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TRAIL, Oct. 8 .- [Special.]-The new Trail-Robson road has been turned over the Columbia & Western company, and the contractors, Messrs. Winters, Parsons & Boomer, have returned to Butte, Mont., where they have some extensive contracts.

The Five-Cent Beer Fight. The hotel men of Trail have, with one or two exceptions, met the competition of five-cent beer, and now the majority of them have large signs out announcing the reduction. They are selling more of it, by far, but not making so much profit. The matter culminated when ada knows in high quarters it is believed the railroad laborers of the Trail-Robson by all that Great Britain has withdrawn matter by taking a hand themselves.

Knights of Pythias Entertainment. of Pythias last evening entertained their ada's participation in the scheme against the Americans. The affair was the Americans. The arrangements are footed by a vote on the amendment to given in the lodge room in Brown's hall, all being made for the most favorable feated by a vote on the amendment to and consisted of a general program of presentation of our case. instrumental music, songs, recitations and addresses. An excellent lunch was youngest of the Trail lodges, but they are active, and membership and interest is rapidly growing. Some time this month a dance will be given in the opera house.

Passengers Inconvenienced. With only two boats a week to Northport, passengers are suffering much inconvenience. Twelve people came down from the north today, expecting to go through to Spokane tomorrow morning, but arrived here to learn that there would be no boat until Tuesday. The company will perhaps see that their expenses are paid over the Red Mountain

Minor Trail News Notes. The firm of James Reith & Co. has been dissolved, Alexander Hesson and John Irving retiring, leaving the business to be conducted by James Reith. ready for occupancy. There are four cells for the safe keeping of prisoners. A double shift of men is now engaged in sacking the Little Joe ore, prepara-

have gone to Nelson.

tory to shipping.
R. T. Daniel has gone to Spokane on

her husband is engaged in business.

PREMIER TURNER TALKS. Says Political Situation is Favorable to the Present Government.

Nelson, Oct. 7 .- [Special.]-Premier Turner, in an interview with your correspondent today, said that he thought the political situation looked favorable for is very good," said Mr. Turner. "The faults and complaints, from time to time, treatment. when they were false have been so proven. Confidence is growing now that the business is being carried on in a systematic itated very much. There will be no the syndicate, was accepted. extra session, and reports to that effect were without foundation. I am paying particular attention to public works which will be voted on at the next session. Owing to the greatly increased revenue and better trade in the Province we have really arrived at a point were we can go in largely for public works, such as roads, trails, etc. A report to the contrary in a Kaslo paper, was wholly incorrect and misleading. My

via Vernon and Okanagan." Government Lots Sold. The auction sale of government lots magazines, is soon to be married to John took place today, and although the ex- Lane, the British publisher who gets out act amount of money going into the hands of the government has not been definitely learned, it is about \$20,000. property found no buyers whatever. The it to her former husband, Mr. Chanler, upset price was high generally, and this whom she called "the most amiable of deterred many from purchasing. Nearly men. all the purchasers were residents of Nel-80n, and the appraised valuation of improvements on some of the lots was as

Saturday, and from there will go home

high as \$3.000. Kootenay Population Doubled. through Mr. Goepel believes that Cranprooke will be one of the main points on the line. The wagon road from Wardner Crossing to Fort McLeod is expected to be completed shortly. The road from

be completed within 40 days. There is an epidemic of peace prevail- knee to the ankle was one great sore. ing in Nelson. There have been no ar- Eight doctors treated me without benerests made for the past month with the fit. I was induced to try Dr. Chase's exception of several misguided drunks, Ointment, which cured me, and all that Who had stomachs and money to burn. remains to be seen are the scars."

A SHOOTING SCRAPE. A Victoria Man Pistoled for Interfer-

ing in Family Affairs. VICTORIA, Oct. 9.—Thomas Cummings, a sealer who returned home on the Umbrina on Wednesday last, made an attempt in the Poodle Dog restaurant this afternoon to kill Hallett Bailey, a clerk in Messrs. Erskine, Wall & Co.'s grocery store. Cummings fired two shots at Bailey out of a 38-calibre revolver, only one of the three shots coming near the mark and that one simply grazing Bailey's leg. The two men went to the restaurant together, shortly after

The trouble arose over Cummings' wife. It seems she had been engaged to Bailey and the wedding day was very close at hand, when Cummings appeared and induced her to marry him. That was formed by 115 Liberal delegates was last winter. When he went sealing from the Dominion electoral districts in a few months ago he left her comfortably provided for, but upon his return the other day he found their home broken the chair, on Friday. Wm. Templeman, up and his wife supposed to be in San with 55 votes, was elected president, Francisco. Ho attributes to Bailey the over E. P. Davis, who got 45 votes. J. change in his wife's sentiments towards H. Kerr was chosen secretary, and Dr. him, hence the shooting.

THE SEALING CONFERENCE

As Far as Canada Knows Great Britain Has Not Withdrawn. OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 9.—So far as Canbranch were paid off. This meant a from the sealing conference with the harvest anyhow to the saloon men, but United States. On the contrary, as late A. S. Vedder, J. B. Kennedy. as the only five-cent bar was at the as October 5th a cable came from the wrong end of town, they remedied the old country dealing with the matter of evidence and other arrangements for the meeting at Washington. There is not a TRAIL, Oct. 8.-[Special.]-The Knights word of truth in the stories that Ameri-

Judgment Day in Toronto. served, and this was followed by a stag dance, in which nearly all present par- of general sessions this morning Judge in provincial elections. ticipated. The knights represent the Macdougal imposed the following sentences: Herbert Cutting, theft, two years of this province should support no canin Central prison; Amos P. Roberts, didate in the forthcoming provincial theft, one year in Central prison; Chen campaign unless he is a Liberal and Sin, Chinaman, purgery, six months; subscribes to Liberal principles. John Baldwin and Thomas S. Ponton. assaulting a police officer, four months each in the Central prison; Arthur Arm- he subscribe to the Liberal platform as

Central prison; Albert Pickering, assaulting a child, two months in jail. Manitoba School Question. Victoria speaking against it, James Mc-Montreal, Que., Oct. 9.—Archbishop Queen and other prominent Liberals Manitoba School Question. Bruchesi left via Labrador last night for Rome on the usual visit made by bishops to the Pope after consecration, but it is thought he will have something important to say regarding the school question. Bishop Antigonish, who has strong ideas on the question, has spent the last two days here in conference with Bruchesi. La Minerva says the The new jail is under cover and nearly holy see is awaiting some important documents of an official nature before pronouncing on Merry Del Val's mission.

Wagon Road to Summit Camp. GRAND FORKS, Oct. 5 .- [Special.]-W. H. Fisher, of this place, is at present in business and will perhaps be away for a charge of a gang of five men building a wagon road from Greenwood to Summit Two trustees for the Trail schools will Camp, and expects to have that road lively time at the Club L'Etellier the be elected next Tuesday, to succeed completed in a week's time. At present other evening. The occasion was the William McLean and George Clark, who the people of Grand Forks have raised annual meeting for the election of of-Mrs. Peck has gone to Nelson, where from this town to Summit Camp also, selection of officers, a motion was subroads are completed Summit Camp will Tarte. Some of those present objected other into the Kettle River district.

Velvet Smelter Test. The Le Roi stable's pack team has

Mr. Adams Has Resigned. building at Victoria this month, and Adams resignation as a director in each second vice-president. when we get there business will be facil- company and mine superintendent for

Gold-Copper Bullion. NELSON, Oct. 9 .- [Special.] - Ore shipments last week: Trail smelter (matte) 100 tons; Hall Mines (matte), 99 tons. Trail smelter, gold-copper bullion, 753,-344 ounces. Total value, \$123,609.51.

FOR LITERARY PEOPLE.

Hall Caine is already at work on a

Mrs. Anna Eichberg King, who is re-

the Yellow Book. Amelia Rives' new novel will be illus trated by her husband, Prince Trouzetsky. It is said in connection that some There were a great many people in at- time ago while standing before a marble tendance, and although for choice prop- bust of herself in old her Virginia home erty the bidding was spirited, other she said to a friend she intended to send

turned today from a three-weeks' trip through the East and West Kootenay districts. He says that the revenue and districts. He says that the revenue and cents a word is the high water mark in E. Columbia avenue, Rossland. 10-6-10t population in East Kootenay has more authors' pay. Kipling gets no such than doubled since he was there last prices in his own country. As a rule he is summer. Everybody is waiting for the bought outright by an American pub-Crow's Nest Pass road, and when it is lisher or editor and resold in England.

by Eight Doctors - Cured by Dr.

Mr. R. D. Robbins, 148 Cowan avenue, warn the miners of other sections to re-Goat river to Cranbrooke is expected to Toronto, says: "I had a bad leg, which main away from Rossland. was simply unsightly. From below the

The Business Which They Transacted Friday and Yesterday.

MADE A GENERAL MIXUP

The Convention Gives More Consideration to the Populistic Farmers in the Fraser River Valley Than to the Noble Doctrines of the Liberal Party

New Westminster, Oct. 9 .- The first Liberal organization of British Columbia convention, with A. Morrison, M. P., in McKechnie of Nanaimo, treasurer. The other officers were elected as follows: For Victoria—Vice-president, George Riley; executive, E.V. Bodwell, Colonel

Gregory, R. L. Drury. For Burrard - Vice-president, E. P. Davis; committee, Jas. McQueen, J. H. Senkler, W. McCraney. For Westminster - Vice-president,

Alex. Anderson; committee, J. Oliver, Vancouver district (Vancouver Island)
-Vice-president, J. Slugget; committee, Jas. Evans, Ralph Smith and David

Yale-Cariboo - Vice-president, Wm. Baillie; committee, J. Martin,

admit them of 49 to 47. The battle royal commenced at the night session on the question as to

Archer Martin moved that in the opinion of this convention the Liberals E. P. Davis moved an amendment

strong, assault, four months in the laid down by the convention.

Central prison: Albert Pickering, as- Mr. Davis' amendment was lost. Martin's amendment met the same fate, all the Liberal members in opposition in

> speaking for it. At Saturday morning's convention, the platform, kept from the press as yet, was formulated. In the main it is directly opposed to the line of policy that has been adopted by the Turner governmortgage tax, members of cabinet as effect. promoters of companies, civil service, roads and bridges, timber regulations and sectionalism in politics and schools. The Torrens system of land registration is recommended.

A ROW IN A CLUB. It Started in an Attempt to Create s

Montreal, Que., Oct. 9.—There was a nearly enough money to build a road ficers. Previous to proceeding to the and expect to have it finished in a mitted to the effect that the club take couple of weeks time. When these two part in the demonstration in honor of be provided with two outlets, one into to this on the ground that the club had the Boundary Creek section and the not been invited, while others were opposed altogether to going, because Tarte in his evidence in the Grenier case had Retailers and Jobbers of Carpets, refused to declare that he was a Liberal. There was a good deal of wrangling and been busy removing a lot of sacks to the finally a vote was taken and the motion the present government. "The feeling Velvet on Sophie mountain, to be used was rejected by a vote of 40 to 17. Oscar in dringing down ore for a smelter test. Beauchamp was then elected as presi-Ten tons of ore will be sent to Trail for dent. A motion to elect L. J. Tarte, a son of the minister, vice-president raised another row. Dechene, a leading member of the club, stated that there Joseph H. Adams has severed his con- was evidently an attempt to create a and methodical way, not in a political nection with the Canadian Gold Fields Tarte boom, and he protested by handway, but with a view of advancing the syndicate, limited, and the Walters com- ing in his resignation. He subsequentgeneral interests of the Province. We pany, limited. At board meetings of ly withdrew the resignation and was shall move into the new government both companies, held last evening, Mr. elected first vice-president, with Tarte

A QUEER INCIDENT.

A Threshing Engine Starts Up and Causes a Runaway.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—At Guthrie village, Simcoe county, a threshing engine was being moved from one farm to another. The fire in the engine had been banked. The jolting of the machine shook the fire down and unnoticed by the driver, Morrison, the engine began getting up steam. The throttle had visit here has no political significance, new novel which deals with the drink been left open and the engine began to and I am just going around as much as I question. can to both the agricultural and mining sections, with a view of personally ascertaining before the next session, the real wants and necessition of the agricultural and mining sections.

TIME CARD.

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Subject to change without notice. Trains run wheel revolved this rubber pipe thumped the horses on the back and consolities of the agricultural and mining the sections. wants and necessities of the community. several years ago and was not a success. team to run away. Morrison saw what I leave here for Rossland tomorrow or It is a story of journalists and musicians. was the matter, but dare not leave the horses to shut off the steam. Finally the rubber tubing struck Morrison, membered as the writer of the charming the rubber tubing struck Morrison, knocking him off the engine. He fell Arr. 10:50 under the wheel where a ditch was being made across the road, and as he lay in the ditch the wheels passed over ROBT. IRVING. him. He only received a few bruises. The fly wheel continued whacking the horses and thus urged them for some The Canadian Gold distance till they were captured and the engine stopped.

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> A Surplus of Miners Here. J. T. Roberts, president of the Miners Union, and J. P. Hennessy, report that the city is overrun with miners at pres-A Running Sore Pronounced Incurable ent, and that there is no immediate prospect for the employment of these idle miners. Therefore, they wish to

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