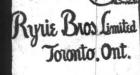
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REE ROYAL GROWN SOAP

OSEVELT'S

GGESTIONS MADE ON THE FLOOR OF CONGRESS.

Y BE MADE MANAGER OF PAN-AMA CANAL.

Washington, Feb. 5.-Clark, of Miswashington, rep. 5.—ciars, of mis-peri, in the course of a speech in the-use while the river and harbor bill is under consideration, referred to esident Roosevelt's possible future in following words:

'Many suggestions have been made in public press as to the career of pres-nt Roosevelt after nis term expires. has been suggested that he be elected the senate of the United States. I n not the adviser of the people of New ork, but if they are to continue in the ppy habit of sending republicans to The subsequent proceedings ould be decidedly interesting.

"Only two ex-presidents have returned congress, John Quincy Adams served years in this house, dying with the rness on his back, as no doubt he ould have decided to do had he been usulted about his exit from this world. is a truth of history to say that his ne rests upon his service in this house ther than upon his long public serice in other positions, extending from ne time when, at 14 years of age, he secretary of legation, to the day when he quit the White House in high judgeon, refusing to accompany his vicrious opponent, and sent Jackson to e White House.

"Another suggestion is that Roosevelt shall be made president of Harvard uniersity, certainly a tempting position a man of scholarly tastes.

"Another suggestion is that colonel oosevelt be made perpetual presient of The Hague tribunal. ould discharge his duties of that high lace goes without saying.

"Still another suggestion is that he be nade manager of the Panama canalmost splendid suggestion of all. An sthmian canal has been the dream gen since John Balboa first looked with azement and delight upon the peace-The man who achieves the nonor of accomplishing that vast work will never be forgotten. Why Wallace il ocean. Shonts or any man who had any ance to connect his name with that ndertaking would relinquish it for any nancial consideration whatsoever, like peace of God, passes all understand-

London, Feb. 8-The Times this morning ounces the sensational discovery eodore Davis at Thebes or Luxuro of the mb and mummy of the famous Egyptian

RAISULI DESERTED Tangier, Feb. 8—The insurgent chief ellal, in whose fortress Raisuli sought. refuge, came in today and tendered his

POWER WAS TURNED ON

High Voltage Current Delivered at the Granby

Test of New Sub-Station Proves Satisfactory in Every Par-

ecial to The Daily News) Grand Forks, Feb. 22—L. A. Campbell, eneral manager of the West Kootenay Power and Light Co., has been spending two days in town in connection with the final testing of the high voltage delivery to the sub-station at the Granby smel One of the 8000 h.p. units is now in operation at the Bonnington Falls works, and directly the supply of coke to the Boundary smelters is sufficient for all needs the other unit will be turn-

Asked as to conditions at Bonnington Mr. Campbell said: "We are putting the finishing touches on the new plant. There has been some delay with machinery, but within three or four weeks the whole thing will be complete and meanwhile everything has been working smoothly and satisfactorily." Mr. Campbell was asked whether there

was anything in the rumor that his company had bought out the Cascade Power Co., and laughingly replied that there

Co., and laughingly replied that there was "no truth in it."

The power from Bonnington comes in over two circuits with three-phase transmission, delta connected throughout. Up to today the Granby has been getting the power through a temporary sub-station of its own. The thoroughly equipped and fine structure of the West Kootenay Power Co. is now finished. E. E. Gibson has looked after the work of installing the machinery, and A. G. Wiesland stalling the machinery, and A. G. Wieland has been representing the Canadian General Electric Co. which has supplied all the machinery with the exception of the transformers, which are the West-inghouse, oil type and water-cooled. The switchboard, of the latest type motor control, is of blue Vermont marble, and, with a length of 11 feet 6 inches and a height of seven lect, is probably the smallest one 1 8 .10 . We for the amount frower entry the transformer com wark of the high tension wires is conver al orth a multi-plex static discharger, or lightning ar-This is one of the larger is it fra tures of an expensive plant where a violent electric storm of aid soon put the whole works out of business. As it is, directly anything above the normal voltage comes over the are it is directed automatically to the distance, and whizzes down to mother earth. A room inwhich 60,000 volts are "stepped" down to 440 is no place for a careless man. Spotlessly clean, with everything arranged for simplicity and efficiency, this pleasant chamber could easily become a chamber of horrors for a man who wantto play the fool. Under ordinary

conditions employees are not supposed

to get nearer than 18 inches to a 60,000

volt wire, but even at this distance when abnormal conditions made a high static

discharge, a man has been known to have been knocked senseless. All the

high tension switches in this room are

operated with long hooks, instead of by

Up till today, the maximum voltage ight over the line from Bonnington 20,000. Yesterday, however at noon 40,000 volts were turned int Granby sub-station and kept there on tap, so to speak, until the right moment came for turning power into the smelter. Your correspondent was present at p.m. when, in the presence of manager L. A. Campbell and chief electrician Lane of the Granby, Mr. Wieland place ed his hand on the diminutive controll ing switch which threw on the whole power and tested the electrical machinry as it had never been tested previous A faint buzzing was the only sound that resulted. Nothing to tell the man that anything had happened, but the experts round the switch board look pleased, and, in spite of the fact that nough "volts" were flying round to kill the whole crowd, one had the satisfied feeling that Nature's fierce force were under control and that things generally were working as "smooth as grease." The turning of that one small switch marks an important epoch in the nistory of the Boundary, and is a mute prophecy of the immense developr of the great mineral resources of the With infinite care and much money a steady and ample power suppl

is now an assured fact, and that fact is SMALLPOX SCARE

(Special to The Daily News) hel, Feb. 22-Informati ceived last Sunday evening from Cranbrook to the effect that a young mar here for some time, but who lives in Cranbrook, had developed a bad case of smallpox. He went home Saturday night to visit his family. Dr. McSorley, the local health officer, at once quarantined the

cases have so far developed and it is con-fidently hoped that there will be no more cases. With the crowded condition of

MORMONISM IN ALBERTA

GLOBE AND KILPATRICK

GOVERNMENT NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DOCTRINES OF CHURCH

Ottawa, Feb. 22.—Referring to Rev. Dr. Kilpatrick's reply to recent statements on the Mormon settlement question in Canada, Frank Oliver said:
"Yes, I have seen the letter of Kilpatrick and the editorial of the Globe

dealing with my remarks on the ques-tion raised by Drs. Kilpatrick and Somerville, as to the government's res-Somerville, as to the government's responsibility for the presence of the Mormon colony in Alberta. The question of polygamy was not raised by Drs. Klipatrick and Somerville in their remarks to which I took exception and therefore I did not allude to it. In their recent letter and editorial Dr. Klipatrick and the Globe base their arguments upon the objectionable character of this doctrine: objectionable character of this doctrine: I have no desire to continue the discussion but I think it is well that there how far the government's responsibili

"I expressed the view that the gov-ernment had all to do with the citizenship of the Mormons and nothing to do with their religion. From this view both Dr. Kilpatrick and the Globe strongly and emphatically dissented, that is to say, they hold the government accountable for the religious views of the members of the Mormon church and for their expression of these views. If the at-titude of Dr. Kilpatrick and the Globe titude of Dr. Rilpatrick and the Globe is correct, it certainly adds very greatly and, so far as I am concerned very un-expectedly, to the duties and respon-sibilities of government. Holding the views they do and having, as it seems to me, expressed these views with quite unnecessary vehemence, it is up to Dr. Kilpatrick and the Globe to tell the pub-Rilpatrick and the Globe to the government has either to exclude Mormons from the country because of their views on polygamy or to prevent persons who have gamy or to prevent persons who have become residents of the country from holding or voicing that or other doc-trines of the Mormon church."

LOOK FOR NEW SURPRISE

IN RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION OF MRS. EVELYN THAW.

WHEN STANFORD WHITE'S LET-TERS ARE GONE INTO.

New York, Feb. 22.—The principals in the Thaw trial spent the day resting, everyone of them apparently appreciating the respite from the somewhat harrowing scenes which have marked this week's proceedings.

By the time the trial is resumed next Monday morning Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will probably have entirely recovered her composure and will prob-ably be prepared again to take her place in the witness chair. Yesterday, it was said, that she was on the verge of illness, and that a cup of broth had been her only sustenance for two days. She was so weak as the result of her day's experience that she retired immediately upor reaching her apartments and did not arise until late today.

The only reason why she left her bed Ordinarily visitors are not allowed in the big gray building on holidays, an exception was made today with re-

eard to her and to Thaw's counsel It was well on in the afternoon Mrs. Thaw arrived at the prison. She was accompanied by Daniel O'Reilly, one of her husband's lawyers, and was shown at once into the consultation room. There have been reports in some of the early editions of the papers to-day that Thaw was himself in a bad hysical condition but when he appear eeling exceptionally well and was en joying his usual vigorous health. Thaw rushed into the room and clasped his wife in his arms, saying: "My dear,

time and then Mr. O'Reilly was called

Mrs. Thaw was pale and worn today but when approached by newspaper me smiled and tried to appear cheerful. In answer to questions she said she was feeling pretty well."

District attorney Jerome has gone to Connecticut to spend the holiday recess with his family. Nearly all of Thaw's remained at their The district attorney will keep Mrs Thaw on the stand at least a day and

ing cross-examination twice that long.

It will depend on how Mrs Thow feel at the end of this period as to whe or not Thaw's counsel will proceed with the re-direct examination of her. Mr. Delmas has been making copious note during Mr. Jerome's questioning of the incidents that have been disclosed. With ed and with the re-direct and re-cros examination still to come there seems no way of approximating the number of days in the witness chair Mrs. Thaw has quarters by the crew. The caboose was before her. If she is much fatigued at later taken to the lower and of the coke. the time of Mr. Jerome's first cross-ex-

the defendant's counsel forced the district atterney to proceed with the cross-examination against his will, it is very likely he will insist in return that he will finish with the witness before she is

excused from the stand.

Mrs. Thaw on direct examination identified 42 letters as being in the handidentified 42 letters as being in the hand-writing of Stanford White. The letters were not written to her but to another young woman. Mr. Delmas is evidently holding these letters for introduction as evidence during the re-direct examina-tion, and seemingly he hopes to have them admitted to offset something Mr. Jerome was expected to bring out on cross-examination. No intimation has been given as to what the letters conbeen given as to what the letters contain or to whom they were written. They may constitute a new surprise yet to be injected into a case which has already been prolific of astounding incidents.

is being signed by the women of Victoria asking that the dominion government be requested to remove the head tax of \$500 on Chinese, as domestic servants are scarce is British Columbia since the Chinese have been kept out

the Chinese have been kept out by the imposition of the head tax.

MADE A GOOD SHOWING

INTERNATIONAL COAL AND COKE COMPANY

SATISFACTORY STATEMENT AT AN NUAL MEETING

aging director of the International Coal and Coke company, Coeman, passed through the city last night on his way home after attending the annual meeting of shareholders in Spokane. A. C. Flum-erfelt of Victoria, president of the comand the statement presented to the share-lolders was an eminently satisfactory one. A dividend of \$28,000 was paid on Feb. cany has been in active operation just

the company's coke ovens, producing 31,-066 tons of coke, the balance being dis-

The company's payroll for the year was The company suffered for want of cars to carry away their output, an incident me, and which cut down their profits The directors elected were: H. N. Galer, Coleman; W. G. Graves and D. Schultz, Spokane; C. S. Houghton, Boston, and D. M. Rogers, Victoria. The officers elected are A. C. Flumerfelt, president; H. N.

THE FREIGHT BLOCKADE

FFICER OF RAILWAY COMMISSION INVESTIGATING

FOUND SERIOUS CONDITION OF AF FAIRS AT ROSTHERN

Rosthern, Sask., Feb. 22-Assistant man ager Drury of the Railwey Commission, was here yesterday securing information regarding the freight tie up. He found hat since Dec. 12 last, about 20 cars of ere brought to Rosthern.

Since the Canadian Northern took over the line only ten cars of wheat have been taken out. The elevators, ho ding a quar-ter of a million bushels of grain, are all illed and 40 per cent of the crop is still inmarketed. Mr. Drury met the business nen during the afternoon and was given list of the delayed goods in transit since Dec. 15, and the list included a large umber of cars. Coal off and sugar are entirely out. Groceries and many lines of dry goods are very low. Spring goods and goods such as farm implements, hard ware, harness, which should now be here are somewhere on the road. Unless these oods arrive the farmers will be hard hi The loss to business men already totals the same of dollars. A strongly worded resolution was presented to Mr. Drury, asking that the Railway Commission take and rush in goods. Mr. Drury said in al terview that 140 cars are at present in mised to do what he could for Ros

BAD FIRE IN QUEBEC. Quebec, Feb. 22-One of the worst fires in Quebec's history gutted the Daily Tel-egraph office today and the entire block in which is is situated. William Lee, ailor, and the Quebec News company ost everything. The printers escaped heir shirt sleeves, lucky to get out alive

ASPHYXIATED

Yonkers, Feb. 22-James F. McKay and that when they retired for the night one of them accidentally knocked the tube from the gas stove.

Brave Dutch Lifeboatmen Finally Succeed in Removing Survivors

Passengors Who Had Clung to Wrecked Mail Steamer Berlin Throughout Long Night Finally Removed to Safety

Hook of Holland, Feb. 22.-(5 p.m.)is now known that 11 persons were day and that two women remain on the after part of the vessel.

The prince consort after his first visit to the wrecked steamer, when he saw that there were still some survivors on

board, declared:
"We won't return to The Hague be-

some how."

A rumor that this determination had been fulfilled reached the waiting crowds this afternoon and a pilot confirmed the glad tidings. There was then

a wild rush of the people to the various points of vantage overlooking the harpoints of vantage overlooking the narbor.

It was well that a special force of police and soldiers had been brought into the Hook for duty, because the excited crowd at one time threatened to become unmanageable. Long hours of waiting followed and the thousands of people began to doubt the truth of the report that ten persons had been saved, but finally the steam pilot boat heralded her approach with piercing shrieks of triumph with the siren. By this time the harbor was black with people and the roofs of all the houses and sheds were crowded. While along the roadway skirting the sea there raced hundreds of people keeping pace with the rescue boat. In the meantime every preparation was being made in the harbor to take care of the rescue. Six preparation was being made in the har-bor to take care of the rescued. Six motor cars, including that belonging to the prince consort, were drawn up in readiness to convey the survivors to the American hotel, where a staff of medi-cal men especially summoned, was walt-ing. The small life boat was the first to reach the harbor and captain Jenson re-ceived round after round of ringing ceived round after round of ringing were still aboard the wreck. He explained that the rescue had been effected by both boats working together. First the small boat managed with infinite dif-

breakwater and by that means the survivors were dragged through the water to the pilot boat, which stood a little way off. Captain Jensen had hardly told his story when the steam pilot boat, the Helveetsluis, with the rescued on board, hove in sight. As she was board, nove in sight. As she was moored the ringing caeers of the crowd were succeeded by a painful hush as the first of the survivors was borne ashore on a stretcher by six stalwart Dutchmen, and slowly carried up the steps to one of the waiting motors. The man was swathed in blankets and made

last night appeared impossible, has been achieved and the heroic and unflinching efforts of the Dutch lifeboat men have succeeded in rescuing 11 more survivors of the 11-fated steamer Berlin. The lifeboat men triumphed after more than 30 hours of hard and dangerous work. Buffered and driven back time work. Buffeted and driven back time after time, they refused to relax their attempts to save the handful of shipwrecked persons, and finally after sever-al of these attempts this afternoon, aid-ed by the receding time and an improvement in the weather their arduous fight was crowned with victory. Although several of the persons rescued were in the last stages of exhaustion, they are now on the road to recovery. Some of them have even been able to tell the women and a child are still on the wreck, but it is feared that they are dying. Nothing daunted, however, the gallant Dutchmen, are preparing to make further desperate efforts to rescue thes

Hook of Holland, Feb. 22.-Efforts to rescue the handful of survivors who have clung to the remains of the wrecked steamer Berin for 24 hours were conined throughout the night but proved futile. Furious seas and a heavy storm raged all night long, making it imposwith the wreck. The cold will be so in tense during the night that it was thought that those who were still alive last night must have been frozen to death, but daylight revealed the fact that six or eight persons had survived the tart that six or eight persons had survived the fact that six or eight persons had survived the strength of the six or eight persons had survived the strength of the six o the terrible experience. Weather conditions permitting, renewed attempts will be made today to rescue the few living persons still clinging to the wreck.

Hook of Hollond, Feb. 22.—(4 p. m)—After 30 hours almost inefficient efforts the Dutch lifeboatmen have succeeded in rescuing the 10 survivors on the after-part of the Berlin Buffetted and driven back time after time, the sturdy Dutch-men refused to relax their attempts to

sons, and throughout yesterday, last night and this morning they launched their boats repeatedly, only to be foiled by the mountainous seas. In the early afternoon the lifeboat again went out. The receding tide and some improvement in the weather gave better hope of success, and after a hard tussle with the seas, the few persons still living were safely taken off at 3.30 p.m.

TO ATTEND CONFERENCE.

Ottawa, Feb. 22.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and sir F. W. Borden take passage by the Empress of Britain, which sails from St. John on April 5, to attend the colonial conference. Fielding, Brodeur and Paterson go by the same steamer if the session is

RAILWAY MEN WORRIED

PUZZLED OVER PROBABLE EF-FECTS OF LORD'S DAY ACT.

IENCE WILL BE OCCASIONED

the Dominion Lord's Day Act, which ast session of the federal house, win have on the railroads of the west, is now a matter of much conjecture among loa matter of much conjecture among focal railwaymen. This act goes into effect on March 1, one week from today,
and the higher officials of the various
railroads are now giving a good deal of
time to the consideration of the intricacles of this most important piece of
legislation. The act devotes considerable attention to railroads, particularly
as regards working hours of trainmen
and other employees and to adhere to
it will doubtless need considerable preparation as well as an increase in the
number of employees. As regards running rights of trains, certain restrictions
are also laid down which may at first
cause a good deal of inconvenience, especially when a heavy traffic movement
prevails. With a view to deciding what
action is to be taken by the Canadian
Pacific railway in regard to the act coming into force, William Whyte, second
vice president, and G. J. Bury, general
superintendent, will hold a conference
within the next day or two.

FOR NEW APPI E ORCHARD

LOCAL SYNDICATE SECURES ACRES OF CHOICE LAND

DEA BEING TO SHIP TO NORTHWEST AND ENGLAND

(Special to The Daily News) en concluded this week by which 100 of the city. Mr. Burrel held an optio capital was without difficulty quickly sub escribed to form an orchard company.

Arrangements are being made to plant out
the whole block, chiefly in winter varienan was swathed in blankers and sign of life.

Thanks largely to the courage and determination of prince Henry of Netherlands, the prince consort, that which last night appeared impossible, has been load lots will be greatly simplified therebased and the heroic and unflinching by. The past few years has afforded ample proof that the Kettle valley is one of the large section of British Courage. umbia and it is likely that a very large acreage will be devoted to orchard wor

RAILROAD BUILDER KILLED

Foreman of G. T. P. Construction Buried Under Tons of Dirt Fort William, Feb. 22-Samuel in this part of Ontario, was killed yester-day by a landslide at Toga lake, 70 miles west of here. Brune was engaged in railvards of dirt parted from the main body aped. Brune was buried under tons tened to his assistance. Brune was dead when released. The body was brought here today. Deceased was a resident of this section for 20 years. He prospected extensively in new Ontario.

N. W. MOUNTED POLICE

stabulary Force Presented

Ottawa, Feb. 22-The annual report ment today. The strength of the force is 56 officers, 549 non-commissioned officers and cons tables and 80 guides, interpreters, scouts and special constables, making a total of 684 men and 576 horses. The total strength of all ranks is 129 less and horses less than last year. The force is divided as follows: Spakatchewan, 270; Alberta, 277; Northwest territories, 30; Yu-Riberta, 271: Northwest territories, 30; Ithe total strength in Alberta and Saskatchewan is 407, only three under the number agreed upon. There were 24 of the force dismissed for bad conduct. Drunkenness was the cause in nearly all cases. There were men who purchased their discharge f the purpose of bettering themselves.

CHEAP HOUSE PROBLEM COMPANY IN TORONTO TO SOLVE

IT QUICKLY.

ONLY REQUISITE IS QUARTER OF MILLION DOLLARS.

of the Canadian Manufacturers' association yesterday took up the workingman's house proposition in a practical shape. A statement was presented, worked out on an actual basis, and if the required capital can be secured building will commence at once. The proposed company is to be capitalized at a million dollars and if 25 per cent of this amount be obtained, the officers of the association say that the cheap-house problem will be solved immediately. A large amount of the required capital has already been secured. Arrangements are being made to have the best financial institutions in the country underwrite the debentures of the eompany when a quarter of a million is obtained.

Calgary, Feb. 22-The body of a man tal number was 22. He was granted an honorable discharge at Cape Town on Feb. 19, 1901, the reason for his disclarge at that place being that he wished to remain and enter into business there. From the condition of the body when found deceased would seem to have been there for months. The eyes were completely! gone and the face was a little decomposed, but the remainder of the body was frozen stiff and in good condition.

(Special to The Daily News)
Vancouver, Feb. 22.—Backed by favorable committee action, a plan will be presented to the city council on Monday involving a radical change in the local civic government. It is proposed to ask the legislature for an amendment to the city charter, giving the council power, after securing the assent of the electorate, to transfer municipal administrative powers to a board of three con-trollers. Officers to be elected annually at a salary of \$2500. The council is div-

SLOCAN NEWS NOTES

returned to S'ooan this week.

Alex, Rogers and family are back in Slocan after spending the winter with relatives at the coast.

R. I. Kirkwood is in Boston

s said to be putting through a deal on his mining property on 10-Mile. W. H. Brandon of Silverton, who with Mrs. Brandon, spent the winter at his old home in Guelph, Ont., is back in the Slo-can. Mrs. Brandon is visiting in Winnipeg where Mr. Brandon will rejoin her in a

verton, has gone to the coast. Hugh Buckley of Silverton, is in Mon-

Hall Isham and family of Rosebery, have

Winnipeg, Feb. 22-At the sittings of th

urt of appeals yesterday the argu

SPORTY NEW ZEALANDERS Wellington, N.Z., Feb. 22-The committee

penses of a team to play a series of matches with Stanford university in San-HYMAN NOMINATED

London, Ont., Feb. 22.—Hon. C. S. Hyman was unanimously nominated by the liberal convention last night,

FIRM, JUICY AND TENDER Clark's Ox Tongues are just as sweet to serve. Order Clark's from your dealer

Kingston, Feb. 22 James Stewart, a leading liberal, has been appointed post-master, succeeding the late Alex. Gunn.

RAILWAY TO **HUDSON BAY**

Laurier Says Government **Anxious to Secure Early** Construction

May Bring Down Legislation This Session to Ensure Road Being Built Without Further Delay

(Special to The Daily News) Ottawa, Feb. 22.—Laurier, Cartwright,

a deputation from the technical education committee of the Canadian Manufacturers' association. It asked that a liberal grant be made by the dominion for work on this line to keep the country abreast of other parts of the world. It was pointed out that great good was done in Germany by adopting this plan. The premier said some thought had already been given to the matter and the request would receive careful consideration. The experience of other countries certainly showed distinct advantages in the government fostering technical education.

technical education.

In the house this afternoon Knowles, West Assiniboia, offered a resolution favoring construction of a railway to Hudson Bay. He declared that the present and contemplated facilities were inadequate to the needs of the west.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the position was not a new one, but that it had become more acute because of the recent conditions which had prevailed in the new provinces, where the railways had dominion as Mr. E sie sid stated. He was aware from personal inquiry that congestion existed in the east and therefore a portion of it must exist in the west when population had been increasing to a greater ratio. He believed that the existing companies were making great and noble efforts to meet the constantly increasing requirements of the new provinces, but there was one thing needed beyond increase of rolling stock, and that was an outlet to the sea which he believed was to be found on Hudson bay. If there were any feeling in the east in favor of discrimination against the west, and he did not believe it existed, he would combat it with all his energy, for what was doing good to the west must be good for the east and vice

ponder over and it is that it is to the interest of the eastern provinces to have another outlet to the north and west of us. Up to the present time Canada has been confined to the valley of the St. Lawrence and it was supposed that Can-ada consisted of a narrow strip along the American frontier. We are glad to know now that north of the Laurentian mountains there is a valley which would be a credit to any country and a source yond doubt that the new railway, which was ordered by this parliament some three years ago, the National Transcontinental railway, will open north of the mountains a most valuable section of country, in which there will be agriculture, lumbering and mineral produc-tion as well. If in addition to this we have another outlet for the trade of the country on the shores of the Hudson bay, it will not injure us. It cannot incountry will grow so much and so fast that whatever may be lost in one way, will be more than made up in another will be more than made up in another way. The idea, as I have said, is not a new one, and for the last 20 or 25 years there has been upon the statute book a chapter devoted to the construction of a Hudson bay railway and at this moment there is on the statute book a provision that the country is prepared to give in aid of construction of such a railway a subsidy of 2000 acres of land per mile, along the line of railway. Up to this moment, no company and no one has been ready and willing to take up that subsidy, which however, is a very large one. Therefore if the subsidy aid which has been offered has not that the time has come when we should make a new effort and provide some other means of building it. I agree altogether with what has been said by the member for North Toronto, that the time has come for the construction of time has come for the construction of this railway and I may say to the mem-bers of the house, especially from the northwest, who are interested in this, that at this very moment the subject is engaging the attention of the govern-ment. I am not prepared to say that next week, or the week after, or within a very short time we will have an an-nouncement to make to the house, but nouncement to make to the house, but I hope before the end of the session we

will have something to declare upon this

Carnefac Stock Food IS THE BEST

LAND NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following ground covered by pre-emption No. 31, which I have cancelled, and which may be more particularly described as follows: 40 chains: thence south 80

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after described aird, situate in the post planted at the northeast corner of lot 5283, marked "J.M.'s N.W. corner," thence east 60 chains; thence south 40 chains, thence west 60 chains; thence north 40 chains, to place of beginning, containing 340 acres

JAMES MALONE Dated, Dec. 17th, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in Kootenay District, B.C.: Commencing at a post marked "J. Cameron's S.W. corner," said post being on the west side of Upper Arrow lake, opposite Nakusp and at the N.E. corner of Lot 7310, running west 16 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 7 chains; thence following the lake shore in

Dated this 1st day of January, 1907. J. CAMERON.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase about 160 acres of land, situated in the West Kootenay dis-trict, and described as follows: Coming at a post marked "W. L. Coog chains to the place of beginning.

Waneta, B.C. 12th Nov., 1806.

11-17 W. L. COOGAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon.
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
for permission to purchase the following
described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of E. C. Taylor's application to purchase, situate about one mile south of Fosthall creek and marked, chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north

DOROTHY TOYE J. E. TAYLOR, Agent.

after date I intend to apply to the Hon Chief commissioner of Lands and Works, at a post marked "T. W. Savany's N.E. 40 chains, more or less east to shore of a post planted at the northeast corner of bay: thence along shore of bay to point mencement, the whole containing

T. W. SAVANY. J. R. EDMONDSON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hen Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the main Fosthall creek, and at the southeast corner of W. F. Tay lor's application to purchase and marked Emma Wright's Northeast corner, thence running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west: thence 80 chains north; thence 8 EMMA WRIGHT.

J. E. TAYLOR, Agent.

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works planted at the northeast corner of W. A. Calder's application to purchase, in town-ship 69, West Kootenay district, and mark-ed "D. A. Mc.'s S.E. corner," thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to place of commencement and containing 620 acres, more or less.
D. A. McCULLOCH.

Dated November, 23, 1906. W. A. CALDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works nay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of lot 4268, Lower Arrow lake, and marked "H.A.M. northeast corner post," thence 20 chains and Western railway boundary; thence 40 chains west, along the C.P.R. right of chains east along the Columbia and Western railway boundary to the place of com-

mencement, and containing 80 acres, more of con or less.

Dated at Westley, B.C., this 22nd day HENRY A. MATTHEW

after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "H. F. Anderson's N.W. chains south; thence 40 chains, more or

J. R. EDMONDSON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district, British Columbia: Commencing at the southeast corner of C. Marshall's presoutheast corner of C. Marshall's proemmtion claim, thence east 40 chains, following the northerly boundary of
W. R. Robertson's purchase claim,
thence north 40 chains; thence, west
40 chains; thence south 40 chains, following the east boundary of C. Marshall's

NOTICE is nereby given that 60 da pre-emption to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres more or less.

LILY M. BURNET.

T. G. BROOKS, Agent,

date I intend to apply to the Hon, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of W. A. Calder's pre-emption in Township 69, West Kootenay district, and marked "J. McL.'s S.W. corner," thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to place of commencement, containing east half section 34, and west half section 35, being 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Dec. 5, 1906.
JAMES McLAUCHLAN.

ibed lands situa West Koote nay district; Commer of the section 21, township 69, and mark.

sorner," thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence morth 80 chains to the place of commercement, containing 600 acres more cement, containing 640 acres, more

PETER W. GORDON. W. A. CALDER, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after nay district: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of section 22, township 69, and marked "W.A.C.'s S.E. north 80 chains: thence east 80 chains nencement and containing 640 acres, more

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon-the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Fire Valley, section 21 and marked "D.W.J. N.E. corner," and running 40 chains south thence 40 chains; west thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains east to place of

Nov. 18th, 1906.

D. W. JOHNSTON
11-24

L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

11-24 NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains place of com-mencement, and containing the west half of section 33 and the east half of section

22 , being 620 acres, more or less.
Dated November, 23, 1906.
W. A. CALDER. NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after for permission to purchase the following

nay district: Commencing at a post planttownship, 69, and marked "I E MoN " N.E. corner," thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains: thence north 40 chains to the plac

more or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906. JAMES E. McNAUGHTO. W. A. CALDER, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B.Ç., for permission to purin West Kootenay district: Commencips at a post marked by name "Gerald Rees N.E corner post," at the north west corner of the purchase claim staked April 20th, 1906 by D. A. Boyd and F. J. Sammons, thence

Nelson, B.C., Dec. 15, 1906. GERALD S. REES.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days arter date I intend to apply to the Hon-the Chief Com.nissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the fol-lowing described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "Howard Pepin's N.E. corner." 1 1-3 miles west of Material Yard on the ence 80 chains east following the C. and HOWARD PEPIN

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days Chief commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "John D. Atchison's N.E. corner," planted near K. and B. block \$23, at foot of North bay of Howser n chains more or less along shore of bay

FRANK FLETCHER, Agent. NUTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "J.H.M. S.E. corner," and 33, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to place of commencement.

J. H. MORRISON L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner-of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south and 20 chains east of the southeast corner of lot 229, Group 1, Kootenay district, and marked "G.D."s west; thence 60 chains north to place of ent, and containing 360 acres

nore or less.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 24th day of GODFREY DANGERFIELD.
G. B. MATTHEW, Agent..

nay district, British Columbia: Comme ing at a post planted about four mi outheast of Burton City townsite and at the southeast corner of W. R. Robertson's purchase claim, thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 0 chains; thence east 80 chains to the

SAMUEL WALKER, Agent. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains west of the southeast corner of Section 22, Township 69, and marked "E.F.'s N.E. corner," thence west 30 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence as 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; there as 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; there as 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; there as 90 chains; there are south 40 chains; there Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works

acres, more or less. ELIZABETH FERGUSON. W. A. CALDER, Agent. Dated, Jan. 14, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 86 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district, British Columbia; Commencing at a post planted about four miles ing at a post planted about four miles southeast of Burton City townsite and at the southeast corner of W. R. Robertson's purchase claim, thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to the place

JOHN ERNEST MATHIESON Dated this 28th day of November, 1906. NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days nission to purchase the following describ

District: Commencing at a post about a lot 2542, thence south 40 chains; thence es 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; then vest 20 chains, to point of commencemen Nelson, Feb. 8, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Koote-nay district: Commencing at a post plant-ed at the southeast corner of section 25, township 69, and marked "D.A.McC."s S.E. corner," thence north 80 chains thence west 80 chains; thence south 8

nore or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906. D. A. McCULLOCH. W. A. CALDER, Agent

chains; thence east 80 chains to the place

described land, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted 20 chains north of J. S. Morrison's southeast corner, on his east line, thence east 20 chains; thence south 50 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 50 chains to point

Nakusp, B.C., Dec. 11th, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Fire Valley,

A. MORRISON
L. C. MORRISON, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 20 chains west of the southeast corpar of Lot 229 grown I Kootenay district. chains; thence weat 60 chains; thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement, and containing 480 acres more or less. Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 34th day of THOMAS GOUGH.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after

GEORGE FERGUSON W. A. CALDER, Agent

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootecorner of section 22, township 69, and marked "E.F.'s N.E. corner," thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence 80 chains; thence north 40 chains to the place of commencement and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated this 23rd day November, 1906.

ELIZABETH FERGUSON W. A. CALDER, Agent

date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay disdescribed lands in West Kootenay dis-trict: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of section 34, township 69, and marked "G.K.'s S.W. 40 chains west to place of commencement, being the west half of section 34, township 69, and containing 320 acres, more or less. DAVID G. KURTZ.

W. A. CALDER, Agent. Dated Jan. 14th, 1907.

TIMBER NOTICES

the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the for

thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Located Feb. 6, 1907. JAMES KELLEY, Locator. No. 2—Commencing at a post south of and adjoining location No. 1, and marked "James J. Kelley's N.W. corner post of location No. 2," thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains thence north 160 chains: thence west 40 chains to point of

JAMES KELLEY, Locator. No. 3—Commencing at a post planted 160 chains south of location post No. 2, and marked "W. W. Laurie's N. W. corner post of location No. 3," thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence

Located Feb. 6, 1907.

18-2 W. W. LAURIE, Locator NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry Commencing at a post marked "Bowman Lumber Co.'s S.W. corner post." planted at the northwest corner of lot 789, about ones half mile north of Kootenay lake, thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence as 80 chains; thence acuth 130 chains; thence acuth 130 chains; thence 80 chains; thence south 120 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.
THE BOWMAN LUMBER CO.
Dated Jan. 4, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following de-scribed lands situate in the valley of Big Sheep creek, commencing 3 1-2 miles north of the International Boundary line and of the International Boundary line and about three-uaqrters of a mile west of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard railway company's land grant in the District of West Kootenay:

1. Commencing at a post planted at the southwast company at a post planted at the

ner post of J. R. Oranston's location."

thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

2. Commencing at a post planted one mile north of J. R. Cranston's location No. I and marked the "southeast corner poet of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

3. Commencing at a post planted 1 1-2 miles north of the northeast corner of A. D. Christie's pre-emption and marked the

of Nov. A.D., 1906. IL THOMAS W. LEASK. W. F. GURD, Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Comencing at a post marked "W. H Kreyscher timber claim," about 4 1-2 miles up the trail from the mouth of 6-Mile creek, thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains to commencement point. hains to commencement point.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay; Commencing at a post marked "Geo. A. Hunt N.E. corner," situ-

Black Prince Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located; On

Queen Victoria mountain, near Beasley TAKE NOTICE that I, Frank C. Green, acting as agent for Aaron H. Kelly, Free Miners Certificate No. B449, and Thomas Brown, F.M.C. No. B868, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

provements.

Dated this 26th day of January, A.D., F. C. GREEN, Nelson, B.C.

P.L.S. of Trail, B.C., agent for G. A. M. Young, Free Miner's Certificate No. B906, intend, sixty days from the date hereot, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Cer-tificates of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above

der section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of improvements.

Dated this 19th day of December ,A.D., 1906.

J. D. ANDERSON.

Rio Tente, Queen Victoria Fraction and Orinoco Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located :On Queen Victoria mountain, near Beasley Siding.

TAKE NOTICE that I. Frank C. Green, agging as agent for Michael Even Fractions.

Nellie N. Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Koote-nay district. Where located: About four miles north of Erie, N.E. of the Aring-PAKE NOTICE that I, J. D. Anderson,

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. D. Anderson, P.L.S., of Trail, B.C., agent for Andrew Sostad, Free Miner's Certificate No. B&J, intend, 60 days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above cleans. And further take notice that action up

OF INTEREST TO MINERS

CLAY

Continuing the article published in our last week's issue which was upon clays in general, with brick clay given as the first instance of important clays, particulars are given in this article upon China clay and fire clay.

China Clay—The whole of the Chinaclay used in England and the most of that used on the continent of Europe, amounting in the aggregate to between three and four million tons yearly, is produced in Cornwall and the western part of Devonshire; whilst the greater portion of that used in America is mined in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Indiana chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

8. Commencing at a post planted on the north line of J. R. Cranston's location No. 5 and marked the "southeast corner post of J. R. Cranston's location," thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement. south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement.

Ja. R. CRANSTON, Locator.

Jan. 30, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted 20 chains west of the northeast corner of the Kaslo and Slocan railway company's Lot No. 812, at the east boundary of W. H. Whimster's South African War Scrip purchase, thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 120 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence for the bottom of the box or sump, whence it is continuing low and occasionally swampy ground. China clay or kaolin (which is the more correct way of terming this substance) is generally proved by boring or sinking small shafts. When the position of a bed or deposit is determined the overlying soil is removed and the cley is uncovered. It is a very hard and toilsome work to excavate this clay; the strongest steel pointed shovels being required in a washing machine in which revolves a horizontal shaft some three or four inches in diameter carrying knives 12 inches long with a pitch of about four inches. The clay is charged at the top or hopper entrance, and a stream of water turned upon it. It is aivided as it passes through the machine, and the clay is charged at the box or sump, whence it is continuation. west 139 chains; these statis of the box or sump, whence it is contin-more or less.

Daed at Cranbrook, B.C., this 20th day with the water into a consistency of a with the water into a consistency of a cream, when it runs off into a number of troughs, when further impurities settle to the bettom; from here it is run into large vats where it remains until it becomes quite thick. After this it is pumped into filter presses each consisting of wooden panels, each containing a finnel bag. The water escaping through the fiannel the clay is obtained, of such a consistency that it can be handled, and placed upon shelves in the open air to dry.

and placed upon shelves in the open air to dry.

Kaolin improves by exposure to the atmosphere. If piled and allowed to freeze and thaw in winter, it is found to be tougher for it in the spring. From the crude clay there is obtained 40 to 50 per cent of kaolin; whilst the quartz and sand obtained from washing it, is pulverized and sold to the potters who use it together with felspar as a glaze.

The best English China clays assay from 46 to 50 per cent silica; 32 to 38 per cent alumina; nil to 2 per cent iron oxide; and about one or two per cent of the alkalies, whilst the best Americon China clays carry considerably more silica and less alumina, whilst the iron and alkalies are very similar.

marked "Geo. A. Hunt N.E. corner," situated on the west side of J. T. Burgess' imber claim on Russell creek, thence south 100 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 100 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 100 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence of commencement.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1908.

Dated th to the great assistance it to the great assistance it the metallurgical works. Fire clays are required to stand very high temperared to stand very high temperared and with objectionable

ures, therefore a clay with objectionable mpurities will be found useless for this more than five per cent iron oxide, nor more than three per cent of magnesia, lime, soda and potash combined. One of the most renowned fire clays contains 97 per cent silica, 1.39 per cent silica, less than half of one per cent iron oxide and little or no lime and the alkalise. less than half of one per cent from oxide and little or no lime and the alkalies. Fireclays are usually found in the neighborhood of coal measures, where they often form beds upon which the coal lays; and are frequently mined together with the coal. They are the purest of clays known, often consisting virtually of silica. It is not an uncommon occurence that this class of clay is found in solid formation in a condition so hard ence that this class of clay is found in solid formation in a condition so hard that it requires dynamite to blast it. In these cases it is necessary to expose the "rock" to the action of the air, when after some few weeks it can be easily broken with a sledge hammer, and treated in the ordinary way. Fire clay is almost infusible before the blowpipe, owing to absence of fluxing substances. The value of this class of clay, however, does not depend entirely upon the absence of fluxing substances, but rather upon how much of the silica exists in a free state and how much is united with the alumina. The most important point to be considered in fire clays is that, if the fluxing agents (iron oxide, magnesia, lime and the alkalies) exceed 6 per cent. ilme and the alkalies) exceed 6 per cent, it cannot be called or classed as a refractory clay, therefore it cannot be a good fire clay. There are several methods for obtaining the fusibility of clays, but as these branch off into advanced chamighty thay are beyond the several of chemistry they are beyond the scope of

Rio Tente, Queen Victoria Fraction and Orinoco Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located :On Queen Victoria mountain, near Beasley Siding.

TAKE NOTICE that I. Frank C. Green, acting as agent for Michael Egan, Free Miner's certificate ... O. Gill, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvement, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

wall rocks, but it would seem that No.

1 is somewhat connected with it, probably a break off from it, with parts of it weathered out. The quarts in Nos. 2 and 3 is entirely different. No. 2 may be due to a gash vein as it seems to disappear with depth. It may, however, be found again by further exploring; in fact there is every chance of the four No. 2 stringers coming together with fact there is every chance of the four No. 2 stringers coming together with depth. Should, however, all disappear you can safely put it down as a "gash" only. Your Nos. 2 and 3 samples will be kept 14 days to see if you require them assayed. In case you do the fee will be \$3.00.

piece of very fine grained steel galena, with a small quantity of zinc blende at-tached. It is by no means a rare min-

FAMOUS CANADIAN DEAD

PHYSICIAN OF WORLD-WIDE REPU-TATION.

Montreal, Feb. 19 .- Sir William Hingston, one of Canada's best known physicians and philanthropists, died suddenly this morning, aged 78. He was in good

health up to yesterday. Hon. sir William Hales Hingston was born at Hinchbrook, county of Huntingdon, P. Q., June 29, 1829. He was the son of the late lieutenant-colonel Hingsurgeon's diplema as L. R. C. S. E. He subsequently received diplomas from the highest scientific bodies in Austria, Prussia, Bavaria, France, England and the United States He was D. C. L. of Lennoxville university, and LL.D. of Victoria university. He began practice in Montreal in 1855, devoting his time-chiefly to surgery. He had held the offices of president of the Canadian Medical Association, of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the province of Quebec, and had been vice-president of the British association for the advancement of science. He was mayor of Montreal during 1876 and 1877, having been elected the first time by a majority of ten to one and the second time unanimously. During his mayoralty he or-

K. OF P. ANNIVERSARY

MOST SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION HELD

LAST NIGHT. WILLIAM IRVINE WINS NOVEL.

COMPETITION.

winners were announced:

Ladies—First prize, Mrs. S. A. Wye, a.

cut glass perfu gold pen with sterling silver holder and

The other winners were Miss Mc-Laughlin and Ernest Myers.

Then followed the announced most novel competition offered this season. The matter had been kept secret and naturally a great deal of curiosity was aroused. The ladies were provided with ballot papers and requested to vote for the most popular man present. Great interest was taken in the proceedings and finally the successful candidate's name was announced amidst intense excitement, the grand chancellor of British Columbia, William Irvine. Mr. Irvine was almost overcome at the unlooked for honor but promptly returned his thanks and appreciation in a neat

looked for honor but promptly returned his thanks and appreciation in a neat little speech. In order to prevent a possible riot, the names of the many unsuccessful candidates were suppressed by the committee in charge of the voting. The prize presented to Mr. Irvine was a very handsome K. of P. jewel.

Then the floor was cleared and after a most tempting supper had been done ample justice to, dancing, to the strains, of Irwin's full orchestra, was indulged in until an early hour this morning.

MISHAP AT COAL CREEK

(Special to The Daily News)
Fernie, Feb. 19—S. Rakoski, a Russian
miner, employed in the Coal Creek mines,
had his hand badly injured while at work. this morning. He was fixing a prop, when a fall of rock caught his hand and nearly severed the thumb, which will have to be amputated.

IS THE RUN

City Council is Dubic About Taking Over Plant

Says Ma hi sery is Not Perfect-Ques Left to a Special Committee

A special meeting of the city cou was held last evening on the call of worship the mayor, to discuss the de ability of taking over the municipal p

ability of taking over the munic pal per and light plant at Bonnington Fifrom the machinery contractors, Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd.

Ald. Rose was the only absenter there were present H. R. Kirkpatritravelling representative of the A. Co., J. O. Gillice, the local agent, H. Bullis, the company's hydraulic engine now in charge of the plant, W. P. Dison, the city's electrical engineer, cengineer McCulloch, and W. A. Macdald, city solicitor. It transpired there was a difference of opinion as the present run of the plant, the authorities maintaining that the plant was incomplete and that the trial days' test could not commence until plant was fully completed and runn satisfactorily to the city's engineer. The representatives of the machin contractors pleaded that while the relief of the details are contractors pleaded that while the rechinery was not complete in all details was practically so, that the details was ing were minor ones, and that pend their completion the city should pay final payment on February 26, the otractors giving bonds to complete the tails. With the exception of the gernor, which has not worked at all, what Mr. Dickson termed "some su

ernor, which has not worked at all, a what Mr. Dickson termed "some sm minor details," the plant has run sa factorily for 22 days.

After a prolonged discussion the coil decided to refer the matter to special committee which will meet a morning at 10.30.

There was an informal discussion fore the mayor called the council order, just a sort of preliminary sparr to ascertain where the contending p ties really stood. When the cour formally came to order the city city of the motice cauling the meeting a his worship called upon the Allis-Ch mers-Bullook representatives to address the council or the counc

mers-Bullock representatives to addrathe council.

Mr. Gillice—"I have asked for t meeting because I am leaving the eploy of the company and wish to kn the attitude of the council as to the I payment to be made on Febraury 26."

To the mayor—"We consider the days' test will be up on the 26th insta I think the machinery has run satisf days' test will be up on the 26th instate think the machinery has run satisf torily so far, with the exception of a governor. We expect to get the governor in order before the contract is copleted. I think the governor ran up the canacity of the generator for a tin

pleted. I think the governor ran up the capacity of the generator for a tin As to rurther details about the govern I must refer you to Mr. Bullis who w with the expert during the test."

Mr. Bullis explained that some chan would be necessary with the govern Some new rings would have to be I in. The contractors could run the plaffor 30 and even 60 days in the shape is now in, but sooner or later the governor would have to be changed. A she shut down would be necessary to chan the governor. I think in any case the men should be on shift together.

uld not care to run the plant al slight exceptions. The exceptions could be readily rectified. The chief exceptions was the working of the piston.

The mayor said he learned from a Pfau, the company's expert, that above certain point the governor would not be a supported by the piston.

work automatically.

Mr. Dickson said he understood governor had not run continuously all. Mr. Pfau had not been able to the governor to work. It was a nec sary part of the plant, regulating hand, as suggested, would not wo k at

as a permanent arrangement.

To Alds. Irving and Annable,
Dickson said he had known of some Dickson said he had known of some a tempts made by Mr. Pfau to regulate t igovernor, but they did not steady t igovernor, but they did not steady t igovernor, as anticipated they would Ald. McMorris asked for the specific tions regarding the governor, and A. Selous read the clause in the contragoverning the taking over of the mechinery from the contractors.

In reply to the mayor Mr. Gillice so he thought the city should make the final payment on the 26th, notwithstan ing the fact that some furher change would have to be made.

Mr. Kirkpatrick said the detail was a minor matter and payme should not be withheld on account of The plant was performing its duty, ging light and power. They were not as ing payment for the governor, payme

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assayed. In case you do the fee Arrowhead, B.C.—Your sample is a of very fine grained steel galena, small quantity of zinc blende at It is by no means a rare min-

Have it assayed for silver and

MOUS CANADIAN DEAD

WILLIAM HINGSTON EXPIRES

SICIAN OF WORLD-WIDE REPU-TATION.

ntreal, Feb. 19.-Sir William Hingone of Canada's best known physiand philanthropists, died suddenly morning, aged 78. He was in goodl

h up to yesterday. n. sir William Hales Hingston was at Hinchbrook, county of Hunting-P. Q., June 29, 1829. He was the of the late lieutenant-colonel Hingformerly of H. M. 100th regiment, afterwards commanded the militia-ict of Beauharnois. He was edud at the Montreal College and studmedicine at McGill University, grad-ng at the latter in 1851. He them ied in Edinburgh, where he took has eon's diplema as L. R. C. S. E. He equently received diplemas from the test scientific bodies in Austria, seia, Bavaria, France, England and United States He was D. C. L. of noxville university, and LL.D. of oria university. He began practice ntreal in 1855, devoting his time fly to surgery. He had held the of-s of president of the Canadian Medi-Association, of the College of Phyans and Surgeons of the province of bec, and had been vice-president of British association for the advanceit of science. He was mayor of Moned the first time by a majority of one and the second time unani-During his mayoralty sly. During his majorated boards ealth which have since rendered valuable services. He was for s a director and for a time preside the Montreal City and District Sav-s bank. In 1875 he married Margaret nine, daughter of the late Hon. D Macdonald, then lieuteant-governor Ontario. He was knighted in May,

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5, for distinguished service to medical

ance and was appointed to the senate January, 1896. He was a conserva-

LAST NIGHT.

LLIAM IRVINE WINS NOVEL.

The 44th anniversary of the founding: the order of the Knights of Pythias: s fitly celebrated by the local lodger t evening by one of the most success-At Homes ever held here. There was an unusually large attend-ce and the successful way the program.

s carried out reflected the greatest dit on the committee, E. W. Widdow-, chairman; J. J. Walker, A. Thomas, Steel, and H. E. Douglass whist drive opened the proceedings

at the conclusion the fortunate prize Ladies-First prize, Mrs. S. A. Wye, a t glass perfume bottle mounted in

entlemen-First prize, W. O. Stern, a

ld pen with sterling silver holder and

tughlin and Ernest Myers.
Then followed the announced most vel competition offered this season. matter had been kept secret and irally a great deal of curiosity was used. The ladies were provided with llot papers and requested to vote for popular man present. Great est was taken in the proceeding d finally the successful me was announced amidst intense exment, the grand chancellor of Brit-William Irvine. Mr. Columbia was almost overcome at the unked for honor but promptly returned thanks and appreciation in a neat tle speech. In order to prevent a posple riot, the names of the many un-

essful candidates were suppressed the committee in charge of the vot-The prize presented to Mr. Irvine s a very handsome K. of P. jewel Then the floor was cleared and after nost tempting supper had been done ple justice to dancing to the strains until an early hour this morning.

MISHAP AT COAL CREEK

(Special to The Daily News) Pernie, Feb. 19—S. Rakoski, a Russian er, employed in the Coal Creek mines has hand badly injured while at work s morning. He was fixing a prop, when fall of rock caught his hand and nearly red the thumb, which will have toamputated.

POLICE OFFICER SUICIDES awson, Feb. 19 - Constable Williams hards of the R.N.W.M.P., committed cide on Sunday on Dominion creek by oting himself in the head. A verdict of

rary insanity, due to hard drinking, returned by the coroner's jury. He a native of Ireland and had been 17

IS THE RUN OF FICIAL?

City Council is Dubious About Taking Over Plant

Says Ma hi ery is Not Perfect-Question Left to a Special Com-

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening on the call of his worship the mayor, to discuss the desir-

worship the mayor, to discuss the desirability of taking over the munic pal power and right plant at Bonnington Falls, from the machinery contractors, the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd.

Ald. Rose was the only absentee and there were present H. R. Kirkpatrick, travelling representative of the A.C.B. Co., J. O. Gillice, the local agent, H. C. Bullis, the company's hydraulic engineer, now in charge of the plant, W. P. Dickson, the city's electrical engineer, city engineer McCulloch, and W. A. Macdonald, city solicitor. It transpired that there was a difference of opinion as to the present run of the plant, the city the present run of the plant, the city authorities maintaining that the plant was incomplete and that the trial 30 days' test could not commence until the plant was fully completed and running satisfactorily to the city's engineers. The representatives of the machinery contractors pleaded that while the machinery was not complete in all details it was practically so, that the details wanting were minor ones, and that pending their completion the city should pay the final payment on February 26, the con-tractors giving bonds to complete the details. With the exeception of the gov-ernor, waich has not worked at all, and what Mr. Dickson termed "some small

what Mr. Dickson termed "some small minor details," the plant has run satis-factorily for 22 days. After a prolonged discussion the coun-cil decided to refer the matter to a special committee which will meet this

rning at 10.30. There was an informal discussion before the mayor called the council to rder, just a sort of preliminary sparring to ascertain where the contending par-ties really stood. When the council formally came to order the city clerk read the notice caning the meeting and his worship called upon the Allis-Chalners-Bullock representatives to address the council.

Mr. Gillice—"I have asked for this

meeting because I am leaving the em-ploy of the company and wish to know the attitude of the council as to the last payment to be made on Febraury 26."

To the mayor—"We consider the 30 days' test will be up on the 26th instant. days test will be up on the zota installation. I think the machinery has run satisfactorily so far, with the exception of the governor. We expect to get the governor in order before the contract is completed. I think the governor ran up to the capacity of the generator for a time As to further defails about the governor I must refer you to Mr. Bullis who was

with the expert during the test."
Mr. Bullis explained that some changes
would be necessary with the governor.
Some new rings would have to be put in. The contractors could run the plant for 30 and even 60 days in the shape it is now in, but sooner or later the gover-mor would have to be changed. A short shut down would be necessary to change the governor. I think in any case two men should be on shift together. I would not care to run the plant alone

To Ald. Hume, Mr. Gillice said the plant was up to specification with some slight exceptions. The exceptions could be readily rectified. The chief exception

was the working of the piston. mayor said he learned from Mr. Pfau, the company s expert, that above a certain point the governor would not

Mr. Dickson said he understood the governor had not run continuously a all. Mr. Pfau had not been able to ge the governor to work. It was a ne sary part of the plant, regulating by hand, as suggested, would not wo k at all as a permanent arrangement.

To Alds. Irving and Annable, Mr.

Dickson said he had known of some attempts made by Mr. Pfau to regulate the governor, but they did not steady the governor, as anticipated they would. Ald. mcMorris asked for the specifica-tions regarding the governor, and Ald. Selous read the clause in the contract governing the taking over of the ma-

chinery from the contractors.

In reply to the mayor Mr. Gillice said thought the city should make the final payment on the 26th, notwithstanding the fact that some furher changes

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Ald. Selous—It was a surprise to me that the present run was an official one. The mayor—I have no hesitation in

The mayor—I have no hesitation in saying that I do not consider the run an official one: I should consider that the run should commence when all the machinery is in proper order.

Mr. Kirkpatrick—Well, we might as well shut down at once if that is so.

The mayor asked if Mr. Kirkpatrick spoke as the official representative of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock Ltd.

His worship added that a telegram had been sent to the nead office at Montreal stating that the plant was not running

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stating that the plant was not running satisfactorily in every detail.

The clause in the contract governing the final payment reads as follows:
"Subject to the condition that the machinery installed with the other equipment shall have been operated fo

equipment shall have been operated for 30 days before the final payment is made, and that such machinery and equipment shall operate to the satisfaction of the purchaser or its engineer."

Ald. Hume thought Mr. Dickson should be inspecting the test. If the present test was the official one it was nearly over and the city's electrical engineer. was not in a position to say what the situation was.

Mr. Dickson explained that no attempt was being made to operate the governor. He cou'd do nothing were he at the plant. Mr Kirknatrick said the city was en-Mr. Kirkpatrick said the city was or titled to have the governor and to have it in working order. The company was quite willing to give satisfactory bonds for the completion of the detail wanting. It was costing the company \$800 to run

the plant.
Ald. Selous suggested that if the present run was to be regarded as the official run, some arrangement might be come to by which an additional \$5000 should be retained until the governor was in running order and that the city should pay its ordinary payroll until the plant was completed, the contractors giving security against any damage that might occur through the absence of the governor. The contractors still to oper ate the plant. The new piston could be placed in position and the governor made to act, according to Mr. Kirkpatrick, in about three weeks time and the com-pany should not be relieved of their sibility until that time, when preresponsibility until that time, when pre-sumably the whole plant would be run-ning satisfactorily. If it was then so running and the city's engineers so reported the city could safely take over the plant. At present the plant was incomplete and the contractors were not in a position to insist on the city's ac-cepting it until it was fully completed

cepting it until it was fully completed and running satisfactorily.

The contractors' representatives then withdrew temporarily and the council discussed the situation in caucus.

After a long discussion the council agreed to leave the matter in the hands of a committee composed of Alds. Selous, Irving and Annable, the mayor being an exception member. This committee will ex-officio member. This committee will meet the representatives of the machin-ery contractors this morning at 10.30 and further discuss the matter. and further discuss the matter.

At 10.30 the council adjourned.

CON RACI MAINTAINED

CITY DECLINES TO TAKE OVER POWER PLANT.

PRESENT TEST ACCEPTED WITH CENTAIN RESERVATIONS

Pursuant to the agreement reached at Monday night's special city council meeting, his worship, mayor Gillett, meeting, his worship, mayor Gillett, and aldermen Selous, Annable and Irving, held a lengthy conference with the representatives of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd., at the city hall yesterday morning, with reference to the city taking over the municipal power plant at Bonnington Falls, from the machinery

contractors. The meeting opened at 11.30 and it was nearly 1 o'clock when a final deci-

committee absolutely declined to make the final payment due on the plant of some \$13,000 odd, or to part with the 5000 held as security for the carrying out of the contract, until such time the contracting company has completed the whole machinery and has run for a sufficient length of time to satisfy the city's engineers that it is operating en-tirely satisfactorily. This means that the contractors must either supply an auxiliary to the present governor and demonstrate that it works right, or else supply an entirely new governor and make it do its work. In addition a new must replace the present one, as

already agreed to. The city, however, will accept the nt 30 days' run which will expire on Feb. 26 as the official test, subject t the above reservations, of the wheel and generator. Pending the completion of the plant, the company accepts all responsibility for any damage that may occur through the absence of the gov-ernor. The whole understanding to be also subject to the final report of the city's engineers when the time test expires. If the report is entirely satisfactory then the city will pay for the terations are made and their satisfactory

adaptation is demonstrated.

The understanding will likely be ratified by the council next Monday evening

THE UNWRITTEN LAW Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20-A case similar in many ways to that of Harry K. Thaw was decided by the court of appeals to day. In reversing a judgment sentencing killing J. A. Smith for alleged imprope relations with Shipp's wife, the court hold that it was competent for the defendant to tell the jury of a confession to Shipp De necessary to shut down the plant to hake the final investigation. There were some minor matters that must be atsion to her husband. Shipp swore he shot

COMBINE

Witnesses Summoned to Give Evidence at Ottawa

George P. Wells, of This City, Secretary of Mountain Lumberman's Association Among Those to Testify

Ottawa, Feb. 19.-Hon. Thomas Greenway was elected chairman of the comtee to investigate the alleged western lumber combine today and it was decided to issue summonses to the following witnesses to appear on March 13: E. G. Ambrose, A. J. McGuire, Pincher Creek, Alta.; S O'Brien, Strathoona; Fred W. Alta.; S O'Brien, Strathoona; Fred W. Green, Moosejaw; Edward Fearon, Maple Creek; R. H. Alexander, Vancouver, secretary B. C. Lumber and Shingle association; George P. Wells, Nelson, secretary Mountain Lumbermen's association; D. C. Cameron, D. E. Sprague, Winnipeg; Jos. Fletcher, secretary Alberta Farmers' association and the secretaries of the Grain Growers' associations of Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Other witnesses will be summoned later on, the committee being desirous of hearing everyone who can throw light earing everyone who can throw light

on the existence of the combine. The chairman stated as a preliminary proof of a combine that he had found by experience that no consumer could buy sash or doors direct from manu-facturers but could only obtain them hrough middlemen.

Lethbridge, Feb. 19.—That lumbe prices will continue to soar, is the pre-diction of A. Macdonald, one of the best known architects in the district. He manufacturer that common boards, which five years ago were \$10 at the mill and are now \$25, will go to \$30 this summer. Shiplap, which five years ago was \$11 at the mill, is now \$19 an heavy dimension lumber ,which was \$12 is now \$28. Another general increase will make building a serious matter.

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ZINC DUTIES

With a view to ascertaining authoritatively the purport of the U.S. treasury ruling re duties on zinc, The Daily News yester-day telegraphed the secretary of the treasury at Washington for the full text of the new ruling. The following reply has been re-

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.— Decision relative to calamine and Decision relative to calamine and other zinc ores covers four and one half pages and is to effect that carbonate and silicate of zinc is duty free as "calamine" under paragraph 514 of the Act of 1897 and sulphide of zinc is free of duty under paragraph 614 of said Act except as to lead contents thereof, which are dutiable at the rate of one and one-naif cent per pound under paragraph 180 of said Act. Appeal has been taken from said decision. Copy of decision and tariff mailed you today. J. B. Reynold, Acting today. J. B. Reynold, Acting

...... NEW FORESTRY SUPERINTENDENT.

Chief Clerk of Timber Branch to Suc-

ceed E. Stewart Ottawa, Feb. 20.-In case of Lafferty vs. Lincoln, in the supreme court yes-terday, Chrysler K.C., made application to the full court for special leave to appeal from the supreme court of the northwest territories in the matter of the conviction of a physician and sur-geon for having practised his profession within the province of Alberta withou having registered under the recent statute passed by the legislature of that pro-vince. In addition to questions raised upon the merits, the constitutionality of the statute is challenged. Mr. Hayden for the opposite party did not oppose the motion. In view of the importance of the questions at issue the court ex ercised its discretion by granting the special leave to appeal applied for.

H. Campbell, chief clerk of the timber and lands branch of the department of the interior, has been appointed super-intendent of forestry in succession to Stewart, resigned.

Canners Want to Abolish Fishing Above New Westminster Bridge.

(Special to The Daily News) Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 20.—There be a fierce contest at Ottawa over the proposal of the canners to abolish fishing above New Westminster bridge. A tation of canners left secretly last week to press the case before the com-mission. Now a conference of the New Westminster city council, the board of trade and citizens have adopted a strong protesting memorial, which will be backed up at Ottawa by a deputation the city paying the costs of the trip.

CHAMBERLAIN'S CONDITION

Completely Broken Down Physically, But Mentally Alert.

London, Feb. 20.-An interesting an authoritative statement concerning the health of Joseph Chamberlain is pub-lished today. It does not confirm the worst rumors, but it shows that Mr. perlain is completely broken down He passes most of his time indoors at

Highbury, his Birmingham residence, but when the weather is fine he drives in a carriage in the grounds of his estate or on unfrequented roads in the vicinity. He seeks to avoid the pubuc gaze. He never stays outside the house more than 45 minutes at a time. He sometimes spends considerable time in his orchid house, as the temperature in these buildings suits him, or he will be wheeled in an invalid's chair about the grounds. He occasionally takes a short walk supported by his stout stick, and the arm of his wife, but the invalid chair is always at hand.

WEEK'S ORE SHIPMENTS

LACK OF FUEL CAUSES LOWERING OF OUTPUT

RAILYAWS UNABLE TO HAUL ORE FROM MINES

The scarcity of fuel all over the Koote The scarcity of fuel all over the Koote-nays has caused a partial close down at several of the smelters during the past week and the C.P.R. has notified the Boundary mines that the management is unable to haul ore for some time. Yes-terday it was announced that although the situation remains very unsatisfactory some relief is expected early this coming week. The announcement, published last Sunday that United tSates customs authorities had decided that the zinc ores of B.C. were no longer liable to duty and in fact should never have been taxed, has been very well received by mining men and a vival in zine bearing properties is looked

for as a result.

Appended will be found the ore shipments and smelter receipts in detail for the past week and year to date.

BOUNDARY SHIPME	NTS	
The Control of the Co		Y
Granby	8,340	48
Mother Lode	1,800	19
Snowshoe		5
Sunset		2
Emma	132	1
Other mines		12
Total 1	0,822	90
ROSSLAND SHIPMEN		
Centre Star		9
Le Roi	1,233	15
Le Roi No. 2		2
Le Roi No. 2, milled		2
		CHO
Total	4,453	29
SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHI	PMEN	TS
Emerald	25	
Sullivan	600	4
La Plata	16	
La Piata, milled	425	2
Second Relief, milled	145	1
Queen, milled	185	1
St. Eugene	241	
Standard	24	
Lorna Doone	22	
Hunter V	149	
Arlington, Erie	74	
Arlington, Blocan	26	44
Whitewater	74	
Ottawa	23	
Spokane	73	
Sally	23	
Washington	23	
Lone Bachelor	25	
Northern Light	24	
Queen Bess	21	23
Mother Lode	18	
Molly Hughes	19	
Maestra	33	

EIGHT TO FIVE. Monte Cristo 7 .. 2.341

GRANBY RECEIPTS

Other mines B. C. COPPER CO. RECEIPTS Greenwood, B. C. Other mines

TRAIL SMELTER RECEIPTS Trail, B. C. entre Star 1,136 Le Roi No. 2 444 St. Eugène

Lorna Doone Ottawa Spokane ... on the evening of the 24th. Washington

Lone Bachelor Northern Light Other mines 9 538 95 012 HALL MINES SMELTER RECEIPTS Nelson, B. C. Standard Arlington, Erie Hunter V. Queen Bess St. Eugene Mother Lode Molly Hughes

Monte Cristo LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS Northport, Wash. 968 Le Roi ..

MARYSVILLE SMELTER RECEIPTS Marysville, B.C.

CONFERENCE

Australia and New Zealand Desire a Permanent Council

Question of Reciprocal Admission of Barristers and Surveyors to Practice Throughout Empire

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Correspondence pre-cented to partliament shows that sug-gestions for the reciprocal admission of barristers and land surveyors to practice throughout the empire and a uniform system of patents of simultaneous adoption throughout the empire, will be tak-en up at the approaching colonial con-Lord Elgin wrote earl Grey on the

point as follows:

"The question of reciprocity is complicated by technical considerations, and it is doubtful whether a discussion could at present result in anything further than an academic resolution on the question. A uniform system of patents has been

the subject of much corresponden esince the last conference. So far a has been found impossible to overcome dif-ficulties in the way, similarly, a major-ity in the government think that public opinion in this country is not ripe for the adoption of the metric system." Australia has proposed a permanent imperial council with a secretary and imperial council with a secretary and staff and regular meetings and asks for a system of intercolonial preferential trade and return preference from Great Britain to the colonies. She suggests an imperial defence scheme for the colonies and urges that the British protective

shipping policy be adopted, also proposes measures whereby the colonial office may acquire more intimate knowledge of the colonies with which they have to deal. New Zealand takes practically the same stand as Australia on the subjects of preferential trade and imperial council and further suggests that colonies be not fettered by imperial treaties in mak-

not retured by imperial treaties in making reciprocal fiscal arrangements.

Private bills' committee this morning passed Duncan Ross' bill, incorporating the Rivers' Improvement company.

SPOKANE HOCKEY TEAM

PUT UP A GOOD GAME AGAINST NELSON LAST NIGHT.

HOME TEAM WON BY A SCORE OF

An enthusiastic crowd of about 400 persons assembled at the Stanley street rink last evening to witness the exhibition hockey match between the local and the Spokane teams. The visitors obtained much appiause and put up an ex-cellent game although the home team had no great difficulty in scoring suffi-cient goals to keep them in the lead. The official count given out was 8-5 in The official count given out was 5-5 in favor of the Nelson players. Of the goals scored Niblett and McCaugherty each got a couple, and Trezona one, for the visitors, while A. Bishop and Joe Thompson scored twice and Jeffs, Bellerose, Steel and Bell each secured one apiece for the home team. The city band supplied music betwen times and the evening proved a highly successful one

in every way.

The line up last night was as follows: Nelson. Spokane.
H. Bishop goal Ferrier
C. Jeffs point Russeli
L. Steel cover. McCaugherty Belleroseright wing.... Schaefer Thompsonleft wing..... Sims A. Bishop:centre..... Niblett

Goal Umpires-Dave Proudfoot and J. After the game was over the Nelson players entertained the visitors at a supper set out in Mr Audet's best style at the Nelson Cafe.

The visitors leave for home this morning and an effort is being made to

pull off a game with Nelson in Spokane

SUFFRAGETTES RELEASED. Sir Charles Dilke's Bill to Enfranchise

Women Introduced. London, Feb. 20.—A dozen women suf-ragists were released from prison this morning and subsequently were enter-tained at luncheon by their colleagues. Much enthusiasm was aroused by the reading of congratulatory messages from the National American Woman Suffragists' association, which closed its convention in Chicago yesterday, and from the Woman Suffragist league of New

The text of sir Charles Dilke's bill to enfranchise women and remove women's disabilities was issued this morning. It enfranchising every regis tering man and women of full age residing in the area where an election, either parliamentary or local, is being held, and that nobody shall be disqualified by sex or marriage from being elected to either house of parliament or the local bodies, or from exercising any public functions whatever. It is similar to the bill sir Charles introduced last year and which was defeated.

CLAYTON'S HARD LUCK

Is Attacked with Diptheria While awaiting Trial in Provincial Gaol It doesn't eften happen that people are prevented from going to gaol even if sent there under due process of law, but just fighting.

at the present no more prisoners wil libe taken in at the previncial gaol. The cause is a simple one. A. Clayton, the man charged with assaulting one Verrinder, on Dec. 22 last, and who has been confined in the provincial gaol ever since, awaiting trial, has developed diptheria and the gaol has been temporarily quarantined by the medical health officer. For a week at

Cayton has been isolated.

Both the medical health officer and the gaol physician are at a loss to account for the case. They surmise that some prisoner who had been suffering from the disease just previous to his committal, brought in the germs but no particular case is Clayton, who has been locked up sin

Dec. 24, was to have been tried by judge Forin today on the charge of assault, laid against him. As a result of an assault Verrinder lost his right eye and went to Spokane to have the injured member removed. Proceedings were stayed while Verrinder was recovering from the effects of the operation. Now the accused is taken ill and a further delay is necessary. The type of the disease in Clayton's case is not a virulent one, but it will necessarily be some time before he can be tried.

••••• ONE HUNDRED LIVES LOST

Eagle Pass, Texas, Feb. 19.—A despatch received today from Las Esperansas, Mexico, says that one hundred lives probably were lost in the explosion yesterday in the mine belonging to the Mexican Coal & Coke company; 43 bodies have been removed. More than 60 miners are still in the compartment. Many of the men who were killed were Langese. who were killed were Japanese.

TO IMITATE NEW YORK

TORONTO MAY SOON HAVE AN ELEVATED RAILWAY.

SYNDICATE OF LOCAL CAPITALISTS FORMED FOR THAT PURPOSE

Toronto, Feb. 19.—A company of Toronto capitalists is making application to the provincial government for a charter to build and operate an elevated ter to build and operate an elevated railway in the city and suburbs. It is understood that the gentlemen identified with the application are M. J. Adams, J. H. McKnight, S. R. Wickett, and J. M. Sinclair. The money behind the enterprise is Toronto money The plans of the company are not yet perfected but it is believed the plan will be to runtheir lines to the northern, eastern and western suburbs.

St. Thomas, Ont., Feb. 19.—The total dividend to the Atlas Loan creditors will be 47 cents. A five cent dividend will be paid on March 1 and a similar one shortly after. Thirty-seven cents al-ready have been paid. The liquidators, ready have been paid. The liquidators, the National Trust company, will receive about \$14,800 for winding up the Atlas. As the company was forced by the courts to pay about \$13,000 for holding Elgin Loan company's Dominion Coal stock while it depreciated in value, they will practically be money out by the undertaking.

LOSS OF CATTLE SLIGHT

WEATHER WAS SEVERE FOR FEW WEEKS BUT NOT EXCEPTIONAL

Winnipeg, Feb. 20—Martin Woolf, one of the best known ranchers of Cardston, Alberta, was in the city today on his way to Ottawa where he is to interview several of the ministers in reference to matters which concern ranchers and others in courbers. Alberta

losses of the ranchers had not been in the least degree above the normal, the average loss throughout the district would not reach five per cent, a loss which ranchers in southern Alberta figure on every year. The weather was more severe than usual for a few weeks, but no inconvenience had been caused to anyone and there was no loss of cattle; all snow was taken off in a few days by a chinook wind and on the 14th of February there was a baseball game on the public square in the town of Cardston. The weather has continued very pleasant since that time.

HUGHES IS MAKING GOOD

Official.

Albany, Feb. 20.—Governor Hughes sent to the senate today a special mes-sage recommending the removal from office of state superintendent of insurance Otto Kelsey. In the opening paragraphs of the 2500-word message the

graphs of the 2000 word message the governor says:

"I recommend the removal of Otto Kelsey from the office of superintendent of insurance. With respect to life insur-ance, New York is easily the most im-portant jurisdiction in the United States, if not in the world and the vests interif not in the world and the vests interests involved imperatively require, and it should be a point of honor for the

The message was read and on motion was referred without debate or comment

to the committee on judiciary. ONLY LASTED TWO MINUTES Sydney, N.S.W., Feb. 19—Jack Johnson, the American pugilist, today defeated Peter Felix, the colored heavyweight champion of Australia, in two minutes of

Evelyn Thaw Still Under Cross-Examination by Jerome

May be Kept in Witness Box for Several Days Yet-Jerome Finds Prisoner's Wife no Mean Adversary

New York, Feb. 20.-In conducting to-

day his cross-examination of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw at the trial of her husband, the district attorney brought out the fact that in 1902 Stanford White out the fact that in 1902 Stanford White deposited the sum of \$1350 with a New York Trust company, with instructions that it be paid to the Nesbit girl, at the rate of \$25 per week. Mrs. Thaw frankly admitted receiving a number of checks from the Trust company, but she would not admit that there was a provision that she should receive the money only when out of employment. The prosecutor spent nearly the entire afternoon trying to make Mrs. Thaw reply that this was true, but as often ection spent hearly the entire afternoon trying to make Mrs. Thaw reply that this was true, but as often and in as many ways as he put the question she gave the answer: "I don't remember." Mr. Thaw's inability to remember a number of other things about which Mr. Jerome questioned her was by far the most material element in the cross-examination. The district attorney delved into the witness' past-life with a familiarity as to detail and general knowledge that at times seemed to amaze all who heard it, not excepting the defendant's counsel themselves. Mr. Jerome indicated early in his questioning that he had no disposition to spare Mrs. Thaw's feelings in any way whatsoever. He interrogated most pointedly as to her men acquaintances of the past. He laid especial stress upon her acquaintanceship with James A. Garland, who figured for the first time in the case, Mrs. Thaw said that she knew Garland before she met White. before she met White.
"Weren't you named as co-respondent
in the Garland divorce case?" asked Mr.

Jerome.

Mrs. Thaw was shaking her head, when Mr. Delmas sprang to his feet with an objection. He demanded that the record of the divorce case be brought into court, that it might speak for itself. Justice Fitzgerald overruled the objection, but Mr. Jerome questioned the witness. Justice Fitzgerald overruled the objection, but Mr. Jerome questioned the witness about her manner of posing for artists, and brought from her a denial that she ever posed in the nude. Mr. Jerome insisted on details on the subject. He did not mince words. Many photographs of Mrs. Thaw were introudced in evidence. During the morning session he plied the young woman with questions as to what disposition she made of the letters written to her by Stanford White. Some, she said, had been destroyed and some she gave to her husband. In the midst of the district attorney's examination with regard to the letters, and when he was pressing her for an answer as to what had become of some of them, Thaw leaned over and whispered to his counsel, very audible to those nearest, "Stanford White stole them."

Attorney O'Reilly thereupon said aloud "Stanford White got them."

"If cousel wishes to testify we will be very giad to have him do so," Mr. Jerome indicated that he had in his possession a number of letters written by Stanford White to Evelyn. Neshit

possession a number of letters written by Stanford White to Evelyn Nesbit. He said he would show her the letters Mr. Jerome demanded that Thaw's counsel deliver to the court letters of Stanford White they have in custody, but they made no response. Mr. Jerome was assisted materially in his cross-ex-amanation by typewritten statements Howard Nesbit, her brother. He consulted the statements from time to time, and Mr. Delmas let this fact become

and Mr. Delmas let this fact become known to the jury by remarking upon it.
Mr. Jerome's cross-examination may require several days. He jumped about today from one part of Mrs. Thaw's story, one period of her life, to another, in a way that baffled any attempt to tell in a way that barned any attempt to tell how far he has progressed with his attack. He apparently intends to take every advantage of the ruling of yesterday, which allows him wide latitude in testing the credibility of the witness.

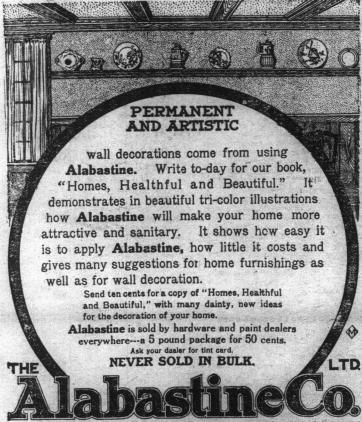
Mr. Delmas, contrary to expectations, internessed few objections today. He is interposed few objections today. He is evidently preparing for an extended re-direct examination and this with Mr.

Jerome's cross-examination on the re-direct, promises to keep the prisoner's wife on the witness stand indefinitely. Mrs. Thaw seemed perfectly self-com-posed at every stage of the cross-exam-ination; at times her voice trembled per-ceptibly but almost always it was clear and emphatic. She fenced with prosecutor incessantly, corrected him at times state to maintain, a fearless and efficient administration of its supervising department, commanding the confidence of the people.

"I recommend Mr. Keisey's removal because as head of this department has because as head of this department here." because as head of this department he has conspicuously failed to perform obvious duties of the first importance, and his neglect has demonstrated his unfitness for the trust confided to him."

be swayed by the district attorney's mood, she answered him in the same low tone. When Mr. Jerome became aroused and snapped questions at her in a loud voice, she replied in kind. When the prosecutor persisted with a question the prosecutor persisted with a question she had answered two or three times, Mrs. Thaw would finally reply with em-

phasis on each word, speaking slowly, distinctly and definitely. The defandant was always alert to catch every word. He seemed impatient at times at some of the questions put by the prosecutor and kept up a running fire of whispered comment with his at-



ABOUT TO LEAVE MICHEL

DR. McSORLEY TO PRACTISE ON THE COAST

DEATH OF AGED LUMBER-JACK-EX-TREASURER OF OTTAWA

Michel, Feb. 20-Dr. McSorley, for many years company physician here, has decided to leave Michel and expects to leave here April 1, and will locate at some point on the coast, probably at Prince Ru-pert. The doctor's career in Michel has been a very successful one. As a surbeen a very successful one. As a sur-geon he has no equal in this part of B.C., many cases for operation having been brought here for his treatment from other points. From a financial standpoint Michel is a very poor field for a doctor, not but what there is plenty of work, each man at work in the camp pays \$1 per month for doctor's fees. Out of this he is compelled to maintain the hospital with two nurses, furnish all medicines needed in the camp and pay rents for his building, aggregating \$100 a month, leaving as a bal-ance on the right side of the ledger, a sum less than is earned by any ordinary salesman or store clerk. The local Miners' union has taken steps with a view to raise the amount paid towards maintaining the hospital with the hope that Dr. McSor-

ley will remain here .

John Averill, an aged lumber-jack, died in Michel hospital Monday morning of old age. He was brought here from Sparwood until the end came. The deceased came to the Pass some seven years ago from Ottawa. He was well educated and was a man of good social standing in the capital. However the excessive use of liquor in the far west. He was for several years

Grand Forks, Feb. 20-Lloyd A. Manly of this city, is winding up his business affairs with the intention of moving to Victoria, and expects to leave early next month. He will dispose of his wholesale mon.h. He will dispose of the wholeses where it is carried on. Only last summer Mr. Manly built a handsome residence on the cast side of the city. Pending the sale of the property Mr. Manly's family remains here. Asked as to his intentions Mr. Man.y said: "I expect to move my offices to Victoria at once as I find that point will be more convenient in every connection with other operations I may carry on. At present I havt an option on a business in that city, which I shall most likely take up, though I am bound to add that in some respects it is the wrong time to leave for I firmly believe

WILLOW STREET, PARIS, ONT. Monday night to witness a hockey match between two scratch teams and various racing contests. There is some good hockey material in the place and next year Grand Forks should be able to send out a good team. The directors of the athletic association, though hampered by many delays, have succeeded in giving the town a capital rink, roofed with corrugated iron and of good size. Next year, if fine permit, it is proposed to add curling rinks of the present building. The land and building cost some \$3500, and the total inome \$1200. Fred Clark, the president of the association, has worked steadily an well to bring the affairs of the association

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

TRUSTEES ASK THE COUNCIL TO SUBMIT BYLAW

THE ESTIMATED COST IS PLACED AT \$50,000

The regular monthly meeting of the school board was held last evening in the office of the secretary. There were present William Irvine, chairman, Dr. E. C. Arthur, R. J. Steel and A. D. Emory.

The finance committee submitted accounts for the month amounting to about \$400. The chief items were fuel, \$121.50; equipment of fraternity hall, \$60.15; stationary, \$105. The payroll for the month mounted to \$1080. On motion checks were amounted to be made out and signed for payment of the accounts and the payroil. A discussion ensued on the application of one of the teachers for a raise in salary. It was pointed out by the chairman

years ago. Roughly the building would probably cost \$60,000. The chairman said he had informally discussed the matter with some members of the city council. He thought the board should place its case formally before the council.

Dr. Arthur moved , seconded by R. J.

Steel that the board request the council
in writing to submit a by aw to the ratepayers authorizing the raising of \$50,000 for a new school building. The motion

carried unanimously. Dr. Arthur will notify the counci. forthwith so as to have the letter before that body when it meets on Monday next. The meeting then adjourned.

SMELTER FOR COBALT ORES South Dakota Smeltermen Interested in

The Undertaking.

IS NEEDLESSLY ALARMED

THE PRESBYTERIAN AFRAID MOR MONS OF ALBERTA WILL WORK EVIL

POLYGAMY BOGEY RAISED, QUITE UNFAIRLY TO ALBERTA

Toronto, Feb. 21-This week's issue of Toronto, Feb. 21—This week's issue of the Presbyterian, says the trenchant critic-ism by the Hon minister of the interior, of remarks made by Prof. Kilpatrick and Dr. Somerville to the effect that Mormons in Alberta are not a desirable class of set-tlers, may be good politics from his point of view, but it does not touch the real

uestion at issue.
"People may be thrifty and industrious "People may be thrifty and industrious but if an essent al feature of their re.igion brings them into drect opposition to
the law of the land, which is based on
divine teaching, their presence presents all
the material for a grave problem. The
feature of polygamy has never been formally eliminated from their creed. It is
simply a right held in abeyance because
the force of nublic opinion cannot be simply a right held in abeyance because the force of public opinion cannot be changed. No good man will deny liberty of conscience to any, but that liberty must not come into conflict with an institution upon which the welfare and permanency of the fami y and the state depend. With all the record of their past and with the recent revelations in connection with the Smoot enquiry, in the United States, in our hands, our Mormon friends must not be too sensitive to criticism and we be on our guard, lest we be found to be warming into life on Canadian soil a power that will work to our own destruction."

THEY MEAN BUSINESS

WHOLESALERS WILL APPEAL TO RAILWAY COMMISSION

THE QUESTION OF LOWER FREIGHT RATES COMES UP

night to the members of the Wholesalers' neeting called in the board of trade rooms, It was open to the meeting to say whether other towns should be invited to join in the movement for the reduction of freight rates. Mr. Starkey added that the data asked for by the railway commission had been supplied and he wanted the matter essed. If the railways would not act promptly he favored applying to the Railway Commission and placing the facts before that bodf as soon as possible. The speaker regretted that many members did not attend the meetings of the association when specially asked to do so. If the mer chants of the city were unwilling to tackle the question of rates, he, the speaker, would take the matter before the board of

would take the matter before the board of trade and ask that body to take the necessary action to bring the real situation before the railway commission.

Mr. Beeston submitted a long list of rates charged in specific cases.

Mr. Beeston, in explaining the report he had made out, exhaustively dealing with the whole question of existing rates, said that many people thought that any improvement in charges that might be brought about, would make no difference in the long run to the consumer, but this in the long run to the consumer, but this was quite a mistake. If the matter was gone into in a proper way and the railways were induced to grant an equitatariff, a great benefit would undoubte accrue, not merely to consumers, but to the who'e community. A bewildering num-ber of tariffs were in force, the rallways treasurer of Ottawa. The funeral was held here today from the morgue at the hospital. Interment was made at Michel cemetery, Rev. Mr. Kinney officiating.

MANLY OFF TO VICTORIA

AN OLD TIME RESIDENT OF GRAND FORKS SEEKS NEW PASTURES

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION IS MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

The was pointed out by the chairman that the estimates for the year were already in the hands of the city council. Personally he favored an increase where it could be legitimately made. The teachers the could be legitimately made. The teachers the amount paid them. The secretary brought up the question of a new public school building. He favored ascertaining what the cost of the building would be, and asking the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the necessary fund. A 12 roomed building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the cost of the building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the cost of building had increased considering the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the necessary fund. A 12 roomed building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the necessary fund. A 12 roomed building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the necessary fund. A 12 roomed building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the precessory fund. A 12 roomed building would be required. The cost of building had increased considering the city council to obtain legislation giving them the power to raise the year and then making certain council to charge all the business would stand and then making certain council to charge All are interested in the matter of reduc

tion and should join in the movement for just charges. I. G. Nelson suggested that some action 1. G. Neison suggested that some technical be decided on at once.

The chairman said that Mr. Beeston's careful report demonstrated beyond question how Neison and Kootenay were being discriminated against. As a matter of courtesy the C.P.R. authorities should be first appealed to and in the event of no action on their part, the association should press the matter before the railway com mission. As a fact they should prepare

Mr. Gallagher said Spokane had just the same fight to go through and the sooner it was taken up here the better. Mr. Nelson moved that a memorial be

prepared forthwith for presentation to the railway commission setting out the facts of the discriminations complained of. Mr. Nunn seconded the motion, which carried

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EDMONTON TO DAWSON

CONNECT YUKON WITH HEART OF CANADA.

(Special to The Daily News)

Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 20.-As soon as weather permits in the spring a party of Royal Northwest Mounted Police will leave here to surpervise the construction of the all-Canadian military highway be tween this city and the Yukon. Captain McDonald, now at Hazelton, will start north from that point. He will have charge of trail blazers, bridge builders and road makers. They will have hundreds of miles to cover through an unin-habited country which a few tried to get through in the early rush for the Klondike. To connect the Yukon with the heart of Canada a course will be blazed and bridged and pack routes cut through one of the wildest territories on earth. At Fort Graham captain Camios is wintering, ready to commence work in the spring. This party did considerable work there last year but owing to the fact that they were unable to get suffi-cient food for their 40 horses they were obliged to send them back to Athabasca landing, hundreds of miles from Fort Graham. Not only will this long route, when finished, connect the heart of western Canada with the frozen north for military purposes in time of trouble, but will afford a long wanted highway by which trappers and prospectors can get in their supplies and ship out their pro-

ON G. T. P. CONSTRUCTION

SEVERAL THOUSAND RUSSIANS MAY BE EMPLOYED

VERIGIN RETURNS FROM A MISSION TO RUSSIA

Montreal, Feb. 21-Peter Verigin, the Montreal, Feb. 21—Peter Verigin, the leader of the Canadian Doukohobours, returned to Montreal yesterday, after spending the winter on a tour through Russia. Verigin said he had been commissioned by the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad company to try to secure a few thousand laborers for construction work on that railway and be quite willing that a few thousand Rus-sians should come to Canada to enrich themselves building rai ways. The minis-ties in the matter impressing upon them Doukohobours and said it would be a good thing if a number of them were to rethey would be able to set a good example

ENDORSE LEMIEUX BILL

TORONTO DISTRICT LABOR COUN-CIL TINANIMONSLY APPROVE

AMENDMENT TO ONE PROVISION ASKED FOR.

Toronto, Feb. 20.—The District Labor The Undertaking.

The Undertak council have unanimously endorsed the general principles of the Lemieux labor bill, the vital principle of which is com-

B. C. BRANCH OF McGILL CARNEGIE OFFERS CONDITIONAL

EXPERT GANG OF SAFE CRACKERS WORKING VANCOUVER.

(Special to The Daily News)

Vancouver, Feb. 21.—Private advices from Dr. Tory, of McGill, announce that Carnegie has offered to donate \$50,000 to the building fund of the branch univer sity to be inaugurated here. The gift is conditional upon an equal sum being raised from private sources within a stipulated time. This hundred thousand dollars aggregate is the sum agreed upon by the directorate as the amount to be obtained before beginning operations. The management at a meeting today expire s.d confidence that the success of the

plan is now assured.

A band of robbers, one of whom must have been an expert safe cracker operated in the Fairfield block, in the heart of the business district and a block from a permanent posted constable, at an early hour this morning. Five offices were broken into and in each safes or vaults entered by manipulation of the combination or smashed open. The amount stolen is uncertain at present, as several safes were so ruined that experts will have to open them. Among the lot, however, was a collection of coins which cannot be replaced. The police have no clue but believe the gang is the same as vas recently operating in Bellingham.

FRUIT GROWERS MEET

WANT AN EXPERIMENTAL FARM IN THE KOOTENAYS

LONG CONFERENCE ON THE NEEDS OF ASSOCIATION

The adjourned annual meeting of the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association was held in the board of trade rooms yester-

day afternoon and lasted for nearly thre and there was a good representative at

On motion of secretary McMorris, E. K.
Beeston and T. Morley were appointed
auditors for the coming year. The salary
of the auditors was fixed at \$25 each.
After considerable discussion Jas, Johnstone moved, seconded by Mr. Bourke,
that the secretary procure from Mr. Morley
a list of those who had paid their portion
of the assessment and that the balance

be charged to members who had not paid. The secretary read the accounts as audited for the past year:

The profit and loss account showed the fellowing profits: Fertilizer, \$218.36; crates and boxes, \$433.97; commission, \$82.25. The other side of the account showed; Balance from previous year, \$43.61; expenses for year, \$672.50; loss on fruit, \$151.62; interest and discount, \$7.85. The balance shows a loss of \$41.

The balanct sheet shows: Capital stock.

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ready stated, \$41; total, \$92.86.

The auditor's statement as presented was accepted and approved.

A finance committee was appointed for the year consisting of the president, secretary, J. Johnstone, J. Hyslop and J. E. Annahle.

The president, secretary and E. Apple-whaite were appointed a committee to con-sider changes and amendments to the con-

to try to secure a few thousand laborers for construction work on that railway and it was for this purpose that he had visited the Russian minister of the interior, in order to see whether the government would allow them to come out. That official appeared rather taken with the idea and assured Verigin that his government would be quite willing that a few thousand Russians should come to Canada to enrich themselves building railways. The ministics of the fruit industry of the Kootenays that an experimental farm or station be established at a point in the Kootenays, and with that end in view the president and the secretary be and are hereby requested to communicate with the proper authorities in the matter impressing upon them

The meeting then adjourned and a mee sundry accounts were presented and gone over and ordered to be paid.

TEACHERS' SALARIES RAISED

Vancouver, Feb. 21.—(Special)
—The school board tonight recommended an increase in teachers' salaries in all grades. The

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Manson Campbell

President



CAPITAL COMING TO B.C.

HOPEFUL VIEW OF A. J. McMILLAN, OF LE ROI MINE.

WILL BE BIG INFLUX OF SETTLERS FROM ENGLAND THIS YEAR

Winnipeg, Feb. 20 .- A. J. McMillan, of ondon, England, managing director of London, England, managing director of the Le Rol Mines company, left today for Rossland to remain several months. The Le Rol paid a dividend of 3½ per cent for the past year, this being the first dividend paid for seven years past. The mine is said to be looking well, but the company, in common with others operating in British Columbia, has had great difficulty this winter on account of shortage of coal and coke, which has re-sulted in a reduction of output of ore.

shortage of coal and coke, which has resulted in a reduction of output of ore. It is hoped that normal conditions will soon be restored.

In answer to enquiries, Mr. McMillan stated that capital was coming this way, and would come in still larger volumes when the market gets a little easier, as experts think it will a few months hence. By way of illustration he mentioned that he and some influential friends in London were raising money with a view to financing sound enterprises emanating from western Canada.

As to immigration, the Canadian government officials in England told nim last month that they expected more

government officials in England told aim last month that they expected more people to leave Great Britain for Canada than ever this year. Mr. McMillian said that lord Starthcons had done, and was still doing magnificent work for Canada, and in England Canadians were a unit in thinking that he would continue as commissioner.

RETURN UNDES ABLES

MMIGRANTS SENT BACK TO EUROPE FROM WINNIPEG

A NOTORIOUS CALGARY WOMAN IS AMONG THOSE DEPORTED

Winnipeg, Feb. 22—A number of undesirable immigrants were sent east last night on their way to St. John from which port they will be shipped back by steamer to their former homes in Europe. It is reported three persons were under guard of officers of the department, who will see that they are actually sent out of the country and that the burden of their support and maintenance is placed where it properly be ongs.

Among those sent back to England was a young woman who several months ago figured most prominently in a rape case in Calgary; she accused a resident of that city and was kept under surveillance by

in Calgary; she accused a resident of that city and was kept under surveillance by the department of immigration. It was finally decided that in accordance with the law, she could not be permitted to remain in the country and en order was given that she be sent back to the part of Great Britain from which she had come

ALBERTA COLLERIES

Now Working To Full Capacity.-Plenty of Cars Supplied. Frank, Feb. 21.—The Hillerest mine, which was shut down several days ago, has resumed operations, the C. P. R. having furnished cars for shipment of

The C. A. C. & C. Co. are now work-The C. A. C. & C. Co. are now working full time and shipping about 700 tons tons per day, plenty of cars being furnished by the C.P. R., also the Canadian Colliers Co. of Lille and Belleview. Mr. Whiteside of the Canadian Collieries Co., Mr. Galer, of the International Coal Co., and Mr. Moor of the C. A. C. & C. Co., have gone to Edmonton to interview the Alberta legislature regarding the coal mine operations and the eight hour system.

ELECTIONS IN RUSSIA Over Four Hundred Returns Received.
Monarchists Make Gains

St. Petersburg, Feb. 29—Yesterday's re-turns from the national elections show no-change in the already established proper-

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tion of the returned delegates. The right party continues to make fractional gains at the expense of the constitutional democrats. Twelve peasants returned from the province of Padola are most illiterate and swell the number of indefinites. At E o'clock this morning the returns showed that 356 members of parliament had been elected, namely, 63 monarchists; 22 octobrists and moderates; 21 progressives; 65 consututional democrats, 150 of the left party; 30 nationalists and 22 indefinites. The small number of former members of parliament re-elected is attracting attention. Out of 300 former delegates, who were fairly eligible, barely 25 up to the present time, have been elected. Fromiment leaders of the left party deny that they intend to hasten the wrecking of parliament. tion of the returned delegates. The right

St. Petersburg, Feb. 22—The returns received today bring the total number of members elected up to 410. The monarchists have made the greatest gains, 12 sents, but they attain their full strength as an overwhelming proportion of the 106 members yet to be elected will assuredly be of

BARROOM ALTERCATION.

Logger Stabs Another Man, Inflicting: Serious Injuries.

Vancouver, Feb. 22.—During a bar-reem altercation at the Queen's hotel this morning, James Graham, a logger, attacked Alex Forbes, a laborer, with a clasp knife, wounding his victim severely in the abdomen. Graham was captured after a fierce tussle with two conbes is now lying in the city hospital.

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NAMES ARE

Appointments Made to lice and License Commissions

Ald. Annable and Wm. Irvine on F Aid. Rose and D. M. McDona on Latter

(Special to The Daily News). Victoria, March 1.—The following pointments were gazetted today: LICENSING COMMISSION

Nelson—Ald. Rose, D. M. Mc Kaslo—Ald. Power, Leander Ymir—George F. Weir, Trail; Kelley, Nelson; Mitchell Tait, Inspector, Bullock-Webster Revelstoke—Ald. Tremble,

Grand Forks-Ald. McCallum, Grand Forks District-Robert tosh, I. C. Macdonald, T. Newby spector, I. Dinsmore. Greenwood-Ald. Desrosiers,

Fleming. Greenwood District-J. R. J. Anaconda; T. Hardy, Midway; A. art. Inspector, G. Cunningham. Fernie District—R. J. Cole, michael, E. L. Wrigglesworth. Sandon—Ald. Ross, J. E. Phillip Cranbrook District—A. Doyle, J Hill, D. Spiers. Inspector, F. R.

Ainsworth District—A. M. Craig, Denver; W. Lawson, Sandon Moore, Kaslo. Inspector, Bullock-

windermere District—J. C. Pitts, dermere; A. Green and J. M. Mc Wilmer. Inspector, Colin Cameron Siocan District—J. C. Harris, Denver; W. Lawson, Sandonh; O'Neill, Slocan, Inspector, J. Bla POLICE COMMISSIONERS

olson—Ald. Annable, William Islo—Ald. Power, Leander Hi and Forks—Ald. McCallum, Greenwood—Ald. Sutherland,

THAW TRIAL DRAGS

ilton, K.C.

ALIENIST STILL UNDER JERO CROSS-EXAMINATION

ADMITS THAT THAW MAY H

New York, March 1.—The insant adolescence, paranola, and the chi teristics of "brain storms" occupied sessions of the Thaw trial today, when adjournment was taken Monday morning Dr. Britton Evans of the alienists for the defence, still under cross-examination. attorney Jerome's motives in fing the witness were somewhat ing the witness were somewhat baf The greater part of the time he was sirous of having Dr. Evans qualit admit that Thaw suffered from para which is practically uncurable. Fit the prosecutor wanted to know if actions of a person suffering from "storm" or mental explosion, woul characterised by the calm, delip manner which Thaw displayed the inhe shot Stanford White to death or Madison Square roof garden. The results of the day appeared to be Mr. Jerome is still laying a founds upon which he may ask for a comsion in lunacy to judge of the premental condition of the defendant. Even to the extent of greatly fatig

sion in lunacy to judge of the pre
mental condition of the defendant.
Even to the extent of greatly fatig
the judge and jury, the prosecuting
torney dwelt upon adolescent inse
and paranola, endeavoring to esta
a relationship between the two. At
he was rewarded by Dr. Evans admit
that the defendant's will and codici
suggest to his mind a paranola for
adolescent insanity. Adolescent in
ity, it had been explained, is commo
persons during the developmental
iod of life, from ten to twenty
years, while paranola is insanity
one subject, monomania.

Mr. Jerome began to question
Evans about his knowledge of othe
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mental explosion, killed her two "How long has she been in the lum?" asked Mr. Jerome sharply.
"One year."

"Is she cured?"
(It has been but eight months
"Thaw shot Stanford White.) Dr. Evans said the woman she signs of improvement and that he lusions are not so marked, but s

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