NINTH YEAR.

NELSON: SATURDAY MORNING JANUARY 5 1901

PRICE FIVE CENTS

SOME VERY RICH BONDHOLDER

Rumor That the Payne Has Been Forced To Close Down By the Smelter Trust.

WHAT THE MINING MEN ARE DOING IN NELSON DISTRICT

Springer creek has created a new record with a shipment just sampled at the Hall Mines smelter. The ore was brought in several days ago, and the smelter returns are 224 ounces silver, and 7 per cent lead, on 183 tons, netting \$2400 per car after deducting freight and treatment charges. This is a larger return than was had from the former shipments.

The property, which is owned by R. C. Campbell-Johnston and others, is in splendid shape to make further shipments of high grade ore. There is a continuous ore chute of 150 feet of clean shipping ore, and this will doubtless be extended further as exploration progresses. At the face the depth attained is 300 feet, and a great quantity of ore is in sight, as the floors are untouched, and only a small amount stoped overhead.

Has the Payne Closed Down?

A Sandon man who came in on yesterday afternoon's train is the authority for a report that the Payne mine has shut down. No further particulars could be obtained last night regarding the matter. The rumor would carry no weight, as it is well known that the Payne has large quantities of ore blocked out, but the stand taken by the American Smelting Company in refusing to accept British Columbia lead ores alters the situation. The Payne ore carries 60 to 65 per cent lead, and the smelter combine has declared that it can no longer handle lead ores months, and the commencement of shipments from the Silver Hill to Nelson will probably give the local smelter ore to its utmost capacity. With the American smelters refusing the business and the Canadian smelters running to their capacity on other ores, it would be a natural course for the Payne to stop work until-a-market-was-secured-for-its product. Further particulars will be to hand today.

Finishing the Contract.

A. W. Gambs returned to the Alexander Dilley mine this morning after spending a couple of days in the city on business. He has had a small crew of men at the property since September last on a contract for the owners, a Rosalia, Washington, outfit, and will finish the work laid out this month. The showing developed is not as good as was anticipated for the reason that the crosscut tunnel did not tap the ore body, the vein apparently dipping at a more acute angle than was estimated. Some unusually fine ore has been encountered and a quantity could be shipped which would net a handsome return. The Alexandra is near the summit of Six-mile-Lemon creek divide where the snow is now ten to fourteen feet in depth. Mr. Gambs made the trip on skis.

In the Silverton Camp.

The first contract for 250 feet of tunneling on the Silverton Boy has been completed and another contract has been made for an additional 200 feet. Recent work has uncovered some fine ore, of which samples were brought to the city yesterday. Further work to explore the ore body will be awaited with interest.

The Emily Edith, adjoining the Silverton Boy, is being developed extensively under the direction of E. Rammelmeyer of Nelson, and it is probable that some of the clean ore taken out in the course of development will be shipped this winter. When the company starts stoping the Emily Edith will be a heavy producer. One of the features of the Emily Edith is the manner in which its camp is equipped.

The Bondholder group on mote the comfort and convenience of the men, even to the lighting, which is provided from a dynamo furnishing 200 incandescent lamps.

The Peruvian Contract.

A representative of the B. C. Riblet Company will leave from New York on the 20 instant, to superintend the work of installing tramways for which a contract was closed recently. The trams are to be constructed at the mines controlled by the Andes Mining Company, an English company operating at Chimbote, Peru, and the contract represents an outlay of \$65,000. The machinery and plant will be constructed at St. Louis, Missouri, on specifications prepared by Mr. Riblet, the cost of transportation making it necessary to do the work as near the point of delivery as possible, particularly in view of the fact that all the timbers for the platforms and ore bins must be cut and matched for delivery on the ground, ready to assemble, the supply of skilled labor in Peru not being adequate to the task of preparing the timbers on the ground. Mr. Riblet is likely to spend a month in Peru before the work is completed, which will be nine months hence.

Maple Leaf to Work.

Philip Corcoran, a mining man from San Francisco, is in the city today. He is the engineer of the Maple Leaf Mining Company, which owns the Maple Leaf group of claims on Forty-nine creek, adjoining the Nevada property owned by the Duncan Mines, Limited. The Maple Leaf is crown-granted and was acquired by the present owners from Kootenay, which would natur- a couple of years ago. The money ally put the Payne in a quandary expended in development was not to dispose of its output, which has utilized in a manner calculated to always gone across the line. It is show up the property to advantage stated that the Trail smelter could according to Mr. Corcoran, and of not touch Payne ore for several late the company has, in a sense, been lying on its oars awaiting the result of operations on adjoining properties. He states, however, that a new program has been arranged, and that as soon as the snow is off work is to be started on a good scale. It is proposed to put in a power hoist and employ as large a crew as is practical. If the development is satisfactory the plant-will be extended by the addition of a stamp mill.

An Engineer for Africa.

S. G. Pearson of this city left this morning per C. P. R. for New York, whence he sails on the 12th instant for England per the Cunard steamer Servia. After a short stay in London he goes to Africa and will lead an exploring party into the Lake Tanganyika country to determine the mineral and other resources of the district for an English syndicate which has a concession in the interior. The country over which the party will go has been covered by other explorers, but no attempt has been made to examine into its mineral possibilities. so that in this respect Mr. Pearson's party will be pioneers. A few years ago Mr. Pearson spent some time in South Africa at the head of an exploration outfit and the merit of his services at this time lead to his selection for the Lake Tanganyika expedition.

R. R. Dougan of this city has given an option on two promising Forty-nine creek claims to local The consideration parties. \$10,000.

H. E. T. Haultain has resigned the post of manager of the Yellowstone mine.

Certificates were issued yesterday to A. H. Kelly on the Gold Bell. Golden Grant and Tip-Top Fraction

Latest News from Dawson.

VANCOUVER, January 4.—The steamer Victosia has arrived from Skagway with 40 passengers, mostly from Dawson. They had left as late as December 16th, making quick time over the ice. A. F. Lauder of Seattle was the latest passenger, and he came out on a bicycle. Everything has been done to pro- Mrs. Ballinger, wife of Dr. Ballin- in the flames.

ger, who left Dawson on December 6th for Skagway and completely disappeared, also came out by the Victorian. She heard nothing of her husband, who, it is feared, met with foul play, and she is now on her way to seek assistance of relatives in Seattle. She will immediately return to the north to further prosecute the search. There is no clue and the conclusion that he was foully dealt with is entirely theoretical. An application for a new trial for John F. Slorah, who murdered his mistress, was refused at Dawson on December 14th and the sentence of hanging on March 1st will probably takes its course.

Three Murderers Released.

KINGSTON, January 4.—William Henry and Alexander Freeman, three brothers sentenced to imprisonment for life for the killing of policeman Rankin at Chatham, Ontario, on January 24th, 1893, have been released from the penitentiary.

M'KINLEY ROUNDLY SCORED

FOR HIS ALASKAN BOUNDARY CONCESSION POLICY.

An Angry Senator Declares That the President Relinquished Sovereignty to Great Britain.

Washington, January 4.—During the discussion of the army bill in the senate today, senator Carter reviewed the action of congress through which the Philippines had been acquired. "The moment the treaty of peace was ratified," said he, "that moment it became the" supreme law of the land. If the president had refused to maintain the sovereignty of the United States there, he would have laid himself liable to impeachment." "Has he not already given up

ka?" inquired Mr. Wellington. Mr. Carter replied that what the president had done as to the Alaskan boundary had been accomplished through a modus vivendi, a

sovereignty over a portion of Alas-

purely temporary arrangement. "It is nevertheless a fact," declared Mr. Wellington, "that territory over which we had undisputed suvereignty has been abandoned. The British flag has been raised over it, and it is controlled by British constabulary.'

Mr. Carter—"That is the alleged fact only."

Mr. Wellington said the Alaskan boundary—was-dintinctly—marked by stones, and the territory acquired by the United States from Russia was clearly the property of this country, adding: "If the president should be impeached if he relinguished territory in the Philippines, he should likewise be impeached for relinquishing soverignty in Alaska.''

Chinese Pay in Forged Notes.

SHANG-HAI, January 4. - The French intend to send a force overland from Tonkin to Chen Tu, should the Chinese court go there. "It is reported on the best authority," says the Chinese newspaper Cheng Weic Ci Pao, "that a foreign power, probably the British, will resort to force, first seizing Chu Ran, unless the persons guilty of the massacre of Christians at Chuenow are beheaded. It is considered possible that sir Ernest Mason Satow, the British minister to China, is moving in the Chuenow affair. Among the bank notes which the Chinese paid to the foreign consuls, as indemnity for the missions destroyed at Shetung, were five pound notes that had been raised to 15 pound notes, and 10 pound notes that had been raised to 100 pound notes."

The Canadian Makes a Winning.

Boston, January 4.—Archie Mc-Eachern, the clever rider from Toronto, led at the finish on the Fifth day's riding at Park Square garden. The finish was neither warm nor exciting, two of the best sprinters, McLean and Walthour, having fallen a quarter of a mile from the end.

Old Man Eurned to Death.

BBIGHTON, Ontario, January 4.-The house of John McLean was destroyed by fire this morning. McLean's father-in-law, William Lawson, ninety years old, perished

HOW MUCH CAN CHINA PAY?

THIS NOW CRIEFLY CONCERNS THE ALLIED POWERS.

Explanations Will Be Asked for Re garding Russian Aggression in Manchuria Province.

Washington, January 4.—The state department is making a strong effort to secure an understanding among the powers which will serve as a basis for the adjustment of the question of indemnity to be paid by the Chinese government. The principal difficulty in the way is believed to be the enormous indemnities demanded by the powers. The efforts of the Chinese government to secure better terms. so far as they can protract the negotiations, are also expected to have the result of adding considerably to the sum total to be paid in the end. This is because the expense of maintaining the force establishments in China probably will be assessed against the Chinese government.

It is believed that the bill of

Germany will be by far the largest. The German government has allowed its officers in service in China five-fold their regular salaries, a rate of pay hitherto unknown in military history. The Chinese, however, are expected to pay for this. The attitude of Russia, in Manchuria, has given rise to considerable apprehension here. As indicated in recent news dispatches, a series of regulations, has been promulgated by the Russian government for the administration of affairs in Manchuria. which would seem to the officials here to warrant an apprehension that a permanent occupation of that territory, with its population of twenty millions, is in contemplation. .: To clear up any doubt on this point it is probable that an explicit official declaration from Russia will be in-

vited on this point. St. Petersburg, January 4.—The Novoyi v remya characterizes the Chinese acceptance of the peace terms of the powers as being a formality due to China's inability to oppose the European armies. The paper adds that the next catastrophe is probably not far distant, and that it will far surpass the recent occurrences. The paper fiercely attacks German plundering, vandalism and the destruction of the libraries and other monuments of the ancient civilization by the German and other troops.

NELSON'S TRADE IS BRISK

With All Outside Points.

The wholesale trade has been unusually lively during the past week. The rule heretofore has been that the quiet season following the holiday trade set in immediately after New Year's, and the local dealers were somewhat pleased to note that this week, as a rule, business was brisk, better in most cases than during the last week in December. The next two months, however, are likely to see trade considerably quieter. This is a normal condition of affairs, and will afford the wholesalers a breathing spell.

The shipments reported yesterday were:

Brackman & Ker Milling Company, Limited, flour and feed.-Kaslo, Robson, Greenwood, Ymir, Grand Forks, Phoenix, Porto Rico, Sanca and Pilot Bay.

H. J. Evans & Co., commission merchants.—Ymir, Robson, Waneta, Kitchener, Silverton and Kaslo. Mansfield Manufacturing Company, brick and lime.—Cedar Creek and Kuskonook.

A. Macdonald & Co., wholesale grocers.—Trail, Sandon, Robson, Ferguson, Nakusp, Ymir, Erie, Ainsworth, Slocan Junction, Creston, Eholt, Slocan City, Kitchener, Lemon Creek, Kaslo and Crawford

W. F. Teetzel & Co., assayers supplies. — Lemon Creek, Ymir Ainsworth and Three Forks.

Kootenay Electric Supply & Construction Company, electrical supplies.-Grand Forks, Kimberley and Greenwood.

F. Starkey & Co., commission merchants. — Eholt, Ymir, Kaslo, country.

Cascade, New Denver, Trail, Ross-

land and Sandon. John Cholditch & Co., wholesale grocers.—Kimberley, Grand Forks, Greenwood and Slocan City.

Turner, Beeton & Co., dry goods and liquors.—Five-mile Point, West Robson, Slocan City, Granite, Sirdar, Nakusp, Moyie, Crawford Bay, Molly Gibson, Trout Lake and Lardo.

Kootenay Supply Company, wholesale grocers.—Five-mile Point, Moyie, Ymir, Phoenix, Kimberley, Sirdar, Cascade, Cranbrook and Kitchener.

Nelson Saw & Planing Mills, Limited, sash and doors.—Ymir.

California Wine Company, wines and cigars.—Ymir, Moyie, Silverton, Columbia, Kaslo, Whitewater, Kitchener, Sirdar, Slocan City and

Ainsworth. J. Y. Griffin & Co., provisions and produce.-Trail, Kaslo, Pilot Bay, Erie, Kimberley, Sandon, Whitewater, New Denver, Sandon, Greenwood, Robson, Trout Lake, Slocan City and Phoenix.

STILL SQUABBLING OVER PAY

BADEN-POWELL MAY NOT GET THE CANADIAN RECRUITS.

The Roslyn Castle Expected to Arrive at Halifax Tomorrow With the Second Contingent.

OTTAWA, January 4.—The Bennet offer to supply one hundred men for Baden-Powell's force in South Africa is still the subject of oficial communication between the militia department and the imperial government, and will have to wait awhile until the matters under discussion by the two governments are decided. The imperial government offers to ray the men from the time the Canadian recruits reach South Africa, where they are to-be attested. The Canadian ministers, however, represent that the men will not enlist on these terms, but will require their pay to commence when they enlist here in Canada, and also their transportation and subsistence during the voyage to South Africa. If the imperial authorities require attestation by imperial officers, then it is represented than an officer from Halifax or Esquimalt could be appointed to attest.

HALIFAX, January 4.—The Roslyn Castle, with the members of the second contingent is expected here Sunday—night.—Disembarkationwill take place Monday morning, at 10 o'clock. The men will be given a great reception and a dinner, leaving afterwards on three special trains.

A Row in the Senate.

Washington, January 4.—Senator Pettigrew today introduced the following resolution in the senate: "Resolved that the senate hereby expresses its condemnation of the refusal of the secretary of war, under whatever influence, to send to the senate copies of papers called for by its resolution of the 19th of December, requecting the secretary of war to send to the senate the report of A. L. Lawsbee in relation to the receipts and expenditures in Cuba, in violation of his his official duty, and the fundamental principles of the government of a good administration thereof. Consideration of the resolution was postponed until tomorrow.

Railway Man Buys Mining Interests GREENWOOD, January 4.- [Special to The Tribune.]—A one-fifth interest in the Lake Shore & B. C. Copper Mining & Development Company was today purchased by Patrick Welch, the railroad contractor, of Spokane. The company is capitalized for one million dollars, and was recently organized in Chicago by John Dorsey to acquire the Blue Bell and J. S. claims in Summit Camp. Development in the Blue Bell shaft has opened up a splendid body of chalcopyrite ore.

Will Go to Sweden.

lina Patti (baroness Rolf Cederstrom) confirms the report that she is negotiating for the sale of Crag-Y-Nos castle, her residence in Wales and says she desires to in future spend the summer in her husband's

LAURIER AS PEACE COMMISSIONER

Daily Chronicle Favors the Suggestion That the Premier's "Sunny Way" Be Tried.

BRITISH FORCED TO DESERT FICKSBURG WHICH BOERS LOOT

London, January 5.—The earl of Kandahar and Pretoria is already immersed in his arduous new duties at the war office. He will take no holidays. There is no further news from lord Kitchener, who, according to a Cape Town dispatch, is calling for five-thousand men to guard the Rand mines. Enlisting in Cape Colony continues active, and five hundred men will leave Cape Town for the north within the next few days.

Information regarding the invasion is scanty. Colonel Williams attacked the eastern invaders on January 1st, near Middleburg, but failed to dislodge them. He has since been joined by lieutenantcolonel Grenfell, and the Boers have retired.

General Brabant has arrived at Graaf Reinet. Advices from Maseru, Basutoland, dated yesterday, says that three separate columns are still pursuing general Dewet, but with no success beyond taking twenty-eight prisoners. Cannon

firing is continually heard. The Daily Chronicle advises that favorable attention should be given to a movement, reported by its Montreal correspondent, to induce sir Wilfred Laurier, the Dominion premier, provided the colonial office consents, to proceed to South Africa as a commissioner empowered to intervene, with a view to the restoration of peace.

All the English have deserted

THE DOMINION CENSUS. MONTREAL, January 4. - The preparations for taking the Dominion census are now well in hand, the count being made during the first week in April next, but the task of enumeration will require at least one month in which to complete. It will cost about three-quarters of a million dollars to take the Canadian census, and it will occupy the space of three years to complete the whole work. The census of Great Britain will be taken on Sunday, the 31st of March, and the enumer ation is supposed to be made in one day. The same plan is adopted in France and Belgium, but in each of

these cases no attempt is made to do more than secure a count of the heads of population, while in Canada, as in the United States, the custom has been to aim at securing a record of the industrial life of the country and other data. To make the forthcoming "solemn inquest of the nation" and to complete the Canadian census of 1901 will require a small army of between 8000 and 10,000 enumerators and other officials. The last decennial census of the dominion is conceded to be unreliable. Census-taking is an old institution in Canada. The first official census of New France, as it was then called, was taken in 1665, a little more than half a century after Champlain laid the foundation of Quebec. The population of the country was then 3215 souls. During the remainder of the seventeenth century eight censuses of New France were taken, and twelve in the eighteenth century. When, in 1790, the year in which the first census of the United States was taken, the population of the American union was found to be 3,929,214, the population at that date of what is now the Dominion of Canada was 220,000. In 1861 all the Canadian provinces were taken, except British Columbia, but ten years later all were enumerated.

census of 1881 and that of 1891

were taken on the 5th of April, the

date then fixed for census-taking

throughout the British empire. It

is probable that the Canadian

census of 1901 will be an imperial

census also, although it is not the

best time of the year for getting

LONDON, January 4.—Mme. Ade-

about the country. Express Messenger Jailed. MONTREAL, January 4.-W. H. McGowan, a Moncton, New Brunswick, messenger of the Canadian Express Company, is under arrest, to a rafter in a shed.

Ficksburg, taking their stock of grain across the border, and the Boers have looted the town. According to the Daily Mail's correspondent at The Hague, the directorate of the Netherlands South African railway has applied to the Amsterdam courts for a suspension of payments.

CAPE TOWN, January 4.-Two hundred Boers have recrossed the Orange River, going north. The Russian commandants, Petrowsk and Duplooy, were killed in the fight at Atrecht December 25th.

LONDON, January 4.—Lord Roberts in a communication to the public expressing his thanks for the reception tendored him, eulogizes the soldiers in South Africa, and appeals for contributions to the sailors and soldiers association, seconding the efforts of the prince of Wales to take care of the families of the men who are fighting.

LONDON, January 4.- The following colonial office appointments were announced this evening: Sir-Alfred Milner, governor of the Transvaal and British high commissioner; Hon. sir Walter Francis Hely-Hutchinson, governor of Natal. and Zululand since 1893, to be the governor of Cape Colony; lieutenant-colonel sir Henry Edward Mc-Cullum, governor of Newfoundland since 1898, and aide-de-camp to the queen since 1900, to be governor of Natal; major Hamilton John Goold-Adams, resident commissioner of the Bechuanaland protectorate, to be lieutenant-governor of the Orange River Colony.

charged-with stealing money from parcels entrusted to his care. He has made a confession, acknowledging having taken sums aggregating \$355 from parcels containing remittances from one bank to another. His method, was by cutting one end of envelopes and strings, removing the money with a bent wire, and afterwards neatly sealing up the packages. The last money he took was \$100. At that time the express company was hot on his trail, and fearing discovery he burned the money. McGowan was married a short time ago, and says he took the money to cover necessary expenses.

A Big Exemption List.

MONTREAL, January 4.- A statement recently prepared shows that the property in Montreal exempted from taxation is valued at \$36,218, 000. Thirteen millions are represented by the Catholic churches and other religious institutions, and six millions by Protestant churches. The city has also property valued at \$11,300,000. The balance is mainly government property.

Harry Phillips Dead.

MONTREAL, January 4. - News was received here today from New York of the death of Harry Phillips, the well-known Canadian sport, who was once the backer of John L. Sullivan. Phillips skipped out from Montreal some weeks ago after the grand jury had brought in a true bill against him on the charge of negotiating a forged check for \$1500.

Captain Hodgins' Promotion.

TORONTO, January 4.—Captain A. E. Hodgins has written his father here that he has been appointed chief officer of construction on the mperial military railways in South Africa, under lieutenant colonel Girouard. Captain Hodgins went to South Africa as lieutenant in 'A" company, Royal Canadians, ulisting at Nelson.

Valleyfield Rioters Committed. VALLEYFIELD, January 4.—Eight men, who were leaders in the recent strike riot here, were today committed for trial. The cost of the riot to the town for militia, etc.,

At the End of His Rope. WATERLOO, Quebec, January 4.— S. LaPlante, a carpenter, committed suicide last night by hanging himself with a rope which he attached

was \$4000.

MANTLES-Ladies Jackets, Coats and

FURS-Balance of our Fur stock at

DRESS GOODS & SILKS-We offer

25% Discount.

Golf Capes at less than cost.

our stock of Dress Goods and

Dress Silks at 20% Discount. Silks for Evening Wear, a large stock offered at 20% Discount.

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WE HAVE JUST OPENED UP A LOT OF FURNITURE COVERINGS NEW AND PRETTY PATTERNS IN

SILK TAPESTRY BROCATELLE **VELOURS** REPP

A BEAUTIFUL LINE. ALSO A HANDSOME LOT OF DRAPERIES.

PRICES ARE RIGHT

We have always a lot of short ends in Oilcloths and Carpets at Bargain Prices.

HUDSON'S BAY STORES.

The Tribune.

THE Chronicle of Spokane is authority for the statement that "Jim" Hill of the Great Northern railway has given orders that all Japanese employed on his railway must go as rapidly as white men can be got to take their places. The Japanese are employed, so it is said, through a contracting firm of Japanese at Seattle, at the rate of one dollar a day, the firm paying the men ninety cents out of the dollar. This firm also supplies the Japanese laborers with all their food supplies, which the railway carries free. The Japanese have worked their way to St. Paul, where a gang were put at work one day cleaning up Mr. Hill's private car. They made a mess of it, putting ice in the stoves instead of in the water tanks. This displeased Mr. Hill, and the order for the "Japs to Go" was the consequence.

WITH fair chances of railway construction in the Lardo and the completion of the Kootenay Lake gap in the Crow's Nest railway, the building of a bridge across the Columbia river at Robson and the erection of machine shops and a Dominion public building, the chances are Nelson will be a busy and prosperous town during the year 1901.

THE three candidates who have offered themselves for aldermanic honors in the East ward and the three in the West ward are representative citizens in every sense of the word. All are fairly well to do. and what they own they have made in Nelson. All six are con servative business men; no one of them can be considered either a crank or a faddist. If elected aldermen, they will be neither selfseekers nor jobbers after cheap notoriety. No one of the six can be called a politician, although all six have political convictions. Three are Liberals and two are Conservatives, the sixth being an Indepen-

WILLIAM G. GILLETT will stand

has been a building contractor, and has been successful. He is well known to, and well liked by, the men of Nelson who work for a day's wage. Mr. Gillett will be elected.

THOMAS MADDEN will make the race for alderman in the West ward, and as he is one of the oldest residents of that part of the city, no man knows its needs better. Mr. Madden has served one term in the council, and the experience then gained will stand him in good stead this year, for his election is

JOHN HAMILTON has consented to make the race for alderman in the West ward. Mr. Hamilton is trainmaster of the Canadian Pacific railway and is well known to the people of Nelson, among whom he is as well thought of as he is among the employees of the railway. He owns considerable property in the ward and will make a good alderman if elected, which he surely will be.

THE TRIBUNE is making arrangements to receive and publish the full Associated Press reports. The aim of the owners of THE TRIBTNE is to make it the best daily newspaper in the province, barring

WILL it be mayor Fletcher and aldermen Gillett, Hamilton, Irving, Madden, Paterson, and Selous? The electors might do worse than return these seven genial gentlemen by acclamation.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

BY-LAW NO. 85.

A Py-Law granting to the Electric Despatch Messenger Company, Limited, the right and privilege of exercising, operating and main-taining a District Telegraph and Messenger System and Service in the City of Nelson:

System and Service in the City of Nelson:

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Nelson (hereinafter called "the Council"), in council as sembled, enacts as follows:

1. Subject to the fulfillment of the terms, conditions and provisoes hereinafter contained, which terms, conditions and provisoes and the due fulfillment thereof are to be taken as conditions precedent to the enjoyment of the rights, powers and privileges hereby granted, the said Electric Desputch Messenger Company, Limited, and its successors and assigns (hereinafter called the "Company") are hereby granted the right and privilege of erecting and maintaining poles subject to the direction of the Council and of stringing, stretching, laying, maintaining, repairing and operating wires, cables and conduits over, under, upon, along and across any and all streets and lanes of the City of Nelson, and of constructing, equipping, operating and main

constructing, equipping, operating and main taining a District Telegraph and Messenger Sys-tem and Service in the City of Nelson. 2. The said Company shall erect and maintain such poles, and string, stretch, lay and maintain such wires, cables and conduits in such a manner as not to interfere with the full and unobstructed as not to interfere with the full and unobstructed use of the streets and lanes of said City, and shall place such poles at such points and shall stretch such wires at such heights as shall be properly designated by the Council of the said City of Nelson. Such poles shall be neatly dressed in a manner satisfactory to the Council, and shall not be less than 35 feet in height above street grade and shall be painted as directed by the Council.

street grade and snan be painted to discover the Council.

3. It shall be lawful for the Council at any time to give the Company leave to string its wires on any poles, or in or along any conduits, belonging to the said City of Nelson, upon such terms or conditions (if any) as may from time to time be agreed upon.

4. Whenever it shall be necessary for the said Company in constructing, repairing, alter-

to time be agreed upon.

4. Whenever it shall be neccessary for the said Company, in constructing, repairing, altering or operating such system, to break or dig up or in any manner disturb or interfere with any street or lane in as good condition as it was before it was so broken, dug up, disturbed or interfored-with, and ltschall forthwitheremove from such street or lane all surplus earth, srones or rubbish or other material resulting therefrom.

5. Whenever any person, firm or corporation shall have obtained lawful authority from the tonnell to remove any building, structure or

shall have obtained lawful authority from the Council to remove any building, structure or edifice through or across any street or lane of the soid City of Nelson, and the wires of the Company shall obstruct, prevent or interfere with such removal, the Company shall within twenty-four hours after notice in writing from the Council or the City Engineer remove or raise such wires so as to allow an unobstructed passage for such building, structure or edifice, 6. Whenever it shall be nece sary, in grading, removing, altering or otherwise working upon any street, lane or sidewalk of the hald City, to remove any pole, poles, cables, conduits or wires belonging to the Company, the Company shall, upon receiving twenty-tour hours' notice from the Council, remove such pole, poles, cables, conduits or wires; and if the Company shall neglect or refuse so to do, such pole, poles, cables, conduits or wires may be removed by the Council at the expense of the Company, such expense to be recoverable with costs from the Council at the expense of the Company, such expense to be recoverable with costs from the Company in like manner as municipal taxes.

7. The Company shall commence the construction of such District Telegraph and Me-sanger System within two months and shall have the same in operation to the satisfaction of the Council within six months after the date on which this By-Law shall take effect and shall keep the same in continuous operation thereafter, reasonable delays on account of accidents

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The Company shall in the exercise of the 8. The Company shall in the exercise of the rights and privileges hereby granted opera eits said system and maintain the rame in such maner as the Council may door necessary for the protection of the persons and property of the 9. The Company shall be liable for and stall indemnify the City of Nelson for all damages arising out of the construction and operation of

arising out of the construction and operation of its said system.

10. A contract embodying the provisions hereof and covenants on the part of the Company to
conform to and fulfill all the matters and provisions hereby required of it, shall be drawn and
shall be executed by the City of Nelson and the
Company within two months after the date on
which this Hy-Law shall take effect.

11. This By-Law shall take effect and be of
force on and after the 28th day of January, 1901.

12. This By-Law may be cited as the "District
Telegraph By-Law No. 85."

NOTICE. NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vite of the electors of the Municipality will be taken: For the East Ward at the City Police Court, on the east side of Josephine street, between Baker and Victoria streets; for the West Ward at the office of the Exchequer Gold Mining Company, on the north side of Baker street, between Stanley and Kootenay streets, in the City of Nelson, on Thurs day, the seventeenth day of January, instant, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

City Clerk. City Clerk.

Nelson, B. C., January 4th, 1901. TO THE ELECTORS OF NELSON:

At the request of a number of electors, I have decided to offer mytelf as a candidate for mayor at the coming civic elections. I have served as for alderman in the East ward.

Since coming to Nelson Mr. Gillett

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1 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 the city in the business of electric lighting, a business in which the city has already invested

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 greatbulk 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

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

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 mivileges of one class of our citizens merely because another class may have

number of the electors of the ward have requested me to run for alderman at the coming elect'on, and I have consented to make the race: My platform is:

a good return for the capital invested. Second.-The installation of an electric powe enterprises.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE CITY OF NELion.-Ladies and Gentlemen: Having been requested by a number of friends (ratepayers) in his city to become a candidate for alderman in portion of it toward attending to your interests, city generally. Should you deem my services acceptable, and honor me with a place at your confidence placed in me. Faithfully, JOHN PATERSON. Nelson, B. C., December 24th, 1900.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

have been requested by a number of electors to East Ward, and I now offer myself as a candidate. If elected I will do what I can to keep the wa!er and electric light systems of the city thoroughly construction of an electric power plant on Kootenay river. Respectfully, January 3rd, 1991. JOHN A. IRVING.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE WEST WARD: In onsenting to become a candidate for alderman in this ward, at the request of a number of friends, I can only promise that, if elected, I will do-my-utmost-to-advance-the-city's best-interests as I understand them.

JOHN HAMILTON. Nelson, January 1, 1901.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE WEST WARD: beg to announce myself as a candidate for alderman for the West Ward at the coming civic election, and solicit your vote and interest. HAROLD SELOUS.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Nelson that I require the presence of said electors at the council chamber of the city office on Josephine street in the said city on Monday, the fourteenth day of January, 1901, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of selecting persons to represent them in the municipal council as mayor and addermon. The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of

the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the returning officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of the nomination, and in the event of

of the day of the nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll shall be opened on Thursday, the seventeenth day of January, 1901, at the following places, viz:

For the East Ward at the city police court on the east side of Josephine street, between Baker and Victoria streets, and

For the West Ward at the office of the Exchequer Gold Mining Company on the nor his de of Baker street, between Stanley street and Kootenay street, and such poll will be opened at 8 o'clock and and kept open until 4 o'clock p.m. on the said seventeenth day of January, 1901, or which every person is hereby required to take hotele and govern himself accordingly. which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications by law required to be possessed by the candidates for the offices above mentioned are as follows:

For imagor such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry office of land or real property in the city of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of one thousand dollars or more over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as municipal voters.

For aldermen, such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Begistry of land or real property in the city of the essessed value on the last municipal assessment roll of five hundred del'ars or more over and above any registered incumbrance or charge, and who are othe wise qualified as municipal voters.

questions that are now the most important issue before the people of the city is such as will bear

corporate interest to become a competitor with

revenues of the ci'y.

lifferent views.

The city has made a start in permanent street improvements, and I am in favor of continuing these improvements and rain in two of communing 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.

Nelson, December 15th, 1900.

ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE EAST WARD: A

First.-Keep the water and electric light sysems so thoroughly efficient that they will sield plant on Kootenay river, so that Nelson will be in a position to offer inducements to industrial

Third.-All departments of the city should be n charge of thoroughly practical men. Respectfully, WILLIAM G. GILLETT. January 4th, 1901.

A CARD.

the East ward, I may say I have plenty of spare time on hand, and would be pleased to devote a not only in the East ward, but throughout the municipal boar., I shall do my best to merit the

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NEWS FOR MEN WHO LABOR.

The report of the proceedings of the sixteenth annual session of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, held at Ottawa in September last, has been issued. The report is neatly and well gotten up, and reflects much credit on the new secretary, P. M. Draper. of

The Dominion Labor Gazette is a little late in reaching the west this month, being two weeks behind the time it was received by subscribers in Ontario. The correspondents report the state of trade throughout Canada as in a fairly prosperous condition, taking into consideration the season of the year. Five complaints were made of the importation of alien labor in Canada. In two instances, one alien in each case was ordered to be deported.

During the month of November thirteen trades unions were organized in Canada, so far as reported to the Labor Gazette, in addition to a trades and labor council at Brockville, Ontario.

Samuel Gompers, (cigarmaker) has been re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor and Frank Morrison (printer) secretary. J. R. O'Brien will represent the Federation as fraternal delegate at the next meeting of the Canadian-Trades Congress.

Girls working in a New York cigarette factory went on strike a few days ago because the foreman wore the "same old tie," which they considered offensive. The foreman refused to be dictated to about what he wore, but the firm, to get the girls back to work, transferred the man with the shabby tie to another department.

The Toiler is the name of a new labor paper published by the The paper is distributed free.

Trades unions are doing a great deal to bring about peace and friendliness between the nations. National hatred runs high in France against Britain, yet only a few days ago the Nottingham Lace Workers' Union voted 2000 francs for the immediate assistance of the Calais lace strikers. They will send 1250 francs weekly during the continuance of the strike, and will advance 25,000 francs to the Calais

It is figured out that the increase of wages in the hard coal region of of the past few months. Pennsylvania amouts to \$4,200,000 a year, while the increase in the price of coal, due to the advance of 50 cents a ton, further enriches the barons to the extent of \$27,000,000.

According to the report of the United States labor commissioner, it costs the railroads about fourteen cents to carry a passenger 100

If our legislators are looking for a worthy example to emulate they might transcribe the coal mining regulations of British Columbia on our statute books.—Seattle Record. And add a minimum wage clause to make the measure flawless.

Thank the lord, the fossilized trade-unionist who believed the union to be the alpha and omega of labor reforms is passing away. The need of labor for affiliation with the ever advancing forces of social reform is becoming more and more apparent. The bug-bear of the word Socialism is fast losing its power to frighten. In its stead stead comes the clear knowledge that Socialism is the application of Christianity to our social conditions. This statement implies that society is not now run on Christian lines. Is argument needed to support the statement? Look about you. See the vast and ever widening chasm 'twixt the rich and the poor. Is that Christlike?-William Joyce, in Citizen and Country.

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have been supplied at the cheap food depots; 1,567,562 lodgings provided for the homeless; 11,282 applications for employment registered at the labor bureaus; 3042 men received into factories; temporary or permanent employment has been Ccast Flooring, Ceiling, Inside Fin-Toronto Trades and Labor Council. found for 9476; 525 ex-criminals re- ish, Turned Work, Sash and Doors. ceived into homes, 182 of whom | Special order work will receive were restored to friends or sent to situations; 3569 applications dealt with for finding lost persons, 1216 of whom were found; 2460 women and girls received into rescue homes, 2135 of them having been restored to their friends or sent to situations. In addition to this multitudes of poor sick people were visited and nursed or otherwise cared for. General Booth makes an urgent appeal for funds to maintain and extend the operations during the ensuing year, as well as to make up for the reduced income of

> A delegation from the striking miners at Alexandria and Extension mines laid their grievances before the Nanaimo Miners' Union on Saturday night of last week. The union expressed sympathy, but could not act. They advised the delegation to organize all the employees of the Dunsmuir collieries into a protective union. This, it is learned, they will do.

Not a single candidate of the nine who submitted to the examination at Nanaimo for mine managers' certificates passed. The question papers were very stiff.

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The following is said to be a fairly good approximation of the population of the chief cities of Canada:

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Quebec	65,00
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Rossland	6.50
Brandon 3,500	5,38
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Brazil Buys a Railroad.

London, January 4.—At an exticed. General Booth has issued some statistics of work done during the past year for the outcasts. Nearly two and a half million meals traordinary general meeting today, the shareholders of the Bahia & San Francisco railroad approved the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of the sale of the sale of their road to the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of the Brazilian government for £2,250,000, in the sale of the sal traordinary general meeting today,

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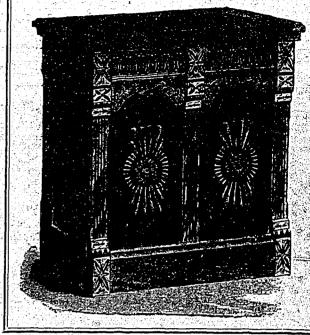
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Slocan, Nelson and Rossland Ridings of West Kootenay Electoral

District. Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Assessment Act," will be held as follows:
Court House, Kaslo, B. C., Wednesday, 9th January, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.
Government Agent's Office, Nelson, B. C.,
Thursday; 10th January, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Government Agent's Office, Rossland, B. C., Friday, 11th January, at 10 o'clock in the

Dated at Nelson this 19th day of December, 1900.

JOHN A. TURNER,

Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNERS

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 full or refuse to contribute your proportion of such 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 sub-scriber, under section four of an Act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

SILAS H. CRUSS. Act, 1900." SILAS H. C Dated this 12th day of December, 1900.

LAND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the chief commissioner of lands and works for permission to purchase the following described lands about two miles west of the City of Nelson: Commencing at a post marked W. J. Reaven's S. E. Corner Post, planted at S. W. corner post of H. Selous' purchased Lot 605, Group 1, on the high water line on the west bank of Kootenay river, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, more or less to the high water line on north bank of Kootenay river, thence following the meandering of the aforesaid river in an easterly direction 20 chains more or less to point of commencement. Containing 32 acres more or less.

Dated at Nelson this 24th day of December, 1990.

LAND LEASE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that within sixty days after the date of this notice, I intend to apply to the assistant commissioner of lands and works, at Nelson, for a lease of the following described land, for the purpose of opening up and working stone quarries, situate about two miles in an easterly direction from the City of Kaslo, West Kootenay District.

Commencing at a post planted on the lake shore marked. "J. A. Knauf's N. W. corner," running thence east twenty chains; thence south twenty chains; thence west twenty chains, more or less to the lake shore; thence north along the lake shore to the point of commencement; and containing forty acres more or less.

Dated December 19th, 1900.

TRADES UNIONS

NELSON MINERS: UNION NO. 98, W. F. . f. M.—Meets in miners' union rooms, northiest corner Victoria and Kootenay streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. M. R. Mowatt, President. Jame Wilkes, Secretary. Union Scalk 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 menth, 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. Charles Clayton, President. John McLeod, Secretary.

BARBERS' UNION.—Nelson Union, No. 196. of Barbers Union.—Nelson Union, No. 186, of the International Journeymen: Barbers & Union of America, meets every first and third Monday of each month in Miner's Union Hall, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets, at \$30 p.m. sharp. Visiting brothers cordially sinvited 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.

L'ABORERS' 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 Itoberts, recording scentiary

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

COOKS' AND WAITERS' UNION -Regular

meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, at 8 o'clock in Miners' Union hall. Visting brethern cordially invited. C. F. Bell, president; J. P. Forestell, secretary treasurer.

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. Mover, president; William Vice, secretary, P. O. Box 616.

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, tsb and 3rd Friday of each month. Visiting besthern cordially invited. W. W. Bradley, W. M. A. Minty. Recording-Secretary.

ANTI-CHINESE RESOLUTION. Pursuant to resolutions adopted at a regular meeting held on Saturday evening, December 2nd, 1900, all members of Nelson Miners' Union No. 96, W. F. M., are requested to use every legitimate means

To Discourage the Employment or Patronizing of Chinese directly or indirectly. All union men and others who believe in making this a white man's country, are requested to co-operate in giving effect to the aforesaid resolution. By order, NRLSOV MINERS' UNION. Nelson, December 22nd.

The above resolution has been endorsed by the Trades and Labor Council of Nelson, and all union men and others in sympathy with it, are requested to govern themselves accordingly. TRADES & LABOR COUNCIL OF NELSON. Acison, December 22nd.

LAND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we, The Corporation of the City of Nelson, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase for the purposes of the Corporation, the following described land in the District of West Kootenay, stuate on the south bank of Kootenay river, about ten miles below Nelson: Commencing at a post marked "The City of Nelson's S. W. corner," thence east 30 chains, thence north 15 chains to the Kootenay river, thence westerly along the Kootenay river 30 chains, thence south 15 chains to the place of beginning.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON, By John Houston, Mayor. December 12th, 1900.

NOTICE.

Rossland, B, C., November 9th, 1900, To F. B, Salisbury: 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. S disbury, 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. mineral claim.

A one half (i) interest in the "Sullivan" mineral claim.

A one half (i) interest in the "Fidelity" mineral claim.

All the adjoining claims, ituated 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 15, of the statutes of 1899 and amendments of 1900.

MILIJAM B. TOWNSEND,

Agent for William Griffiths.

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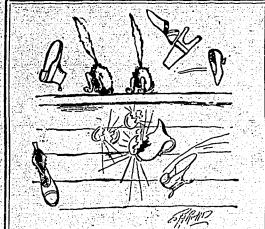
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For the balance of this month we are offering special reductions in Carvers, Ladies Companions and Nickle-Plated Copper Ware.

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NELSON, B. C.

Gold, Silver Lead and Copper Mines wanted at the Exchange. Free-Milling Gold Properties wanted at once for Eastern Investors. Parties having mining property for sale are requested to send samples of their ore to the Exchange for exhibition. We desire to hear from all prospectors who have promising mineral claims in British Columbia.

Prospectors and mining men are requested to make the Exchange their headquarters when in Nelson.

All samples should be sent by express, Prepaid. Correspondence solicited. Address all communications to

Telephone 104 P. O. Box 700 ANDREW F. ROSENBERGER. Nelson, B. C.

CITY LOCAL NEWS

Rev father Cote, who has been a resident of Nelson for the past fifteen months, leaves shortly to take up his residence at Sandon. Father Cote's parish includes Sandon. New Denver, Kaslo and other Slocan points, of which Sandon is the center. A neat church has been constructed at Sandon to replace the one destroyed by fire last summer, and with the church recently dedicated at New Denver, the Catholics of the parish have comfortable places for

Randolph E. Fishburn received yesterday the decoration of the Order of Foreign Wars granted to officers serving the United States abroad, to which he is entitled because of his services as an officer in the Second U.S. Engineers in the Cuban campaign. The decoration is a handsome affair of gold, enamelled in red and suspended by a yellow silk ribbon piped with red and blue stripes.

The Burns block is now heated: by steam. The plant was installed by the Lawrence Hardware Company and works well.

The following named are doing! business in the new Kirkpatrick-Wilson-Clements block, at the corner of Baker and Ward streets: West Kootenay Butcher Company, W. G. Browne, Canada Drug & Book Company, Galliner & Wilson and A. F. Rosenberger. Drs. Hall probably be installed in their offices | small captures, the destruction of | Leod, assistant secretary.

by Monday. The block is one of the best business buildings in the province.

The supporters of candidate Fletcher will meet at the committee rooms on Vernon street tonight to make arrangements for pulling off the civic election by acclamation.

David Fielding was brought in yesterday from Kaslo by chief Cody to serve six months in the provincial jail for the theft of a

Tomorrow in Emmanuel church Rev. William Munroe will preach in the morning on "The Redemption Story" and in the evening on "The Man of the New Century."

Somewhat of a coal famine has existed in the city for the past day or two, the local agencies not being able to fill orders. The C. P. R. barges have several hundred tons of coal aboard for the dealers, which will probably be unloaded

The first hockey match of the season took place last night at the rink, when the members of the Nelson Club were formed into teams and had a lively game. Among the the players on the ice were Neelands, Nunn, Goepel, Jeffs, Beasley, McLaughlin, Rutherford, Greenlee, Wetmore, Thompson and Perrier. Dudley Blackwood refereed the

War Echoes from Manila.

MANILA, January 4.--Generals and Rose and Dr. Morrison will | Wheaton and Bates reports many

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

the Second day of January, 1901.

E. L. PEASE, General Manager.

Halifax, 1st November, 1900.

insurgent camps, and the seizure of supplies, animals and other necessaries. Among the captures in Smith's district was colonel Techon, the insurgent governor of Tarlac. General Grant is personally in command of a mounted expedition in the mountains of Southern Pampangas, which he says is the only locality where the insurgents are in force in his district. Insurgents entered Gapana and San Isadore, in general Funston's district, during the night and burned a score of houses. Their firing was ineffective.

Smallpox Stamped Out.

NEW YORK, January 4.—Small pox has been effectually stamped out in this city, according to the officials of the board of health. All danger of infection from the cases discovered during the last six weeks is declared to be past. It is estimated that more than one million persons have been vaccinated since the first cases were discovered.

St. Johns Vessel Lost.

London, January 4.—The British oark Emulator, captain Calder, from November 22nd, for St. Johns, Newfoundland, was abau doned, dismasted and sinking, on December 20th. The Emulator was

THE DIAMOND STORY

Diamonds are "mined" in South Africa. They are sent to London in "the rough" and sold to cutters at monthly sales in "parcel lots." The greater portion of these find their way to Holland, the world's center of the diamond cutting trade.

It is there that large jobbers go to buy their finished product from the men who cut them. Their representatives sell them to Brown in Nelson, and few others.

T. H. BROWN

Baker Street.

A Fur Mitt, on January 2nd. Finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Royal Hotel, or J. N. DIER. notifying

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Tenders wanted for packing

machinery and supplies from Seaton Lake to the Lorne Mines, in the Lillooet District.

> For particulars apply to LESLIE HILL, Managing Director,

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Lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE WEST WARD: In response to urgent solicitations from my friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman in the West ward. I am in favor of a prog essive city government, and if elected I will do my best to keep Nelson in her present position, of being the first city in the interior of the province. To that end I favor: First,-The installation of a power plant on

Kootenay river. Second.-Continuing the permanent improve ment of the streets. Third.-Making the fire department up-to-date

in every respect. Fourth -Every possible encouragement, with in the means of the city, to industrial enter-

THOMAS MADDEN. Respectfully, Nelson, B. C., January 4th, 1901,

SONS OF ENGLAND—Nelson's Queen No. 241—Hegular meetings of above are held on 1st and 3rd Wednesdays in each month, at 3 p. m. Installation of officers at next meeting; Wednes-Installation of officers at next meeting; Wednesday, January 16th, at which all members and visiting brethren are cordially requested to attend. John Watson, secretary; Edward Mcbuilt at Kingston, Jamaica, in 1878; was 144 tons net, hailed from St?

Johns, Newfoundland, and was

owned by J. Baird & Co.

Dismissed the Alderman's Brother. MONTREAL, January 4.—The civic finance committee today struck consternation into the hearts of the civic employees by dismissing a brother of alderman Tansey, for absenting himself from duties without leave.

Another Ontario Suicide.

GANANOQUE, Ontario, January 4. -John Clifford tied a rope around his neck this morning, stepped off a step ladder, and strangled to death. Ill health and despondency was the

Oom Paul Has Bronchitis.

THE HAGUE, January 4.-Mr. Kruger is suffering from a slight attack of bronchitis. While there is no anxiety as to his condition he is obliged to keep to his bed.

The President's Rink Won.

The tournament game in the curl ng club's series last night was between the president's and vicepresident's rinks, as follows : L. Irwin. C. J. Wilson.
H. Hawkey. H. Bird.
Archibald. W. Irwin.
McLeod, president, F. A. Tamblyn, vice skip.

The honors fell to the president's rink, which won out by five points

PERSONAL.

Horace Hume and family returned list night from a pleasant week's visit to Revelstoke. W: A: Galliher, M. P., returned last night from the Coast.

H: F. Forest, of Winnipeg, Do-minion respector of railroads, is registered at the Phair. He is to inspect the Balfour extension. Robert Rintoul, an official of the Bank of Montreal, is in the city.

The friends of Dr. W. O. Rose were delighted to see him on the street yester-day after a serious illness at the hospital. G. Fisher, of Kaslo, is registered at the Madden house

G. F. Stenson, of Kaslo, is at the

BUSINESS MENTION.

Cellar to Rent-Apply The Royal To let-Furnished rooms in Car-

ney block. Reasonable rates. Cash paid for scrap iron, brass and copper. Nelson Iron Works.

. If you want to buy or sell anything go to the "Old Curiosity Shop." Hack calls left at the Pacific

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For Rent.—Two fine offices centrally located. Apply to A. H. Buchanan, Bank of Montreal. Two large, well furnished rooms to let. 1 and 5 Macdonald block, corner Jose-phine and Vernon.

Bookkeeper — Young — Wanted at once to keep set of double entry books. Address Rex. Tribune office. Bids will be received by the undersigned for the construction of a Wharf and Transfer Slip at Lardo. West Kootenay, B. C., and also for the furnishing of 80,000 Track Ties, or a le-ser number at the option of the company. Plans, specifications, and forms of tender will be furnished on application, or may be examined in my office. Bids must be received in this office not later than 12 o'clock, on Tuesday, January 15th, 1901.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(Signed) J. G. SULLIVAN.

"New lot just in."—For fresh candies fruits, nuts, etc., call at the Bon Ton Confectionery, Baker street, Miss A. L. Klink-

Wanted.—Free milling gold properties in British Columbia. Andrew F. Rosenberger, Nelson, B. C. Phone No. 104, K.-W.-C. block.

To Rent or For Sale—Residence of F. W. Peters. Will rent furnished for two months or sell. Apply to H. A. Langford, tram-For Sale-Contents of two-room

flat (down town) furnished complete for house-keeping. Chance for man and wife. Address, Furniture, Tribune office: Removed — A. Gee, merchant

tailor, has removed to larger premises. He now occupies a store in the Tremont Hotel block on Baker street. Give him a call. Prospectors having promising

mineral claims are requested to call at The Prospector's Exchange, Nelson, B. C., room No. 4, K.-W.-C. block. Phone No. 101. For Sale-Profitable hotel busi-

ness and real estate, known as the Royal hotel, corner of Stanley and Sil'ca street. Apply to Johns & McLeod, Royal hotel, Nelson. Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Nelson for permission to transfer my retail liquor license for the premises situate on the west half of Lot 4, Block 2, in the City of Nelson, and known as the Glue Pot saloon, to Thomas Sproatt. GUS. NELSON.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 3rd day of January, 1901 For sale—Lot 10, block 17, 30 foot frontage on Victoria street, two houses on property: Price \$2800, terms easy. Address Frank G. Grabam, care of Matheson & Graham's

To Rent-Five-room cottage, new, well finished, all modern conveniences, 21 blocks eat postoffice, \$25 per month, including water rates. Apply, J. H. Matheson, at Matheson & Graham's barber shop.

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

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JOSEPHINE STREET.

TO RAILWAY CONTRACTORS

(Signed) J. G. SULLIVAN. Trail, B. C., January 3rd, 1901.

Notice of Application to Transfer a

License.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Nelson for permission to transfer my retail liquor license, for the premises situate on the east null of Lot 4 Block 2, in the City of Nelson, and known as the Grand Hotel, to Gustavus Nelson. JOHN BLOMBERG.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 3rd day of January, 1901

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License.

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APPLICATIONS WANTED,

1901. Witness: Thomas Symes.

Witness: JOHN BLOMBERG.

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Ladies Tailor-Made Suits 3 Plain Gray Homespun, Ladies Tailor | Suits, regular price \$20 . . . sale price \$3.50 Made Suits, regular \$23.00, sale price \$9.00 5 Plain Gray Homespun, Ladies Tailors

Made Suits, regular \$16.50, sale price \$5 00 2 Brown French Covert Cloth, Tailor-Made

Ladies Silk Waists 3 Fancy Silk Waists, regular price \$5.00, sale price...... \$2.75

sale price during stocking\$2.50

6 Mercerized Striped Walsts, slightly soiled

4 Childrens Reefers, with brass buttons and red piping, regular price \$5.50, present £alo price.....\$2.40 6 Childrens Reefers, regular price \$3.50

7 Fancy Silk Waists, regular price \$5.50 regular price \$4.0..... sale price 50c Ladies Mantles and Jackets double-breasted, with large pearl buttons, regular price \$10.00 sale price \$1.00

lar price \$4.50......sale price \$2.25

4 Dress Patterns, 6 yards in length, regular 1

6 Indies Broadcloth Jackets, in shades of Plack, Green and Gray, trimmed with

Ladies Wrappers

2 Dozen German Valeur Flannel Wrappers, regular price \$5.00, sale price \$2.50 Blankets and Comforters

2 Dozen Good Heavy Comforters, Chintz 1. Covering, regular price \$1.25, sale price 75c 7 Comforters, Fancy Chintz Covering, soft white filling, regular \$2.50, sale price \$1.40 7 Pair All-Wool White Blanket, size 60x80.

good heavy weight, regular price \$5.00, size 63x86, regular price \$5.50, present sale price. \$3.75

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The undersigned has been authorized by resolution of the city council to ask for applications for the position of chief of the Fire Department of the City of Nelson. Applicants will state age, nativity; experience and where, whether married or single, and give recommendations from chief of department where now employed and from underwriters. Mark applications: "Apo ication for Chief of Fire Department." and address

J. K. STRACHAN, City Clerk, Nelson. B. C. Dated January 2nd, 1901. Telephone 161. P. O. Box 176.

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Houston Block.