

BOOTH'S BOOKS WERE FALSIFIED

Startling Developments in Big Chicago Failure Are Announced

BANKERS MAKE CHARGES

Loans Obtained Through Falsified Statement of Their Liabilities

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BATHS PREFERABLE TO LENDING LIBRARIES

So Says New York City Superintendent of Schools

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Survey Line Through Rockies

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.—The Canadian Pacific has at present two large survey parties locating a railway line through the Rockies.

Natural Gas Explodes

Brant, Ont., Sept. 12.—An explosion of gas in the cellar under Hartwood's section of the Canadian Pacific, wrecked the place together with several adjoining buildings.

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Half Million Fine

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DANISH CABINET HAS RESIGNED

Compromised By Attitude of Premier Towards ex-Minister of Justice

PUBLIC LOUD IN OUTCRY

Executive Practically Dismissed by the King—Borrowed Money for Alberta

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BY MR. ASQUITH'S WISHES

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Chicago, Sept. 12.—Four women and a man, employees of the Wash Adding Machine company, were probably fatally injured today by an explosion of illuminating gas in a well safe in the plant of the company at 405 Ohio street. The explosion occurred when the safe was opened and an attempt made to light the gas. The third and fourth floors of the building were wrecked and for a time it was believed that a number of other employees were slightly injured. The explosion was caused by a gas leak from a well safe in the plant of the company at 405 Ohio street. The explosion occurred when the safe was opened and an attempt made to light the gas. The third and fourth floors of the building were wrecked and for a time it was believed that a number of other employees were slightly injured.

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Famous Racing Craft is Purchased by a Local Syndicate

HER NOTABLE RECORD

Fastest of Her Class in Light Airs on the North Pacific

The notable Seattle racing yacht Spirit, built by Ted Geary to compete for the Dunsmuir cup, which it won and lost a few months ago to the five-toned Alexandria, has been purchased by a local syndicate...

Another yacht recently added to the local fleet is the cruising yawl Truant, built by W. E. Buck for Frank Adams...

PRICE OF LUMBER WILL BE ADVANCED

Sawmill Operators Meet to Discuss the Proposed Increase

Vancouver, Sept. 11.—The price of lumber will advance within the next ten days, according to the statements made today by sawmill operators...

Adding by the discussion which took place at the meeting, it is expected that the advance will be \$2 per thousand feet on the present price, which is on the basis of \$9 per thousand feet at the mills...

LACK OF SAFEGUARDS

Employment of Non-Unionists Brought Heavy Toll of Life

New York, Sept. 11.—Fifty-five men have been killed in building the new Blackwell's Island bridge over the East river, according to the report of a committee of the Central Federated Union appointed to ascertain the fatalities in that work...

Long Voyage in Skiff

Port Townsend, Sept. 11.—A sea voyage of nearly 300 miles in an open twenty-four-foot Columbia skiff, during which the rudder was lost and the skiff was capsized, was the experience of James Milligan, a resident of Astoria, who reached this port today from Astoria, bound for Seattle...

To be ignorant of one's ignorance is the malady of ignorance.—Sprits

SPEEDY HORSES TO RACE IN VICTORIA

Fine Gathering of Trotters and Runners Promised for Exhibition Week

The races, which will be held in connection with the Provincial exhibition, promise to bring to this city the biggest and best class of horses that have ever straggled in British Columbia...

Not a day passes but some owner in Seattle or in the interior of British Columbia asks for stall room, and from the present outlook, it will not be surprising if there are over one hundred racers stabled at the track when the races commence...

For the B. C. bred colt race, for three-year-olds it is expected that J. H. Hollingshead, the owner of E. C. E. will have an entry, which will be represented, as the cup was won by a colt owned by them...

Runners in Majority The runners, however, will be in the majority and the best horses that have been at Seattle this summer will be represented...

Gratifying Word A communication received by a well known horseman in the city yesterday, from the Seattle jockey...

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CHILLIWACK BECOMES WET

License to Sell Liquor is Granted—Temperance Organizations Will Go to Law

New Westminster, Sept. 11.—The burning question whether the new city of Chilliwack should be a "dry" town was settled, so far as the license commissioners are concerned, at a meeting yesterday afternoon when the license commissioners are concerned...

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LIVES LOST IN HURRICANE

Turks Island, in West Indies, Visited By a Fierce Gale

SEVERAL VESSELS LOST

Extent of Damage is Not Yet Known—Fears for Life of Commissioner

Grand Turk, Turks Island, B.W.I., Sept. 11.—Hurricane of great fury swept over Turk's Island last night and this morning, and at daybreak the town of Grand Turk was devastated...

The hurricane reached here at nine o'clock last night, the wind blowing from the north-east, and at four o'clock this morning the wind had reached a velocity of nearly 100 miles an hour...

TO DEPORT HINDUS FROM VANCOUVER

Next Express to Carry Twelve Who Are Being Sent Back to Hongkong

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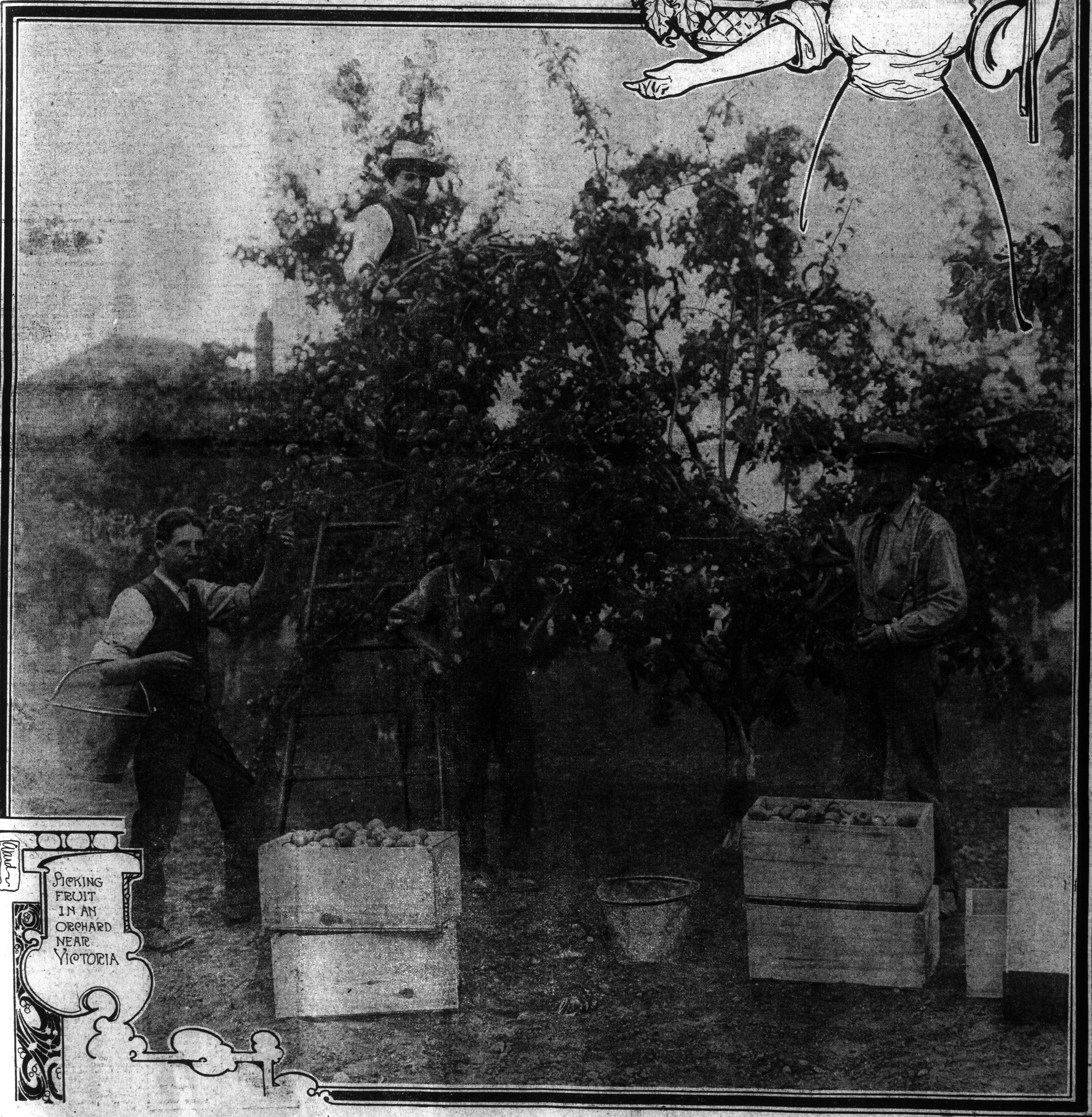
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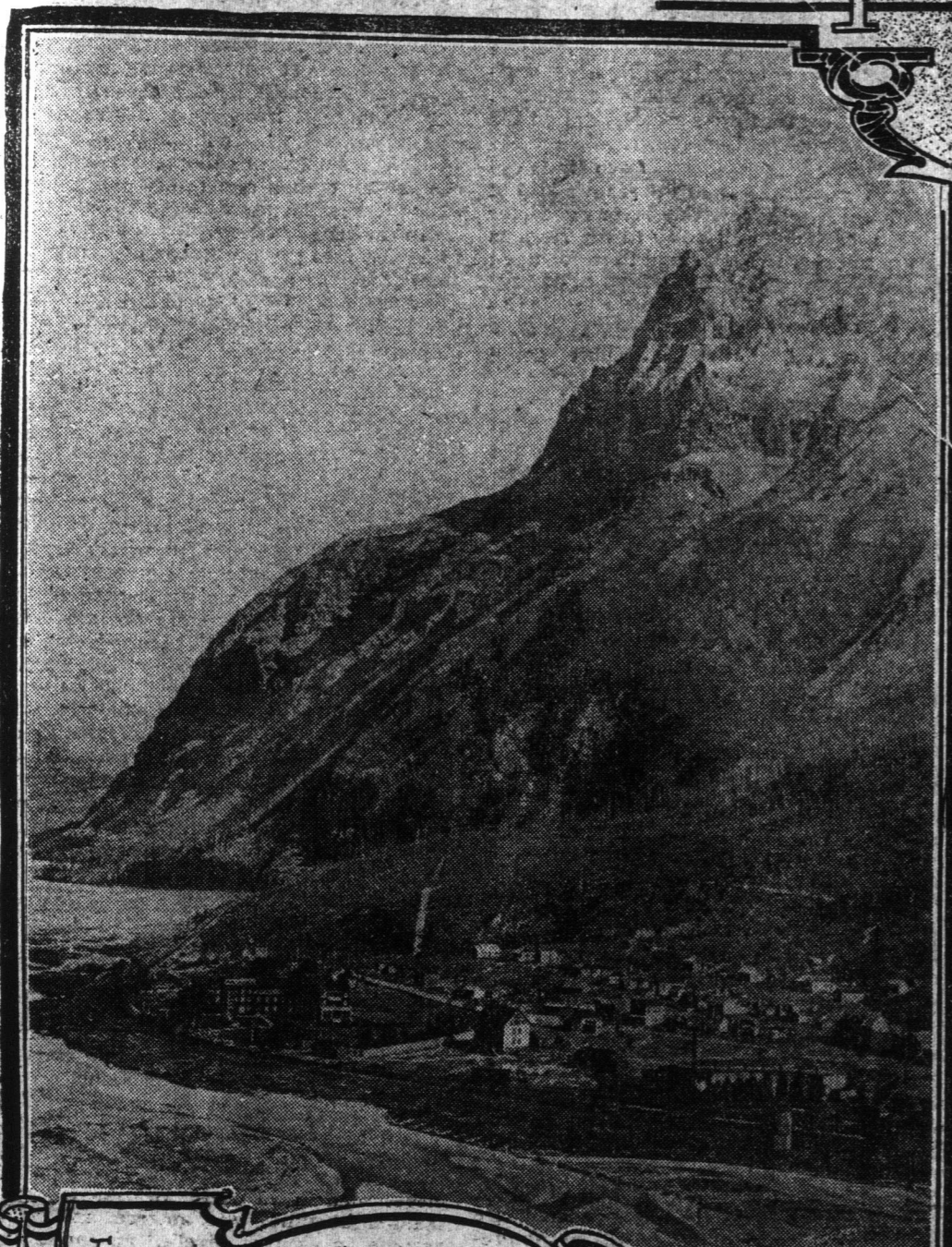
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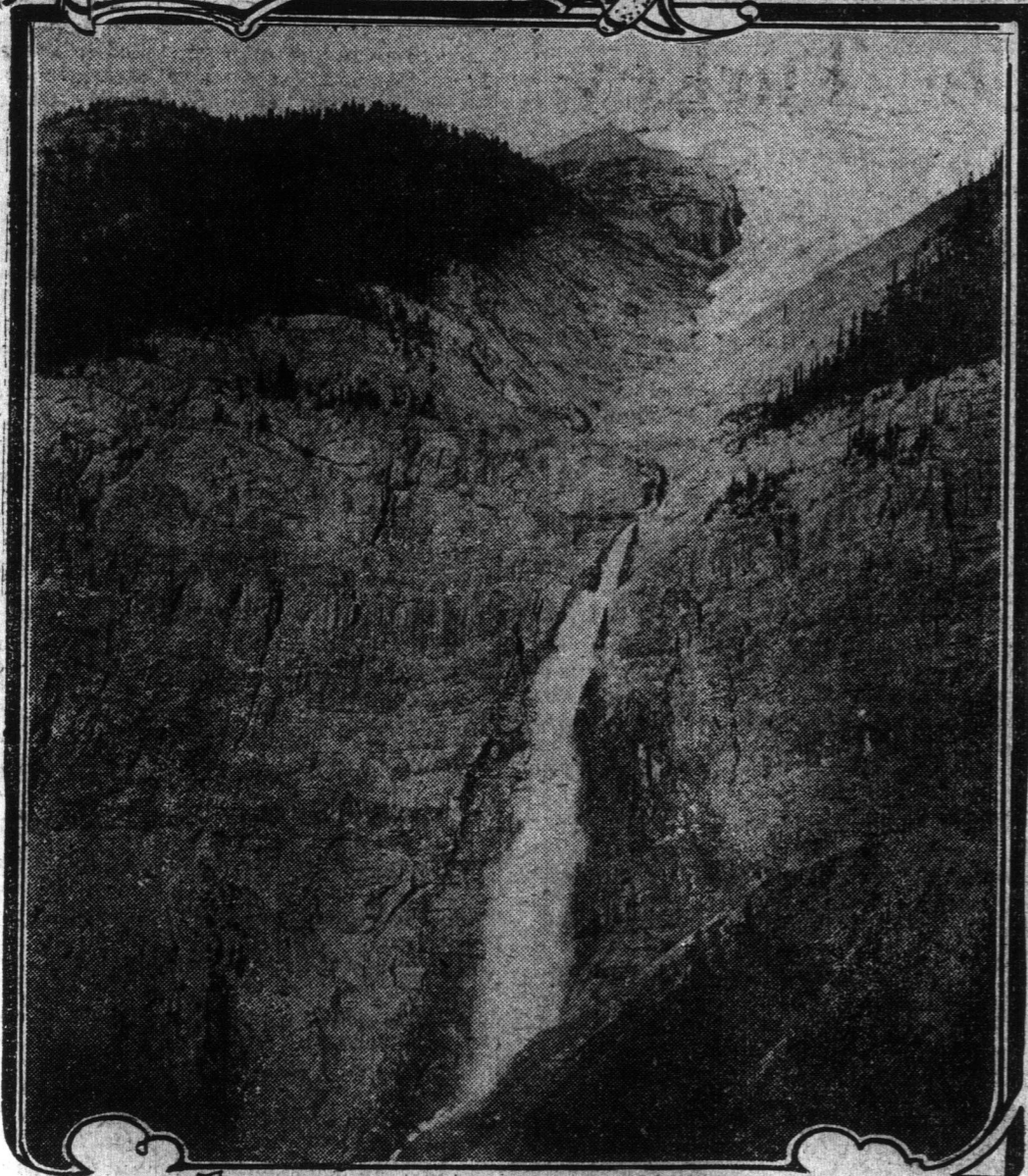
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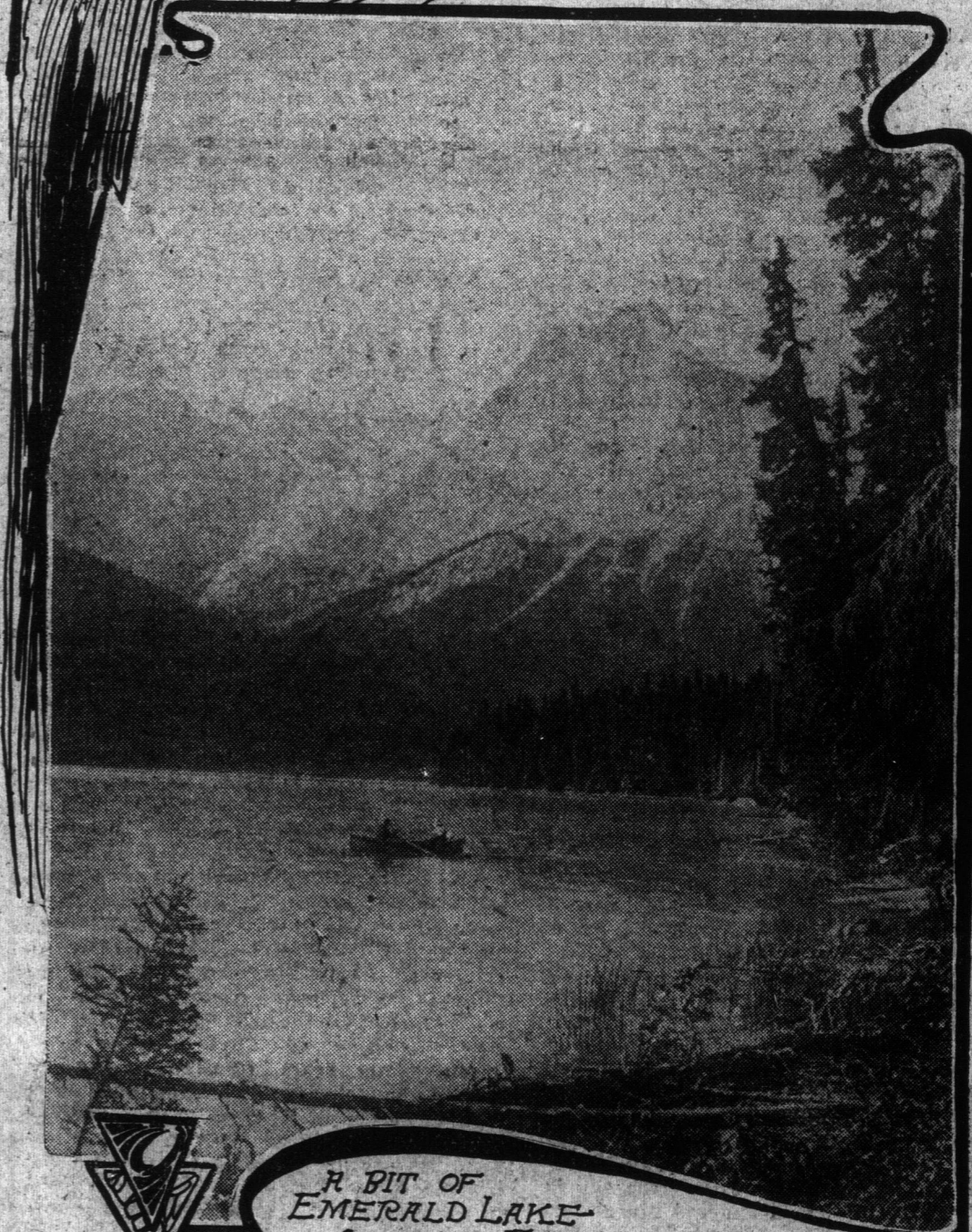
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gan station, while the aforesaid train, due at 9 o'clock, did not arrive till about twenty minutes before 11 p. m. And so it happened that we found ourselves coming down the famous Pass in blissful ignorance of our surroundings. By this time we had reached the stage of fatigue, termed by some people "nervous exhaustion," when we felt that we could not sit still and desired earnestly that the train would stop and let us out to walk! The long railway car was, as is usual, well lighted and the many windows showed nothing but "Cimmerian darkness." Some enterprising individual got one open. Grasping the situation, and a window at the same time, we followed suit, and crossing to the opposite side of the carriage, repeated the experiment—no light task, considering the weight of the windows—and, Lo! fatigue and fidgets had alike vanished, and we found ourselves absorbed in watching the headlong race which the train was running with the mighty Kicking Horse river, which, silvered now by the moonbeams, was rushing impetuously through the narrow gorge, the rocks of which were within a hand breadth of our seat. Later the train crossed the stream and, having it on our right and far beneath us, we were next gazing at numerous electric lamps, apparently extending half-way up a mountain, at which at first sight we took to be the small town or village of Field, but later discovered to belong to the camp of the great silver and lead mine on the side of Mt. Stephen, some two thousand five hundred feet above its base.

On the train rushed, and at last pulled up at the station of Field at the mysterious hour of midnight.

As at most chief stopping places through the Rocky and Selkirk ranges, the C. P. R. has at Field one of their luxurious hotels, and in this instance directly on the station platform. The next day's sunlight revealed to us some of the scenic beauties of this wonderful mountain valley. To the immediate left of the hotel towers Mt. Stephen, a mass of rock ten thousand feet above sea level and six thousand five hundred feet above the valley. To the right Mt. Dennis rears its lofty head, and opposite, on the other side of the river, Mt. Burgess commands the situation. On Mt. Stephen are some celebrated fossil beds, and though we had no ambition to climb to the summit, we did determine to visit them. They occupy an area of one hundred and fifty square yards and lie some two thousand five hundred feet up the righthand slope of the mountain. One of the guidebooks describes the way as "Along an easy bridle path." We feel constrained to observe that we did not find it such, and though tolerably venturesome on most occasions, at last hearkened to the voice of Prudence, which urged us to "go no further." However, we had succeeded in securing a couple of small specimens, as much as we cared to carry, and felt fairly content. To attempt an ascent of the whole of Mt. Stephen without the assistance of a guide, would be, in our opinion, sheer madness, and this we think may, with but few exceptions, safely be said of the entire Rocky and Selkirk region. But there are many delightful excursions around the prosperous little village of Field which may safely be taken by the most unadventurous tourist, and first amongst these we would class "The Natural Bridge." A two and a half or three mile walk down the Kicking Horse river discovers this, one of nature's charming wonders. Long ago the bed of the river extended up to the rocks which now bridge it, and its waters poured over in a headlong fall, but the stone was soft and gradually became eaten away until a hole was formed in the very rock; that accomplished, nothing could stop the flood which daily wore a channel or tunnel for itself, and now "the rocks which once faced a waterfall, remain to bridge a rapid." It is said the end is not yet, and that some day the river will be the conqueror and the rocks forming the "Bridge" will be dashed down and lie as simple boulders in the bed of the stream.

The great excursion at Field, however, is to the far-famed Yoho valley. Halfway to it and seven miles from the village is the beautiful Emerald lake, at which the C. P. R. have another of their charming hotels, in this instance designated by the name of chalet. The so-called chalet has been twice enlarged, which speaks well for its need and popularity. Here, as at Field, Swiss guides can be engaged. The seven miles distance from the village is accomplished over a delightful road through a great spruce forest, and from the chalet the tourist starts round one side of the lake for the tip to the Yoho, either by pony or on foot. Passing great glaciers on the way, he at last comes to a point from which he has a glimpse of Summit lake, one thousand eight hundred feet above that of Em-



A BIT OF EMERALD LAKE SHOWING EMERALD PEAK

erald, then a short walk brings him to "Look-out Point," where a grand view of Takakkow falls, the highest cataract in America, is obtained; this fall eventually reaches the valley and forms the Kicking Horse river. It is said to compare with anything in the far-famed Yosemite, and is eight times as high as Niagara! Other falls, including the so-called "Twin," are to be seen in this wonderful Yoho. It is at present a long excursion, sometimes accomplished by camping out, though it is possible to make the journey from the chalet in one day. Fortunately all this will soon be changed, as there is a carriage road from Field to the Yoho at present under construction, seven miles of which is now open for traffic; and, when completed, this wonderful region will be accessible to every ordinary sight-seer.

This rambling sketch has already exceeded the limits which the "Casual Tourist's" notes should occupy, but perhaps too much has not been said of the many attractions offered to the globe trotter in the vicinity of Field.—S.A.G.

HIGHEST RESTAURANT

What is probably the highest restaurant in the world has been opened at the Eismeer station of the Jungfrau railway in Switzerland. It is situated 10,000 feet above sea-level, close to the summit of the mountain. The food is not cooked by means of ordinary fuel, but by electricity generated by the Lutschine waterfall, deep down in the valley below. The cooking is done on the principle of the so-called "Papinian digester," as, owing to the rarefaction of the air at that great altitude, water boils much more quickly and would evaporate before cooking the food. With an expenditure of thirty kilowatts of electrical energy it is possible to prepare a five-course dinner for a party of 100 persons in a very short time. The guests are accommodated in a large hall hewn out of the solid rock and heated by electricity. The view from the huge window comprises mountain scenery which for grandeur has perhaps no equal in the world.



WHO, that knows anything of the far-famed Rockies, has not heard of Kicking Horse river? And yet, here were we who had long wished to visit it, coming directly through it, as fast as the train could carry us, without so much as even seeing it! Seems strange, but "pity 'tis, 'tis true." However, as in most instances in this life, so on this occasion, there were extenuating circumstances to be pleaded. It was not from any lack of desire on our part to view its wonders, but simply the result of inexorable fate! In fact, we had passed the previous night in the forest, which experience had not been originally on our programme. We had arrived the following morn-

ing at our headquarters, but one hour before the advertised starting time of the train we had meant to take to Field, and were in poor condition for the journey. So, perforce, as there was no midday train, we waited for the evening one, due to arrive at 9 o'clock. We do not wish to find fault unnecessarily with the C. P. R.'s management. On the contrary, we think that an organization which can have between eight and ten thousand men out on strike, and yet continue to run the allotted number of trains, at some time or other, in the twenty-four hours, is deserving of all praise. But, in our peculiar case, it was, to say the least, trying, to endeavor to emulate Patience sitting on a monument, otherwise a bench in the waiting room of Lag-

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