

THEIR RED LETTER DAY

Ladies of the Maccabees and their Chief Commander.

Many Present at the Public Initiation Ceremony.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Yesterday was a genuine red letter day for Rossland Maccabees—knights and ladies.

The Rossland Ladies Maccabees certainly handled the visit of their supreme head in a masterly manner.

It was the public initiation at Union Hall during the afternoon that attracted the greatest measure of public attention.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Hollister met a number of the members and officials of Rossland Hive, and the degree work for the afternoon ceremony was discussed.

The ceremony was unique, interesting and impressive. The stage at the rear of the hall was hung with British and American flags, palms were appropriately placed.

Record Keeper—Mrs. Josephine H. Deslets. Finance Keeper—Mrs. Rachel King. Chaplain—Mrs. Mary E. Post.

Mayor Dean was then introduced by the chair—Mrs. Alice Long—to present a civic welcome to the Supreme Commander.

ture the ladies would not cease striving. Mrs. Hollister followed in a half hour talk of a bright nature.

A ROSSLAND SOUVENIR. Following the close of Mrs. Hollister's address, she was approached by a representative of Rossland Hive and presented with a dainty set of souvenir spoons.

Incidentally the reception tendered Mrs. Hollister will be an object lesson to other fraternalities in entertaining officials of similar degree.

COMMUNICATIONS

THE LEAD BOUNTIES.

Editor Miner—Before leaving Ottawa, the British Columbia silver-lead miners' delegation desire to publicly express their appreciation not only of the action of the government in acceding to their request for a bounty on lead, but also of the unwavering sympathy and consideration which they have received from the members of the cabinet during the necessary investigation of this important question.

JOHN L. RETALLACK, Chairman Silver-Lead Delegation. Ottawa, July 8.

WITH HIGH VALUES

RICH ORE SHIPPED OUT FROM THE POPLAR CREEK DISTRICT.

BUILDINGS TO BE RUSHED UP TO GIVE HOTEL ACCOMMODATION.

KASLO, July 17.—J. J. Winquist and partners, who have two claims located on Poplar creek, are shipping a car of the richest ore ever mined in the province.

The shipment is composed of pieces of ore from a four-foot lead, weighing fifteen to twenty pounds, that are pure native silver and grey copper, giving values running upwards of \$700 ounces silver and over \$1200 in gold to the ton.

J. H. Cameron of Lardo is here engaging men and securing materials for a forty-room hotel to be built on the new townsite at the mouth of Poplar creek. The demand for hotel accommodations is very urgent.

Ymir Notes. The Gold Cup Group—Prospective Conservative Candidate.

Ymir, July 20.—Mr. Jelley of Trail, the Conservative standard bearer of the Ymir riding, was here yesterday.

IS BADLY NEEDED UNION MEN DANCED

THE BOARD OF TRADE ASKS FOR A TRAIL ON SOPHIE MOUNTAIN.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY AS TO VITAL NECESSITY FOR SUCH FACILITY.

The board of trade decided last night to take active steps toward impressing upon the department of lands and works at Victoria, the necessity in the interests of the Rossland district of the construction of a trail from Rossland over Sophie mountain, affording some means of transportation supplies and machinery to a long list of properties en route.

From time to time the government has had a wagon road to Sophie mountain under consideration, and at more than one juncture the matter has reached the stage where initial grants for surveys, locations and construction have been passed.

"On behalf of a large number of persons who are interested in the welfare and prosperity of Rossland and the surrounding districts, I beg leave to submit the following for your consideration at your next meeting:

"On several occasions the provincial government has recognized the urgent need of a wagon road from Rossland to Sophie mountain (passing over O. K., Hanrahan, Beard and Sophie mountain), and has had three surveys made of the proposed routes, and has made appropriations for the construction of one of these roads, but nothing further has been done towards carrying out this necessary work.

"The valley of Big Sheep creek has some excellent farms, which should be tributary to Rossland, but they have no outlet at present for their produce, nor means of taking in their supplies to their farms, except from the United States, which means a serious loss to the city of Rossland as well as to the owners of these properties and farms.

"The government survey made by Mr. H. B. Smith provides an easy grade from Rossland to Sophie mountain about ten miles in length, over which a suitable wagon road could be built for a moderate cost.

"I have been informed that this could be done for about \$3500, which would be of very great assistance to the owners in getting in machinery and supplies to their properties. Such a pack trail, while giving present assistance, could later on, when funds are available, be widened and improved so as to make a good wagon road, and this could be done without any loss of the original expense of the pack trail.

"Whereas there are upwards of twenty-five mineral claims in the immediate neighborhood of Rossland which are located in a district between the town and Sophie mountain, the said claims being partially developed and proved to contain in each instance large quantities of paying ore.

And whereas the owners are anxious and able to do more development work this year on an extensive scale, in order to bring them to a productive and profitable condition, but are prevented from so doing by the total absence of either trails or wagon roads;

ANNIVERSARY OF UNION CELEBRATED AT MINERS' UNION HALL LAST NIGHT.

PLEASANT FUNCTION ATTENDED BY A LARGE CROWD OF DANCERS.

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NOW THEY'RE OFF!

COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR ROSSLAND'S BIG AUGUST HOLIDAY.

DATES SETTLED—LOTS OF SPORTS PROVIDED FOR—NOW FOR WORK.

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Music and Melita—Charles E. Barrett, Herbert R. Townsend, T. M. Graham, William Verran, A. B. Barker and William Thompson. Parade—Thomas H. Reed, M. P. Villeneuve, A. Ferris, P. R. McDonald, Kenneth Martin, J. Stillwell Clute, Robert Hunter, Frank Dmpey, Thomas Embleton, A. T. Collis and A. S. Goodve.

Minor Sports—Wallace Fraser, C. O. Lalonde, J. A. Macdonald, Archibald M. Patterson, M. J. Gill, H. Perry McCraney and Robert W. Grigor. Reception Committee—Mayor and city council, with power to add.

The first sub-committee meeting announced is that on lacrosse, which convenes at A. B. Mackenzie's office this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The general committee adjourned till Thursday night next at 9 o'clock when all sub-committees are to report progress. The chairman of sub-committees are to meet on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

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ARE HARD AT WORK

COMMITTEES START ON THE PROGRAM FOR AUGUST CELEBRATION.

BALL STARTED ROLLING YESTERDAY—NO TIME TO LOSE.

(From Saturday's Daily.) The sub-committees in connection with the August celebration have already made a start, and the ball is now fairly rolling. It was thought in some quarters that the general committee should have convened earlier than Thursday next, but the date is not too distant if the committees are to have time to thoroughly go into their respective departments and conduct such correspondence as is necessary.

Special stress is laid on the necessity of sub-committees convening immediately and preparing reports for the general committee. A move in the right direction was made yesterday when it was decided to secure the premises across the hall from W. J. Nelson's office for permanent central committee rooms. The rooms are commencing to be fitted out, and a number of chairs were installed yesterday for the accommodation of the committees. The board of trade rooms were equally central, but there is the drawback of the rooms being required from time to time for other purposes and the celebration committee being crowded out at a juncture when meetings are important. The establishment of independent committee rooms will overcome this trouble.

The first sub-committee to meet yesterday was that on finance, which assembled at the board of trade rooms and discussed matters for several hours. A draft of expected subscriptions was made out wherein corporations and merchants were set down for the sums the committee thought they could be called upon for. If the committee's expectations are fulfilled, the funds for the demonstration will be forthcoming in a fair and equitable manner, placing the heaviest burden on the interests that will profit most substantially from the enhanced business accruing from the influx of visitors. It is expected that a large sum will be realized in the form of small individual subscriptions and lists will be circulated among the men at an early date. The committee meets this afternoon in the new committee rooms, and the active canvass of the city is to be started on Monday.

The lacrosse committee met later in the afternoon at A. B. Mackenzie's office and discussed the prospect of bringing off a fast exhibition of the national game during the celebration. The decision was to open correspondence with a number of clubs for the purpose of securing the attendance of one of them.

The tug of war committee is called to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the office of Dan Thomas. The committee includes James G. Irving, Robert W. Grigor, Harry G. Seaman, Britton Duke and J. H. Macdonald.

COULD NOT SLEEP

ON ACCOUNT OF HEADACHES AND PAINS IN THE SIDE.

The Sad Condition of a Bright Girl Until Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Came to Her Rescue.

Many young girls, seemingly in the best of health, suddenly grow listless and lose strength. The color leaves their cheeks; they become thin, have little or no appetite, and suffer from headaches and other bodily pain. Such was the case of Besse, youngest daughter of Mr. Chas. Cobleigh, Easton Corner, Que. Speaking of his daughter's illness and subsequent cure, Mr. Cobleigh says: "Up to the age of eleven, Besse had always enjoyed the best of health and took great pleasure in out-of-door play. Suddenly, however, she seemed to lose her energy; her appetite failed; she grew thin and pale, slept badly at night, and complained of distressing headaches in the morning. We thought that rest would be beneficial to her, and so kept her from school, but instead of gaining her strength she grew weaker and weaker. To make matters worse, she began to suffer from pains in the side, which were almost past endurance. At this stage we decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After a couple of weeks the good effect of this medicine was decidedly apparent. Besse became more cheerful, her step quicker, her eyes were brighter and she seemed more like her former self. We continued giving her the pills for several weeks longer, until we felt that she had fully recovered her health and strength. I honestly believe had it not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, our daughter would not have recovered her health and strength, and I shall always have a good word to say for this medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure all troubles that arise from poverty of the blood or weak nerves. Among such troubles may be cited anemia, headache, neuralgia, erysipelas, rheumatism, heart ailments, dyspepsia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, and the ailments that render miserable the lives of so many women. Be sure you get the genuine with the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all medicine dealers, or sent by mail, post paid, at 50c per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by writing direct to Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

WALKING DELEGATE ARRESTED. NEW YORK, July 20.—Samuel J. Harks, walking delegate of the house-smiths and bridlemen's union, was arrested tonight on a warrant in which Charles E. Lawson, a member of the same union, charges him with assault at a meeting of the organization. Harks gave bail.

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WINNIPEG, July. The legislature were ences today. Two and Gimli, will take. The returns received indicate the election of 8 Liberals and 10 se

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Birtle—Mickle, majority. Morris—Campbe majority, with seve from. St. Andrew's and Conservative, 100 ab to hear from. Springfield—Co leading, small major Turtle Mountain—vative, leading, sma South Brandon— small majority. Sev from. Cypress—Steele majority. Several p. Deloraine—P. small majority. Se heard from. Emerson—McPa small majority. Not Norfolk—Lyons, C 168 majority. Virden—Agnew, Jorjy Six polls to h Arthur—Thom 13 majority. One which will probably ity to about 15.

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