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JAMES D. WIGHTMAN, 6-17-4w. Dated 18th April, 1908.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY. 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 854, 80 chains, more or less, of the Columbia river, 80 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.

CHRISTINA GLENDENNING. Dated 4th April, 1908.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY. TAKE NOTICE that I, C. E. Bennett, of Nelson, B. C., occupation, miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about 200 yards North of Sheep Creek, between Bear and Fawn Creeks, thence south 80 chains, thence West 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 32 acres more or less.

C. E. BENNETT. Dated May 15th, 1908.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY. TAKE NOTICE that I, Wm. Graham of Coleman, Alta., occupation, Miner, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles west of Garnet creek, and about two miles west of Garnet creek, and marked "Wm. Graham's N.E. corner," thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

W.M. GRAHAM, SIDNEY LEARY, Agent. Dated April 29th, 1908.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF WEST KOOTENAY. TAKE NOTICE that Neil L. McDermid of Lacombe, Alta., occupation, Druggist, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N.W. corner of Sec. 2, T. 6, R. Five Valley, thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 160 acres more or less.

NEIL L. McDERMID. Dated April 25, 1908.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Arthur Nicholas, of Burton, British Columbia, Merchant, has, by deed, assignment, made in pursuance of the "Creditors Trust Deeds Act," 1901, and amending Acts, dated the 30th day of April, A. D. 1908, assigned all his personal property, which was seized and sold under execution, and all his real estate, credits and effects, to Arthur Francis Rolph, of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, aforesaid accountant, for the general benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of creditors will be held at the offices of Kelly, Douglas & Company, Limited, at the City of Vancouver, on Thursday, the 17th day of May, A. D. 1908, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

And notice is hereby further given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate are required to file same with or send same to the assignee at Vancouver aforesaid, with full particulars of their claims duly verified, and the nature of their security, if any, by hand, by them, or before the 31st day of May, A. D. 1908.

All parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amounts forthwith to the assignee.

And notice is hereby further given that after the 31st day of May, A. D. 1908, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets among the creditors of whose debt or claim he shall then have had notice and will not be responsible for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any creditor of whose debt or claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Vancouver, B. C., this 6th day of May, A. D. 1908.

RUSSELL & RUSSELL, Solicitors for Assignee.

TENDERS WANTED FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MINERAL CLAIM.

TENDERS addressed to the undersigned at his office in the Court House in the City of Nelson, will be received up till the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, June 5th, 1908, for the purchase of the "SHELDON" Mineral Claim, Lot 79, Group 1, Kootenay District, which was declared forfeit to the Crown at the tax sale held in the City of Nelson, on the 6th day of November, 1907, for delinquent taxes up till June 30th, 1907, and costs.

The upset price upon the said mineral claim, which includes the amount of delinquent taxes and costs at the time of forfeiture, with interest, taxes which have since accrued, cost of advertising and fees for Crown Grants, (\$25.00), is \$125.00, which is the least amount that will be considered as a tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for the full amount of the tender, payable to the order of the Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, B.C., at par.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 7th day of May, 1908.

HARRY WRIGHT, Government Agent.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permits to build a cable operated logging road for the purpose of taking timber from Lot 812. Said road starting at a point on Kootenay River near the southwest corner of Section 12, Township No. 7, Kootenay District, thence in the Northwest, direction following an old road to the North line of Section 12 about 100 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 12, thence Northwesterly across Section 13 for about 150 feet to the West line of Section 13, about 800 feet North of the Southwest corner of Section 13.

This notice is given under Section No. 53 A of Chapter 104, "COLUMBIA LUMBER CO. THE YALE LUMBER CO. Limited." Nelson, B. C., May 26th, 1908.

VOL. 7

ELECTION BILL

Conservatives Taunting the Premier

PURITY AND AYLESWORTH

LOUD PRETENSIONS OUTSIDE OF HOUSE ON PLATFORM FADE AWAY WHEN SUGGESTIONS ARE MADE FOR LEGISLATION WHICH IS PRACTICAL.

(Special to The Daily News.) OTTAWA, July 3.—The government, acting on the report of Mackenzie King, in respect to the growing evils of the opium trade in Canada, will introduce a bill in the commons this session to prohibit the manufacture and importation of opium into Canada, except as required for medical purposes.

Canada is now considerably behind Great Britain and the United States in legislation along this line.

By special request of the prince of Wales, a special detachment of between 20 and 30 Royal Northwest Mounted Police, will be sent to Quebec during the celebration to take part in the military display and to act as a special guard to his royal highness.

During his visit to Canada eight years ago the prince was greatly impressed with what he described as the "finest police force in the world."

In the house this morning B. L. Brown enquired when the remaining legislation would be brought down.

"I am anxious to have the end of the session," he said, "but that cannot be till we have all the government's legislation brought down."

The premier explained the delay occasioned by the Manitoba boundaries bill and he would announce on Monday whether it would be brought down this session or not.

Notice has been given of amendments to the election act. Mr. Alcorn, who has made a special study of the subject, early in the session introduced a bill embodying many amendments to secure purity in elections.

His measure has been stalled by reason of government business which now makes it impossible to bring the provisions of his draft bill before parliament.

Mr. Alcorn gives notice of amendments to his bill which he introduced as long ago as March 18.

Notice has been given of Mr. McDonald's amendment, providing that polling day for the dominion shall be a general holiday.

Mr. Alcorn's amendments are of a drastic character. Among other provisions they prohibit the hiring of any class of conveyance for voters; impose penalties for manufacturing or importing a ballot box, with a device by which ballots may be diverted or manipulated; inflict heavy fines upon any federal or provincial officer who acts as canvasser, organizer or agent of any candidate, or is guilty of an offence under the election act; imposes heavy penalties on any person for publishing false statements on behalf of any candidate.

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and an actress from the Opera Comique, Madame Garrick, they embarking at Yokohama and debarking at Shanghai.

The Empress of India also brought an engineer of the Empress of Japan who became insane on the voyage out. He attempted to cut his throat before he was placed under guard.

The steamer Shawmut, which reached port with a cargo from Manila and way ports, brought 42 saloon passengers, mostly U. S. Army and civil officials from the Philippines.

Worse than supposed. SENSATIONAL REVELATIONS IN BANK INVESTIGATION. PRESIDENT ROY'S PORTION IS BEING SHOWN UP.

MONTREAL, July 3.—Sensational revelations have come to light in connection with the all-faded bank of St. Johns. It will be remembered that in the famous "blacklist" which was published as being reported to the finance department as good values, there was a large amount representing notes of C. S. Roy, the president's brother.

It is thought that the discovery has just been made that a great many of these notes were the president's and that the others bearing the name of C. S. Roy had been substituted. This makes Hon. Mr. Roy's position even worse than it was supposed.

There does not appear to be any hope that the project to revive the bank will succeed. Three gentlemen in St. Johns have made offer to the depositors of 15 cents on the dollar, but there is a tip from the inside that the process of liquidation, if continued, may give them 40 cents, so it is highly probable that an official receiver will soon be forthcoming, asking the depositors not to sacrifice their holdings.

Berry shipments good. REQUIREMENTS OF MARKET WELL UNDERSTOOD. ROY C. BROCK UPON THE SITUATION OF TODAY.

"It is the soft varieties that may cost us our record," said Roy C. Brock, the secretary of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association, who has spent his time for the last few weeks in instructing the new coming growers in the methods of shipping and packing his berries.

"The soft variety is often the best for the immediate table. It will often stand long a market, which is ever the great market for our berries in the Northwest. It is to that market we must ship our berries. It is for that market we must cultivate our fruit. And for that market a market which is ever growing, that the rancher of Kootenay lake must grow. I have found during the last week or so that many a rancher is cultivating from six to a dozen and a half varieties. And the most of them are soft. It is quite possible, though not necessarily so, that the soft varieties are the sweetest, and from one point of view the best.

But notwithstanding this, there is really only one point of view and that is that of selling the berry to the best advantage. And the point of best advantage is the Northwest territories. Soft berries cannot be shipped.

"So far the output has been good and there is every likelihood, from the records which I have so far been able to gather that the shipments this year will be, in point of numbers and price, the best that the West Arm has hitherto done."

WAS A DRAW. Canadian Cricketers at Philadelphia—Ahead on First Innings.

PHILADELPHIA, July 3.—The match between the Canadian cricket players, representing the Toronto Cricket club, and the Germantown Cricket club at Metchum ended today in a draw. The play was resumed today the Philadelphia had 67 runs to their credit for one wicket and they succeeded in running up the total to 233. Toronto in the second innings, made 93 runs for four wickets, when stumps were drawn for the day. They had scored 264 runs in the first inning. The Canadian players went to Atlantic City tonight to remain over Saturday and Sunday.

CRITICISING THE QUEEN. Some Pious People Object to Sunday Entertainments.

LONDON, July 3.—Queen Alexandra is coming in for criticism just now because she has accepted an invitation to be present at a lavish garden party to be given by Lady Paget on Sunday. King Edward will also give a similar entertainment of what is called "Sabbath desecration" by the extremely pious has led to a tempest in a teapot. Most of the here to-day, made 93 runs for four wickets, when stumps were drawn for the day. They had scored 264 runs in the first inning. The Canadian players went to Atlantic City tonight to remain over Saturday and Sunday.

TEMPERANCE CAMPAIGN. Toronto Aldermen to Tour Manitoba in Veto Movement.

WINNIPEG, July 3.—Ald. James A. Hales, B.A., Toronto, the national chief of the Royal Templars of Temperance in the city, to take part in a unique temperance campaign throughout the province of Manitoba. The object of the trip is to awaken interest in the veto movement and to promote the taking of a vote at the municipal elections in December in as many municipalities as possible. Meetings will be held at many points.

DISTINGUISHED ARRIVALS. Empress of India Brings French Party and Some Well Known Americans.

VICTORIA, July 3.—Arrivals by the steamer Empress of India, which reached here today, included a French yacht racing party composed of countess Beara, owner of the steam yacht Nirvana, vicomte de Condray, R. D. Norton and R. Lopez, who left the Nirvana at Kobe. The Nirvana, which is a twin-screw screw steam yacht of 950 tons, built six years ago at Glasgow for the countess de Beara, started from Marseilles and travelled by way of Mediterranean ports and the Suez canal to Oriental ports, and after her owner and guests left the vessel started back to Marseilles.

Onward bound the Empress of India carried another touring party, including John Hazen Hyde, former president of the Equitable Life Insurance company,

OPIMUM TRADE

Special Report by McKenzie King

EVIL IS NOW INCREASING

DRUG SAID TO BE SMUGGLED INTO CANADA FROM CHINA AND THE UNITED STATES—ORDER IN COUNCIL AFFECTING EFFECTS OF IMMIGRANTS.

OTTAWA, July 3.—Mackenzie King has presented a special report to the government on the need of suppressing the opium traffic in Canada. He gives the value of the annual product of the seven British Columbia factories at \$650,000. He thinks there is good reason for believing that much of the product is smuggled from China and the United States coast cities. The amount consumed in Canada is increasing. He urges parliament to adopt restrictive legislation.

An order in council was passed today bringing the principal Canadian cities, including Winnipeg, Vancouver and Victoria, under the classes of the immigration act of 1905, requiring every hotel or boarding house keeper receiving immigrants, within three months after their arrival, to keep conspicuously posted in his house a list of the prices charged immigrants and restricting any claim upon immigrants' effects to \$5.

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FATAL CIGARETTE

Small Boys Carrying Five Pounds of Powder and Smoking—Natural Result.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Walter White, aged 14, Eugene Heym, 14, and Harry Gill, 16, all of Port Richmond, S. I., were three explosions in quick succession carrying a boy containing five pounds of gunpowder last night when a spark from a cigarette which one of the boys was smoking burned a hole in the bag and ignited the powder. There were three explosions in quick succession and the boys were enveloped in flames. It is believed that the Heym and Gill boys will die. White may recover.

NO RACE

Cambridge Will Not Row With Harvard This Season for Good Reason.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., July 3.—It has been definitely decided that the Harvard varsity crew, which defeated Yale, will not go to England during the present summer. The receipt of a cablegram yesterday by the chairman of the graduate rowing committee at Harvard from R. C. Lehmann, the English rowing coach, ended all hopes of a trip to England by the Crimson crew. Mr. Lehmann in his cablegram said: "Cambridge, having to row in Olympic regatta, is regretfully compelled to decline further races this season."

BIG HOUSE

Sale of Seats for Gans-Nelson Fight—Two to One on Gans.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 3.—The sale of seats for the Gans-Nelson fight continues and present indications a big gate is a certainty. All the cheaper seats have been disposed of and the sale of the higher priced chairs is proceeding briskly. There is ample Gans money in sight but the Nelson end is considerably short. The odds of 2 to 1 on Gans still prevail and in some instances bets are being made that Gans will win inside of 20 rounds, for which even money is the ruling figure.

ONE DAY AHEAD

Anticipating the Fourth of July—Six Instantly Killed.

CLEVELAND, July 3.—Five girls and a five-year-old boy are dead, while possibly a score of others were more or less seriously injured as a result of an explosion of fireworks in the S. K. Reese's 5 and 10 cent store on Ontario street today. A panic among the hundreds of clerks and customers followed the explosion. It was not known until nearly two hours after the fire was out, when the firemen began searching the building, that any lives were lost. The fire started when one of the clerks was demonstrating one of the pieces of fireworks, a spark from which ignited the others.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

CANADIAN OUTLOOK IS SLOWLY IMPROVING

BUT ALL BANK CLEARINGS SHOW A DECREASE

MONTREAL, July 3.—Bradstreet's trade statement tomorrow will say: Owing to excellent crop prospects Canadian trade is improving. Current business is of a re-order character, but the demand for raw fabrics, particularly dry goods, is expanding.

Business failures for the week ending July 3 number 16, which compares with 41 last week and 18 this week a year ago.

Bradstreet's weekly bank clearings are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: City, Amount. Montreal: \$23,602,000; Toronto: 15,822,000; Winnipeg: 8,037,000; Vancouver: 2,944,000; Ottawa: 2,348,000; Quebec: 1,625,000; Hamilton: 1,084,000; Calgary: 923,000; St. John, N. B.: 845,000; London, Ont.: 845,000; Victoia: 845,000; Edmonton: 564,000.

CABINET WILL RESIGN

FUTURE FINANCIAL POLICY OF THE JAPANESE WITH THE PEOPLE

TOKIO, July 3.—It is expected that the cabinet will resign tomorrow morning. The Associated Press was informed today that the premier, marquis Saloni, decided to resign for retirement, and that at his request the members of his cabinet agreed to resign also. The resignations will be tendered to the emperor in the morning.

The nominal reason for marquis Saloni's resignation is ill-health. The cabinet are strict members of the Selyuka or constitutional party and it was there necessary that they resign with him.

ALBERTA PEOPLE PURCHASING IN THE BOUNDARY

CUSTOMS RETURNS AND OTHER NEWS ITEMS

GRAND FORKS, July 3.—The customs returns for June as reported by R. R. Gilpin, collector of customs for this district were as follows: Grand Forks, \$3168.61; Phoenix, \$1141.66; Cascade, \$46.95; Carson, \$56.22, making a total of \$4373.44 for the month.

Cherries grown in the Kettle River valley were on sale in the stores of the city yesterday. The cherries this season are of a fine grade being large and juicy and are plentiful.

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Ernest Lane, head electrician of the Granby company, accompanied by a party of friends, took in the celebration at Greenwood, going in his automobile by way of Curlew and Midway.

W. J. Brown, who owns the Davy ranch, a few miles east of the city had a party of people in here from Alberta this week looking over the valley. Sixty acres of this valuable land were sold to Nelson, B. C., by the late Mr. Brown, 40 acres more for two of his friends in the prairie province. One of the parties who purchased will immediately take possession, the others waiting until after the harvest.

FOR THE PRESIDENT

C. A. Thorne of New York Says He is in the Field to Stay.

DENVER, July 3.—Fresh from his visit yesterday to William J. Bryan, at his home in Lincoln, Neb., Charles A. Thorne, of New York, candidate for vice president on the democratic ticket, arrived here today and at once placed himself in touch with leaders of his party now here.

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BANDITS OR PATRIOTS

Mexican Revolutionists. AUSTIN, Texas, July 3.—Thomas Sarabia, publisher of La Bateria Libertad, a semi-official journal of the local branch of the Mexican revolutionary Junta, which has suspended publication because none of the printers in the city have cared to run the risk of violating the neutrality laws of Mexico, sought an interview with governor Campbell yesterday to protest against the Mexican revolutionists being regarded as bandits. He insists that they are patriotic fighting for rights and liberty granted under the constitution and declared they will honor an American soil. Mr. Sarabia stated that the revolutionary army consists of 200 infantry and 600 cavalry equipped.

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"I believe," said W. F. Teetzel yesterday to a Daily News reporter, "that the biggest boom in fruit lands that has yet been seen will result on the sale of the government lands between Sirdar and Kootenay. I do not think that there are any fruit lands elsewhere in the province that can compare with those of Creston. I am looking after the government lands in a place which will hereafter be regarded as the crown land of the Kootenays, yet for all that, I say that the lands which are at the disposal of the government and which are now under survey and which will be auctioned off about the middle of September, are so good that they will be the beginning of a boom which will end with Creston and its environs being regarded as the typical orchard of these districts."

There are not selling a parcel of land which is under water at any time of the year. All the land is good. There is not a block which is more than a mile distant from a railroad. Some of the best of the land is the biggest block, 1000 acres, is at Creston itself. There is some across the lake which may fetch lower prices but which, for all that, may eventually prove to be the choicest land of the lot.

DEATH IS CAUSED BY RUNAWAY TIMBER TRAIN

(Special to The Daily News.) MICHEL, July 3.—James Ferguson, a machinist, was instantly killed this morning while engaged filling steam pipes on the slope in No. 5 mine. Several cars loaded with mine timbers broke loose from the haulage, scattering timbers right and left on their wild run down the incline, and Ferguson, who was working on the slope, was struck on the neck by one of the timbers and instantly killed. The body was taken to the morgue. The deceased, who was a native of Scotland, aged 29 years, came here from Moyle about three months ago. He was married two years ago and his wife, who resides here, survives him.

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