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## MERCULEAN TASK

### REFORM OF NEW YORK'S POLICE SYSTEM.

#### LONDON'S CHIEF GIVES I. N. FORD POINTERS HOW THE DEPARTMENT SHOULD BE RUN.

NEW YORK, November 17.—I. N. Ford, in a special dispatch to the New York Tribune today, says: "I asked Sir Robert Anderson yesterday how he would reform the New York police system. He replied that as a former assistant commissioner of the metropolitan police and the head of the criminal intelligence department he could not discuss with propriety the alleged scandals of New York, but he might be justified by virtue of official experience in explaining how any great center of population could be provided with an honest and efficient police force. It would be necessary to begin at the top and secure capable and incorruptible officials for directing the discipline of the entire body and then go all the way down, weeding out incapable and dishonest superintendents, captains, and subordinate officials. The creation of a ideal police force in any great city would be a gradual process and would require unceasing vigilance and painstaking care. During his own experience in Scotland Yard, he had witnessed a great improvement in the intelligence, capacity and morale of the metropolitan police. Like every other branch of service, the metropolitan force was "blown out of politics." The force was recruited and maintained without reference to political considerations. No political manager had any control over it. Recruits joined it after a rigorous examination and remained in it subject to good conduct, received promotion when it was earned and a pension when the limit of active service was reached. The standard of efficiency of the London force had been considerably raised during the last quarter of a century. The reasons were: first, the high intelligence and education; and there were fewer infractions of the regulations for sobriety than formerly. It was an honest force, free from scandal. No member of the force was allowed to borrow money from a publican, much less to take it as a bribe or gift. Even the rewards for special service, which might be accepted properly from any class except publicans or criminals, were reported to the subordinate officers, and higher officials decided whether these could be retained. Any officer or man deriving money from a gambling saloon or public house under any pretence would be liable to immediate dismissal from the force. Such incidents did not occur in London. The criminal intelligence department had been reorganized twenty-six years ago on account of some irregularities, but from that time the honest reports of the entire service had never been called into question. He knew nothing about the recent disclosures in New York and was only prepared to discuss in general terms a hypothetical case, but was convinced that the organization of an honest and capable force in any great city was a slow and laborious process of weeding out unfit men and gradually raising the morale and discipline.

#### BRITISH POLITICS

If rumor mongers can be trusted, two opposite processes are now in progress in British politics. One is the thawing out and warming up of Lord Rosebery in his lonely furrow. The other is the freezing out of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach from the cabinet. Each process is deliberate, for Lord Rosebery had deflected his political detour and returned to the chancellor of the exchequer. He is answering the letters of correspondents respecting the sugar and coal duties as they are expected to remain at the treasury for an indefinite period. Whether Lord Rosebery has been chilled afresh by the iceberg breath of Sir William Vernon Harcourt's letters to the Times is uncertain, but it is safe to forecast that a root and branch reform of the administration service will be the supreme issue. The Shrewsbury speech of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is credited by men in the inner circle of politics with having frightened his colleagues by the revelation of financial proposals, so that everyone except Lord Londonderry gave him the cold shoulder. Whether he suggested loading up American millionaires with anywhere from £25,000,000 to £40,000,000 in consols, or sweating the income taxpayers with a largely increased rate, is a mystery. Certainly he would not have caused so much commotion by suggesting the doubling of the sugar tax, and presumably he can make peace with his colleagues by assenting reluctantly to give cordial attention to the schedule of indirect taxation.

#### General Dewet and Botha are driving nails into the free trade coffin. New tactics from Mr. Winston Spencer Churchill are expected when parliament reassembles. He is reported to be forming a small group of Tories which will take an independent line in discussing military matters, and will stand on the principle of economy. Mr. Broderick is preparing his defense against the attack by the Hoeggans, as the group is called, by sending reinforcements from India and Aldershot to the seat of war.

omy being a fresh letter, the treasury watch dogs can only bark in front of an empty cupboard. The burdens of war have fallen heavily on the city, where little money has been made on the stock exchange. With a steady shrinkage of values in mining shares, brokers and speculators complain bitterly of stagnant markets and are in no mood for attending meetings to support a government which conducts military operations with light driving power. The revenue returns will disclose without doubt, shrinkage in the incomes of the moneyed class and the morality of millionaires has been exceptionally light. A portion of £12,250,000 which the war is costing weekly comes back as the Bradford district has increased trade with South Africa on account of an immense army requiring woollen worsted goods. The cotton trade with China and India is increasing and the shipping business is fairly prosperous. The iron and steel industries are sluggish. The great manufacturers are still working on a system of amalgamation and exporting progress. The report of the delegation headed by Ebenezer Parks, which visited the United States, will be a voluminous document of one thousand pages and may help to revolutionize the iron and steel trade here.

#### Tricks of the Rich.

BERLIN, November 17.—An eminent medical practitioner in Berlin whose fees for well-to-do people are high, but who gives two hours gratis daily to the poor, has been victimized on somewhat extensive scale. Under his apartment is a shoemaker's shop in which well-dressed people have been in the habit of changing their clothes for the rags of the beggar. As beggars they present themselves and their complaints to the physician who prescribes for them free. The shoemaker's wife did a flourishing business until by accident the physician discovered the fraud and set the police to work.

#### Brilliant Meteoric Shower.

PHOENIX, Arizona, November 17.—A meteoric shower of great brilliancy and considerable length occurred here early yesterday morning. The shower continued half an hour and during that time more than 200 meteors were counted. The shower was reported to have been joined it after a rigorous examination and remained in it subject to good conduct, received promotion when it was earned and a pension when the limit of active service was reached. The standard of efficiency of the London force had been considerably raised during the last quarter of a century. The reasons were: first, the high intelligence and education; and there were fewer infractions of the regulations for sobriety than formerly. It was an honest force, free from scandal. No member of the force was allowed to borrow money from a publican, much less to take it as a bribe or gift. Even the rewards for special service, which might be accepted properly from any class except publicans or criminals, were reported to the subordinate officers, and higher officials decided whether these could be retained. Any officer or man deriving money from a gambling saloon or public house under any pretence would be liable to immediate dismissal from the force. Such incidents did not occur in London. The criminal intelligence department had been reorganized twenty-six years ago on account of some irregularities, but from that time the honest reports of the entire service had never been called into question. He knew nothing about the recent disclosures in New York and was only prepared to discuss in general terms a hypothetical case, but was convinced that the organization of an honest and capable force in any great city was a slow and laborious process of weeding out unfit men and gradually raising the morale and discipline.

#### WILL FIGHT THE SCHEME

##### Thinks Consolidation Unlawful.

WINONA, Minnesota, November 17.—Governor Vasant arrived from St. Paul last evening. When asked regarding the incorporation of the Northern Securities Company in New Jersey he made the following statement: "The great railway deal in New York, having for its object the uniting of two great companies, the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern—is a matter of great public interest. There is justly widespread opposition to it in our state. I don't know whether it can be prevented, but it is my intention to ask attorney general Douglas upon his return to bring suit in the name of the state to prevent, if possible the consolidation of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads. It is clearly in open violation of the plain intent and purpose of the law. If under existing law the consolidation cannot be prevented, I feel that I would be justified in calling an extra session of the legislature to take the necessary steps to successfully resist it, if it can be accomplished, by this means. Believing it to be my plain duty, I shall leave no stone unturned to prevent this consolidation."

#### Kaiser and America's Cup.

BERLIN, November 17.—The grand marshal of Kaiser's court, count Zu Eulenburg, who is here, was questioned by the World correspondent today about the report that the Kaiser is having a yacht, built in America. "The rumor is wholly untrue," the count answered. "His new yacht will be built in Germany. His majesty never intended to challenge for the America's cup, nor to my certain knowledge, will the Kiel Club."

#### Murder Will Be Charged.

LEAVENWORTH, Kansas, November 17.—J. B. Waldrup, a guard at the Fort Leavenworth military prison, who was shot during the mutiny at that institution on November 7th, died today of his wounds. Twenty-six murderers will now become liable to a charge of murder.

#### Silver Coins Prohibited.

MADRID, November 17.—The Spanish senate has passed a bill prohibiting silver coinage.

#### Skirmishes in the Philippines

MANILA, November 17.—Company E of the Ninth infantry, captain E. H. Schoeffel, was attacked by fifty bolomen and several insurgents armed with rifles at a point six miles from Tarangan in the island of Samar. The insurgents tried to rush the Americans, but failing to accomplish their purpose, they quickly broke and scattered. The men of the Ninth had a corporal and a scout killed and one private wounded. Sixteen of the bolomen were killed, while the riflemen escaped.

first infantry has been scouting for several days in Batangas province. He had four separate engagements with the insurgents there. Judging from the fighting on those occasions, captain Halle estimates the force of each band of rebels at from thirty to fifty. They made an attempt to charge captain Halle's party. Captain Halle's scouts report the capture of one insurgent officer and 50,000 pounds of rice. Filipino present Deputy has been sentenced by court-martial to the penalty of death for the murder of certain of his countrymen who favored the Americans. Out of respect, however, to the condemned man's calling and religious body to which he belongs, general Chaffee has commuted his sentence to twenty years' imprisonment. General Chaffee desires it to be understood that the leniency exercised in this case cannot be taken as a precedent and that no person in the islands can be permitted to plead his office, howsoever sacred and exalted this may be, as protection against crimes committed.

#### Chicago's Missing Ledgers.

CHICAGO, November 17.—The finance committee of the city council has discovered the city's ledgers, covering its accounts from 1876 to 1884, are missing. This was discovered in an investigation of the sinking fund accounts, in which a discrepancy of more than \$2,100,000 was recently announced. It is claimed that previous administrations have borrowed from this fund for other corporate purposes and no return has been made of the amounts diverted.

#### MAY SUCCEED TO OLD AGE

##### Before a Settlement is Reached.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, November 17.—The brigands who abducted Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, and iradame Tsilka, her companion, have not yet replied to the latest proposals of Mr. Dickenson, diplomatic agent of the United States in Sofia. This is believed to be due to the fact that the brigand has many leaders and that the latter are unable to agree among themselves. There is a general impression here that time is being frittered away while waiting for the brigands to reduce their demands. It is felt that the only means by which matters can be brought to a head is to inform them as to the sum available for ransom and declare that this cannot be increased for any consideration whatever. Such an ultimatum might endanger the life of Miss Stone, but it is improbable that the brigands will accept this condition. Besides every day's delay imperils her life, not so much on the score of the brigands themselves but by reason of the exposure and strain she is undergoing.

#### Great Britain and Mosquito Indians.

LONDON, November 17.—The negotiations between the governments of Great Britain and Nicaragua with regard to the Mosquito coast have been very voluminous, but it is now believed Nicaragua can provide a satisfactory guarantee for the protection of the natives and enable Great Britain to rid herself of a responsibility which brings with it no advantage. The question of a suitable guarantee has been chiefly responsible for the prolongation of the matter, Lord Lansdowne, British foreign secretary, insisting that the Indians must be adequately protected. Beyond this point the foreign office displays little interest in the matter, believing that Great Britain's rights on the Mosquito coast are quite valueless and no quid pro quo is being sought from Nicaragua.

#### The Concentration Camps.

NEW YORK, November 17.—According to the London correspondent of the Tribune, as to the result of the publication of an elaborate report issued by the colonial office in relation to the concentration camps in South Africa, Unionist papers pronounce the history of the camps as most creditable to England, while the pro-Boer journals maintain that the moral of these disclosures is the unutterable criminality of the policy of concentration. It is admitted in the report that there is an indiscriminate massing together of people, of insufficient housing and covering, absence of warmth and poor rations. It is stated that the camp prisoners have been divided into two classes and that people whose relatives have been on command have been put on half rations. But this policy has since been abandoned, it is said.

#### Honoring Li and His Children.

PEKIN, November 17.—The empress dowager has issued an order eulogizing the late Li Huan Chang and ordering the erection of a memorial arch near his birthplace. The edict also directs that the rank of marquis, conferred upon the eldest son of the late Chinese statesman in his own right, shall descend through his generations. It confers high rank upon the other sons of earl Li, upon whom the post-humous rank of a marquis has been bestowed and confers dignities upon his grandsons, together with lucrative offices.

#### Seattle Passenger Agent Dead.

SEATTLE, Washington, November 17.—R. C. Stevens, Great Western passenger agent for the Great Northern railway, is dead as a result of a severe cold contracted while attending the duke and duchess of York festivities at

## KNOCKS THE CITY

### ATTEMPTING TO INTIMIDATE RATEPAYERS.

#### WANTS TO BE IN PERPETUAL BONDAGE TO THE W. K. P. & L. CO. OF ROSSLAND.

The tramway company is using its influence to secure the ratification of the W. K. P. & L. Co. by-law that is to be voted on tomorrow. The reasons it gives are such as could be given by every enterprise in Nelson that is equally as unfortunate as the tramway company. That company made a bad bargain with the W. K. P. & L. Co., and the bargain will be bad for three years longer; but that is no reason why the people of Nelson should go down into their pockets and give the W. K. P. & L. Co. several thousand dollars. The tramway company has been informed time and again that the city would arrange to take the power it is paying for but not using off its hands, and pay for it at the rate per horse power it is compelled to pay. But the invariable answer to this business-like proposition has been: "We cannot do that; the power company will not let us sell our surplus power to the city."

Evidently, the tramway company has made a bad bargain with the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, and it now wants the city to do the same. Misery likes company. Of what real benefit would the ratification of the by-law be to the tramway company? The agreement under the by-law is only for a year; at the end of that time the tramway company would be in the same bad plight that it is now in, unless the city renewed the agreement, which would require the passage and ratification of another by-law. The only salvation for the tramway company is in the city getting a power station of its own on Kootenay river, then the city would be in a position to help the company by giving it power at the minimum price. Yet, instead of helping the city in that direction, the tramway company is doing everything in its power, through its resident directors and management, to thwart the city in that endeavor. Apparently they not only want to be dependent on the W. K. P. & L. Co. for all time, but they want to get the city of Nelson in the same dependent position.

To say the least, the management of the tramway company is acting as if short-sighted, and the plea of poverty should not be allowed to influence a single ratepayer.

There are enterprises in Nelson doing more for the town than the tramway company, and who are losing as much money as the tramway company is, yet they have never petitioned the city for a dollar in the way of charity, and never will. Mendicants should have no place in Nelson, and if the tramway company cannot operate without passing around the hat every day in the year, the sooner it suspends operations the better it will be for Nelson.

Nelson does not want to be known as the chief place of non-paying enterprises, more especially enterprises that were started with such a flourish of the possession of unlimited old-country capital as was the tramway company.

#### Cheap Electrification Dodge

The following circular is being mailed ratepayers. The men whose names are attached to it have had every opportunity to enlighten the people of Nelson on the question at issue; but have they done so? Instead, they accuse the opponents of the by-law in question of making vile insinuations against them: If Frank Fletcher, mayor, and John Hamilton and W. G. Gillett and John Paterson and Harold Selous, aldermen, imagine they can hamboozle the ratepayers of Nelson by such cheap electrification dodge as the circulation of the circular printed below they are mistaken.

#### POWER BY-LAW NO. 101.

Dear Sir: The undersigned beg to remind you that the vote on this by-law takes place on Tuesday, the 19th instant.

The by-law is introduced and favored by the majority of the present council, simply and solely to provide consumers with good and efficient electric light.

The conditions of the electric light service prevailing the last two winters will be fresh in the memory of all.

Do you wish for a similar condition this coming winter?

This by-law represents the best terms the council has been able to obtain, after much effort and investigation.

This by-law has been violently opposed, not by means of argument, but by carping criticism and vile insinuation against the undersigned.

Any attempts at argument on the part of the opposition are so evidently appeals to prejudice or such obvious misstatements, as to be quite unworthy of reply.

The undersigned beg to again remind you that the vote takes place on Tuesday the 19th instant, and are respectfully,

FRANK FLETCHER, Mayor.

JOHN HAMILTON,  
W. G. GILLETT,  
JOHN PATERSON,  
HAROLD SELOUS,

#### Inmate of an Insane Asylum.

LONDON, November 17.—Miss Helen Vanderbilt-Wackerman of New York, who was taken to St. Giles Infirmary Wednesday as a wandering lunatic and was privately examined there by a justice of the peace, is spending her days within the walls of a workhouse in one of the grimmest part of London. She is an inmate of the insane ward, where her companions with one exception are decrepit old women, suffering from senile dementia. The exception is a wealthy and well connected English woman, who was brought in the day after Miss Wackerman's arrival, suffering from a somewhat similar complaint, which in Miss Wackerman's case is diagnosed as melancholia. She will remain in the care of the authorities until November 28th, by which time it is hoped some of her relatives will have reached London. The United States consulate is now watching over Miss Wackerman's interests.

#### Bubonic Plague Checked.

ODESSA, November 17.—Two deaths were recently certified in Odessa as due to the bubonic plague. The health authorities took vigorous precautions against the spread of the disease and no further cases have been reported.

#### Appointed Grand Vizier.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 17.—Said Pasha, former grand vizier, has been appointed grand vizier in succession to the late Halli Rifat Pasha.

#### A BUSY MINING DISTRICT

##### 150 Men Working in Flat Creek.

NORTHPORT Washington November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Superintendent Frank Davis of the Copper Mountain Mining Company, was in town this morning on his way to Rossland, where he will undergo an operation for the removal of a cancer which has been forming on his lip. The Copper Mountain Company are operating the Wheeler group on Copper Mountain, Flat creek district. Mr. Davis gives the following information: "Our main working shaft is now at a depth of 210 feet and we intend to continue it down to the 300 foot level. A crosscut at the 150 foot level showed the ledge to be 54 feet in width at that point. The values are copper and gold and we have received assays running up to \$60, but that is by no means an average. Where there is such a large body of ore the greater part of it is usually very low grade and it is so with our property. The foot wall is a mica schist and the hanging wall is a diorite." When asked as to the general conditions on Flat creek, Mr. Davis said, "Work is in progress on every property in the camp and there must be at least 150 men at work in the Flat creek district. Manager Z. D. Brown has two shafts at work on the Bullion group on Blizzard mountain and a very encouraging showing is reported from the property. The Colville Mining Company is doing considerable work upon their property near the Flat creek store. Superintendent John Hope has a large force at work on the Buckhorn. E. E. Owen is working on a contract at the Churchill. The Globe Goldfields Mining Company is also doing considerable development on its Flat creek properties. The Dardanas Mining Company is doing considerable work near the boundary line and the British Lion Mining Company is working a full crew of men on some claims just across the line. The Morning Star, on the American fork of Sheep creek, has 12 men at work and will probably put in a compressor plant in the near future. Quite a number of properties are also working on Fifteen-mile creek. Altogether the eastern half of the Colville reservation is booming and prospects were never better for the district than they are today."

#### Ore and Bullion Shipments.

NORTHPORT, November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Custom house records show the following ore shipments and receipts during the week ending November 16th:

Rossland mines to Northport smelter—	Cars	Tons
November 10	15	421
November 11	20	595
November 12	33	929
November 13	24	690
November 14	6	252
November 15	30	890
November 16	26	1035
Total	166	4835

Estimated value of shipments for the week as given on certified invoices, \$63,855; probable total value of shipments, \$100,000.

#### Nelson to San Francisco—

November 10	2 cars ore
November 16	3 cars ore
Total	5 cars ore

#### Nelson to Newark New Jersey—

November 13	1 car bullion
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#### Rossland Local News.

ROSSLAND, November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—It was announced on Saturday that J. H. Mackenzie, who is to succeed Bernard McDonald as general manager at the Le Roi, had arrived and taken charge of the mine. This is incorrect, as Mr. Mackenzie will not be able to sever his connection with the Marl-

#### now engaged, until the end of the month.

As a general rule, merchants were greatly displeased with the results of the pay-day last Friday. The new arrivals are uncertain of their position, and are by no means spenders at the present time.

#### More Trouble at Northport.

NORTHPORT, November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Arthur Morris, a switchman in the employ of the Spokane Falls & Northern, was on duty in the smelter yards last night, when John Arnett, a smelter guard, attempted to board the switch engine and was ordered off by Morris. Arnett threatened to shoot Morris, who swore out a warrant for him. Deputy sheriff Graham went to the smelter and arrested Arnett. He was brought before justice Marshall, who fined him ten dollars and costs. Arnett promised not to offend in the future.

It is reported that Oscar Szontag, who came here a few days ago to take charge of the smelter, has refused to accept the management under existing conditions.

#### Vancouver Local News

VANCOUVER, November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Special quarters are being fitted up aboard the Empress of China for the accommodation of four officers and 138 men and their families of Royal Artillery, who are bound for the Orient to take the places of those who recently were camped for some time at Work Point barracks on the way home to England.

City clergymen are protesting to the authorities against allowing the Italian band to play in the opera house on Sunday nights.

Several coal logging camps have shut down on account of rainy weather, and many men have not got in more time than two days work in three weeks.

#### Boundary Ore Shipments

PHOENIX, November 17.—[Special to The Tribune.]—Shipments of ore from the mines of Boundary for the week are as follows:

Granby Mines	4715
Northport	700
Moher Lodge	2176
No. 7	35
Total	7629
Total for 1901, 319,324 tons, of the value of \$1,915,944.	

#### MACHINERY FOR HORSEFLY

##### An Energetic Manager.

VICTORIA, November 17.—Senator Campbell, whose name is so intimately connected with extensive mining operations in the Cariboo country, left last night for San Francisco to consult with his company and place orders for a hoist to handle 10,000 pounds and two water skips, with a capacity of 1000 gallons each, to handle water in case of emergency in the Miocene company's three compartment shaft at Harper's Camp, Horsefly, which is now 650 feet deep. It is far the deepest shaft ever sunk in the Cariboo-Horsefly mines, and to the Horsefly Hydraulic Mining Company, J. B. Hobson, manager, and to Mr. Hobson more than anyone else is due the credit for proclaiming to the world that there existed in Cariboo these immense deposits of gold-bearing gravel and ancient river channels; and anyone who has seen this work and tried to estimate the almost insuperable difficulties he has already surmounted in prospecting his mining work on the Cariboo and Horsefly mines can fully realize he has more than backed his opinion of the country. The Cariboo Consolidated mine is the largest hydraulic mine in the world and Mr. Hobson has already turned out about \$1,600,000 in gold during the development and shipment stage of the property.

#### Five Years in the North.

PORT TOWNSEND, November 17.—The schooner Anaconda has arrived 33 days out from Nome bringing as passengers captains A. F. Brouards from Port Hope. Captains Brouards has spent the past five years in the Arctic regions on a prospecting and exploring expedition. He has visited all sections from Kotzebue sound to the shores of the Arctic ocean and has compiled a chart of the coast from Kotzebue sound to Point Hope. According to captain Brouards, from the northern shores of Kotzebue sound to the Arctic ocean, a distance of 300 miles, is an immense bed of bituminous coal, and he says there is enough coal in sight to supply the world for many years. It is but very little value for steaming purposes but for household purposes is all right.

#### Winnipeg News Items.

WINNIPEG, November 17.—A verdict of guilty was returned at the Winnipeg assizes yesterday against J. Hurst and wife, charged with concealing goods with intent to defraud insurance companies.

A brakeman named Hudson fell from a freight train in the railway yards here last night and met instant death. Deceased was well known in railway circles.

Several Manitobians witnessed a heavy fall of meteors in the vicinity of Winnipeg early Friday morning. This sight is described as a grand one by the fortunate observers.

## AN ABSURD RUMOR

### ALLEGED PLOT TO CAPTURE GOLD FIELDS.

#### A REPUBLIC TO BE ESTABLISHED WITH DAWSON AS ITS CAPITAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 17.—The Call today prints an unconfirmed story from Skagway, Alaska, under date of November 6th, telling of the discovery of what is alleged to be a huge conspiracy existing in Dawson and ramifying to Skagway, Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle for the overthrow of the local government of the Northwest Territories and the establishment of a republic with Dawson as its capital. According to the details of the story, arms, ammunition and provisions have been taken in over the railroad and cached at strategic points. Prominent American residents in Skagway are said to be leaders in the conspiracy. Miners to the number of 5000 are said to await the summons to arms, ready to fight for independence from Dominion rule of the gold fields, camps and towns. The plan is to overpower the mounted police and take the government in their own hands. The rigors of an Arctic winter would give the insurgents six months' immunity from attack by Canadian or British troops and the adventurous arch-conspirators hope for intervention of the United States by the time of the melting of the ice and snow, would allow the invasion of their isolated republic.

It is further related that a hurried conference, lasting until midnight, was held in Skagway November 5th, at which were present captain Corrigan of the Northwest Mounted Police, who had arrived from across the international border late that evening; Judge Brown of the United States district court; United States marshal Shoups; United States attorney-general. Freedom and conspiracy. Captain Corrigan took a train back across the border next morning, while United States marshal Shoups embarked on the first steamer for Seattle, which port he reached several days ago. The object of his visit was presumably to confer by telegraph with the authorities at Washington. He sailed yesterday afternoon on the Dolphin on his way back to Skagway.

#### London Stock and Money Market.

LONDON, November 17.—In spite of various happenings following in which a rise in stock exchange quotations was confidently predicted, the condition of affairs at the end of the week has not materially improved. Neither the Northern Pacific nor the Franco-Turkish settlements, the cheerful speeches of Lord Salisbury and Mr. Broderick, nor the lack of serious news from South Africa served to impart the promised upward movement on the exchange. Up to the present time the cable advices have failed to satisfy operators as to exactly what the Northern Pacific settlement means and the published details had rather a depressing effect. Critics point out that the gold shipments from the United States indicate that New York resources are decidedly strained, considering the magnitude of various financial projects afoot in Wall street, consequently the members of the London stock exchange are inclined to hold off rather than stake anything upon a tentative motion.

President Roosevelt enters somewhat into London's calculations. The rumors of stringent anti-trust measures which would break up any of the existing combinations result in the president's message being awaited here with keenest anxiety. In the meanwhile money is by no means plentiful. Discount rates are steady. The actual transactions on the stock exchange were insignificant. Home rails were dead and foreign shares almost all declined fractionally. Industrials generally suffered in sympathy with the tobacco war, which is daily assuming a more bitter aspect.

#### Governor Wood Visits Jamaica.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, November 17.—Governor-general Wood and his party arrived here tonight from Jamaica on the government yacht Kanawha. While at Kingston the governor-general was received with much honor by the governor of Jamaica, Sir Augustus Hemming, and the military officers and he remained a day longer than he had originally intended in consequence of brilliant social functions. Tomorrow night general Wood will probably go to Guantanamo to inspect the troops.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

It seems, perhaps, a little early to mention them, but every lady prefers to give her friends something of her own handwork and it is high time to select and choose the necessary material.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

WHOLESALE DIRECTORY

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY

ARCHITECTS. A. C. EWART—ARCHITECT, ROOM 8, Aberdeen Block, Baker Street, Nelson.

NOTICES OF MEETINGS

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES. KOOTENAY TENT NO. 7, K. O. T. M.—Regular meetings first and third Thursdays of each month.

TRADES AND LABOR UNIONS

MINERS' UNION, NO. 96, W. F. O. M.—Meets in Miners' Union Hall, northwest corner of Baker and Stanley streets, every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

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in the legislative halls of West Kootenay district, fallen so low as to vilify, traduce, and belittle a section of West Kootenay peopled by 7102 as independent, self-reliant, and progressive people as there are in Canada today.

The people of Nelson, riding have never trucked to those in power; their representatives have not traded on their official positions; for every dollar that has been spent within the riding for public works, the money for such expenditures was contributed by the people who live in the riding.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—A NURSE GIRL. APPLY MRS. Thoburn Allen, west end Victoria street.

SITUATIONS WANTED. WANTED—THE CARE OF OFFICES OR ROOMS. Will go out to do housework by the hour or day.

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particular road. The above are fair samples of public men who are held up as consistent and upright members of the legislature by newspapers like the Vancouver World.

A year ago a bill was introduced in the legislature to incorporate the Lake Bennett Railway Company, a company that intended to build a railway from Dyea to a point on the Yukon river. The road if built would have given the people of Dawson and the Yukon country competitive transportation facilities.

The Phoenix Pioneer says: "There is one thing about Smith Curtis, the member for this riding. No one doubts for a minute where he stands in provincial politics. This is more than can be said of several members of the legislature."

The Mackenzie & Mann newspaper organ in Vancouver, the World—a newspaper that supported the old Davie-Turner regime and afterwards supported Joseph Martin's administration—is boiling mad because premier Dunsmuir is believed to have the support of a majority of the members of the legislature.

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ST. LOUIS, Missouri, November 17.—Chief of detectives Desmond has finally secured a statement, though brief, from the Montana train robber suspect, who now acknowledges he is Benjamin Kilpatrick, a brother of Dan Kilpatrick.

English Cabinet Wakes Up. LONDON, November 17.—The cabinet seems to have awakened from its lethargy with such unexpected energy as to elicit from the Pall Mall Gazette the following comment: "This strict application to business is highly to be commended and will be generally appreciated."

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TENTS AND AWNINGS

NOTICE

The undersigned has resumed proprietorship of the blacksmith business formerly carried on by me and lately carried on by R. B. Reilly, in the premises on Hall street near corner of Baker street.

ARTHUR GEE

NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Mining Recorder for the Great River Mining District will be transferred from Kuskonook to Creston on the 5th day of November, instant.

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Nelson Carpenters' Union

NOTICE OF MEETING. There will be a meeting of the Carpenters' Union at Miners' Union Hall at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening, November 20th, 1901.

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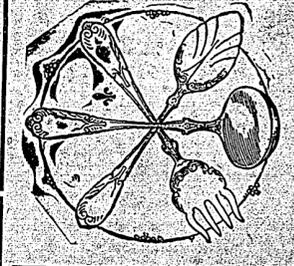
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DESTRUCTION OF ERZEROU

Wiped Out by an Earthquake.

NEW YORK, November 17.—The Tribune today publishes the following: A cable message to the Tribune from Erzeroum, Turkey, last night announces the partial destruction by earthquake of that old city, with a loss of several lives. The dispatch, which is signed by Mr. Stapleton, and American missionary, is as follows:

"Erzeroum, Turkey, was visited by an earthquake. One thousand houses were destroyed and fifteen hundred damaged. It is known that several were killed. Fifteen thousand people, who have been driven to huts for shelter, are in need of immediate relief. The winter is coming on severe. Contributions can be sent to the American Bible House, Constantinople. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars are needed for immediate relief."

Erzeroum is the chief city of Armenia in Asiatic Turkey, the capital of a district of the same name, and is situated on a large elevated plateau on the west branch of the Euphrates river, 155 miles west of Mount Ararat. It is partly enclosed by a wall thirty feet high and has an extensive citadel. The population is estimated at from 60,000 to 100,000. Erzeroum was founded about 415 near the site of the ancient Arize, under the name of Theodosiopolis and was the bulwark of Armenia under the Byzantines. The Turks regarded it as an important military post. The winter and spring climate is severe.

Ireland's Doneybrook Exhibition.

DUBLIN, November 17.—The fight between the Horace Plunkett and Arthur Lynch factions, as a result of the parliamentary contest in Galway, was renewed last night. The Lynchites stormed the Unionist headquarters and further demolished the doors and windows. Numbers of persons were injured and in several cases heads were split. Colonel Lynch has not yet appeared on the scene and is not expected. The Nationalists assert that if the colonel is elected he will be smuggled inside the house of commons to take the oath and then "face the music" if accused of treason for fighting in behalf of the Boers. John Dillon is actively campaigning against Mr. Plunkett. His object, it is alleged, being to cause Mr. Plunkett's retirement from the Irish agriculture and industries department, which would probably follow his defeat. Mr. Dillon's attitude is in a line with his denunciation of John Redmond because the latter so warmly supported Mr. Plunkett's project for regeneration of agriculture in Ireland on the parliamentary committee whose labors resulted in the formation of a new department.

Mayor Broke the Law.

OTTAWA, November 17.—Mayor Morris yesterday morning pleaded guilty to a charge of having purchased liquor at the Russell house during prohibited hours and was fined \$5. The conviction disqualifies the mayor from occupying a municipal position for two years. The mayoralty chair thus becomes vacant. The mayor in pleading guilty admitted that the act was committed through ignorance of the law, but thought the charge was leveled more against reform by depriving him of his seat, the punishment which followed conviction, than for violation of the law. The charge was laid by the police department the head of which, chief Powell, has been at loggerheads with the mayor for some months past.

Late Stories of President McKinley.

Stories about president McKinley are now being collected from every possible source. The result is a most interesting and varied illumination of a well-loved character. Among the newest anecdotes collected are the following: "An intimate friend of whom he was chatting one day on the subject of his wife, remarked upon the smallness of the president's estate, whereupon Mr. McKinley said: "No, I don't leave much, but what I do leave was honestly acquired, for it never cost anybody a tear nor my country a penny." A number of senators were talking on the different forces and powers of the world, and the conversation drifted to the subject of the heads of states. "I don't envy any one of them that power which Providence has given to them," said the president, "but there is one thing of which I may be allowed to boast, which is, I fear no man. I fear neither the revolver of the burglar nor the spear of an injured citizen—a curious and pathetic sentiment in the light of what occurred at Buffalo. Mr. McKinley was a careful reader; he slowly digested every line and every sentiment printed and expressed; that no doubt was the effect of his legal training. He cared little for fiction, but one day a friend caught him reading a popular novel and expressed surprise. "Well," said Mr. McKinley, "there's more reality about fiction than there is about fact, and it takes me longer to

a fortnight's time and you will probably hear that I've got about half way through this book—but what I read I remember for a lifetime."

Like the mother of M. Loubet, president of the French Republic, Mr. McKinley's mother shook her head doubtfully when she was congratulated on her son's accession to the highest position in the country. "I had rather my William were a Methodist bishop than anything else in the world," she said. The late president was in his early life intended for the ministry. When a lad of sixteen his brother David, who was the superintendent of a coal mine, came into the room where Williams was studying his Latin grammar and peremptorily ordered him to harness his pony by a certain time in order to go to a dance.

When he had gone William turned round on his aunt and said: "Aunt, don't you think it is humiliating for a Methodist to have to hitch up a horse for a brother to go to a dance?" A smart young lady, on seeing the president rising to leave the church after his sermon, broke all precedent and, standing upon one of the benches, waved her lace handkerchief and called out, "Cheers for the President!" The cheers thundered out in the sacred edifice, and the president acknowledged them with becoming gravity.

Mahometanism in the Philippines.

Mahometanism has taken root in the Philippines. Within two months' time the religion of the Crescent has been securely established and the strength of Christianity shaken, not in Manila alone but over the entire archipelago. Erim Nabokoff, perhaps the most remarkable missionary in the world, and seven societies, are responsible for the present startling state of affairs. The fact that \$40,000 per month has already been expended and that the International Moslem Union has authorized the future expenditure of \$1,000,000 a year indicates with what zeal the Moslems are working.

The mission at present includes three Americans, three Filipinos and two Malays—the Americans are Enim Nabokoff, its manager; Mohammed Lant, its literary manager; and Ali Price, its organizer. The Filipinos are Abdul Forces, expounder of the Koran; Othman Yandones, editor of the La Creencia, the organ of the mission; and Ahmed Costino, assistant organizer. The Malays are Chowdri Nahi Nakhshi, correspondent of the Ludhiana, India headquarters of the International Moslem Union, and Moulvi Mohammed Barakat-Ullah, correspondent of the Singapore branch of the International Moslem Union, which is subject to the Ludhiana headquarters, over which Hamid Snow, a Eurasian Moslem, presides. With this branch support the Philippine mission will when necessary call to its aid all Mahometan India. Nabokoff, the leader, is a remarkable man. He is a Russian by birth, and having received an ecclesiastical education, was, when a young man, appointed Bishop of Alaska by the Russian government to atone for its injustice in abandoning his brother, Captain Nabokoff, to the mercy of the Bulgarians. After two years in Sitka, Enim became a convert to Islam, and later a naturalized American. For some years he conducted a Mahometan mission in New York. Since then he has traveled over the world, his rare linguistic prowess enabling him to do effective missionary work in every country.

The three principles which the Moslem teaches chiefly in upon at present are said to be the abolition of slavery, and doing away with usury and a wariness as regards new converts. Polygamy is ignored by the missionaries, who are aware that this feature of Mahometanism would be repugnant to the Filipinos.

Career of an Outlaw

The career of the most picturesque outlaw in American history has lately been forcibly recalled by the discoveries made near Cave-in-Rock, in Hardia county, of probably the greatest deposit of kaolin in the world. Half a century ago Cave-in-Rock was the home of John Murrel, the shelter for his countless followers. For more than twenty years the Illinois bandit defied the law from his subterranean stronghold. Many lives and many hundreds of thousands of dollars were the tribute levied on the country by Murrel and the gang that he so adroitly organized and masterfully ruled. For years the government vainly attempted his capture. At length, with a price on his head of \$50,000, and the entire country demanding to be rid of him, he was betrayed by one of his own followers and treacherously shot. Murrel's adoption of his criminal career was deliberate. Of genteel birth, his boyhood was quietly passed on a Louisiana plantation. Then the desire came to him to accumulate millions. The ordinary avenues to mercantile success he tried in the light of what occurred at Buffalo. Instead a safe and comfortable form of piracy to be practiced on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. At that time, 1820, these rivers swarmed with flat boats laden with all manner of produce and manufactured goods, sometimes bearing quantities of gold and silver coin and other government valuables. It was Murrel's first move to organize a band of forty picked men. At Cave-in-Rock

yards from the entrance were stabled his twenty horses and near by a year's provision for them. The opening of the cave, which faces the Ohio river, is more than sixty feet in diameter. From a long corridor filled with wonderful stalactites, deceptive passages branch off at frequent intervals. Murrel's own room was reached by a ladder. Miles of underground passageway would serve now as then to bewilder the minutest of hopelessly. One of these routes, however, led over a distance of thirty miles to Equality, Gallitan county. This provided an infallible escape for Murrel and his confederates.

In the long interval between 1820 and 1850 hundreds of boats were captured by the gang, their own men placed in charge, and the boat's crew and passengers held prisoners in the cave while the pirates took the cargo south, assumed the real owner's name, sold out the contents and returned to the cave with the booty. Not infrequently would the captives be released later to return as best they could to their homes. A pretty and winsome lady was always a prize for the outlaws, and a number that lived and died in the cave with the gang will never be known.

Murrel's performances had been notorious for many years before the commerce of the central West demanded relief. He had pillaged so long and successfully he had amassed an immense fortune. The government had had a standing reward of \$50,000 placed on his head. Several of his gang had deserted him, some had become West Indian pirates, others had settled in law off localities unknown to the world, and Murrel had grown gray in crime. In 1849 he was shot to death by one of his own men, his head offered the government for the reward, but the bargain was never completed, owing in part to the murderer's fear that his own life would be jeopardized by the act.

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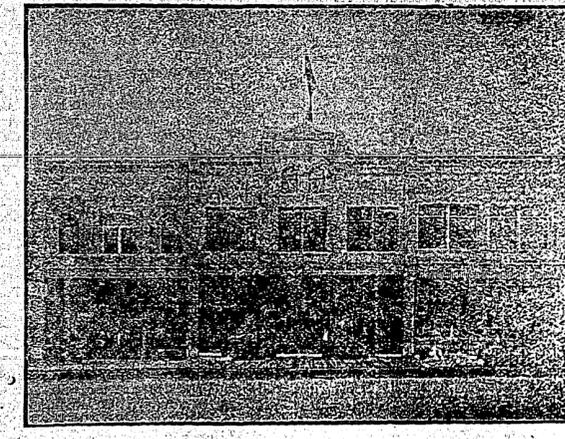
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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

BY-LAW NO. 101.

A by-law in regard to purchasing certain power from the West Kootenay Power & Light Company.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Nelson in council assembled enacts as follows:

- 1. Subject to the terms, conditions and provisions hereinafter contained it is agreed that the corporation shall take and the company shall supply electric power at the substation of the company in the City of Nelson for the power and lighting purposes of the corporation.
2. The quantity of power to be taken by the corporation from the company will not be less than 100 horse-power; such horse-power to be delivered at a pressure of 2200 volts.
3. The company will supply all the regulating apparatus in their sub-station for regulating the power necessary for properly operating incandescent lights.
4. The company shall supply power from 100 horse-power to 150 horse-power, if required by the corporation at the same rate as hereinafter agreed upon, without further notice, the excess of power over 100 horse-power to be charged according to the horse-power used. In case of the corporation requiring further power the company will agree to supply the same upon thirty days notice upon the following basis: In case 150 to 200 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same up to 200 horse-power as required charging for a minimum of 450 horse-power and for the excess of horse-power over 150 according to the horse-power used. In case 200 to 250 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same charging for a minimum of 500 horse-power and from that up to 250 horse-power according to the horse-power used. In case 250 to 350 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same charging for a minimum of 600 horse-power and from that up to 350 horse-power according to the horse-power used. In case 350 to 400 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same charging for a minimum of 650 horse-power and from that up to 400 horse-power according to the horse-power used. In case 400 to 450 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same charging for a minimum of 700 horse-power and from that up to 450 horse-power according to the horse-power used. In case 450 to 500 horse-power is required by the corporation the company will agree to supply the same charging for a minimum of 750 horse-power and from that up to 500 horse-power according to the horse-power used. It being the intention that the company will always keep in reserve 50 horse-power over and above the minimum stated by the corporation to be required and shall charge for the said 50 horse-power according only to the horse-power used.
And it is understood that the highest minimum load for any month during the contract hereunder shall be the minimum load for each of the foregoing months during the contract, unless the minimum is increased by the corporation.
5. Calculations of the quantity of power used by the corporation are to be based upon the daily average peak load, such peak load to be arrived at by taking volt-ampere readings, and the calculations made from such readings. Such readings shall be taken after the power has passed through the regulators.
6. The corporation will pay to the company monthly on the 20th day of each month for the power used (not being less than 100 horse-power) during the preceding month at the following rates: For all horse-power up to 300 horse-power at the rate of \$3.75 per horse-power per month, and for all horse-power in excess of 300 horse-power at the rate of \$3.50 per horse-power per month.
7. The power supplied by the company shall be continuous as required during the whole twenty-four hours of each day.
8. If by reason of any accident or any cause whatsoever over which the company shall have no control, a stoppage in the supply of power shall at any time occur, the corporation shall be allowed a rebate from the price in the agreement provided proportionate to the actual time of the said stoppage.
9. The duration of the agreement hereunder shall be for the period of one year from the date the company shall commence the delivery of power to the corporation, which date shall not be later than December 31, 1901.
10. In the event of any dispute or difference arising between the company and the corporation in regard to the construction to be placed on this by-law or the contract to be executed embodying the provisions hereof or the administration thereof or any details of business between the corporation and the company in respect thereof, the same

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three arbitrators, one to be chosen by the company and one by the corporation and these two arbitrators go selected shall select a third, and any decision upon the point or points arrived at by the majority of such arbitrators shall be final and binding upon both the corporation and the company. Such arbitration otherwise shall be governed by the provisions of the Arbitration Act, being Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, and amendments thereto now or hereafter made.

11. A contract embodying the provisions hereof and covenants on the part of the company to conform to and fulfill all matters and provisions hereby required of it shall be drawn and shall be executed by the corporation and the company within one month after the date on which this by-law shall take effect.
12. It is understood that nothing in this by-law contained shall be construed as conferring upon the company any right or privilege to generate or distribute or dispose of electric light or electric power within the limits of the City of Nelson except to the corporation.

13. In this by-law the expression "the corporation" wherever used shall refer to and mean the Corporation of the City of Nelson, and the expression "the company" wherever used shall refer to and mean the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, its successors and assigns.
14. This by-law shall take effect and be in force on and after the 26th day of November, 1901.
15. This by-law may be cited as "the Power By-Law No. 101."
Done and passed in council assembled this 19th day of 1901.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the municipality will be taken on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, instant, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at the East Ward at the city police court on the east side of Josephine street, and for the West Ward at the office of Baker Brothers on the north side of Baker street, between Stanley and Kootenay streets, in the City of Nelson.
J. M. STRACHAN,
Clerk of the Council.
Nelson, B. C., November 5th, 1901.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

PUBLIC NOTICE.
Public notice is hereby given that the vote of the electors of the municipality of the City of Nelson will be taken on by-law No. 101, a by-law in regard to purchasing certain power from the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1901, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.

For the East Ward, at the City Police Court on Josephine Street, and for the West Ward at the office of Baker Brothers, on the north side of Baker Street, between Stanley and Kootenay Streets, in the City of Nelson.
Any male or female being of the full age of twenty-one years who is the assessed owner of land or of real estate property within the municipality shall have a vote either confirming or negating the said by-law in each ward in which he or she may be assessed for land or real property.
Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 5th day of November, 1901.
Returning Officer.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NELSON

Notice to Municipal Voters.
NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of the "Municipal Elections Act" the following are entitled to vote for mayor and aldermen at the City Municipal Election, to-wit:
Any male or female, being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, who has paid or is liable to pay the first day of November, 1901, rates, taxes, assessments, and license fees payable by him or her, and
Who is the assessed owner of lands, or of improvements, or the assessed occupier of lands
within the municipality, or
Who has resided in and carries on business in the City of Nelson, and is the holder of a trades licence in the municipality, or
Who is a householder within the municipality.
Householders are required on or before the first day of December, 1901, to file the undersigned their names, as a voter, and deliver at the same time a statutory declaration in the form provided by the statute.

J. M. STRACHAN, City Clerk.
Nelson, B. C., October 18th, 1901.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT CO-OWNER.

To John J. McAndrews or to any person or persons to whom he may have transferred his interest in the Black Diamond mineral claim, situate on the north side of Bear creek, about three miles from the town of Ymir, lying between the claims adjoining the Evening Star mineral claim, Nelson mining division of West Kootenay district, and recorded in the office for the Nelson mining division. You and each of you are hereby notified that the above mentioned mineral claim in order to hold said mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and it within ninety days from the date of this notice you full or refuse to contribute your portion of all such expenditures together with all costs of advertising your interests in the said claims will become the property of the subscriber under section 4 of an act entitled "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900." JOHN DEAN.

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## RAILWAY TIME TABLE

### CANADIAN PACIFIC SYSTEM

LEAVE	CROW'S NEST RAILWAY	ARRIVE
5 a. m. Daily.	Kuskonook, Creston, Moyie, Cranbrook, Marysville, Port Steele, Elk, Fernie, Michel, Blairmore, Frank, Macleod, Lethbridge, Winnipeg, and all Eastern points.	4 p. m. Daily.

### COLUMBIA & KOOTENAY RAILWAY

LEAVE	ARRIVE
6:40 p. m. Daily	10:10 p. m. Daily

Robson, Nakusp, Arrowhead, Revelstoke, and all points east and west on C.P.R. main line.

LEAVE	ARRIVE
6:40 p. m. Daily	10:10 p. m. Daily

Robson, Cascade, Grand Forks, Phenix, Greenwood, and Midway (Daily except Sunday)

LEAVE	ARRIVE
8 a. m. Daily	11:35 a. m. Daily

Robson, Trail and Rossland (Daily except Sunday)

### SLOCAN RIVER RAILWAY

LEAVE	ARRIVE
10 a. m. Daily	3:40 p. m. Daily

Slocan City, Silvertown, New Denver, Three Forks, Sandon (Daily except Sunday)

### KOOTENAY LAKE STEAMBOATS

LEAVE	ARRIVE
4 p. m. Daily	11 a. m. Daily

Balfour, Pilot Bay, Ainsworth, Kaslo and all Way Landings. (Daily except Sunday)

LEAVE	ARRIVE
4 p. m. Daily	11 a. m. Daily

Lardo and all points on the Lardo & Trout Lake Branch. (Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays)

### GREAT NORTHERN SYSTEM

LEAVE	ARRIVE
9:40 a. m. Daily	5:45 p. m. Daily

Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway. Ymir, Salmo, Eric, Waneta, Mount In, Rossland, Colville and Spokane.

LEAVE	ARRIVE
7 a. m. Daily	9:20 p. m. Daily

Kootenay Lake Steamboats. Balfour, Pilot Bay, Ainsworth, Kaslo and all Way Landings. Daily

### CITY AND DISTRICT.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church hold their usual annual meeting tomorrow evening. An interesting address on the Pan-American is promised.

The Rossland Draying & Warehousing Company will not open a branch at Nelson. They have been bought off by the Nelson Freighting & Transfer Company.

Eighty men are employed at the Arlington mine near Slocan City, and the snow is reported 18 inches deep on the divide between Springer and Twelvemile creeks.

Robert Ward, who has been in Nelson for several days on business connected with the Hall Mining & Smelting Company, of which company he is a director, left for London last evening.

A change has been made in the superintendency of the Arlington mine. W. F. Dubois, who filled the position since the present company came into possession being retired. Dubois did not get along very well with the working miners, so the change is welcome to them.

W. H. Dowling, the well known real estate man, had an exciting experience in Spokane the other evening. As he was on his way home he was held up by a highwayman. Dowling went down with the first blow, but on regaining his feet he knocked his assailant down and out.

Charles C. Daley of Kaslo has been gazetted a deputy mining recorder, etc., for the Ainsworth mining division, and R. J. Stenson of the same place, is made a clerk in the office of the government agent at Kaslo. T. A. Mills is gazetted a deputy in the office of the court registrar at Nelson.

Frank McQuaid of San Francisco who is largely interested in the Maple Leaf Mining Company, arrived in Nelson last evening. It is reported the company will commence work upon a property which it has in behind Pilot Bay. It is not likely that anything will be done on the Maple Leaf property, after which the company takes its name.

William Lyon MacKenzie King, the grandson of the famous Ontario rebel, arrived in Nelson yesterday from Rossland. Mr. King is the editor of the official labor gazette and deputy minister of labor. He has been in Rossland for the past few days looking into the labor trouble, but declined to make any statement for publication until he has sent in his report to the minister.

Mayor Fletcher and aldermen Hamilton, Gillett, Paterson, and Selous have placed themselves on record as branding those who oppose the W. K. P. & L. Co. by-law as vile slanderers. It is a pretty come to pass when the people of Nelson have not the right to oppose a scheme that happens to be framed by these five worthies. Is all the intelligence and all the honesty of purpose of the people of Nelson concentrated in their five heads? If so, God help Nelson.

week. The membership for voting purposes will be by ticket at the first meeting. These tickets are sold for a nominal sum and their purchasers are recorded as members of the organization. The object of those who have the movement in hand is to unite the business men and toilers whose sympathies are with the labor party but who have no connection with it through the ordinary agencies such as trades unions.

As a result of the decision of the full court on the appeal in the case of Hall vs LaBau, the hearing of the case will require to be gone over again. When the case was adjourned by Judge Forin the case for the plaintiff was completed and a start had been made on the case for the defense, but by a decision of the full court the plaintiffs are saddled with all costs up to date, and when these are paid they will be just where they were when their action was started. The appeal did not touch on the merits of the case, but dealt simply with a ruling of the trial judge upon the defendant's application to amend his defense.

Percy Chapman, of the A. Macdonald Company, has returned from Vancouver, where he has been for the past three weeks in connection with the letting of the contract for the new warehouse which his company has decided to put up. The building is now well under way and it is expected that it will be completed by the middle of March. It is 50 by 100 and three stories with basement, containing all told 20,000 square feet of floor space. The building will have a cut stone front, the first story being of granite and the rest sandstone. It is likely that the meeting of the retail and wholesale grocers, which has been delayed on account of Mr. Chapman's absence, will be called within the next few days and an effort made at determining where the line shall be drawn between the wholesaler and the retailer.

### PERSONALS.

Thomas S. Gilmour of Rossland passed through Nelson yesterday on his way to the Lavina group of claims.

D. D. Twohey, a member of the railway contracting firm of Twohey Brothers, who have a slice of the work now going on in East Kootenay, was in Nelson yesterday.

A. Macdonald, head of the firm of A. Macdonald & Company is in Nelson. He says the farmers of the prairie province have had a great year and the railways are now moving three million bushels of grain east each week.

W. C. Morris of Grand Forks, who is connected with the Hot Air Line, was in Nelson yesterday. He says good progress is being made with the laying of steel on the one road between Canada and the United States, which when built will drain into and not out of the Dominion.

### AT THE HOTELS.

MADDEN—M. O'Brien, Bird creek; D. A. Buchanan, Spokane.

PHAIR—Andy, C. Anderson, Rossland; D. C. Johnson, Everett; J. H. Brock, Winnipeg.

TREMONT—Andy Jensen, Ymir; N. P. Roy, Hemmingford; Harry McDonald, Sandon.

QUEBENS—Mrs. W. C. Forrester, Ymir; A. A. Buchanan, Ymir; Mark Manley and W. J. Hincif, Slocan; J. Godbolt, Slocan.

GRAND CENTRAL—Alex. O'Connell, Ymir; Jacob Rainwater, Dayton, Washington; F. J. Johnson, Great Falls; M. C. Schomers, Spokane; James Wescott, Ymir; W. J. Henry and J. Dewar, Rossland.

HUMB—E. J. P. Smith, Montreal; F. J. Kelly, Seattle; W. Antiff, Winnipeg; J. Balfour, Lennoxville; F. Van, Cranbrook; Mrs. C. F. Porteous, Melita; Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Kimberley; G. H. Barnhart and wife, Ymir; Frank McQuaid, San Francisco; E. Doberer, Grand Forks; H. W. Weller and H. Sears, Montreal; P. E. McMillan, Toronto; J. H. MacGill, Vancouver.

### BUSINESS MENTION.

The finest of everything in the line of fruits and candies are for sale at the Palm, in the K. W. C. block, Ward street.

John Love, who represents the Consolidated Stationery Company of Winnipeg, expects to reach Nelson on Thursday next, with his full line of fancy and staple goods. He will make his headquarters at the Hotel Hume while in West Kootenay district.

The concert in St. Paul's Presbyterian church this evening promises to be a most enjoyable entertainment. Misses McCoy and Robinson are spoken of, wherever they go, in terms of superlative praise. They will be ably assisted by F. Steiner and John Lochore.

### To Subdue the Insurgents.

COLON, November 17.—The Colombian gunboat General Pinzon arrived here today from Savanilla with 300 troops. In view of the unchanged conditions on the isthmus this evidence of the government's policy to reinforce its forces here gives credit to the assumption that general Carlos Alban, military commander of this district, has finally resolved to lead a strong attacking force against the insurgents within his jurisdiction and attempt to terminate the present wearisome deadlock between the Colombian rebels and the government.

### Gas Explosion in a Church

CARBONDALE, Pennsylvania, November 17.—Gas exploded in the furnace of the First Methodist Episcopal church here at an early hour this morning, bursting the furnace and scattering burning coal which set fire to the woodwork. The flames could not be controlled and the building was totally destroyed. Loss is about \$30,000. Insurance

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## FIGURES THAT TELL TALES

### Appropriations and People and Votes:

The following statistics may be of interest, now that certain ridings in Kootenay are charged with being padded. The population of each riding is given, as well as the amounts that have been appropriated by the provincial government for roads, bridges and trails in each riding for the last two years. As the population of Rossland riding is half in Yale and half in Kootenay, its population and the appropriations for that riding are on that basis:

Riding	Population	Appropriations
Golden riding	1,938	\$61,490
Revelstoke riding	3,003	71,050
Slocan riding	5,321	87,623
Southeast Kootenay	5,962	37,547
Nelson riding	7,102	36,500
Rosslard riding	7,603	32,025

If appropriations for roads, trails, and bridges is pap-feeding, the people of Golden riding have been pap-fed to the extent of \$31.67 per head for the last two years; the people of Revelstoke riding, have been assisted in the same way to the extent of \$23.65 per head; Slocan riding has got outside relief to the extent of \$16.40 per head; Southeast Kootenay has got along with \$6.30 a head; the people of Nelson riding were nearly self-supporting, as they were only suckled to the extent of \$5.13 a head; and the people of Rossland got only \$4.21 per head. The people of Golden are represented in the legislature by W. C. Wells, who, during two sessions, has voted with premier Dunsinuir 15 times and against him 4 times; the people of Revelstoke riding are represented by Tom Taylor, who has voted with premier Dunsinuir 46 times and against him 4 times; the people of Slocan riding are represented by Robert F. Green, who has voted with the premier 39 times and against him 12 times; the people of Southeast Kootenay are represented by E. C. Smith, who has voted with premier Dunsinuir 6 times and against him 37 times; the people of Nelson riding are represented by John Houston, who has voted against the premier 15 times and with him 35 times; the people of Rossland riding are represented by Smith Curtis, who has voted with Joseph Martin 53 times and against him 4 times.

### Accident to Collier Victoria.

VICTORIA, November 17.—The collier, Victoria, in ballast from San Francisco for Ladysmith, was towed into Esquimalt tonight by the collier San Mateo. The Victoria lost her propeller while 300 miles off cape Flattery and was drifting in a helpless condition when her signals of distress were noticed by the San Mateo, which was also bound north. It was at first reported that the disabled steamer was the N. P. R. liner Olympia, which left here Monday for the Orient. The Victoria was in a heavy sea and her propeller clearing the water her tail shaft broke and her propeller dropped off. The machinery was considerably damaged. The Victoria is owned by a British Columbia company and the San Mateo by the Pacific Improvement Company. There will be a claim for salvage.

### Mortality Rate of Infants.

MONTREAL, November 17.—The provincial board of health Saturday discussed the fearful mortality rate of infants in Montreal during the summer months. Discussion showed that the board was of opinion that a proportion at least of the mortality was due, if not with criminal intent, to at least criminal carelessness, on the part of parents who had taken out insurance on the lives of their children. In many instances the death of children meant money in the pockets of parents. The board passed a resolution calling upon the federal government to prohibit insurance policies on the lives of children under ten years of age. The board will also ask the government to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of nursing bottles with long tubes, the negligence of parents in keeping these clean being a source of mortality.

### Big Price for Old Stamps.

TORONTO, November 17.—The Evening Telegram's London cable says: At a sale of rare postage stamps, a British Columbia 1861 imperfect two-penny-half-penny pink, unused, sold for \$12. A New Brunswick 1851 shilling, mauve, lightly canceled, for \$11. A Nova Scotia 1851 shilling, violet, for \$13 and a Nova Scotia 1851 dark purple for \$14.

### Killed by Premature Blast.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, November 17.—Two men were killed and four injured as the result of the premature explosion of a blast at the Caparis stone quarry northwest of Columbus today. The dead are A. M. Vacc and John M. Antonio. The men killed were working under a ledge and were buried under

## PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following appointment: 11th November 1901. Esquire, to be Deputy District Registrar of the Nelson Registry of the Supreme Court and Deputy Registrar of the County Court of Kootenay, holden at Nelson. Such appointments to take effect on the 1st day of December, 1901.

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