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BARGAINS IN NURSERY STOCK

To clear up a block of land, fine, two-year old stuff. 100 Belle de Boston, 300 Salome, 400 Guno, 300 Penagosdo Nonesuch, 200 Mann, 400 Starck, 300 Yellow Bellow, 300 Princess, 400 York, 100 Ontario, 1008 Northern Spy, 400 York Imperial, 400 R. I. Greening, 200 Wolfe River, 300 St. Lawrence, 100 Huslop Crab, 100 Gen. Grant Crab, \$120 per 100, \$100 per 200, etc. etc. Nothing less than \$5 of one variety talked at these prices. First money taken them. Henry's Nurseries, 352 Westminster Road, Vancouver, B.C.

LAND NOTICES

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TAKE NOTICE that A. F. Dudgeon of Nelson, B.C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 1784, G. 1, West Kootenay, B.C., thence east 89 chains; thence north 46 chains; thence west 30 chains; thence south 46 chains to point of commencement, and containing 329 acres, more or less.

A. F. DUDGEON, P. J. Cameron, Agent. March 29, 1908.

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Take Notice that John Phillip Evans of Nelson, B.C., occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the East side of the Columbia river, south of McDonald creek, running East 40 chains; north 13 3/4 chains; west 40 chains; south 45 1/2 chains; west 29 chains; south 12 1/2 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 345 acres more or less.

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TAKE NOTICE that Jacob Weber of Campbell, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 25 chains south of the northeast corner of Section 11, township 7, thence north 7 1/2 chains, to south boundary of Indian Reserve, thence west 20 chains more or less to east bank of Kootenay river, thence following said bank of river to point of commencement, and containing 860 acres more or less.

JACOB WEBER, M. G. LAWLER, Agent. Dated March 29th, 1908.

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TAKE NOTICE that W. James Grove and Charles Thorndale, of Nelson, B.C., occupation bricklayers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of lot 333, south of 49-Creek, thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 49 acres more or less.

JAMES GROVE, CHARLES THORNDALE, W. A. JONES, Agent. April 20, 1908.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, Christina Glendenning of Nakusp, occupation widow, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 854, Group 1, Kootenay District, thence east along the south boundary of said lot 854, 80 chains, more or less, to the south east corner of said lot; thence westerly along the bank of the Columbia river, 90 chains, more or less to a point due south of the point of commencement; thence north 20 chains more or less to the point of commencement.

IS STILL ALIVE

Bella Guinness Not Burned at La Porte

POLICE ARREST A WOMAN

THOUGHT POSSIBLE TO BE MISSING MURDERER—ANOTHER BODY FOUND UPON THE FARM—DIGGING IS STILL TO BE CONTINUED.

LaPorte, May 8.—One more body was added to the death roll of the Bella Guinness farm today, making a total of ten corpses and skeletons exhumed in the yard, besides the four bodies found in the ruins of the farmhouse that burned on April 28.

Coroner Mack at first announced that the grave opened this morning contained one complete cadaver and several bones of a second skeleton, but this evening he said that what he had at first believed to be an additional thigh and arm bone, in reality belonged to the first body recovered today. The body unearthed today was by far the least preserved of any of the ten relics. In addition to the usual traces of the body, the body showed that a less skillful hand had dismembered it. The legs had been as usual severed above the knee joint, the bones were splintered. The shoulder blade was shattered in cleaving the head from the body. The head was lying near the pelvis. Nothing but a jumbled heap of decayed flesh and crumbling bones was left to indicate the identity of the person. It was thought, however, that the body was that of a woman, as a pair of women's Oxford shoes and the metal frame of a woman's purse were found in the grave. During the afternoon sheriff Smutzer abandoned the pit explored today and transferred his operations to a likely spot near the burned building, some distance removed from the burial ground thus far explored, but no results were obtained. Digging will continue tomorrow.

According to their old skilled detectives the authorities of Laporte county have re-dug their efforts in the task of unravelling the tangle of murder and arson in the Guinness case. With the worldwide publication given to Laporte during the last few days, queries as to the whereabouts of men who are said to have started from town from different points of the country have begun to pour in, but sheriff Smutzer declines to disclose their names. Two rumors are current, one that a man from Providence, who is said to have recently visited Mrs. Guinness, and a few days later she explained the possession of his horse and carriage after he had disappeared by the statement that she had traded with him and at the same time suspicion had been aroused as to the fate of several men formerly employed by Mrs. Guinness. These have been given expression by the several neighbors, who assert their belief that more of them met death at her hands.

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WINNIPEG BYLAWS

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The contract for the construction of the Fort Garry union station in Winnipeg will be definitely allotted within 10 days, said D. D. Mann, vice president of the Canadian Northern railway company. The various interests will meet probably

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THOSE WINNIPEG SCHOOLS

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FOUND GUILTY

George Walkem Convicted in Vancouver

JUDGE RESERVES A CASE

BAIL SET FOR \$200,000 BUT SO FAR HAS NOT BEEN OBTAINED—HINDUS APPLY TO BE DEPORTED—PROGRESS OF COAST ASSIZES.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, May 8.—After a trial lasting four days, George A. Walkem, a prominent business and society man of this city, was this morning declared guilty of counselling to procure an abortion and providing drugs for criminal purposes.

When Judge Caine directed that the prisoner stand up for sentence, Joseph Martin, K.C., asked for a reference of the case to the full court convening next month. The prosecutor, deputy attorney general McLean, opposed the motion, but the judge granted the application on stated grounds. Bail was \$200,000 and at four hour this afternoon was still in custody, not having been able to secure bondsmen.

Walkem, who was accompanied by his mother, heard the verdict with bowed head but showed no emotion. The head will be argued at the next sitting of the full court in Victoria in June.

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Two Hindus, who have had a hard time living in this country, have applied to the Dominion immigration department to be deported.

Hon. Mr. Aikman, president of the federal council of Australia, arrived on the Aorangi in an interview today he said there should be a better Canadian-Australian steamship service. The present line was only taking about half the available patronage from his end. He also complained about superficial red tape in connection with quarantine.

The assize jury is still considering the verdict on Brian Stewart of assaulting a Hindu. The Wing was found guilty of shooting police officer McLeod.

TO PROSPECT FOR GOLD

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC TO BE SEARCHED OVER A RICH FIELD

(Special to The Daily News) Quebec, May 8.—A number of prospectors are making arrangements to make a systematic search for gold in this province. Gold has been discovered in paying quantities in many parts of the province and it is expected that the Eastern Townships will prove a rich field for the exploitation for this precious metal. It is a matter of history that there was at one time considerable excitement over the discovery of large nuggets of gold on the Gilbert river, in the Chaudiere valley. Some of these nuggets weighed as much as 45 ounces each and for a time miners and prospectors flocked into the valley and prospected in a more or less haphazard kind of way, securing gold valued at over \$2,000,000 from that particular locality. So far, practically no gold-bearing quartz has been found in the province, most of the gold being in alluvial deposits. At Beauport river there are immense deposits of likely looking gravel which have never been prospected and there are similar beds of quartziferous gravel between the Rozen and the Riviere des Mules. Gold, in small quantities, has been found in all the rivers in the Eastern Townships, in fact, no province has been found in the province. It is supposed to have fallen in while suffering from dizziness.

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