

CITY NEWS

COMPLETED—The transfer of J. A. Rice's grocery business to Messrs. Vaughan & Cook is completed and the new firm are now in possession.

COUNCIL TONIGHT—The regular meeting of the city council takes place tonight. In addition to the ordinary budget of business matters affecting the general interests of the city will be taken up.

FALSE ALARM—About midnight last night two revolver shots were fired in the air near the residence of John Sharp on Nickle Plate flat. A few moments later a rock was hurled through the window of the house, but without doing any one harm. The affair is supposed to be the outcome of a row among some Finns a few nights ago.

A WEDDING—Mr. Rufus F. McNeill and Miss Rosa B. Gunter, both of Rossland, were united in marriage on Thursday afternoon, 21st inst., at the residence of Mr. J. R. Lewis. Rev. Dr. Robinson performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate friends of the contracting parties.

ATHLETIC CLASSES—The Athletic club is being put to the use which it was originally intended to serve. Classes in physical exercise are being held regularly and considerable interest is manifested. It has been suggested that a businessmen's class should be organized and probably this will be done shortly.

AT TRAIL—As has been stated in the Miner the shipment of ore from the Rossland camp to the Trail smelter in quantities has been suspended pending the substitution of a new sampler for the one that has been in use for some years. The new apparatus will be of larger capacity and will entail an expenditure of \$10,000. The work is now in progress.

FAST TRIP—W. Jackson Hogg, Rossland representative of the Canadian Pacific freight department, is quite proud over a record which his company has just made in the long distance transportation line. A car of meats consigned to Hunter Bros. of this city was delivered here within six days of leaving the Armour & Co. manufactory at South Omaha. The car was shipped via the Chicago and Northwestern and Canadian Pacific.

ANOTHER BUGLE—One of the liveliest organizations in Rossland is the bugle band recently organized in connection with the local militia company. Numerically the band is weak, but its members' enthusiasm knows no bounds and it is safe to predict that by next season the band will own double its present complement of instruments and will be regarded as an important factor in the interior economy of the company. Arrangements have been made to add another bugle to the band immediately, and this will give an establishment of ten. Later it is proposed to add more playing members, and the band will not be satisfied until it has the regular establishment of 21 buglers and seven drummers.

THE LARDEAU ROAD—F. M. Young, resident engineer of construction work on the Lardeau branch, was up to Trout lake recently. He affirmed most emphatically that it is the intention of the contractors to keep steadily at work until the road is completed. He says he received instructions some time ago to concentrate all his energies on the light work, and this is now almost finished. The heavier work can be attended to in winter with little more difficulty than in summer. The graders are now almost up to Poplar creek, and the chances are that before the lake freezes over trains will be running into Gerrard.

ALL SHIPSHAPE—The affairs of the St. Thomas mountain wagon road have all been straightened out. The government has taken over the road, thoroughly satisfied with the manner in which the work was performed, and the contractor, H. W. C. Jackson, has received the department's cheque for the contract price. Mr. Jackson has removed the balance of his outfit from Gladstone to Rossland, and the road is an old story so far as the construction stage is concerned. The active movement of ore over the road will depend upon the promptitude with which the Canadian Pacific proceeds with the spur at the terminal.

WELL LICKED—John Houston was soundly licked by an irate Nelsonite on Wednesday. Houston is the editor of the Nelson Tribune and is noted for his scurrilous attacks on citizens who have committed no more heinous offences than to oppose his plans. One of the gentlemen to whom the Tribune had devoted attention of late is George Hamilton Neelands, ex-mayor of Nelson. On Wednesday Mr. Neelands was with a party of friends when Houston came up. Mr. Neelands remarked in the course of the conversation that he desired the Tribune's editor to refrain from mentioning his name in future. Houston replied with an oath that he would do as he pleased in the matter. Mr. Neelands replied that if he persisted trouble would follow. The Tribune man invited the ex-mayor to commence forthwith and jabbed him below the right eye with an umbrella. Thereupon Mr. Neelands administered a thorough thrashing to the editor. Houston's eyes were blackened and he was so badly used up that it was necessary to remove him to his home

in a conveyance. Mr. Neelands is notably law-abiding and slow to take offence. It is generally conceded in Nelson that the Tribune man only received a portion of what is coming to him.

PLEASANT DANCE—The members of the Entre Nous club gave an at home at the Masonic hall last night. The attendance was large and the function proved an entire success.

FOR MISSIONS—At the last meeting of the Ladies' Association of St. Andrew's church a special thanksgiving offering was taken for the missionary cause. The offering netted \$25 for the worthy end in view.

PREVENT ACCIDENTS—If the present snow fall remains the city will take action in the direction of guarding against accidents on the sidewalks by distributing ashes at the points where the danger seems greatest. This scheme was followed last year with success and is to be adopted again.

PRISONER AWAY—Frontal Constable Young and Canadian Pacific Detective McLeod were in the city yesterday in connection with the escape of a prisoner named Broom from the Nelson lock-up. Broom was awaiting trial on a charge of theft from the Canadian Pacific grounds.

TO CONVEY—Up to the present time no notice has been issued cancelling the meeting of silver-lead mine announced for December 4th at Nelson, and it is believed by those who profess to be on the inside that the suggested abandonment of the meeting is a little whiff of "hot air" intended to sidetrack the interests that might be benefited by such action.

NEW CARS—The Canadian Pacific has contributed substantially to the comfort of travellers between Rossland and Boundary points by placing in commission a couple of Fournery cars. These are first class coaches such as are used on the main line of the road, with reclining chairs and other features that make them decidedly more comfortable than the cars formerly in use.

AN ERROR—In referring to the annual meeting of the Rossland Bonanza mining company, the Miner stated that the ore on the dump and blocked out above the tunnel level in the mine would net the company a certain sum after discharging all the company's obligations. This sum should have been specified as \$2,000 instead of the amount named.

DIED AT SPOKANE—Word was received here last evening by Fred Linburg of the death at Spokane of Allan G. White, formerly a well known resident of Rossland. The deceased gentleman lived here for four years, leaving about a year since for Spokane, where he made his home. He was the owner of the Copper Chief and several other valuable mineral claims on Sophie mountain. The funeral will take place at Spokane.

IMPORTANT POINT—It is important to the residents of Rossland in connection with the approaching municipal election to note that every person voting as a household is required to register during the present month regardless of having been entered on the roll in past years. A household who voted last year will not be able to cast a ballot this year unless the prescription is taken to have the name re-entered in the list. This is a point that is often misunderstood and neglected.

THE CURLING SEASON—The curlers are beginning to manifest some interest in the approaching season's play. The principal point to be disposed of in the immediate future is as to whether the Kootenay association's annual bonspiel will be held at Rossland, Revelstoke, Nelson or Sandon. All the points are anxious to secure the event, with the possible exception of Rossland, which has already had the bonspiel and has the possibility of a carnival tournament to fall back on. Revival curlers come there, while the Nelson club, having an unusually strong organization this season, desires the curlers to flock to the city by the lake. As the executive of the association has arrived at the annual meeting, the date of which has yet to be announced by the president, M. L. Grimmer of Sandon.

OPENING AGAIN—The fall opening of the International theatre takes place on Wednesday night—Thanksgiving eve. The popular music hall will re-open under the musical direction of Herr Adolph Kirchner, who was with the institution for some months last season. Herr Kirchner brings to Rossland his talented family of musicians and entertainers, five in all, including the amusing Katzenjammer Kids, whose work last summer made them favorites with patrons of the International. In addition three clever vaudeville artists will appear and a rattling good show is assured. The opening of the International is something of a local event the significance of which will be generally understood. It will afford Rosslanders a pleasant place to put in a couple of hours at a juncture when other attractions are not numerous, and the bright programmes will ensure bumper houses.

W. C. T. U. MEETINGS—During the winter months the Women's Christian Union will meet once every two weeks in the reading room of the Methodist church, commencing Tuesday afternoon, November 26th, at 2:30 o'clock.

HAVE YOU TRIED IT? Meerschaum Cut Plug smoking tobacco. IT'S ALL RIGHT. Sold Everywhere. 10c. per package.

MASSONS ONLY—A pleasant function will be given at Masonic hall on Monday evening in the form of a dance and progressive whist for members of the craft and their families exclusively. The committee in charge has arranged for an assortment of pretty little prizes for the successful whist players, and a delightful evening is expected.

BAPTIST CHURCH CONCERT—The concert by the Baptist church choir on Thanksgiving night promises to be a success. Mrs. T. B. Linton, Miss Louise D. Impey, Miss Jean Robinson, Mr. Hart-McHarg, Judge Nelson, Mr. Holden City quartette and other good talent will take part. The above mentioned talent has appeared before Rossland audiences too often in the past to need further comment.

TO THE WEST—Z. D'Ax, the travelling correspondent of La Vie Illustrée, a Parisian weekly, left yesterday for the coast cities on his way about the world. M. D'Ax goes south from Victoria to San Francisco, thence across the Pacific to China and Japan. While in Rossland M. D'Ax was pleasantly looked after by various residents who speak French, a necessary equipment under the circumstances, as the French newspaper man could not talk a word of English, although a fluent Italian and Spanish linguist. He was most favorably impressed with Rossland and its mines, and his article in the Vie Illustrée is awaited with interest by his Rossland acquaintances.

A RECORD—Holles P. Brown, Rossland agent of the Spokane Falls & Northern railroad, has established a record that closely approximates the performance of Verne's hero in "Round the World in Eighty Days." Mr. Brown recently took 12 days' vacation from his duties in Rossland, arriving home on Friday. During his absence he travelled 5000 miles and had brief but pleasant visits at half a dozen points along the route. By travelling principally on night trains he was enabled to put in the daytime at the various cities in which he visited, and in this way travelled about treble the distance ordinarily covered in such pleasure excursions.

IN NORTHPORT ALSO

THE AGITATOR CLIQUE ENDEAVORS TO CONTROL CIVIC AFFAIRS.

CITIZENS REBEL AGAINST THE AGGRESSIVE MOVE OF THE UNION.

The common, ordinary citizens of Northport, like those of Rossland, have been a trifle shocked by the "nerve" displayed by agitators in seeking to gain full control of the municipal affairs of the city. In the case of Northport the civic authorities and the business men have gone out of their way to countenance the strikers, but that has not satisfied the latter and they have made a move similar to the one engineered by their Rossland brethren. In yesterday's issue of the Republican, which paper has been very friendly to the strikers, appears the following: "A mass meeting was held at the union hall Thursday night for the purpose of nominating a ticket for the coming city election composed of the following: Harvey Allen, mayor; Fred Blair, councilman-at-large; Henry Sabin, John Lundeen and Dahlstrom, councilmen; Floyd C. Smith, city treasurer; H. C. Thompson, city clerk. There being no lawyer in Northport who would accept the position of city attorney on this ticket, that office was left vacant.

"There is no question but that the men chosen to fill the above positions are competent to do so, but to fill the city offices with union men at this time is unbecomingly an insult to the business people of the town. The citizens are justly indignant over the matter and without a doubt will use every effort to defeat the Socialist-union ticket. Henry Sabin, one of the nominees for councilman, has given notice of his withdrawal and declares that he never authorized the union to use his name. Had he remained Mr. Sabin would have been the strongest support of Socialist-union ticket and by his withdrawal others are expected to do likewise. The Republican further enlarges on the matter editorially in this manner: "Earlier action was taken by the union men was at first expected as a holiday night a mass meeting was held at the hall and a ticket nominated composed of union men. The Republican considers this move on the part of the union to be an insult to the business people of Northport and shows a desire on their part to dominate and dictate the future policy of the city. The business people of this town have a friendly hand. By this last act of the union its members show a determination to not only antagonize the smelter company, but the citizens of Northport as well, and it is time that the people of this town should get together and nominate a ticket that will win. Name it the citizens' ticket and see that none but representative business men and property owners come before the people for their votes. The union has gone a step too far when its members attempt to dictate to the people who have assisted them through their struggle. The union men will attempt to float their members in under the head of 'Socialist ticket,' which was adopted for the purpose of trying to conceal as much as possible the part the union has taken in the matter." If Northport cannot stand the methods of the agitators as regards municipal affairs, how can Rossland be expected to do so?

B.C. IS THIRD IN THE LIST

RANK OF THE PROVINCES AS CONTRIBUTORS TO CUS-TOMS REVENUE.

REVISED STATEMENT OF THE POPULATIONS OF B. C. CITIES.

OTTAWA, Nov. 25.—At 2:30 today Government House had no notification from the War Office of acceptance of a mounted corps, although there is no doubt it is on the way. The casualties department at Cape Town cables under date of November 22nd that Trooper Arthur Timelick, of New Westminster, is in a precarious condition from wounds received at Krugersdorp.

The trade and navigation blue book for the year ending June 30th last was issued today. The main points have already been reviewed in this correspondence. It is shown that British Columbia stands third among the provinces for amount of duty collected. Ontario is first and Quebec second. British Columbia gave the Dominion treasury \$2,338,842, a small increase over last year, while Nova Scotia is fourth with \$2,091,530.

Tom Wm. Mulock returned today. H. J. Woodside, census commissioner for Yukon, handed in the returns to Mr. Blue today. The major estimates the population at 21,000. Of these 8,500 are in Dawson, 5,000 at White Horse, 6,000 on the creeks, Indians 1,000 and 300 Eskimos. He has got all returns except three districts, and when these are in the total population will be about 21,000. The following is a revised list of the towns in British Columbia of a population of two thousand and upwards: Nanaimo, 6,130; Nelson, 4,610; New Westminster, 6,498; Rossland, 6,164; Vancouver, 26,133; Victoria, 20,816.

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CARRIE NATION'S HUSBAND. MEDICINE LODGE, Kas., Nov. 25.—The divorce suit brought by David Nation against his wife, Carrie Nation, was begun here today. Mr. Nation claims his wife took away his featherbed, drew \$5,900 from the bank and refused to live with him.

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MISS STONE'S RANSOM. Funds Wanted to Be Available by Telegraph Order.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Nov. 25.—C. H. Ingram received today a letter from Charles A. Stone, brother of Miss Stone, the captive missionary. Mr. Stone asks Mr. Ingram to send assurances direct to the Peabody Banking House in Boston that he (Ingram) would pay by wire if necessary the \$5,000 offered by Ingram at the Hartford Board meeting. Mr. Stone says it may come to pass where minutes as well as dollars will be precious, but he intimates that there are indications that a compromise may yet be effected whereby the captives will be released without raising the large amount of money first talked of.

Mr. Ingram has written to the Peabody Bank, giving the assurance asked for by Mr. Stone. Mr. Ingram says he will telegraph the \$5,000 called for under the conditions of his pledge.

TROUBLE AVERTED. Chile and Argentine Reach an Amicable Understanding.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The threatened trouble over the boundary line between Chile and the Argentine Republic has been averted for the present at least. Signor Infante, the charge of the Chilean legation here, today conveyed to this government an assurance that the two principals to the boundary questions have just succeeded in reaching an amicable and satisfactory understanding. This statement has given great satisfaction for it is believed here that hostilities between Chile and Argentine would without doubt involve three-fourths of South America before they terminated.

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