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THE PROPHETIC ADVENTISTS

CAN FIND A BIBLICAL CAUSE FOR EARTHLY EFFECTS.

Elder Young Has His Own Socialistic Theories and Will Expound Them in a Lecture Course.

Elder W. C. Young, one of the Seventh Day Adventists who have recently arrived in this city, last evening opened a series of lectures which he proposes to give each evening, dealing with the relative positions of capital and labor. The Seventh Day Adventists are a prophetic people in that they profess to see in everything which is transpiring in the world at the present time the fulfillment of the prophecy of the Bible. In the course of his lectures Mr. Young will trace out the relationship of present day occurrences with the prophecies, especially with respect to the amassing of riches by the few and the manner in which they are got together, and in the end will attempt to demonstrate the final triumph of the Bible socialism.

The Seventh Day Adventists are an offshoot of the Millerites, who in 1884 attracted considerable attention by reason of their very pronounced views on the second coming of Christ. They went so far as to set the day and hour for the coming, and so filled were they with the conviction that they were on the right track that they showed an absolute disregard for their worldly possessions and considered the easiest method of dispossessing themselves of them the best, to the end that they might be unhampered in their attendance upon the vast reception committee which they had drafted to receive the Saviour. It is almost needless to remark that the guest of the day did not appear, and in consequence of their great disappointment, and the trifling annoyance attendant upon the property loss, which, in the event of the world continuing to do business at the old stand, took on an added importance, it became necessary to revise the faith.

The evolution of the Seventh Day Adventists was the result. They do not stand for the mistake which the Millerites made in the reading of the prophecies. They believe with them that the falling of the stars in 1833 marked the near approach of the second coming, but there are other things which have yet to happen, and in any event they do not propose to make the mistake of setting any dates. This indefiniteness robbed the sect of much of its claim for public interest, but it avoided all possibility of embarrassing conditions. Another change which may be noted is that the Adventists of the day have not the same disregard for the usual forms of worldly riches. They consider that in this respect the Millerites were more or less fanatical, as it is an excellent thing to be possessed of that which can be of assistance to those in want. Another departure in their teachings from that of the Millerites, which probably is in the nature of a growth more than a departure, is in their teachings for the care of the body. The body they contend, is the temple of the soul, and for this reason the very best of care should be taken of it. This branch of their teaching has led to the establishment of sanitariums all over the United States. The largest of these has been established at Battle Creek, Michigan, and from a small beginning has steadily grown until at present it furnishes employment to no less than 800 persons. The preparation of cereal food stuffs has also received a great deal of attention, in view of the fact that the Adventists are wholly vegetarian in their diet, and in this respect at least their researches have had a very widespread effect upon the people of the entire continent, many of the food stuffs which at present are now in daily use on the tables of the people of Canada and the United States having been originally introduced in the manufactories conducted by the Adventists.

Perhaps the chief point of difference between the Adventists and the orthodox Christian churches is that the Adventists do not accept hell and eternal punishment, which at one time was the chief horror raiser at the church revival meetings. This they contend is contrary to reason, and they claim to base all their teachings on reason. They have a theory peculiarly their own with respect to the hereafter, but those who are interested in it had better take in the meetings and receive it first hand from elder Young.

Protest Against Discrimination.

WASHINGTON, August 6.—Complaint was instituted today before the interstate commerce commission by the National Hay Association against the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway and 29 other roads doing business in the eastern section of the country, alleging unlawful discriminations against hay and straw. It is alleged that commodity rates are given to Canadian hay, working a discrimination against the domestic product.

Union and Non-Union Men Clash.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—As a result of the strike throughout the city several assaults upon non-union men occurred today. Samuel Cole, a striking teamster, was shot in the breast by Henry Davis, a non-union teamster. According to Cole's story he was arguing with Davis when he drew a revolver and shot him. J. Watt, a non-union teamster, when going to work was met by a union man who tried to dissuade him. On Watt's refusal the union man struck him in the neck with a rock. Watt drew a pistol and shot at his assailant. Watt was watching the man run when two shots were fired by some one in the crowd on the other side of the street at Watt. The bullets narrowly missed his head.

Tennis in England

SOUTHAMPTON, August 6.—Because of the showers and wind, which was little less than a gale, which swept over the courts of the club this afternoon, no further progress was made in the tennis tournament than was completed in the morning. Four more matches remained in the first round, and judge Howland, chairman of the committee of the tourney, has decided that they be played tomorrow morning, as the contestants fouled. The play tomorrow in the championship singles will bring the winners up to the struggles for the semi-final round, and as the men are all keen for the play, the competition promises well.

NO TROUBLE AT PHOENIX

BUT INSTEAD, RECORD-BREAKING SHIPMENTS OF ORE MADE.

Three Train Loads a Day, Aggregating One Thousand Tons, Are Being Hauled to the Smelter.

Yesterday's Rossland Miner had a long cock-and-bull story regarding a reputed disagreement between the miners' union at Phoenix and the superintendent of the Old Ironsides and Knob Hill mines. The sole aim of the Miner appears to be to stir up trouble between miner and mine owner. The Rossland Miner's owner happens to be the manager of a mining company that is waging a war of extermination against unions, and no stone is to be left unturned to bring about discord in every camp in Kootenay and Yale. It angers the manager of the Le Roi to see other mine managers getting along amicably with their employees, and no doubt it hurts his feelings when he reads reports of ore shipments from single mines that far surpass in volume any record he has been able to make from the Le Roi. That there is no trouble at Phoenix is evidenced by the following wired The Tribune by W. B. Willcox, editor of the Phoenix Pioneer. On the contrary, Mr. Willcox's telegram goes to show that the mines at Phoenix are shipping more ore than ever before:

PHOENIX, August 6.—The mines of this camp are now shipping at the rate of over 1000 tons of ore per day. Every 24 hours three trains of 12 cars each, the cars each holding an average of 30 tons, are sent out to the Granby smelter at Grand Forks. The ore comes from the Old Ironsides, Knob Hill, and Victoria mines. The three-train rate is expected to prevail till the two additional furnaces now building at the smelter are blown in, when four trains daily will be shipped.

FROM PROVINCIAL POINTS

News From the Boundary.

GRAND FORKS, August 6.—[Special to The Tribune.]—The Grand Forks lacrosse team will play a return match with the Nelson team at Nelson on the 22nd instant. The team has also been invited to meet the Kamloops twelve as well as to give an exhibition game at Spokane during the fruit fair.

R. A. Brown, president of the Sunset Copper Company, owning the Sunset mine on Copper mountain, Similkameen district, denies the report that he is connected with any extensive proposition near Copper mountain.

The freight receipts at the Grand Forks depot last week amounted to over $13,000. This showing is tangible evidence of the prosperity of the Boundary country.

Vancouver Notes.

VANCOUVER, August 6.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Following is the selection of the Ottawa rifle team: Private George Turnbull, color sergeant J. Moscrop, corporal S. C. Mortimere, private W. H. Wall, staff sergeant H. J. Ferris, private W. Miller, sergeant Kennedy, captain T. Cunningham. Turnbull, Wall and Cunningham have declined. Private W. Huston has accepted and Ralph Wilson and sergeant W. J. Stern have until Wednesday to decide. Captain J. Duff Stewart will probably also attend the meeting.

Great heat prevails at Ashcroft and Kamloops, varying from 110 to 120 degrees Sunday.

The steamer Victorian arived Sunday to load cattle for Skagway. The steam pipe broke and she left at noon for Seattle for repairs.

There is a report here that Ames Holden will remove his headquarters from Victoria to Vancouver.

The salmon run last night was phenomenal, as many as a thousand being taken in one boat.

A west side business man is so scrupulously exact in all his transactions that every time he pays a visit he insists upon taking a receipt for it.—Chicago News.

DIED IN A PAINLESS SLEEP

LAST HOURS OF THE DOWAGER EMPRESS FREDERICK.

Preparations Making at Cronberg for the Obsequies---German Journals Comment on Her Death.

A special edition of the Reichsanzieger published this morning contains an imperial cabinet order giving notice of the death of empress Frederick and ordering six weeks' national mourning beginning today. The order also directs that the public amusements, including concerts and theaters, be suspended until after the funeral. According to dispatches from Cronberg, the death agony of the dowager empress was brief, lasting hardly a quarter of an hour. When professor Renvers informed emperor William that his mother's heart had ceased to beat the chaplain made a brief prayer and his majesty placed white lillies in his mother's hands. Telegrams are pouring in from all quarters. The heads of the foreign states and the sovereigns of the German states have sent messages of condolence couched in the warmest terms.

COWES, August 6.—The time of king Edward's departure for Germany is still undetermined. He goes to London this afternoon. The royal yacht Victoria and Albert awaits his arrival at Port Victoria to convey his majesty to Flushing.

CRONBERG, August 6.—The body of the dowager empress still lies in the bed chamber overlooking the valley of the Main. She died in a soft sleep, painlessly, and her features bear the most serene and peaceful expression. The gardeners and outdoor dependents were admitted to view the remains this morning.

BERLIN, August 6.—The papers comment on the political side of the dowager empress' character with reserve. The Post considers it easily comprehensible that a woman of her ability should seek to influence the political views of her husband but the paper refrains from criticising, since she avoided all political activity after emperor Frederick's death. The Kruetz Zeitung ignores her politics. The Neuste-Nachrichten says she brought from England political views which were "suitable in a highly developed, solidly foundationed country like England, but which were out of place in a country like Prussia, struggling for existence." The Deutsche Tages Zeitung says: "It would be unseemly and repugnant to our sentiments to recall the struggles into which she was drawn." The Liberal papers describe the hopes Germany indulged in through her and emperor Frederick in English constitutional views.

BERLIN, August 6.—It is asserted in Berlin tonight that king Edward will probably not go to Homberg or Cronberg, but will proceed direct to Potsdam to wait there the arrival of the body.

CRONBERG, August 6.—In accordance with the expressed wishes of the deceased the funeral services will be as simple as possible under the circumstances. The body will remain on the bed where she died until ready for the coffin. The roses in which it is almost buried are from her private garden, many of the bushes being cultivated with her own hands. Emperor William had a long interview with count von Buelow today. He drove from Homberg to Freidrichschoff and soon after his arrival the following official announcement regarding the funeral arrangements was made: "On Thursday the royal family will attend the funeral services in the castle, at which the bishop of Ripon, who was summoned by the empress, will officiate. Only the immediate family will be present. Saturday evening the coffin will be escorted from Freiderischoff to the Protestant church in Cronberg by a torchlight procession followed by the royal family on foot. Sunday afternoon a funeral service will be held in the presence of the family of the empress, her household, her friends and other privileged persons."

It is expected here that king Edward will be present. The royal family will go to Potsdam Sunday evening and the body will be taken there Monday evening. The funeral service in the mausoleum at Freidensriche, Potsdam, will be held Tuesday. As it was the empress' wish that there should be no state ceremony the service will not be attended by all the German royal personages. It will be as simple as possible. Emperor William has received a telegram of sympathy from the pope.

Chinese Negotiations.

LONDON, August 6. — Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, replying in the house of lords today to a question of earl Spencer, Liberal, said the Chinese negotiations had recently made rapid and satisfactory progress. The indemnity question was disposed of with the exception of a few minor points. There was still some question whether the matter of the commercial facilities in China had not better be transferred to some other place than Pekin and to some more wieldy body than the present conference. Great Britain was still in favor of the open door throughout China. They could not complain that they had not equal commercial advantages in the Yang Tse valley. The foreign secretary also said that the final strength of the legation garrison at Pekin will probably be 1800 men and that an additional force of 30,000 men would be distributed at different points along the routes along the sea. The secretary regarded the Anglo-German and the Anglo-Russian agreements as satisfactory and as tending to the maintenance of China's territorial integrity.

Von Waldersee's Reception.

BERLIN, August 6.—The steamer Cerea with field marshal count von Waldersee on board has arrived off Heligoland.

Count von Waldersee's reception at Hamburg will be very simple in consequence of the death of the dowager empress. All the pre-arranged festivities have been declared off, with the exception of the military reception at the pier and the municipal reception at the city hall. The municipal banquet will be omitted.

Nicaraguan Canal.

LONDON, August 6.—Commenting upon the interview with lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador to the United States, published in the United States July 18th, in which Pauncefote expressed the belief that a Nicaraugan canal treaty between Great Britain and the United States would be signed. Today voices the feeling that so long as the free use of the canal can be given to all nations, it cannot be seen why Great Britain's interests is to demand more. "Treaties are not eternal," says Today, and the Clayton-Bulwer treaty was negotiated at a time and under circumstances very different from today. "It is easy enough to understand why Germany and other continental powers are doing their best to prevent England from giving way, but it is much less easy to see why England should play into the hands of the continental powers by opposing the United States."

Japan Wants Reciprocity.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, August 6.—In consequence of the establishment of free trade between Porto Rico and the United States the Jamaican government is being urged to further and secure the ratification of reciprocity conventions pending between Jamaica and the United States.

EASTERN CANADIAN NEWS

Wired in Brief.

ST. JOHN, N. B., August 6.—William Pugsley, father of attorney general Pugsley, is dead, aged 75.

SHERBROOKE, Que., August 6.—Lord Strathcona has presented Sherbrooke with $10,000 for a free library building.

TORONTO, August 6.—Buffering, Durham, Cobourg and London old boys celebrated respectively at Orangeville, Bowmanville, Cobourg and London.

OTTAWA, August 6.—Counsel for George O'Brien, the Dawson murderer, who is under sentence of death, are trying to have the cabinet reconsider his case.

CHATHAM, Ont., August 6.—John Cameron McLean, a sectionman, was killed on the track by an express train yesterday. He was lying on the track when struck.

HALIFAX, August 6.—Corporal Goulding of the Royal Canadian regiment was taken with cramps while bathing at McNob's island last night and was drowned.

TORONTO, August 6.—The first of the farm laborers' excursions for Manitoba and the Northwest left here yesterday afternoon in three mixed trains, carrying about 2000 harvesters.

CHATHAM, Ont., August 6.—The five-year old son of William Neal of Northwood went asleep on the railway track yesterday afternoon and was struck by a flyer and seriously injured. The child cannot recover.

OTTAWA, August 6.—Arrangements are well under way between the government and the Bank of Commerce whereby the bank will cash all certificates issued to miners for gold delivered at the Dominion assay office, Vancouver.

OTTAWA, August 6.—Fred W Hudson, Canadian live stock commissioner, who has just returned from England, is convinced that there is no immediate prospect of the British government removing the embargo of Canadian cattle entering Britain.

ST. JOHN, N. B., August 6.—Mrs. F. L. Packard of Boston, wife of one of the members of E. Packard & Co., shoe dressing manufacturers, and niece of W. C. Edwards, M. P., was drowned while bathing at Riverside, seven miles from this city, yesterday afternoon.

TORONTO, August 6.—The feature of the annual meeting of the Toronto Rifle Association today was the sensational shooting of corporal T. Mitchell in the Merchants' match. He made 104 out of a possible 105 and in the president's match 203 out of a possible 205.

LONDON, Ont., August 6.—A large motor car crashed into the trailer on the South Bank electric line last evening. The trailer was dashed to pieces and passengers on it badly bruised. George Loveless of this city had his body badly crushed and an old man named Samuel Baden had one rib broken.

OTTAWA, August 6.—A cabinet minister said today that it was not impossible that the duke of Cornwall and York's engagements for the present would be cancelled on account of the dowager empress of Germany's death, but he expressed the hope that this would not be the case.

WINDSOR, Ont., August 6.—The three-year old son of John Austin of Sandwich, while out walking with his mother yesterday afternoon, was furiously attacked by a bull dog and before the animal was driven away it had inflicted several fearful gashes in his head and face. The child, it is thought, will be disfigured for life.

OTTAWA, August 6.—The governor general is advised of the death of trooper Quinn of Brandon of enteric fever; trooper sergeant W. Chalmers of Moosomin, N. W. T., and trooper Harry Sproule of Winnipeg, killed in action at Hont Kop, South Africa. All were members of the South African Constabulary.

MAY BE A CONSOLIDATION

OF THE VENUS AND ATHABASCA MINING COMPANIES.

Proposition Has Been Referred to the Toronto Shareholders of the Latter Company.

An arrangement has been arrived at between the shareholders of the Venus Gold Mining Company whereby it may be possible to bring about an amalgamation of the Athabasca and Venus companies. This, it is said, is the outcome of the bond which the Athabasca company had upon the Venus property to purchase at $150,000. This proposition has been referred to the Toronto shareholders in the Athabasca, and if they approve of it the amalgamation of the two companies will follow. In this event a new company will be formed with a capital of $2,000,000. Of this amount the Athtbasca company will receive stock to the amount of $970,000, and the Venus company stock to the amount of $570,000. It is also expected that an arrangement will be arrived at for the inclusion of the Exchequer company. The Athabasca company already has some hold upon the Exchequer company's property by which it can acquire the Exchequer company's assets in return for a certain amount of Athabasca stock, but the Athabasca stock has fallen so much in value since this arrangement was entered into that the Exchequer company will be given an opportunity to retire from the arrangement if the officers of the company so desire. It is considered, however, that the inclusion of the Exchequer with the Athabasca and Venus would make a very strong company, and if the Exchequer company will come in under the new arrangement it is proposed to issue to it stock in the new company to the amount of $100,000.

Should the amalgamation of the Athabasca and Venus companies be brought about under the terms above suggested an assessment of five cents per share will be levied on the stock issued to the present holders of Athabasca for the purpose of paying off the debts of the Venus and present Athabasca companies and also to meet the expenses in connection with the building of a tramway to connect the Venus property with the Athabasca mill as well as for necessary development on both the Venus and Athabasca. The new company will be a Canadian company, with head offices in Toronto, instead of in London, as is the case at present with the Athabasca. There is said to be sufficient ore at present blocked out in the Venus to keep the Athabasca company's mill running at its full capacity for two years. The Venus ore is not so high grade as that of the Athabasca, but the Venus ledge is much more regular than that of the Athabasca and it can be worked much cheaper. The general opinion is that the arrangement now submitted to the Toronto men will be acceptable and that the first steps in the matter of the amalgamation will be taken within a week.

AN ELECTRICAL APPARATUS

For Discovering Ore Bodies.

Angus McGillivray and Ed Shannon of New Denver are registered at the Hume. They are interested in the development of the Neepawa property on Ten-mile, and just at present are congratulating themselves upon the discovery of what they consider the most effective method of discovering just where their ore bodies are located and their value and extent. They have discarded for the present the old expensive method of driving tunnels and drifts into the mountain side in the hope of coming upon ore bodies where surface showings would suggest that they should be, and for the future propose to pin their faith upon an electrical contrivance which it is claimed can indicate the presence of mineral without the expense of any surface work whatever. Their attention was directed to this process by reason of experiments which were made with it in their vicinity, and their belief in it has been strengthened by results attained at the Last Chance mine, where they say the use of the finder has resulted in the discovery of a new ore body on that property. These experiments, it is said, were made with the approval of Dr. Hendryx, who is at present managing the Last Chance property, and the ore body discovered is said to have been buried by several feet of wash.

Messrs. McGillivray and Shannon had the electric geodetic mineral finder, as it is called, on their property on Ten-mile, and as a result have been informed that they have a very large body of ore upon it. The man operating the finder at the time, however, did not thoroughly understand it, and further tests will be necessary before the owners of the property can be fully informed as to the extent and richness of the ore body, the presence of which they believe the finder indicated.

The method employed in this kind of prospecting is to send a current of electricity through the earth, and the amount of resistance registered indicates the nature of the ground through which the current passed. Metals, it is said, offer much less resistance than other substances, and when a very low resistance is registered it is taken to indicate the presence of minerals. Then by moving the current around it is held to be possible to determine the direction of the ore body as well as its width and distance from the surface. Just what merit there is in the method is probably best left for those who have paid for their experience with it, and, as it is said to be a very expensive thing to play with, only those who can afford it will attempt to satisfy themselves as to whether there is anything in the claims of the inventor of the process or not. It is to be hoped that Angus will realize his dream, and by this means discover on the Neepawa the greatest ore body on Ten-mile, but is should be remembered that the finding of ore on the Neepawa would not establish the merit of the process, nor would failure to find the ore demonstrate that the scheme is a fake, because very much in either event would depend upon the Neepawa itself.

Races Postponed.

COWES, August 6.—Although the king decided that the Cowes yachting program should proceed, following the precedent set by queen Victoria at the death of the duke of Saxe-Cobourg, the owners of the vessels entered for the king's cup, which was to have been raced for today, have resolved out of respect for the dowager empress not to start.

BEATS HOLDING UP A TRAIN

THIEVES GET AWAY WITH $340,000 WORTH OF BULLION.

Dug a Tunnel Under the Selby Company's Works Near San Francisco With the Above Result.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—Three hundred and forty thousand dollars' worth of gold bullion was stolen from the Selby smelting works at Vallejo during last night. Access to the strong room where the bullion was stored was secured through a tunnel, which the thieves had bored from the edge of San Francisco bay to the building some distance from the water's edge. It is supposed that the thieves took their plunder away by boat. The Selby smelter is the largest on the Pacific coast. Ores are sent there from all parts of the western slope for reduction. The works are located near the bay shore about 30 miles from San Francisco, and through the clever device of tunneling through the loose sand the robbers secured a princely sum, the loss of which was not discovered until after the works resumed operations today.

VALLEJO, Cal., August 6.—Gold bricks valued at $340,000 were stolen during the night from the Selby Smelting Works. The robbers evidently had been working on the job for two or three months. They had dug a tunnel from outside the house, beginning with a shaft about three feet deep. Thence they worked underneath the vault and striking upwards bored a hole in the floor. The hole was shaped like the manhole of a boiler. Part of the holes were bored two months ago, it is thought, and the last hole was completed during the night. Through that hole they took the gold bricks and carried them to a bank near the mouth of the tunnel east of the works, where they were evidently placed in a boat. In their hurry the robbers left two bricks on the bank.

During the night one of the workmen reported to his fellows that he heard a noise in the strong room and declared it was a ghost. The others ridiculed him for his superstition, but no investigation was made to see what caused the noise. The entrance of the tunnel was covered with a frame, over which the employes of the smelter passed repeatedly every day, but no one seemed to notice anything out of the way.

Sheriff Veale of Contra Costa county and chief of police Sanford of Vallejo have been notified and are now at the works. The police of San Francisco are at work on the case, but so far there is not the slightest clue to the robbers. The work was that of skilled men and their elaborate plans were carried out without a hitch. They got all the bullion in the vault, leaving behind only the two bricks which dropped on the shore. Only one day's accumulation of refined gold was kept at the works. Yesterday's run was unusually heavy and the gold was to have been shipped back to San Francisco today.

The tunnel that the robbers excavated was about three feet in diameter and gave them plenty of room in which to work.

It is supposed that the dirt from the tunnel was taken out at night and dropped into the bay. First reports stated that the tunnel was two or three hundred feet long, but according to late advices it was about 10 feet in length. The shaft was started close to the wall and was sunk below the foundation, thence it was only a short distance under the floor of the vault. It is thought the men who committed the robbery took their plunder in a launch and made off for San Francisco. Following is a list of the property stolen: Four fine gold bricks, all numbered, and containing 6750 ounces; also 10,000 ounces of gold in various shapes and a little silver. The gold in the bricks is worth $20 an ounce.

Fatal Election Disturbances.

VIENNA, August 6.—A dispatch received here from Belgrade says there is no truth in the report circulated yesterday by a news agency in the United States that 16 persons were killed and that 19 were wounded during the election disturbances at Prokuplio, Servia. The dispatch adds that the elections passed off without disorder.

PHILADELPHIA'S EXPLOSION

SIX BUILDINGS WERE TOTALLY DESTROYED.

Seven Dead Bodies Have Already Been Recovered and 50 or 60 More or Less Injured.

PHILADELPHIA, August 6.—Six persons, all colored, are known to be dead as a result of the terrible gasoline explosion last night which tore to atoms six buildings on Locust street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, and wrecked over a score of others. As to the number that yet remain in the ruins of the wrecked buildings all is mere speculation. Only one of the six that perished has been identified. This is Annie Harris, a child of four years, who lived at 1013 Locust street on the opposite side of the street from the building in which the explosion occurred. It was 7 o'clock this morning before the firemen, after working hard all night, had the smoldering ruins sufficiently cooled off to enable them to begin a search for the bodies which are supposed to be beneath the wrecked buildings. At 1010 Locust street M. Rosenthal, wife and five children lived. They escaped with broken limbs and contusions, but the building was completely wrecked. In the Rosenthal home was a boarder named Frank Schmidt. He was seated at a third story window when the explosion occurred. Schmidt was blown through the window and landed upon the top of a stable 40 feet from the wrecked building. He escaped with a few bruises. Forty-eight persons all told were taken to the hospital. Of this number six are probably fatally injured. Twenty-eight are suffering from fractured limbs and burns, while the injuries of the others consist of slight cuts from flying debris. The scene at the wreck and at the hospitals this morning is sickening. Persons who had relatives and friends living in the wrecked structures are standing about weeping and almost distracted, hoping that their loved ones may have escaped a terrible death, but fearful of the worst. The property loss will amount to about $75,000, on which there is small insurance.

PHILADELPHIA, August 6, 9:30 p. m.—Seven dead, three or four probably fatally injured and more than 60 other persons hurt more or less seriously is the revised record of last night's explosion in the block of buildings on Locust street above Tenth in this city. How many more victims, if any, are still in the ruins will not be known until all the debris has been cleared away. The latest find was made at 8 o'clock tonight. The badly burned remains of a colored man were found in the debris on the sidewalk.

Competition in Wine

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—Representatives of California viticultural interests have learned that French exporters propose to enter into active competition with the wine makers of this state. It is asserted that in the Perigord district of France the crop of grapes has been so enormous that wine has fallen to less than one cent a gallon. The French growers, according to the Chronicle, do not intend shipping wine to this country, owing to the tariff, but they propose to send over condensed must. This is unformed juice of the grape, which can be quickly converted into a fair wine by the addition of water. The duty on must is only 20 per cent ad valorem, it coming under the head of "unenumerated articles" in the tariff schedules. The wine interests of California will at once take steps to have the omission of must from the tariff rectified by congress.

Off With Their Queques.

NEW YORK, August 6.—An order issued by the head of the Chinese Reform Association, with headquarters at San Francisco, calls upon all Chinamen in this country to remove their queques. The order reads as follows, according to the Tribune: "All good Chinamen who are interested in the cause of reform, and who desire to better their condition and that of their native land, and to improve their positions in the land of their adoption, will at once proceed to cut off their queques." It is said that upon the members of the Association it will be more binding than an imperal edict from the hand of the emperor of China. It wil affect several hundred Chinese in this city although as yet no branch of the association has been formed here. In California the association has 6000 members.

Steel Workers' Strike.

PITTSBURG, August 6.—The Leader says president Shaffer announced this afternoon that general orders calling on all the Amalgamated men in all of the Steel Combine mills to strike would go out this afternoon. He declined to give out a copy of the order in advance of its receipt by the lodges.

A general strike order from president Shaffer will be mailed to all the vice-presidents of the Amalgamated Association tonight ordering the men out August 10, unless there is an adjustment of the differences in the meantime.

CATCH FISH

Nothing is so disappointing to the angler as to return home after a day's fishing with an empty creel. You may make elaborate preparations and take apparently everything that is necessary, rod, line, reel, casts, flies, troll, bait, net and gaff, but unless they are made of the right stuff it is money thrown away. Vexation and often profanity follows. We are careful in the selection of our fishing tackle and know something about it, too. If you buy your fishing tackle off us you will CATCH FISH, but, if you don't, well perhaps you might get a sucker.

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The Tribune, not being acquainted with the conditions that existed in the Coeur d'Alenes either prior to or since the blowing up of the Bunker Hill mill, cannot give an opinion as to the rights or the wrongs of the two parties engaged in that dispute. But The Tribune does know that the members of the miners' unions in British Columbia are just as law-abiding and just as good citizens as are the men who employ them, and when Bernard McDonald's personal organ, the Rossland Miner, attempts to blacken their reputation by reprinting column after column of a report that the governor of Idaho made to the secretary of war, he is not acting the part of a good citizen. The people of British Columbia will judge miners' unions by their actions in British Columbia. So far, they have been law-abiding organizations; and Bernard McDonald's newspaper is no more justified in beginning a campaign of detraction against the miners and miners' unions of this province than it has to commence such a campaign against the printers and printers' unions of British Columbia. Bernard McDonald has been credited with having brains, but he has evidently been overrated, for no man with ordinary common sense would willfully slander a class of men without whose aid mining could not be made a profitable industry.

The Portland Oregonian, a newspaper that cannot be classed as an organ of trades unionism, has the following to say editorially regarding the injunctions recently issued by judge Hanford of Washington and judge Gager of Connecticut: "Under this rule a striker "could not talk with another workman "at any place or time with a purpose "to convert him to the strikers' cause, "under penalty of being punished for "contempt of court. If this injunction "will hold water as the law of the "land, why, then, the judge can forbid "the holding of public meetings by "the strikers and the delivering of ad- "dresses designed to influence non- "union workmen, and prohibit the "printing of reports of such meetings "in the newspapers. This Connecticut "injunction is a direct blow at free- "speech, the right of public assemblage "and the freedom of the press since all "these things are in danger by logical "extension of the doctrine of contempt "of court set forth in judge Gager's in- "junction. What labor asks at the "hands of capital is not the beneficence "that is dictated by self-interest but "simple justice."

"Colonel Jack" Egan, an old-time Pacific Coast printer-journalist, has assumed editorial charge of the Nelson Miner. In the early days "Colonel Jack" was a compositor on the Virginia (Nevada) Enterprise, and afterwards was a reporter on the San Francisco Examiner. When Nathan Cole, jr., started the Portland (Oregon) News to knock the Oregonian out, he hired Egan as managing editor. From the News he went to the Seattle Telegraph as city editor, and from Seattle came to Rossland, where he was city editor of the Miner until Bernard McDonald became its owner. Egan is well versed in mining lore and knows what news is. He has been so long in the business, and experienced so many of its ups and downs, that he is a cosmopolitan. The Miner has been so long in the hands of men who were not cosmopolitan and not newspapermen, that a change in that journal should be noticeable from this time on.

A conflict that may not be as serious as was the one that began in 1861 is surely coming in the United States. The lines are becoming pretty tightly drawn, and it will only need a few more such injunctions as those issued by judge Hanford of Washington and judge Gager of Connecticut to bring on the conflict. The signs are little different from those that preceded the greatest civil war of modern times, and the forces arrayed are much the same. The slave power became arrogant; but it was no more arrogant than is the money power today. Conservative people tried to stem the tide in 1860, just as conservative people are trying to stem the tide now. Will history repeat itself?

Great in Character.

Admirers of lord Roberts had perhaps more reason than the Irish members to object to the phrases in hon. A. J. Balfour's speech, which likened the commander-in-chief to John Churchill, duke of Marlborough. Irish jealousy for the fame of Marlborough is a new development. There are two sides to the question whether Roberts or Churchill was the greater soldier. The military genius of Roberts might have been equal to all the triumphs of Marlborough, and the character of Marlborough would not have enabled him to win the triumphs which adorn the fame of lord Roberts. Roberts might not have been equal to the opportunities which Marlborough improved on the continent but it is far from certain Marlborough could have brought order out of chaos in South Africa. The great duke would have had to develop an honesty which he never displayed in life or he would have trucked and traded in the supplies and pay for the army in South Africa while his men were starving. The steady flame of lord Roberts' greatness needs to borrow no glory from the corrupt genius of John Churchill, duke of Marlborough. —Toronto Telegram.

Will Bar Foreigners

The imperial German government in response to pressure from academical quarters is about to take steps to restrict the access of foreign students to German universities. At the present moment there are 3000 foreigners on the books of German universities, Berlin heading the list with more than 900. Of the 3000 there are about 500 Americans. These figures do not include foreigners studying at the technical high schools of Germany. The German government takes the ground that a disproportionate share of the limited accommodations of the laboratories of the universities and technical high schools is given to foreigners to the detriment of the native students for whom these institutions were primarily intended. All the universities are state supported, and it is considered unfair that German taxpayers should provide for the education of foreigners, whose instruction thus obtained brings no return to the German empire, since it is carried abroad. The German government, therefore, plans measures of a very radical character to restrict, if not to stop entirely, the admission of foreigners to German universities and high schools, a law which cannot fail to create a sensation in the United States, where there are so many men of science who have received their education in Germany.

A handsome Celtic cross is to be erected in the grounds of Balmoral castle as a memorial of duke Alfred of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha. The cross, which is constructed of granite from a neighboring quarry, was ordered last autumn by queen Victoria.

Try it. Ironbrew.

The new cooling drink, Ironbrew.

EAST KOOTENAY'S FIRST ANNUAL MINERAL, AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION

THREE DAYS OF INSTRUCTION, INTEREST AND ENJOYMENT.

CRANBROOK, B. C., SEPTEMBER 25 to 27, 1901.

The best program ever seen in the country. See posters and circulars for further particulars. Mineral exhibit, bucking contests, agricultural exhibit, horse races. Specially low return railway rates from all points.

A. W. McVITTIE, Secretary.

ICE CREAM SETS

We have a very handsome Ice Cream Set in silver plate, consisting of half a dozen spoons and one server. The price is $6.50. Best quality plate.

BROWN BROS

Opticians and Jewelers.

BAKER STREET NELSON

ARTHUR GEE

MERCHANT TAILOR

LADIES' TAILOR MADE SUITS. BAKER STREET EAST.

ANNOUNCEMENT

R. A. Elliot, who for some time has handled the Hazelwood Company's business in this city, has decided to open a store on his own account on Ward street, near Victoria. He will make a specialty of home made baking and pastry, as well as pickles and preserves.

Classified advertisements inserted for ONE-HALF CENT A word each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

SEWING MACHINES OF ALL KINDS for rent at the Old Curiosity Shop.

FOR RENT.

BREWERY HOTEL, SANDON, B. C. Furnished throughout with all requirements for same. Apply to Carl Band. New York Brewery, Sandon.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS AND sitting room to let; over Vanstone's drug store; $2.50 per week.

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE ON CARBONate street, between Stanley and Kootenay streets; bath room, hot and cold water. Rent $25. Inquire W. P. Robinson, Nelson.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOM WITH OR without board. Apply four doors above City Hall, Victoria street.

SEVEN ROOM AND BASEMENT house on the corner of Victoria and Cedar streets; modern conveniences. $25. Apply to J. Coxhead, Cedar street.

SIX ROOM COTTAGE AT BALFOUR to let by the month or for the season. Immediate possession. Good fishing. Apply C. W. Busk, Kokanee creek. Phone 66a. Or to R. H. Williams, Baker street, Nelson.

THE LAKE SHORE BOARDING house at Moyie. 30 bedrooms. Apply J. C. Drewry, Rossland, or Lewis Thomson, Moyie.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE, RANCH ON KOOTENAY river; improved. Inquire W. P. Robinson, Nelson.

WANTED.

WANTED — THREE WIFLEY CONcentrators in good condition. Apply Annable & Dewar.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—HOTEL COOK, $75.00; RAILroad men; woman cook; waitresses; waiters; laundry girl. Nelson Employment Agency, phone 278.

WANTED LABORERS AND TEAMsters for railroad construction. Help furnished free. Apply at Western Canadian Employment Office, Ward street, Nelson.

WANTED BOYS.—GOOD, ACTIVE AND reliable boys to act as selling agents for The Daily Tribune in every town in Kootenay and Yale districts.

LOST.

LOST ON WARD STREET, BETWEEN Silica and Victoria, a pocket book containing a ring (16 pearls), a $10 gold piece and a $1 bill. W. C. McLean, corner Silica and Ward streets.

LOST— A GOLD CHAIN BRACELET, between Vernon street and Mines road. Finder please return to this office and receive reward.

WANTED—MINING PROPERTIES.

FREE MILLING GOLD PROPERTIES. We are anxious to secure a few free milling gold properties at once. The Prospectors' Exchange, Nelson, B. C., Room 4, K. W. C. Block.

GOLD, COPPER, SILVER, LEAD mines and prospects wanted. Send report and samples to the Prospectors' Exchange, Nelson, B. C., Room 4, K. W. C. Block.

TEAS.

WE HAVE INDIAN, CEYLON, AND China teas in great variety, choicest quality. We make a specialty of blending teas and sell them in any quantity at lowest rates. Kootenay Coffee Company.

JAPAN TEA OF ALL KINDS TO SUIT your taste. Sun cured, Spider Leg, Pan Fired; in bulk or packages. Kootenay Coffee Company.

THAT FINE BLEND OF CEYLON TEA we are selling at 30 cents per pound is giving the best of satisfaction to our many customers. Kootenay Coffee Company.

FURNITURE.

D. J. ROBERTSON & CO., FURNITURE dealers, undertakers and embalmers. Day 'phone No. 202, night 'phone No. 207. Next new postoffice building, Vernon street, Nelson.

DRAYAGE.

FURNITURE, PIANOS, SAFES, ETC., moved carefully at reasonable rates. Apply J. T. Wilson, Phone 270, Prosser's second Hand store, Ward street.

ICE CREAM AND FRUIT.

FOR COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE go to the ice cream parlors of J. A. McDonald, Baker street, where every attention and requisite is supplied.

CHOP HOUSE.

PIONEER CHOP HOUSE, JOHN Spear, proprietor, opposite Queen's Hotel, Baker street, Nelson. Open day and night. Lunches a specialty. Picnic and traveling parties supplied on shortest notice.

ARCHITECTS.

A. C. EWART.—ARCHITECT, ROOM 3, Aberdeen Block, Baker Street, Nelson.

Cards of Wholesale Houses, under classified heads, will be charged 50 cents a line per month. No advertisement accepted for less than $1 per month.

ASSAYERS' SUPPLIES.

W. F. TEETZEL & CO.—CORNER OF Baker and Josephine streets, Nelson, wholesale dealers in assayer's supplies. Agents for Denver Fire Clay Company if Denver, Colorado.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

H. J. EVANS & CO.—BAKER STREET, Nelson, wholesale dealers in liquors, cigars, cement, fire brick and fire clay, water pipe and steel rails, and general commission merchants.

HARDWARE AND MINING SUPPLIES

H. BYERS & CO.—CORNER BAKER and Josephine streets, Nelson, wholesale dealers in hardware and mining supplies. Agents for Giant Powder Company.

LAWRENCE HARDWARE COMPANY.—Baker street, Nelson, wholesale dealers in hardware and mining supplies and water and plumbers' supplies.

GROCERIES.

A. MACDONALD & CO.—CORNER OF Front and Hall streets, Nelson, wholesale grocers and jobbers in blankets, gloves, mitts, boots, rubbers, mackinaws and miners' sundries.

KOOTENAY SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMited.—Vernon street, Nelson, wholesale grocers.

JOHN CHOLDITCH & CO.—FRONT street, Nelson, wholesale grocers.

J. Y. GRIFFIN & CO.—FRONT STREET, Nelson, wholesale dealers in provisions, cured meats, butter and eggs.

LADIES' SUNSHADES AT HALF PRICE. UMBRELLAS AT CUT PRICES.

Fred Irvine & Co.

36 Baker Street, Nelson.

LACE ALLOVERS, RIBBONS, VEILINGS, DRESS TRIMMINGS AT REDUCED PRICES.

BARGAINS IN HOUSE FURNISHINGS THIS WEEK

We will offer during the remainder of this week special bargains in Carpets, Rugs, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Window Shades, Table Covers, Floor Oilcloth, Linoleums, Crumb Cloths, and Ingrain Squares, at prices never before equaled in Nelson.

A Special Lot of Remnants on Wednesday Next

FROM EVERY DEPARTMENT.

BARGAINS IN VALISES TRUNKS AND TRAVELING BAGS.

Fred Irvine & Co.

36 Baker Street

LADIES' KID GLOVES 50 CENTS PER PAIR SEE OUR WASH KID GLOVES.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.

KOOTENAY ELECTRIC SUPPLY & Construction Company.—Wholesale dealers in telephones, annunciators, bells, batteries, electric fixtures and appliances. Houston Block, Nelson.

FRESH AND SALT MEATS.

P. BURNS & CO.—BAKER STREET, Nelson, wholesale dealers in fresh and cured meats. Cold storage.

WINES AND CIGARS.

CALIFORNIA WINE COMPANY, LIMITed—Corner of Front and Hall streets, Nelson, wholesale dealers in wines, case and bulk, and domestic and imported cigars.

LIQUORS AND DRY GOODS.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.—CORNER Vernon and Josephine streets, Nelson, wholesale dealers in liquors, cigars and dry goods. Agents for Pabst Brewing Company of Milwaukee and Calgary Brewing Company of Calgary.

KOOTENAY.... COFFEE CO.

Coffee Roasters

Dealers in Tea and Coffee

We are offering at lowest prices the best grades of Ceylon, India, China and Japan Teas.

Our Best, Mocha and Java Coffee, per pound	$ 40
Mocha and Java Blend, 3 pounds	1 00
Choice Blend Coffee, 4 pounds	1 00
Special Blend Coffee, 6 pounds	1 00
Rio Blend Coffee, 6 pounds	1 00
Special Blend Ceylon Tea, per pound	30

A TRIAL ORDER SOLICITED.

KOOTENAY COFFEE CO.

Telephone 177. P. O. Box 182.

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WE HAVE THE BEST FLIES AND THE BEST LEADERS MADE.

Minnows, silver and gold and Phantoms

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And a splendid line of all fishing requisites.

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BAKER STREET, NELSON.

Lighted by Electricity and Heated with Hot Air.

Large comfortable bedrooms and first-class dining room. Sample rooms for commercial men.

RATES $2 PER DAY

Mrs. E. C. Clarke, Prop.

Late of the Royal Hotel, Calgary

Madden House Baker and Ward Streets, Nelson.

The only hotel in Nelson that has remained under one management since 1890. The bed-rooms are well furnished and lighted by electricity.

The bar is always stocked by the best domestic and imported liquors and cigars.

THOMAS MADDEN, Proprietor.

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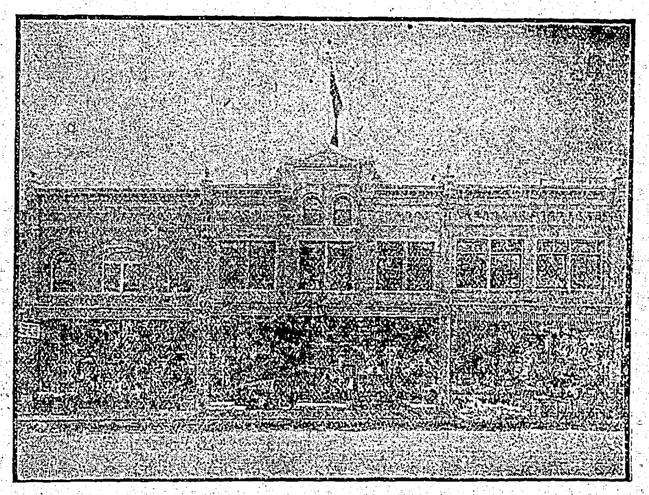
Bar stocked with best brands of wines, liquors, and cigars. Beer on draught. Large comfortable rooms. First class table board.



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321 TO 331 BAKER STREET, NELSON

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLANS

MEALS 25 CENTS

Rooms Lighted by Electricity and Heated by Steam 25 Cents to $1

NELSON CLOTHING HOUSE

NO 219 BAKER STREET, NELSON.

BOOTS! BOOTS! BOOTS!

For a few days only we will hold a slaughtering discount sale of boots and shoes.

J. A. Gilker, Proprietor

FRUIT JARS.

IN HALF GALLONS, QUARTS AND PINTS.

WE ALSO HAVE ALL KINDS OF FRUIT.

Houston Block, Baker Street. Telephone 161. P. O. Box 176

JOHN A. IRVING & CO.

A FULL LINE OF

Front Doors
Inside Doors
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Inside Finish
local and coast.
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Newel Posts
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Shingles
Rough and
Dressed Lumber
of all kinds.

IF WHAT YOU WANT IS NOT IN STOCK WE WILL MAKE IT FOR YOU CALL AND GET PRICES.

J. A. Sayward

HALL AND LAKE STREETS, NELSON

Ward Bros.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENTS

Agents for J. & J. TAYLOR SAFES

Desirable Business and Residence Lots in (Bogustown) Fairview Addition.

Office on Baker street, west of Stanley Street, Nelson.

R. B. REILEY

SUCCESSOR TO H. D. ASHCROFT.

BLACKSMITHS AND WOOD WORKERS EXPERT HORSESHOEING.

Special attention given to all kinds of repairing and custom work from outside points. Heavy bolts made to order on short notice.

Trades Union and Fraternal Society Notices of regular meetings will be charged 25 cents a line per month. No notice accepted for less than $1 per month.

TRADES AND LABOR UNIONS.

MINERS' UNION, NO. 96, W. F. of M.—Meets in Miners' Union Hall, northwest corner of Baker and Stanley streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. M. R. Mowat, president; James Wilks, secretary. Union scale of wages for Nelson district per shift: Machine men $3.50, hammersmen $3.25, muckers, carmen, shovelers, and other underground laborers $3.

LAUNDRY WORKERS' UNION.—Meets at Miners' Union Hall on fourth Monday in every month at 7:30 o'clock p. m. E. Pape, president; A. W. McFee, secretary.

CARPENTERS' UNION MEETS WEDnesday evening of each week at 7 o'clock, in Miners' Union Hall. C. J. Clayton, president; Alex. B. Murray, secretary.

BARBERS' UNION, NO. 196, OF THE International Journeymen Barbers' Union of America, meets first and third Mondays of each month in Miners' Union Hall at 8:30 sharp. Visiting members invited. R. McMahon, president; J. H. Matheson, secretary-treasurer; J. C. Gardner, recording secretary.

PAINTERS' UNION MEET THE FIRST and third Fridays in each month at Miners' Union Hall at 7:30 sharp. Walter R. Kee, president; Henry Bennett, secretary.

PLASTERERS' UNION MEETS EVERY Monday evening in the Elliot Block, at 8 o'clock. J. D. Moyer, president; William Vice, secretary. P. O. Box 161.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

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

NELSON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER No. 123, G. R. C.—Meets third Wednesday. Sojourning companions invited. George Johnstone, Z.; E. W. Matthews, S. E.

NELSON AERIE, NO. 22 F. O. E.—Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Fraternity Hall. George Bartlett, president; J. V. Morrison, secretary.

KOOTENAY TENT NO. 7, K. O. T. M.—Regular meetings first and third Thursdays of each month. Visiting Sir Knights are cordially invited to attend. Dr. W. Rose, R. K.; A. W. Purdy, Com.; G. A. Brown, P. C.

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE COpartnership hitherto existing between the undersigned by the style of Lee & Burnett, as green grocers, has this day been dissolved by the retirement of Harry Burnett, who has transferred to Herbert F. Lee all his interest in the business, assets, good will and book accounts.

All persons indebted to the said partnership are hereby requested to make payment to the said Herbert F. Lee, who has assumed and will pay the liabilities of the partnership, and who will continue the partnership business.

HERBERT F. LEE,
H. BURNETT.

Witness: R. A. CREECH.
Nelson, B. C., July 15th, 1901.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE COpartnership existing between the undersigned, doing business as hotelkeepers at the town of Erie, B. C., is dissolved. All debts owing by the firm will be paid by David Church, who will also collect all debts due the firm.

Dated at Erie, B. C., this 17th day of July, 1901.

DAVID J. BROWN,
DAVID CHURCH.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Tiger, Kitchener and Last Chance mineral claims, situate in the Nelson mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Morning mountain on the east side of Sandy creek about one mile from the Kootenay river. Take notice that I, R. Smith, free miner's certificate 55,762b, acting as agent for A. Thom, free miner's certificate 55,670b, Henry E. Hammond, free miner's certificate 55,669b, and Annandale D. Grieve, free miner's certificate 55,668b, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements. R. SMITH.

Dated this 25th day of July, A. D. 1901.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.—THE CHAMPION MINERAL claim, situate in the Nelson mining division of West Kootenay district. Where located: On Forty-nine creek about 200 yards from hydraulic dam. Take notice that I, E. W. Matthews, acting as agent for Henry Samuel Crotty, free miner's certificate No. b49,970, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 18th day of July, A. D. 1901.

BANK OF MONTREAL

CAPITAL, all paid up....$12,000,000.00
REST 7,000,000.00
UNDIVIDED PROFITS 427,180.80

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal ...President
Hon. George A. Drummond .....Vice-President
E. S. Clouston .....General Manager

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Corner Baker and Kootenay Streets.
A. H. BUCHANAN, Manager.

Branches in LONDON (England) NEW YORK, CHICAGO, and all the principal cities in Canada.

Buy and sell Sterling Exchange and Cable Transfers.
Grant Commercial and Travelers' Credits, available in any part of the world.
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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

WITH WHICH IS AMALGAMATED
THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO.

Paid-up Capital, - - - - $8,000,000
Reserve Fund, - - - - $2,000,000
AGGREGATE RESOURCES OVER $65,000,000.

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, President. Robt. Kilgour, Vice-President.

London Office, 60 Lombard Street, E. C.
New York Office, 16 Exchange Place.
and 68 Branches in Canada and the United States.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT:
Interest allowed on deposits. Present rate three per cent.

GRANGE V. HOLT,
Manager Nelson Branch.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

Capital - - $2,500.000
Rest - - - $1,850,000

H. S. HOWLAND.....President.
D. R. WILKIE.....General Manager.
E. HAY.....Inspector.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.
THE CURRENT RATE OF INTEREST ALLOWED.

Nelson Branch—Burns Block, 221 Baker Street.
J. M. LAY, Manager.

THE SCHLEY INVESTIGATION

Arraignment and Defense.

Apropos of the approaching court-martial of admiral Schley the following points to be touched upon will be of interest. Schley's defense will be:

First—That the delay before Cienfuegos was caused by the failure of Sampson to provide Schley with certain signal codes.

Second—That the movement toward Key West for coal was made after the ablest scouts of the navy informed Schley that the Spanish fleet had not been seen to enter the harbor of Santiago; and that weather conditions made it advisable to coal in port.

Third—That the results of the battle show the loop to have been courageous, shrewd and effective.

CHIEF WITNESS SCHLEY.

First—The alleged delay at Cienfuegos, Cuba:

"My orders from rear admiral Sampson of May 19th were to blockade Cienfuegos. This I proceeded to do immediately.

"I was on the spot acting under orders which gave me entire discretion and clothed me with the responsibility of going to Santiago only after I was satisfied that the Spanish fleet was not at Cienfuegos."

Second—The alleged slow progress toward Santiago de Cuba.

"The secretary assumes that I was in fault for allowing the Eagle, which was of small importance as a fighting force compared with the rest of the force, to reduce materially the speed of the quadron.

"She was a part of the force which admiral Sampson had thought proper to send me, together with the Iowa and the collier Merrimac. If I had known that the Spanish fleet was in the latter port I trust it is not necessary for me to assure anyone that no consideration of the Eagle or anything else would have prevented me from getting there at the earliest possible moment with the larger vessels; but the weather and sea and the slow-moving vessels made it impossible to do better than I did."

Third—The retrograde movements of May 26th and 27th:

"Acting in accordance with my best judgment, in view of the circumstances, without any certain knowledge of the whereabouts of the Spanish fleet; after having been informed by the 'scouts,' commanded by such officers as Sigsbee, Jewell and Wise, that although they had all been off Santiago de Cuba for a week they had seen nothing of it and knew nothing of its movements or its whereabouts since it had left Curacao; after having been assured by Sigsbee that he did not believe it was in Santiago, and by the emphatic declaration of pilot Nunez, and knowing that, as the sea and weather were then, it would be impossible to coal any squadron off the port, I deemed it best to take the action I did, the final result of which was the location of the enemy's fleet in the Santiago harbor."

Fourth—The battle of Santiago and the destruction of Cervera's fleet:

"The facts of that contest speak for themselves."

This will be the arraignment by admiral Sampson:

First—That Schley negligently delayed the progress of the flying squadron from Cienfuegos to Santiago.

Second—That Schley turned away from Santiago under the excuse of needing coal for the squadron, without having ascertained that the Spanish fleet was not in the harbor of Santiago; that this movement, halted in its incipiency, was in disobedience of orders.

Third—That Schley made a cowardly loop in the face of the enemy with his flagship Brooklyn during the battle of Santiago.

CHIEF WITNESS SAMPSON.

As outlining his possible testimony, admiral Sampson has said of the Maclay history, in which admiral Schley is called "caitiff," "coward" and "incompetent":

"In one way, possibly, I was responsible for the statements made in the history. I was commander-in-chief of the quadron, and was responsible, so far as leading the proof goes. If the historian has taken facts from my official reports the navy department that is all well and good. I stand by first reports and official communications. Schley's first statement regarding the battle of Santiago was moderately correct. The interviews given out some time afterward were not at all correct. They were entirely different from his first accounts, and were written in a different spirit, I think."

The first complaint admiral Sampson made was of date of July 10, 1898, a week after the naval engagement at Santiago. Admiral Sampson telegraphed the secretary of the navy as follows:

"With regard to commodore Schley, I much prefer that the department should decide his case. I am unwilling to fully express my own opinion. His conduct when he first assumed command on the south coast of Cuba I assumed to be as well known to the department as to myself. Had the commodore left his station off Santiago de Cuba at that time he probably would have been courtmartialed. Were I alone in this opinion would certainly doubt my judgment, but as far as I know this opinion is confirmed by the say of other commanding officers here acquainted with the circumstances. This reprehensible conduct I cannot separate from his subsequent conduct, and for this reason I ask you to do him ample justice on this occasion. All was wrong with Schley, from the first moment he had anything to do with the naval engagement that ended in the annihilation of the Spanish fleet off Santiago. Misunderstanding there never was, and never could have been."

Here follows the attack made by historian Maclay, which caused the admiral to demand an investigation:

"In his report about the coal supply of the vessels under his command, Schley exhibited either a timidity amounting to absolute cowardice or a prevarication of facts that were intrinsically falsehoods. Schley turned in cattle flight from the danger spot toward which duty, honor and the whole American people were most earnestly urging him. Viewed in whatever light it may be, the foregoing dispatch cannot be characterized otherwise than as being without exception the most humiliating, cowardly and lamentable report ever penned by an American naval officer."

As to the reconnoissance at Santiago: "This timid and nerveless attack on Cervera's ships is the more disappointing when we remember the elaborate and brave preparations Schley had made to get at the enemy in earnest. Schley's farcical blockade cannot be described otherwise than as willful disobedience of orders."

As to the loop of the Brooklyn: "Schley hastily ordered his helm aport. 'But that will carry us into the Texas,' said the officer. 'Let the Texas take care of herself,' was the heartless reply, and the shameful spectacle of an American warship, supported by a force superior to the enemy's—a warship whose commander had expended such vast quantities of ammunition on target practice in the presence of a fashionable hotel at Hampton Roads, in order to meet a worthy foe—deliberately turning tail and running away, was presented."

"Cervera nobly threw down the gauntlet. Schley cravenly declined to pick it up."

WHAT CERVERA THINKS.

"Actions speak. The good old proverb is: 'Actions speak louder than words.' Why not apply it to admiral Schley. Understand that what I say is in light of this distinction. As a Spaniard I look upon that war as being as unjust as the war which England is now waging against the Boer republics. Personally, I shall never forget the generous and courteous treatment that was accorded to me by the Americans, and particularly by admiral Schley. He impressed me as a gallant officer and a high-minded gentleman to the fullest sense of the phrase. A priori, I should say that a man of noble principles and general impulses cannot be a coward. To such men I would look rather for Castilian bravery. The naval battle of Santiago was short and decisive—so short that there was no time for any exchange of compliments; so decisive that I can hardly believe that cowardice was thinkable. The fight was over in about three hours and three-quarters. Had I been captured in the days of ancient Rome, my back might have been used as a stepping place for the conqueror mounting his horse. Admiral Schley treated me on terms of absolute equality. His flagship, the Brooklyn, was west in the blockading line, and was therefore the most exposed. She was engaged in a running fight with the Viscaya and the Colon. When the Brooklyn and the Oregon got within range of the Colon they opened fire, and the latter was compelled to run ashore. The Christobal Colon also struck her colors to the Brooklyn and the Oregon. The Brooklyn, holding the westward blockading position, was within range of our ships and batteries all the time, though our ships lacked certain things necessary for full effectiveness. Admiral Schley showed ability and thoroughness. It is a case of demonstrated valor against possible bravery. It is a case of the difference between the act and the possibility, or, as the old philosophers used to say, between the esse and the posse. The philosophical axiom which I learned in my schooldays, namely, 'A posse ad actum non valet consecutio,' ('To be able to do a thing is not the same as doing it') probably applies to this case. I don't know admiral Sampson and I have no comment to make upon him. Your ships went straight to work, probably without much commanding. Admiral Schley accomplished fully the work allotted to him, and, therefore, it does not seem to me that there is any room for adverse criticism—at least, from the American side."

Astor Wants Battle Abbey.

William Waldorf Astor is negotiating with the executors of the late duchess of Cleveland, and with her principal heir, captain Forrester, for the purchase of Battle Abbey, her historic home in Sussex, which was built by William the Conqueror and endowed as a monastery for the purpose of having its monks offer up prayers for the souls of those who fell in the battle of Hastings in the year 1066. William Waldorf Astor has had his eye on Battle Abbey ever since the memorable answer given to him by the old duchess of Cleveland, when at the inauguration of his magnificent offices in London he called upon her to admire the beauty of his great black marble staircase. "Yes," exclaimed the old duchess, "it is much finer and better looking than my black marble staircase at Battle Abbey, where the marble has all been chipped and damaged by the swords, the spurs and the mailed feet of the Crusaders." It was then that Astor realized for the first time the value of the antique, and from that time forth he has entertained a desire to possess not only the black marble staircase at Battle, but likewise the old Abbey itself, where is kept the so-called "roll of Battle Abbey," which bears the names of all those Norman and Saxon knights who took part in the battle of Hastings, a roll which is the golden book of the British aristocracy. The Abbey was a monastery until the reign of Henry VIII., who gave it to one of his favorites. The latter was cursed by the ousted abbot and his family, after the most extraordinary vicissitudes, became extinct early last century by fire and water, as predicted by the monk. Afterward it was purchased by the Webster family, who in turn sold it to the late duke of Cleveland, and now the Webster family is endeavoring to recover possession, competing in the matter with William Waldorf Astor, who has virtually, however, secured the place.

Lieutenant Daniel J. Moynihan of Northampton, Mass., who has just been appointed first lieutenant of Filipino scouts, is still in the island of Panay, where he remained when his regiment, the Twenty-sixth, started for home. Lieutenant Moynihan was an officer in the Second Massachusetts during the war with Spain. He was severely wounded at El Caney.

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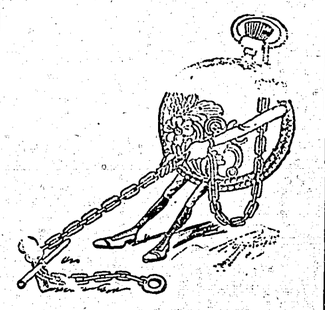

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NOTICE.
CANCELLATION OF RESERVATION KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that the reservation placed on that particular parcel of land, which may be described as commencing at the northeast corner of Township (or) Eight A, Kootenay district, which is also the northeast corner of block 12 granted to the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company by crown grant dated 8th March, 1895; thence due east 16 miles; thence due south to the International boundary; thence due west along said boundary 16 miles; thence north to the place of commencement, notice whereof was published in the British Columbia Gazette, and dated 7th May, 1896, is hereby rescinded.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 23rd May, 1901.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

To Herbert Cuthbert or to any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Blend mineral claim, situate on the west fork of Rover creek, in the Nelson mining division of West Kootenay district, and recorded in the recorder's office for the Nelson mining division.

You and each of you are hereby notified that we have expended four hundred and eleven 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 of the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenditures together with all costs of advertising your interest in said claims will become the property of the subscribers, under section 4 of an act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

FRANK FLETCHER,
H. J. MALONE,
H. G. NEELANDS,
E. T. H. SIMPKINS.

Dated at Nelson this 3rd day of June, 1901.

LIQUOR LICENCE TRANSFER

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE.—Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the board of license commissioners for the City of Nelson for the transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us for the premises known as the "Office" saloon, situate on lot 7 in block 9, sub-division of lot 95, Ward street, in the said City of Nelson, to William Robertson Thomson and Charles C. Clark of the said city.

JAMES NEELANDS.
S. B. EMERSON.

Witness: CHAS. R. McDONALD.
Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 2nd day of August, 1901.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that George M. Fronk, of the city of Nelson, in the province of British Columbia, merchant, carrying on business on Baker street in the said city of Nelson, has by deed bearing date 11th day of July, 1901, assigned all his real and personal property except as therein mentioned to A. P. Hay of the city of Nelson, in the province of British Columbia, accountant, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying rateably and proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said George M. Fronk.

The said deed was executed by the said George M. Fronk and the said A. P. Hay on the 11th day of July, 1901, and the said A. P. Hay has undertaken the trust created by the said deed.

All persons having claims against the said George M. Fronk are required to forward to the said A. P. Hay, Nelson, B. C., particulars of their claims, duly verified, on or before the 15th day of August, 1901.

All persons indebted to the said George M. Fronk are required to pay the amount due by them to the said trustee forthwith.

And notice is hereby given that after the 15th day of August, 1901, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which the said trustee shall then have had notice.

And further take notice that a meeting of the creditors will be held at the offices of the undersigned on the 20th day of July, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

GALLIHER & WILSON,
Solicitors for Trustee.
K. W. C. Block, Baker Street, Nelson.
Dated this 11th day of July, 1901.

(No. 178.)
CERTIFICATE
OF THE REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA PROVINCIAL COMPANY, COMPANIES ACT, 1897.

I hereby certify that the "German Mining and Milling Company" has this day been registered as an Extra Provincial Company, under the "Companies Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in the City of Tacoma, State of Washington, U. S. A.

The amount of the capital of the Company is one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one hundred thousand shares of one dollar each.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Nelson, and Richard Page, Labourer, whose address is Nelson aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The time of the existence of the Company is fifty years.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 10th day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one.

[L. S.] S. Y. WOOTTON
Registrar of Joint Companies.

The objects for which the Company has been established are those set out in the Certificate of Registration granted to the Company on the 18th February, 1899, and which appears in the British Columbia Gazette on the 18th February, 1897.

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CITY AND DISTRICT.

"Tacoma Baits," whatever that is, is advertised by the Lawrence Hardware Company.

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Joe Duhamel has purchased the stock in trade of G. M. Fronk's estate. The stuff brought just $50 in cash.

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The fire department will be obliged to train another horse for fire drill. The big bay horse died yesterday.

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No attention need be called to the advertisement of the Hudson's Bay Company. The advertisement speaks for itself.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stanley and Mrs. P. J. Russell have returned from a two weeks' outing on the north shore of the West Arm, Nelson's fashionable summer resort.

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Complaint was lodged in the police office that a number of persons were building shacks on the street allowance in the vicinity of the recreation grounds. The matter has been left in the hands of the chief.

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Charles Slipp received a ducking at the city wharf last evening. He was endeavoring to extend the glad hand to a friend who was leaving on the Moyie, when he stepped off the wharf into the lake. He was fished out without difficulty.

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At the opera house last evening the disappointment of the audience was about evenly divided between the wretched performance of the alleged minstrels and the apology which the management of the house offered for its inability to properly seat the holders of reserve seat tickets. This latter complaint is not new.

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Mayor Fletcher has at last received the formal confirmation of the purchase of the Nelson debentures by the Huron & Erie Loan and Savings Company. This letter was posted in London early in June, so that it has been almost two months on the road. The letter was held for several weeks by the postmaster at Moyie.

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Road superintendent McLean is making good progress with the wagon road which is to tap Forty-nine creek properties. When completed through to Ward's crossing, which it is expected to be next season, this road in addition to being of great convenience to the mining companies operating south of Nelson, will make one of the prettiest drives in the Kootenay district.

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The annual picnic of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, on Thursday, promises to be the most successful outing given this year. The Eagles are sociable, as well as fraternal, and everyone attending their picnics cannot help but have a good time. The picnic will be held at Kokanee creek park and the elegant steamer Moyie will be run as an excursion boat during the day.

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Quite a number of Nelson men left on the steamer Moyie last evening for the east. Among others were Dr. Rose, Kirby Douglas, Frank Pullen, John Elliot, and Bruce White. It is said that the first mentioned will require a double ticket on his return trip. Douglas is on a visit to relatives in Hamilton, Pullen is on a month's holiday to Toronto, and Elliot and White intend to take in the Pan-American.

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Dan Fawcett, a teamster, met with a painful accident on Observatory street yesterday morning through the running away of his team. The wheels of the wagon passed over his body, breaking several of his ribs and inflicting several internal injuries. The victim was taken to the Kootenay Lake hospital, where his injuries were attended to by Dr. Hawkey. He is doing as well as could be expected, but it is yet too early to tell the nature of the internal injuries he has received.

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Last evening at 8 o'clock Rev. Robert Craw of Columbia, B. C., and Miss Ethel Demeru Plewiss of Halifax, N. S., youngest daughter of David Plewiss of Toronto, were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. White at the residnce of Mrs. M. W. Smith, Silica street. The bride was attended by Miss M. Tyers, the groom being supported by Rev. E. G. Robb, B. A., of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Craw expect to spend several days in the city before returning to their home in Columbia.

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H. W. D. Armstrong of the C. P. R. engineering department is at the Phair. He says that good progress is being made with the 930 foot tunnel which the C. P. R. is building on the loop 217 miles this side of Dunmore Junction. Contractor Olson, who has this work in hand, is now in 400 feet on the east end of the work and work has been started on the west end in the way of erecting a portal. This tunnel was contemplated when the Crow's Nest line was under construction, but as it would take considerable time a temporary line was built first. The tunnel when built will shorten the line by half a mile and will effect a considerable saving in time and operating expenses.

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An attempt is being made to provide for the moving of the several companies of the R. M. R. to the Coast in connection with the visit of the duke of York. The sanction of the militia authorities has not yet been received for the move, but as the desire is general from all the companies it is thought that the required arrangements will be made by the militia department. There are still a number of vacancies in the Nelson company for good men.

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So far the provincial police have received very little news of the masked men who held up the poker game at the Sirdar Hotel on Sunday night. At the time the affair occurred there was no police officer within several miles of the scene of the robbery, as officer Wilson, who is stationed at Creston, was at that time on his way home from New Westminster, where he had taken the prisoner John Guba. From such information as the police have received it is evident that there were three men mixed up in the affair, although there were but two in evidence at the time the holdup occurred. As Sirdar is but a short distance from the international boundary line it is not unlikely that the men who were mixed up in the affair have got safely into the domains of Uncle Sam.

PERSONALS.

W. P. McCreary, M. P. for Selkirk, is at the Phair.

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George A. Haines of Detroit is registered at the Queen's.

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Oscar V. White, manager of the Slocan Star is at the Phair.

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John D. Sullivan, resident engineer for the C. P. R., is at the Phair.

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A. E. Teeter of Slocan and J. M. Benedum of Silverton are at the Queen's.

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Alderman Madden was able to be around for a short time yesterday after a somewhat serious illness.

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Rev. J. H. Tuttle and G. M. Tuttle of New York Rev. Marion D. Stutter and wife and master Arnold Stutter of Minneapolis and J. O. P. Wheelwright and wife and E. C. Cook also of Minneapolis, constitute a party of tourists who are stopping at the Hume.

PAID LOCALS.

Nelson Hotel Bar. Try our "Duke of Wellington Punch" today.

Is a tonic and food as well as a beverage. Ironbrew.

Mining Records.

Certificates of work were yesterday granted to Matthew Hill, on the Hardwick; R. Rennie et al, on the Cliff; F. J. McFarlane, on the Examiner; Samuel Marshall, on the Smuggler Fractional; John Hall et al, on the Deer Trail; John McIntyre, on the Annie; and W. J. Siviger, on the Trout Lake.

A mortgage on the May Blossom mineral claim was recorded, in which John F. Harbottle gives S. S. Taylor a mortgage upon an undivided half interest in the May Blossom as security for the payment of a promissory note for $200 endorsed by said Taylor.

Two locations were recorded. The Telegraph, on the head of Hall creek, adjoining claim No. 99, by E. Peters; and the St. Thomas, in the same district by the same locator.

Grafting Ball Players.

The men who compose the ball team of the Georgia minstrels disgusted a number of Nelsonites yesterday and to an extent sufficient to affect the attendance at the company's performance last evening. The men who composed this ball team professed to be very anxious to get a ball game on yesterday. The Nelson boys were not at all anxious to play, but in order to oblige the visitors a rustle was made and a team was got together. It turned out that it was not the game so much as the gate receipts that the colored gents were after. The announcement had been made at the opera house the previous evening that the game would be played and a general invitation was extended to all to go and see it. The result was a good attendance. When one innings had been played the man in charge of the colored team thought that it was opportune to pass the hat, but none of the Nelson men were willing to officiate in any capacity. Failing this the manager announced that unless the spectators would put up something he would take his men off the field. This announcement was made to those in the grand stand. It was accepted in the proper spirit. It was a case of grafting and the audience to a man resented it, and it began to silently fade away until there were none left to witness the game, when the colored gents awoke to the fact that their work was as course as their minstrel performance and that the people would not stand for it.

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STORES AT

NELSON KASLO SANDON

Eagles Picnic Tomorrow.

A special meeting of the order of Eagles was held last evening for the purpose of making final arrangements for the society's picnic on Thursday. The R. M. R. band has been engaged for the day and will present the following program:

March ..... Stars and Stripes ..... Sousa
Vlase ..... Auf Wedersehn ..... Weber
Cakewalk .... Looney Coons ..... Wilson
Overture ..... Merry-go-round ..... Sosey
Schottische ..... Missletoe ..... Christern
March ..... Iron King ..... Sousa
Overture .... Sweet Old Songs .... Beebee
Valse ..... Lady Alice ..... Anon
Cakewalk..Salute to Sam Johnson....Mills
Gallop ..... Hell Up-to-date ..... Sosey

The first boat will leave the city wharf at 2 o'clock, returning at 6 o'clock, and the second boat will leave the wharf at 8 o'clock, returning at 1 o'clock.

It's easy for the man who suffers no pain to talk of patience.

Is sold everywhere. Ironbrew.

Regatta Notes.

At the meeting of the executive of the Nelson boat club which was held last night it was decided to hold the next club regatta on Saturday, September 7th. A considerable portion of the evening was spent in discussing ways and means in connection with the regatta which is to be held in Nelson next summer. This will entail a heavy expenditure upon the local club in the way of making the preparations necessary for the accommodation of the visiting oarsmen and an effort will be made to maintain interest in rowing throughout the winter by means of entertainments of various kinds. One of the first expenditures which the club will have to face will be for the purchase of a shell. This was referred to a special committee composed of Messrs. Wragge and Ford.

It was also decided to hold another dance on Tuesday evening and the arrangements for the same were left in the hands of a special committee composed of Messrs. Winter, Wragge, Rutherford, Bunyan, Wetmore and Ford.

Eight crews were drawn for the regatta in September. The strokes were selected with a view to securing men who could be trusted to look after the new lapstreaks in which the races will be rowed. The men so selected will be held responsible for the boats while they have them out, but it is optional with them whether they row as strokes, the man in charge of the boat in each instance having the placing of his crew as he considers best. The following are the crews as drawn, together with the time assigned them for practicing in the boats:

J. A. Wetmore, F. Eden, W. R. Seatle, and E. S. Tuck. Time 4:30 p. m.

O. Nace, D. McNicholl, O. S. Somerville, and B. P. James. Time, 7:30 p. m.

A. V. Mason, S. Johnson, Z. Ault and S. G. Campbell. Time, 6 p. m.

G. C. Hodge, D. Rutherford, C. Mills and F. Clarke. Time, 5:30 p. m.

C. B. Winter, E. C. Brown, R. G. Strachan and J. Patterson. Time, 5 o'clock.

W. J. Beaven, C. K. Loring, P. Horton and I. J. Campbell. Time, 5:30 p. m.

A. Wheatler, E. Meyers, E. Wilson and J. Holmes. Time, 6 p. m.

E. V. Thomson, J. G. Bunyan, W. A Fraser and R. G. McFarland. Time, 5 p. m.

The Silver King Mine School.

The parties interested in establishing a public school at the Silver King mine could get no satisfaction from the department of education, and as that department seems to be dead, the member for Nelson yesterday wired the minister of mines regarding the matter. That genial and accommodating official wired the following in reply:

VICTORIA, August 6.—Inspector Stewart will arrive at Nelson on the 17th and proceed to Silver King mine for the purpose of completing arrangements for school. The minister of education leaves for Rossland tomorrow night.

RICHARD McBRIDE.

THE ATHABASCA

Yesterday we quenched many a thirst with our Rickeys and have enough Limes left to last today. A fresh lot of Limes will arrive Thursday and every other day thereafter during the hot weather.

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