T. Morice, Fredericton; Hall Mines, Limited, Toad Mountain; Fred Fisher, Kitchener. The Nelson Tramway Company's application for a license in Fairview was adjourned at the company's request. Alice Linklater's application for a renewal of her license at Salmo was refused because of complaints of disorder on the premises.

The Mayoralty Contest.

It is now generally admitted that Frank Fletcher will be the next mayor of Nelson, but his supporters do not intend to let up work until the last ballot is deposited. A general meeting of his supporters will be held in the committee rooms in the Houston block on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, when arrangements for conducting the campaign will be made.

PERSONAL.

John Bertram of Ymir is registered at the Queen's hotel.

E. W. Williams of Minneapolis, Minnesota, is at the Hotel Hume.

Frank Hughes and W. Barrett are among the guests at the Tremont hotel.

Herbert L. Brown of Sandon and E. D. Mellen of Slocan City are at the Madden house.

F. S. Forest of Spokane, superintendent of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard road, is a guest at the Phair.

When You See a Good Thing ...

GO FOR IT

We have good things to dispose of and want you to come for them.

CANDIES FOR CHRISTMAS

Ganong's Chocolates are superb. Put up in such pretty boxes.
Lowney's Famous Bon-Bons and Chocolates. These come in beautiful boxes.
Rowntree's Celebrated Chocolates also upon our counters in attractive form.

What better Christmas present than a large box of these candies,

FOR THE CHILDREN

We have all sorts of Fancy and Plain Candies. Too many to tell about, you must see them. The prices are ridiculously low.

See our Endless Assortment of Christmas Tree Ornaments before getting your tree. A small quantity will make your tree a thing of beauty.

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for the NEW STORE which will be opened in the K-W-C block on Ward Street, on December 20th.

W. G. BROWNE

K-W-C Block Ward Street

Ladies..

In purchasing presents for gentlemen, do not throw money away on useless neckties. A pipe is the safest present, and in pipes we carry the largest and best stock in Nelson. Here are some of our best

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Baker St. CIGAR STORE

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McFarland & Brockman beg to announce to the citizens of Nelson that they have opened up the largest and best selected stock of Crockery, Glassware and Bar Fixtures in the city. Call and inspect.

First Door West of C. P. R. Offices
BAKER STREET.

AUCTION SALE

Household Furniture

Acting under instructions from Rev. Robert Frew, who is leaving the city, the undersigned will offer for sale by public auction on

FRIDAY, DEC. 21st
at 1:30 o'clock,

the whole of his very desirable collection of Household Furniture and effects, in his rooms over the Merchants Bank of Halifax.

The goods will be on exhibition on the premises on the morning of the sale.

Terms, Cash. For further particulars apply to

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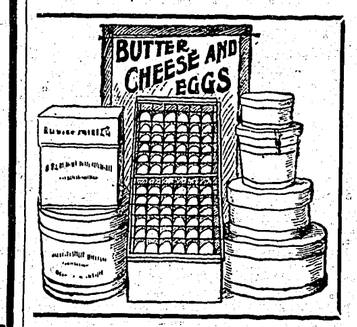

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Here's a lot of LADIES' JACKETS that we will LOSE money on but they MUST all go. There are several styles, some with fly front, some with box front, some with tight fitting or box back. They are new, they are good, and the prices are less than half they ought to be. These are bound to please

$ 6.00 Jackets at	$2.75
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$12.50 Jackets at	6.00
$18.00 Jackets at	9.00

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We have prepared for the coming holidays in Opera, Everet, Romeo, Juliet, in black and tan colors. We invite you to call and see them.

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.. SPECIAL SALE ..

Ladies' and Children's

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LADIES' COATS, Silk Lined, regular price $12.00, reduced to $9.00
" " " regular price $15.00, reduced to $11.00
LADIES' COATS, regular price $6.00, reduced to $4.00
" " regular price $8.00, reduced to $6.00
CHILDREN'S COATS, regular price $2.00, reduced to $1 25
MISSES' COATS, regular price $3.50, reduced to $2 50
" " regular price $5 50, reduced to $4.00
CHILDRENS' FLANNELETTE DRAWERS at 25 cents
" " SKIRTS at 25 cents
LADIES' FLANNELETTE WRAPPERS at $1.25
" " SHIRT WAISTS at $1.

We carry a large stock of Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Boots and Shoes and Hats and Caps. Come and see us.

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