of any contract, concession, decree or enactment.

(c). To lend money to such parties and
on such terms, with or without security, as
may seem expedient, and in particular to
customers of and persons having dealings
with the Company; and to guarantee the
performance of contracts by members of,
or companies or persons having dealings,
with the Company, and to draw, accept, endorse, discount, issue, buy, sell and deal
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(p.) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the Company in such manner and upon such terms as may seem expedient, and to secure the payment thereof by redeemable or irredeemable bonds, debentures, or debenture stock (such bonds, debentures, or debenture stock being made-payable to bearer or otherwise, and issuable or payable either at par or at a premium or discount), or by mortgages, sortpeertificates, bills of exchange or promissory notes, or by any other instrument, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes to charge all or any part of the property of the Company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital; and to allot the shares of the Company, or determines stock issued by the Company, as the whose or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the Company, or fer any valuable consideration.

(q) To make donations to such persons.

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(q.) To make donations to such persons and in such cases and either of eash or other assets, as may be thught directly or indirectly conductive to any of the Company's objects or otherwise expendient; and to subscribe or guarantee money for charitable or benevotent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general or otherobject, and to establish or support or aid in the establishment or support of associations, institutions, conveniences, funds and trusts calculated to benefit any of the employees or exemployees of the Company, or the dependents, or connections of such persons, and to grant pensions and allowances, and to make payments towards insurances and apply the money of the Company in any way. In or towards the establishment, maintenance or extension of any association, institution or fund for protection of the interests of masters owners, and employers against loss by bad debts, strikes, workmen's combinations, fire accidents or otherwise, or for insuring or re-insuring with any Company, firm, or person, any risks, guarantees, or obligation undertaken by the Company, or to which it may be-subject.

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(a.) To dispose of by sale, lease, underlease; exchange, surrender, mortgage or otherwise, absolutely, conditionally or for any limited interest, all of any part of the undertaking, property, rights or pridleges of the Company as a going concern or otherwise, to simp public body, company, society or association, or to any person or persons for such considerations as the Company may think fit, and in particular any stock, shares, debentures, seculties, or property of any other company.

(b) To promote or form, or assist in the promotion or formation of any other company or companies, either for the purpose of acquiring, working, or otherwise dealing with all or any of the property, rights and liabilities of this Company, or any property in which this company is interested, or for any other purpose, with power to assist such company or companies by paying or contributing towards the particular for the company or companies or by baking or subscribing for shares, preferred, ordnary, or departed therein, or by lending money thereto upon debentures, securities, property of otherwise, and further, to pay out of the funds of the Company all expenses.

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(ii.) To obtain, or in any way assist to obtaining, any Provincial Order or Act of Parliament, or other necessary authority for enabling this or any other company to refrecting any modification of this or any other company constitution; to procure this or any other company so constitution; to procure this or any other company so constitution; to procure this or any other company in any Pritish Colony or Dependency, or in any foreign country, and to allocate any number of the shares in this or any other company to such each of the control of the property or assets of the company and the property or through agents, contractors, manageme, tustoes or trustees, personal or corporate to hold any property on behalf of the Compa

(x) Do all such other things as are incidental or may be thought conductive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "Company" in this Memorandum, when applied otherwise that to this Company, shall be deemed to include any particership or other body of persons, whether corporate or unincorporate and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and the objects specified in each of the paragraphs of this Memorandum shall be regarded as independent objects, and accordingly shall be in no wise limited or restricted (except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph by reference to the objects indicated in any other paragraph, of the name of the company, but may be carried out in as full and ample a manner, and construct in as wide a sense, as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects of a separate, distinct, and independent Company. (x.) Do all such other things as are in-

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# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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NELSON, B. C. SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 29, 1908

VANCOUVER, Aug. 28.—On account of rain the baseball match between Butte and Vancouver today was postponed.

# **Provincial Government Will** Grant \$35,000

WILL EXCHANGE BUILDING SITES WITH THE CITY OF FERNIE-THE ELECTRIC LIGHT SERVICE UNDER CONSIDERATION-REAL

FERNIE, Aug. 28.—The city council FERNIE, Aug. 28.—The city council held a meeting tonight in the temporary civic building and several matters of importance were discussed and dealt with. A communication from W. R. Poss. M. P. P., was read by the mayor, informing the council that premier McBride and his colleagues in Victoria, had decided to grant to the city of Fernie the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars for the following purposes. Public school, \$25,000; city buildings, \$5,00; sidewalks and streets, \$5,000. The government also expressed their willingness to meet the wishes of the city in the matter of exchanging building in the matter of exchanging building sites. The new provincial buildings to be erected on the school site and the city hall to occupy the lot lately occupied by the court house; the public school to be built in the north end of the town. The question of an electric large ways also taken an and the school to be built in the north end of the town. The question of an electric light service was also taken up and the council was addressed by L. P. Eckstein barrister, on behalf of clients who were prepared to instal a system if the municipality did not wish to undertake the establishment of a plant. He requested that a committee of the council be appointed, before whom he could submit a proposition, and discuss the matter. A committee was appointed for the purpose and the proposition laid before them, but nothing of a definite nature was decided on. Several building permits were granted and the extension of the fire limits was discussed, it being decided to add several blocks to the present limits. The council then adjourned.

A co-operative store is to be opened here immediately, the building being already nearing completion. The store is most conveniently situated on the main business street and the promptives are sparing no effort to make it up-to-date in all particulars.

in all particulars.

The foundations of the new brewery are completed and the superstructure will be rushed up as rapidly as possible.

A prominent hotel proprietor was A prominent note: proprietor was summoned before the magistrate vesterday charged with selling liquor on his premises, and the case being proved, a fine of one hundred dollars and costs

was imposed.

Judge Wilson arrived in town this Judge Wilson arrived in fown this evening from Cranbrook and held court in the new provincial building.

Real estate is more active than it has ever been in the history of the city, and prices of city property have advanced considerably. The demand for lots in every section of the town is unprecedented and land in the immediate vicinity of the town is being eagerly taken up.

### TORONTO RIFLE RANGES.

# Members of the Western Contingent Are

Making Good \* TORONTO, Aug. 28 .- Only two pos-TORONTO, Aug. 28.—Only two possibles were made in the Tait-Brassey match yesterday and those with the Ross rifle, conditions not being favorable to good scoring. Possibles were made by corporal McInnes, of Edmonton and lieutenant Mortimer of Otawa. Corporal McInnes, of Edmonton, with a total score of 97 out of a possible 105 in the Tait-Brassey match, came sixth, winning \$8.

Capt. Forrest and lieutenant Cunning

couver, taking seventh and eighth places respectively, with scores of 95 each, won \$7 each. Sergt W. A. Smith of the Governor General foot guards, Ottawa, was the star performer, who out of seven shots made five bullseyes.

### HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

### Conclusion of Thirty-Sixth Annual Meeting.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—The thirty-sixth annual meeting of the American Public Health association is over and the members go away with very pleasar members go away with very pleasant recollections of Winnipeg, judging by the strong resolution which was passed this morning and which especially flattered Dr. R. M. Simpson, chairman of the provincial board of health; E. M. Wood, the able secretary of that body, and Dr. A. J. Douglas, the city health officer. The election of officers was also very complimentary to Winnipeg, as Dr. Simpson was elected the first vicepresident with a probable succession to the presidential chair another year. The most important business today be-yord the election of officers was the yond the election of officers was the selection of the next place of meeting. Richmond, Va., has secured this honor, on the recommendation of the advisory council passed this morning. Another matter to which the association attaches particular importance is the following resolution: "Resolved by the American orgress, the passage of such legislation as is intended to enlarge the scope and increase the efficiency of the public health and marine hospital. To this

end the association believes the power of the service should be increased, that provision should be made for the re-tirement under pay of the members of the service, and that the salaries of the said members should be made consurate with the medical service army. The secretary shall send a copy of this resolution to the chairman of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce and the correspond-

foreign commerce and the corresponding committee in the senate."

A great number of very interesting papers were read today. They included several of especial local interest. Those on typhoid in Manitoba were by Drs. Pierce, Simpson and Douglas. Dr., Gordon Bell's paper on "Hydatid disease in Manitoba" was rather of technical more than of public interest. Another local paper of interest was that by Dr. J. H. O'Donnell, Winnipeg, on "The diseases of the northwest and interior with sanitary regulations."

The following officers were elected: President, Dr. Gardner T. Swarts, Providence, R. I.; first vice president, Dr. Simpson, Winnipeg; second vice president, Dr. Jesus Chicot, Mexico City; third vice president, major Chas.

City; third vice president, major Chas. City; third vice president, major Chas. F. Mason, U. S. army; secretary, Dr. Chas. O. Urobst, Columbus, Ohio; treasurer, Dr. Frank W. Wright, New Haven, Conn.

### TRADE IMPROVING.

Bradstreets Reports General Activity
Throughout Canada.

MONTREAL, Aug. 28.—Bradstreets' statement of trade tomorrow will say: In Canada trade is improving, though more or less conservatism in buying is still visible. At Montreal, wholesale trade is moderate, but the signs point to coming activity. Business failures number 27, as against 39 last week and

29 in this week a year ago.

Montreal ... \$30,156,000 inc. 3.10

Toronto ... 21,825,000 inc. 14.2

Winnipeg ... 8,697,000 de. 18.9

Vancouver, B. C. 3,889,000 Winnipeg 8,697,000 de 18.9
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Ottawa, Ont. 3,901,000 inc. 3.3
Quebec 1,982,000 inc. 3.7
Halifax, N. S. 1,540,000 de 11.0
Hamilton, Ont. 1,270,000 de 7.3
Calgary, Aita. 1,290,000
St. John, N. B. 1,255,000 de 49
London Offit London, Ont. ..... Victoria, B. C. .... Edmonton, Alta. ...

# ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

FOR ARREST AND CONVICTION OF MIDWAY MURDERERS. CRAND FORKS, Aug. 2. W. J. De-

crand forks, Aug ... W. J. Dewitt, chief provincial constable, has caused the following to be posted in this city in connection with the murder of Charles T. Thomet at Mdway on Tuesday evening.

A reward of one thousand dollars is offered by the provincial government for the arrest and conviction of the two masked men who murdered Charles T. Thomet in his hotel at Midway, B. C., on Tuesday night, the 25th August. The holdup men are described as follows: One tall man about five feet eleven inches in height, one hundred and eighty pounds in weight, forty years of age, dark hair and complexion, with smooth face and wearing dark coat, soft felt hat, overal's and hohnailed boots. One small chubby man about five feet five inches in height, one hundred and forty-five pounds in weight, thirty-five years of age, dark hair and complexion, with smooth face and wearing dark clothes, cap and plain solid boots. One man injured and wearing dark clothes, cap and plain soled boots. One man injured.

## A CORDIAL WELCOME.

Thousands Enthusiastically Greet the

QUEEN CLIFF, Victoria, Aug. 28.— Rear admiral Sperry's flagship, the Con-necticut, entered Port Phillips Heads at 11:20 o'clock this morning with the other fifteen battleships trailing slowly be-hind, and started on the chirty mile trip up Port Phillips bay for Malbourne city. The last of the ships passed into the headlands at 11:35 o'clock. The morning broke cool and the sky was overcast, but as the day advanced the weather brightened up and as the fleet entered Port Phillips Heads, brilliant sunshine vield with the thousands on

sunshine vied with the thousands on shore in giving the great white fleet a warm welcome. Queen's Cliff, which commands the Heads, was densely crowded with poeple who viewed with awe and wonder the entrance of the American atmada into the bay. Frequent special trains from Melbourne and other centers had brought thousands of

the shore and a vast excursion fleet the entire thirty miles to the anchorage grounds. The weather was beautiful. Shortly after the Connecticut anchored rear admiral Sperry and his staff came ashore and paid an official visit to the honorable sir Reginald A. J. Talbot, governor of Victoria, who soon afterwards returned the visit aboard the Connecticut. Melbourne today is a city of waving flags and bunting.

APPOINTMENT

and while the police will not say that she is detained as a witness they lead inquirers to believe that such is the case. Relatives today gave out a statement in which they said that Mr. Roberts came here to see J. Oher. Norris on business and that the board with a came in the board

must be approved by the governor general in council.

Labor department statistics show that during July, industrial accidents happened to 282 individual workers in Canada, 92 proving fatal and 191 resulting in serious injuries.

During July, there were fewer trade disputes than in June or July of preceding year, being ten as against fourteen in June and thirty in praceding July. Seventy-five firms and 1,394 individuals were affected. Definite settlements were reached in seven cases. The number of working days lost was twenty-one thousand as compared with eighty-one thousand as compared with eighty-one thousand in July, 1907.

Department of the interior statistics show a decrease of 45 homestead entries during the first half of the year as compared with the corresponding period last year. The figures are 13,749 as against 14,154. American settlers head the list with 908; English next, 461; Ontario 484, being third.

The Canadian trade commissioner at London, advises Canadian importers that men the occasion of their first

London, advises Canadian importers that upon the occasion of their first transaction with British order houses, they should make a point of informing they should make a point of informing shippers of the existence of customs certificate regulations. Hardly a week passes, during which he does not receive visits from shippers, whose goods are being delayed owing to the absence of certified invoices, as required by the Canadian custom authorities.

There is a probability of Canada being given preference in the markets of the Leeward islands mentioned in his report to the department of trade and commerce by E. H. S. Flood, Ganadian trade agent in Barbadoes. Mr. Flood

commerce by E. H. S. Flood, Canadian trade agent in Barbadoes. Mr. Flood prevails in the islands and an effort is being made by the legislature to induce the different islands to agree to a rearrangement of the tariff so as to give Canada the benefit of preferential duties. The great bulk of present importations come from Britain and the United States, and is steadily growing.

ROBBERY OR REVENGE?

RIVAL THEORIES AS TO BALTI MORE TRAGEDY.

MYSTERY STILL ATTENDS SOLU TION OF PROBLEM.

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 28.—Refusing

other centers had brought thousands of persons to Queen's Cliff and these with the residents in the vicinity made up a crowd of 20,000 people who all enthusiastically greeted the Americans.

MELBOURNE, Aug. 28.—The United States Atlantic battleship fleet under command of rear admiral Sperry, anchored in Port Phillips bay this evening after an uneventful voyage from Sydney. After passing Port Phillips Heads at 11:20 o'clock this morning the ships received a continuous ovation from the shore and a vast excursion fleet the entire thirty miles to the anchorage to accept the stories to the effect that

authorities accept such statements as a reflection on the manner in which board walk strollers are protected.

The wounded man's condition is stiff considered dangerous and the physicians will not probe for the bullet in his liver until his condition improves. Mrs. eludes the events for which liberal williams is still at the hotel Brighton purses have been put up.

TWO KILLED.

NO FOUNDATION.

# Interest Is Now Centered in Wheat Grop

STEEL LAYING ON THE GOOSE J. McKAY, K. C., TO BE THE CON-SERVATIVE CANDIDATE FOR PRINCE ALBERT.

SASKATOON, Sask., Aug. 28.—The first sample of this season's locally grown wheat arrived in town today. The

which a great deal of interest is now centered.

It is expected that the steel laying on the Goose Lake line will be resumed about the beginning of next week, the work having been suspended early this month owing to lack of rails. About thirty-five miles are now laid, and freight trains are running with full cargoes of such general material as goes to the building up of the flourishing little towns already punctuating the new line

It is reported here today by a prom-

Albert that James McKay, K. C., will probably stand as conservative candidate at the coming Dominion elections. It is thought extremely likely that he will be nominated at the convention to be held on the 17th of September. If he is nominated he will accept.

The financial district meeting of the Saskatoon district Methodists convened in Third Avenue church on the 26th and 2th of August. This district extends from Waterous on the east to Perdue on the west, and from Davidson to Hague. The ministers and probationers attended almost to a man, but the harvest season was not favorable to a large attendance of laymen. The time of the convention was largely consumed in the arrangement of grants for outlying mission stations and the fixing of assessments.

Winnipeg Contractor Mill Erect Mining Company's Store.

(Special to The Daily News.)
FERNIE, Aug. 28.—John Dunlop, who has held the position of government immigration officer between MacLeod and the international boundary line for the past two years, has been transferred to the American side. Mr. Dunlop will now have charge of the territory between Kingsgate and Spokane.

The contract for the Crow's Nest mining company's building has been let to a Winnipeg contractor, and work wift be rushed forward till its completion. They expect to occupy it about December. When completed it will be one of the finest in the west.

The weather for the past two days has been decidedly cool. A large amount of rain has fallen and it still continues cloudy. World Issues Writ Suing the Province VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—Because of a statement published by the Province newspaper yesterday, stating that the World would not support the liberal party unless it got a bonus of \$35,000, the World today issued a writ suing the Province for \$50,000 damages. The Chicago, Milwankee and St. Paul rallway, which is now rapidly extending its lines to Puget sound, is said to be behind a deal for the purchase of the water front property owned by E. H. Heaps and company, lumber and shingle manufacturers. An option has been granted, the sum said to be \$750,000.

# Touring Western Canada Doing Ed NCREASE IN FRUIT CROP

monton Yesterday.

EDMONTON, Aug. 28.—A party of 23 members of the National Editorial association of the United States, arrived in the city by special train over the C. N. R. at 12 o'clock today, and will re-

COUNTRY DISTRICTS.

The fruit crop of the Okanagan, says the Victoria Colonist, will be fifty per cent larger this season than in any previous year, according to R. M. Palmer, provincial commissioner of horticulture, who has just returned from a tour of that section. Mr. Palmer attended the Western Canadian Irrigation convention at Vernon after which he visited Summerland, Peachland, Penticton, Okanagan Centre, and Kampools. Everywhere he says that the fruit crop is in very good condition, and the prospects for the fruit industry of the best.

"The fruit crop is in splendid shape," said Mr. Palmer. "When I was in Okanagan, peaches were being shipped daily in car lots, while early apples and plums were also beginning to go out in car

Crossing the Track and Run Over by a Light Engine.

KENORA, Aug. 28.—Last night the remains of two Galicians, whose names are unknown, were brought here from Deception where they were run over by an engine while crossing the track just outside the station. A work train was standing still at that point and as the two men crossed behind the caboose, an engine came up on the other track and caught them, throwing them ten feet away. One was killed instantly, his skull being crushed, while the other died within twenty minutes. They were each about 30 years of age. in car lots, while early apples and plums were also beginning to go out in car load lots. From now on these shipments will increase. The prices being obtained this year rule somewhat lower than last, but the demand is increasing and the fruit growers should have a good year. The cause of the lowered price is the unusually keen American competition. The American fruit markets are not in a satisfactory state this year, with the result that more fruit finan usual is be-F. W. Morse Cannot Understand Where Report Originated.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—There is no foundation for the rumored appointment of G. W. Browniee as assistant to vice president and general manager F. W. Morse, of the Grand Trunk Pacific. This was the announcement made this morning by Mr. Morse on his arrival in the city. Mr. Morse said that he could not understand where the report originated.

think it was found possible to spare so much fruit this year. Then there is the United Kingdom. There is an unlimited market there for high grade fruit, and some of the larger Okanagan firms are contemplating making shipments to England this year.

"Then again the northwest has 250,000 additional customers each year, which is one of the reasons why the question of distribution of the crop is such a vital one. With fresh consumers and fresh dealers, both wholesale and retail, springing up every year, in the prairie, the question of marketing is one which requires both wisdom and care and not a little enterprise. It constitutes, I think, one of the most important problems in the fruit industry at the present moment.

"The fruit industry, like everything else, has its difficulties to face and its problems to solve, but, speaking broadly, everything seems in a most prosperous condition. The young orchards are coming up well. In fact those in the Coldstream valley, at Penticton and Summerland are in splendid shape and could hardly be improved upon."

### VICTORIA CONSERVATIVES.

VICTORIA, Aug. 28.—The conservative convention to name a candidate in
this city for the next dominion elections
will be held on September 3th.

The Holt liner Bellerophon arrived today from Yokohama and landed 172
Chinese. The steamer broke the record for the line, making the voyage in
11 days, 22 hours and 16 minutes. She
left immediately for the Sound, but will
return on Tuesday and unload 1,800
tons of general cargo.

# CAROLINA AND GEORGIA

ESTIMATED ABOUT 100 LIVES ARE LOST.

ATLANTA, Aug. 28.—With the number of dead estimated at a hundred, the financial loss placed at from two to five million dollars, the floods of the past week throughout the Carolinas and Georgia have been the most severe ever experienced in the history of these states. Citles have been submerged, business demoralized, stocks of goods covered with slime, house furniture ruined, and buildings undermined and collapsed. Hundreds of acres of land have been wiped clean of growing crops, while other hundreds are covered with sand and slime, and practically ruined. Travel by railroad is impossible, and many will suffer for food and shelter before all can be located. Twenty-two dead bodies have been recovered at Augusta and more corpses are being found every hour. Atlanta has started a relief work for her nearest sister city, Augusta, and will rush a carload of food and supplies to that city tomorrow.

cannot leave their houses have not tasted food since Wednesday night. Many believe it will yet be necessary to ask aid of the outside world.

FAYETTEVILLE, Aug. 28—Cape Fear river has reached a height of 79 feet here, breaking all records of former floods. Houses and bridges have been swept away for miles around, and the estimated damage to the oat and corn crop will go beyond thirty-five per cent. The greater portion of Fayetteville is covered with water backed up from the covered with water packed up from the river a mile and a half distant. Three thousand people are homeless here. In the country there are thousands of people homeless, and an appeal was issued today for relief by the chairman of the county commissioners. No trains have entered or left the city for the past entered or left the city for the past three days. The food supply is short, eggs are seiling at a dollar a dozen, and vegetables are held at four times their value.

## FIVE MEN KILLED.

The Warren Run Colliery the Scene A Serious Accident.

The American fruit markets are not in a satisfactory state this year, with the result that more fruit than usual is being sent into Canada.

"The old orchards are bearing more fruit than ever this year, while many of the young ones are beginning to give returns, so between the two the statement that the Okanagan fruit crop will be fifty per cent greater this year than last; is probably about right. The C. P. R. is giving special attention to the fruit trade, and is making every effort to do what it can in the way of supplying an adequate quantity of cars promptly.

"The increase in the fruit output will go on getting larger each year as the newer orchards grow up, but I don't think there is any danger of outstripping the demand. New markets are opening up. For instance this year the australian trade offered to take 40,000 foxes or 80 car loads of apples of a certain grade this year, although I don't taln grade this year, although I don't ta

# G. P. R. Capable of Handling **All Traffic**

# OFFICIALS TOURING WEST

NEARLY ONE MILE A MINUTE IS MAINTAINED OVER PRAIRIE ROAD BED BY A SPECIAL TRAIN -ENCOURAGING WESTERN IN

CALGARY, Aug. 28.—A party of C. P. R. officials, consisting of second vice president W. R. MacInnes, general freight traffic manager of the C. P. R. system, and W. B. Lanigan, assistant freight traffic manager, spent yesterday in the city. It is the policy of Mr. MacInnes to visit the manufacturing establishments of the country on his annual trips and yesterday afternoon the party drove out to East Calgary and looked over the cement works, the abbatoir, and other industrial establishments. In this way they keep in touch with the industrial life of the west.

The rallway company, he said, is better prepared than ever before for handling the large grain crop, and he does not anticipate the slightest trouble in getting the grain to market expeditiously. The road bed never was in better condition for heavy traffic. As evidence of this, he instanced the fact that a few days ago a special train of the Winnipeg grain dealers association made the run from Portage la Prairie to Winnipeg, a distance of 56 miles, in exactly one hour.

When asked in regard to raliway construction in the west, Mr. Peters said, considerable extension is being done

AUGUSTA, Aug. 28.—The water at Augusta is receding rapidly and as the water leaves the streets it is apparent that the loss has been under estimated. In addition to the disasters already reported several large mills and wholesale houses report damage running into the hundreds of thousands in the aggregate. As the water goes further down it is feared that further damage will be revealed. Twenty-two bodies have been recovered and corpses are being found every hour or so. The Chronicle estimates the death list at sixty. The citizens in the city of Augusta and the border hills are in special session and have taken measures to relieve the distressed. In some parts people who cannot leave their houses have not tasted food since Wednesday night. they did that so as to get Mrs. Davis to go in search of her husband, when they hoped to rob the house. Mrs. Davis expressed no concern however, and the two men soon left. Davis' dead body was not discovered in the pasture until nearly midnight on Wednesday. Hill was in Oneonta last night and it is thought that he went from there towards Kingston. Officers are searching for him and it is expected he will soon be arrested. The authorities have been looking for him and Underhill for some time, they have been suspected of several robberies in Oneonta and Bambridge. The revolver found in Davis' hand was stolen from a house that was robbed a few nights ago, and Underhill had another revolver in his possession when arrested that is claimed was stolen in one of these robberies.

### A CLOUDBURST.

Does Serioues Damage in a New Mexico

Town.

TRINIDAD, Aug. 28.—A flood in the Cimmaron river following a cloudburst, washed away a number of dwellings at Folsom, N. M., tonight. Fifteen persons are reported to have been drowned. Eleven bodies have been recovered. Ten miles of track and twelve bridges on the Colorado and Southern railway were washed out and trains have been laid out 48 hours.

Seven Years After.

HAMILTON, Aug. 28.—Police stable Barron was shot near the of J. Bidwell Mills in 1903. The

SUSSEX, Aug. 28.—Dr. D. H. McAllister was chosen at the überal convention today to oppose George Fowler, M. P.

Steamship Co in its efforts to secure the

betterment—with a renewal of the sub-sidy— of the existent Canadian-Australi-

in line, there is every prospect that that line, as well as the present American-

Asiatic lines, will have a new and pow-

erful rival upon the completion to the Pacific seaboard of the Grand Trunk

Pacific road, which necessarily must have its own ocean connections and its

ed to, once it comes into consideration as a factor in the commerce of the

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

Was Burned in Conflagration in April

-Was Being Repaired.

foot brick wall for a building for which is being erected in Chelsea Square to re-place one burned in the fire last April

collapsed today and buried more than a score of workmen. Three bodies were taken in the first half hour and fifteen

work of rescue began in

restigation.

Ten minutes before the wall collapsed

for timber and that it was badly under

FLOODS IN THE SOUTH.

Part of South Carolina Fears Repetiti

of 1903.

COLUMBIA, Aug. 25.—Reports received tonight from Spartanburg and Anderson counties tell of unprecendented rains in the Piedmont section of S.

Carolina resulting in great damage t

property, forcing power plants to clos down, thus cutting off the source of power of a number of cotton mills, elec-

tric light plants and other enterprises.

A telephone message from Camden, S. C., says that the toll bridge over the

C., says that the toll bridge over the Watersee river near that place was washed away by floods today carrying with it about twenty-five people. Meagre reports say that the dead number eight. Telegraph lines in that section are down and communication is difficult.

Ran Ashore.

St. John, Aug. 28—A Campbellton dis-patch states that the British steamer Domfra, bound for Cork with lumber,

went ashore at Battery point last night. The steamer is resting easily and it is expected will be floated without much

CHELSEA, Mass., Aug. 25 .- A thirty-

# OF GOOD HOPF

It is to be regretted that the Fernie disaster has had a bad effect on the smelters and mines of the Kootenay This may be noted from the falling off in the shipments which are lower this week than they have been for months past. The Dominion Cop-per Co., has closed its smelter altogether for the present until it can be assured of a regular supply of coke, and generally, whether Rossland, the Boundary or the Slocan is considered, there is a marked falling off in the

This may be considered as wholly the course of record breaking, to which the public got accustomed in the early summer months will no doubt be re-

There are more properties at the present day working and with better hopes than has been the case for a long time, and mining men are quietly convinced that within a few months this revival of mining will have assumed such proportions that it will be

sumed such proportions that it will be noticeable even to the pessimist.

There have been several strikes of some moment recorded of late but none of them have exceeded in phenonemal richness the find upon the new vein of the Granite mine. Nothing like it has ever been discovered before in the country and with such prizes in view it is no wonder that the hopeful-ness of the day is growing more and more marked. nts from the various min

e shipments from the various mines receipts at the smelters for the past k and year to date were:

	BOUNDARY SHIPMENTS.	
	Mine Week	Year
	Granby	672,374
	Mother Lide 9,374	108,599
ii)	Oro Denore 3,520	36,308
	Other Mines	22,053
	사용하는 100mm (1.50mm) 전투 기계를 보고 있다면 보고 있다면 보고 있다. 100mm (1.50mm) 1.50mm (1.50mm) 1.50mm (1.50mm) 1.50mm (1.50mm)	-
	Total	839,334
	ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS	
	Centre Star 3,064	107,906
	Le Roi	48,955
	LA ROI NO. Z	18,767
	Other Mines	192
Section.	Total 4,694	176,508
	SLOCAN-KOOTENAY SHIPME	
	St. Eugene 620	13,779
	Whitewater, milled 280	9,380
	Poorman milled 250	7,600
	195	6,095
	North Star 71	2,278
	Billebell	835 21,618
	Other Mines	21,618
	Total	61,585
£	The total shipments for the wee	k were
	34,902 tons and for the year to date	1,077,427
	tons.	
		TO
	GRANBY SMELTER RECEIF Grand Forks, B. C.	
	Granby15,769	672,374
- 500	B. C. COPPER CO.'S RECEIF Greenwood, B. C.	TS
	9.274	108 599

147.44

CONSOLIDATED CO.'S RECEIPTS
Trail, B. C. 107,904 18,767 13,779 13,493 7,420 4,354 2,278 St. Eugene.... Snow Storm.... War Eagle (Kamloops). Total..... 5,294 181,968

LE ROI SMELTER RECEIPTS Northport, Wash. Total..... 1,406 53,258 The total smelter receipts for the week were 35,363 tons and for the year to date 1,062,304.

# **ALLY AGAINST JAPANESE**

UNITED STATES TO MAKE PACT

HOW LITTLE BROWN MEN MAY BE

The New York Herald is filling in "the silly season" with an agitation for an alliance between the United States and China which shall be frankanti-Japanese in character. is getting too strong, that it is inating China and threatening the prestige of the United States, and that consequently the United States and China had better stand together and resist it, The Chinese minister in Washington is kept busy dodging leading questions on the subject and denying that he has said anything of im-

That the United States and China should seek more friendly relations with each other, is surely to be desired. Just the other day the Asiatic question the Pacific coast, with its mob assaults upon Asiatics, was purely a Chinese question. The Japanese were so small a proportion of the invading hosts from Asia that they were not even named in the dispatches. It was against 'Chinese cheap labor" that the "hoodlums" rioted and the agitators declaimed-and the self-respecting labor unions portested. This has recently been met by a boycott of American goods in China. With Oriental humor, the Chinese picked up one of the weapons of

the American workingman, and struck vigorously back with it Thus there are questions unsettled between Washington and Pekin which might well be attended to. But that this rapproachment should take the of an anti-Japanese alliance, can hardly be granted so readily. Japan is the first power in Asia to show the hardly be granted so readily. Japan is the first power in Asla to show the effects of European teaching; and we were wont to be very proud of that fact before its victory over Russia lifted it to the status of a great power. But its conquest of itself and its ancient history is still as remarkable as it was before its conquest of Corea; and adjustification must have exceed. fore its conquest of Corea; and advanced civilization must have exceedingly good reasons before it can justify

has burned up brighter than we antici-

ted.
Then what possible reason is there to imagine that Japanese leadership is bad for China. It is a leadership which probably understands China better than any Occidental people can; and thus will make fewer mistakes in blazing out a path for it into the new day. It is not a leadership which can monopolize Chinese trade. The very industrial conditions of Japan forbid it. More than that, Japan has an ally upon whose sup-port much of its prestige is based; and that ally—Britain—would never consent to the closing of the open door into China on any excuse. All that Japan while allied with Britain, can do is to while allied with Britain, can do is to make of China a better market for outside goods; and then leave the traders of the world to compete for that market. In this competition, the American traders will have many advantages. They are just across the ocean; they are alert and adaptable; and they have a point of departure in the Philippines. Again, in what way woud an anti-

Japanese American alliance help China? Could it compel Japan to assume a less aggressive attitude at the points where the two nations come into contact?
This is probably what the Chinese would expect. They would ask to be would expect. They would ask to be restored to their old position as the undisputed master of Eastern Asia. Could the Americans accomplish this? It is difficult to see how. The Americans cans cannot dream of going to war for such a purpose; and yet in what other way could they compel a proud people like the Japanese to give up what they regard as the just rewards of their late hard-won victory. If the Americans dream of war, then far bigger questions arise. An American war alliance with China would become a European question; and no man can oretell what complications it might

But the gravest result of such an alliance would be the tearing to pieces of the present friendship between Bri-tain the United States and Japan as the three powers are agreed on their policy toward China. They want to awake her, and they want her trade to be open to all peoples. Opposed to them are the European powers who would prefer to livide China, and cut her trade up into a number of watertight compartments.

If the triple understanding between these three powers were to fall to pieces, and one of them were to attempt ion of one of the others, then the whose policy is division would recognize their opportunity. They would see that the Chinese-American alliance could only last if they approved; and they would demand their pound of Chi-nese flesh as the price of their approval. Thus the end would be the dismemberment of China and the exclusion of the American trader from many of the sections of the Chinese mar-

It is possible that the shrewd Chinese diplomats may play for American friendship by smiling vaguely upon the idea of an alliance. They may get betidea of an alliance. They may get better treatment for their people on the Pacific coast by such tactics. They may even get a shadowy club with which to threaten Japan. But they are not at all likely to put all their eggs in one basket; and a basket which half Europe must be bribed to leave alone.

STOCK FIRM SUSPENDS.

Brown & Co., New York Brokers, Are Forced to Close.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25 .- A. O. Brown NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A. O. Browl & So. suspended at the stock exchange today. It was one of the largest brokerage houses in the city, and announced their suspension at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The transactions of the firm in the remarkable stock market of last Saturday have been under investigation by the authorities of the exchange and today it was announced the transactions had been made for the account under the rule which provides that where a firm is unable to unable to deliver stock to another broker, the purchaser may buy in the

stock at the expense of the firm so failing to make delivery.

At the height of the boom markets several years ago Brown & Co. did an enormous business, said to have been larger than any other brokerage house at that time in the city. There were at one time branch offices in the city rank- and many others throughout the coun-try, but after the panic last fall many argument is that Japan of the out of town branches were closed. The firm was organized 1902, its members being A. O. Brown, L. Stout, E. F. Buchanan, S. C. Brown and W. R. Whitman. D W Noel, has and W. R. Whitman. D W Noel, has been named as assignee No statement of liabilities or assets is available as yet, but it is thought the figures will be large.

One of the representatives of the

firm said:

"The affairs are badly tangled and it was believed necessary we should sus-pend in order to straighten them out." E. F. Buchanan, a member Brown & Co. ,made a statement in regard to the firm's position just before going into conference with the assignee. He said he could give no idea of the liabilities or assets but the failure was not a serious one and the firm hoped to pay 100 cents on the dollar and resume operations before long.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Mayor of Hoboken Attacked by An Insane Man. NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Attacked by an insane man, armed with a knife in his office today, Mayor Steil, of Hoboken, had a narrow escape from dea and was saved by the arrival of his bodyguard, a detective, at a crucial mo-William Carmody, who was reman in pursuit just as a detective eny good reasons before it can justify if in trying to snuff out this first on a twilight continent, even if it

the route and cut down the time between Vancouver and Brisbane by one day at least. If the subsidy arrangement could have been made while sir James was at Ottawa, or if they could be completed before he leaves England, the orders for PHOENIX, Aug. 26.—The town of Midway, 12 miles from here, was the scene of a sensational holdup last night when Class L. Thomet of the Commercial hotel was shot and killed by highwaymen. Two masked men entered the hotel at nimo 'clock and at the point of a gun four mei including Thomet were told to throw ut their hands. Thomet being behind the baput his hand on a revolver and opened in with three shots on the intruders wound ing one. The strangers retallated with a equal number of shots, Thomet receiving a side door into a room. The desperadoe got into the room through another entrance and shot three more builtes into the bod of the dying man. They thom made the escape in the direction of Ferry, Washing ton, but from blood found on differen parts of the floor one or them is thought to be seriously wounded. Three other me besides Thomet including the local banks were in the bar at the time but no attac was made on them and the till was left utouched. Blood hounds are being brough the new steamers will be given immediately, and they will be ready for next year. It is difficult to say what the outcome will be of the negotiations respecting the subsidy, but sir James is still in communication with Ottawa. At present owing to the restricted carefully present, owing to the restricted capacity of the steamers on the run shinners are of the steamers on the run, shippers are not always certain of securing accom-modation, the trade is spasmodic in its volume, and sometimes ships will have to leave freight behind, while at other times they have not enough cargo to fill up on. However, with a fleet of 7,000 of 8,000 ton steamships that disability would be removed and there would be walk accompandation for the present ample accommodation for the present trade and for a considerable growth of trade between Canada and Australia. From what I have seen and the information I have gathered while in Canada, I am firmly of the opinion that both the export and import trade of Canada with Australia and New Zealand could with Australia and New Zealand could be worked up to a much greater volume than at present. If subsidy arrangements are concluded in the future on a basis satisfactory to all concerned, and which will enable larger and faster steamers to be put on the route, we will make a strong bid for a far greater volume of traffic than we now secure."

Whatever the success of the Union Steamship Co in its efforts to secure the hotel at Midway a few days ago. He kep himself fully armed and openly deflet rouble. The strangers were evidently after Thomet rather than after booty. Che saw, Greenwood and Midway have each been visited by holdups during the pasmonth and this is thought to be the worl of the same pair. Provincial constable Aston of Midway and Docksteader o Phoenix have been up the north fork this week working on the previous case.

A nassenger from Midway last night indicate that the motive was not re

venge but robbery.

Mr. Salter, proprietor of another hotel in Midya, was sitting upstairs in the evening about 9 o'clock, when he saw wo men, moving cautiously, approach-ing from the direction of the Chinese quarters on the flat near the river. He loaded a double barrelled shot gun, and summoned his brother from the bar, who also loaded a gun, and the pair waited. The strangers walked round the hotel, keeping carefully in the shade and then walked away. Mr. Salter did not get a good enough view to know whether they were masked or not. Ten minutes later he and his brother heard the shooting at the Commercial hotel minutes later he and his brother heard the shooting at the Commercial hotel which resulted in the death of Thomet. The crime, following on so many oth-ers of the same kind in Midway of recent date has cast a gloom over the town. The deceased, Charles Thomet, was very popular in Midway. He was about 47 years of age, and leaves a widow and five children, the eldest of whom is only 10 years old.

# INTER-COLONIAL TRADE

FASTER LINE TO ORIENT AND AN TIPODES.

SUBSIDY IS STILL SOUGHT FOR THIS PURPOSE.

VICTORIA, Aug. 27.—The officials of the Canadian-Australian line have not yet abandoned the idea of a much faster service to Australasian ports from Vancouver and this city, despite the fact that the Canadian government has refused to renew the subsidy beyond August of next year. J. C. Irons, resident manager of the company, says:

"Although the subsidy was not renewed and the present contract will expirenxt August, sir James Mills, who is now in England, has not abandoned the attempt to obtain a satisfactory renewal. That service will be continued is obvious, and that a better service is highly desirable is also well known. Sir James Mills, the managing director of the Understant of the

sirable is also well known. Sir James Mills, the managing director of the Union Steamship Co. of New Zealand, is still ready to enter into a contract for a term of three years, agreeing to give the contracts at once for two other high-speed liners, similar to the Makura, now being built for this trade. If the arrangement be made within three months, the contracts for the two new work of rescue began immediately. The months the contracts for the two nev steamers would be awarded at once, and the steamers be ready in time to establish the accelerated service with the bet ter steamers at the time the present arrangment is concluded. The Makura, which is now being completed at Glasgow, will be a vessel of 7,000 tons, with excellent accommodation for 200 saloon passengers, as well as accommodation for second and third class also. She will be one of the very finest passenger steamers in the Pacific trade, and has been built with special consideration for the requirements of the Canadian-Australian trade, for which she was speciall built on similar lines, if a contract can be secured for a term of three years or

R. McLennan of the Union Steamshi Co. of New Zealand, who accompanied sir James Mills to Ottawa, when the ap plication was made to the Canadia government for a renewal of the subsidy has just sailed for his New Zealand tric light plants and other enterprises. A repetition of the great flood of 1903 is feared tonight. It is reported that the great dam across Lawson's fork at Whitney mill, three miles north of Spartanburg, has gone down in the floods. Railroad transportation is at a standstill, the tracks being blocked by landslides and washouts. The rain is still falling in those sections of the state and further damage is feared. A telephone message from Camden, S. home. Prior to his departure Mr. Mc-

"In the nature of our business con nections with Canada it was essential that at headquarters we should know something of the detail of affairs in this country and as I had never been here, I decided that the opportunity af-forded by the visit of sir James Mills was a good one to accept, and since my arrival I have been travelling about con-stantly, getting in touch with things. The Canadian-Australian line is seeking an extension of the Canadian subsidy and while at Ottawa sir James Mills dis and while at Ottawa sir James Mills dis-cussed the matter with the government, alahough nothing we done beyond an extension of the exiting arrangement until August next, sing to the desire of the government of await develop-ments in the direct of seeking per-ferential trade with the trails. It was the desire of the complety to secure an extension of the subsidy for three or five years, a period of sufficient length to justify the building of larger and fas-ter steamers for the service between ter steamers for the service between Vancouver and Victoria and Sydney. It was proposed to put these steamers on

The potential wealth of sheep creek camp is now rapidly becoming known and appreciated. The town of Salmo is now enjoying a large transit traffic, the result of many parties of miners, mining experts and capitalists going to and returning from the gold properties in the valley. No expression of disappointment have yet been heard. Even the most cautious and reserved of experts warm with enthusiasm as they tell what they have seen and examined.

Johnston, formerly consulting engineer of the B. C. Copper company, are exam-ining a number of properties in the interest of western American capitalists whose attention has been drawn to the property by the recent visits of well known mining/men. Among the latter was Phil Flynn, of Denver, who has been associated with Mr. Johnston in many fields. Mr. Flynn was in the city about three weeks ago and, though he had lit-tle to say here, it has been learned since that his report to his principals was that Sheep creek was, for the amount of capital and labor expended on it so far, the best looking gold field he had ever seen Such a report from a man who has min-ed in every western state naturally stim-ulated the interest of those who knew

mr. Johnston arrived in the valley last

own contributors of overseas traffic. The Allans are definitely understood to have in hand arrangements for the G. T. P.'s oriental service. As to the Australian line, H. G. Elliott, assistant gen-eral passenger and ticket agent, of the new transcontinental system, had this servation tour through Australia and New Zealand: New Zealand:
"Ultimately the G. T. P. will have a service by water to the far east, either

ped and a similar shipment is being made today. Mr. Warner says that it has been found necessary to double sack this ore to avoid the danger of the free gold sifting through a single sack while being transported. Development work on the mine is being rapidly pushed ahead under the supervision of J. C. Moen. The lowest tunnel is now in a distance of 70 feet and still in high grade ore

WHAT IS BEING DONE FOR THEIR INFORMATION.

PUBLICITY BUREAU WILL ISSUE A PAMPHLET.

The local branch of the Canadian Mining institute is in receipt of a revised program of the western itinerary of the Canadian Mining institute's sum-mer excurson. It has been definitely decided that it will be impossible for Frank Weymouth, a newly appointed inspector of buildings, visited the site and detected what he thought to be a weakness in the wall and ordered all work stopped. Weymouth stated that large holes had been made in the wall

> Afternoon and evening at Fernie. Leave bout midnight for Moyie.
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> Monday, Sept. 14—Arrive at Moyie in norning and stop at concentrator and afternoon, and at Nelson in evening.
> Tuesday, Sept. 15—Leave Nelson at 10:05 a. m. Arrive at Bonnington Falls at 10:30 a. m.; lunch there, provided by West Kootenay Power company. by West Kootenay Power company. Leave at 2 p. m. Arrive at Trail at 3.30 p. m.; inspect Trail smelter, have dinner on cars, then leave by special train for Rossland, arriving there at 10

p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 16—Inspect Rossiand mines during day and have banquet in evening; leave Rossland at midnight for Trail where visitors will

midnight for Trail where visitors will board their own train.

Thursday, Sept. 17—Leave Trail early in morning in time to arrive at Greenwood at 1 p. m. Then inspect Mother Lode mine of the British Columbia Copper company; also smelter, and, if sufficient time remains visit smelter of the Dominion Copper company at Boundary Falls. Evening and night at Greenwood.

# er, Grand Forks; arrive at smelter in afternoon and look over same. Leave some time that evening for Nelson. Saturday, Sept. 19—Spend day at Nelson; visitors will inspect the Electro Zinc smelting plant in morning and

in evening.

evening.

to 25, both inclusive.)

Tuesday, Sept. 22—Business session

n evening. Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 23

and 24—Various trips to places of in-terest in and about the city. (Provincial exhibition will be in progress Sept. 22

Friday, Sept. 25—By train to Lady-smith and Nanaimo. At Ladysmith— Visit to Wellington Colliery company's

for Vancouver by steamer early in morning. At Vancouver—Visit various parts of city and Stanley park; lunch

ANOTHER UNWRITTEN LAW CASE

FOR TRIAL.

MURDERERS OF ANNIS PROBABLY INSANE.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 27.—The unnamed

New York lawyer who in newspaper in-

terviews yesterday stated that William

E. Annis, who was killed by captain

Peter C. Hains, boasted in his (Annis')

presence, relations with the wife of cap-

presence, relations with the wife of captain Hains and threatened to kill the
latter, was in Baltimore today, partly on
business connected with the Hains' case.
The attorney withholds his name solely, he said, at the request of Hains'
counsel, as he has no personal objection
to revealing his identity. He said today
that he had seen two aBltimoreans who
were in one of the clubs in New York
City on the evening in which he declar-

City on the evening in which he declar-ed that Annis made the alleged remarks. He would not give their names but said

that one was an army officer and the other a minister of the gospel. Both, he added, had assured him they would come forward and testify as to what they heard if their services were needed.

mentally he would have a commission in lunacy to examine them. Mr. Darrin announced that on Monday next he will

it becomes necessary. I will, of course, testify to all the pertinent facts in your son's defence. I hope, however, that this will not be necessary."

The general also made public the fact that the two colored maids Mrs. Hains had had in her smaller division by his hose.

had had in her employ during her hus band's absence in the Philippines would be called as witnesses by the defence.

HANGED HERSELE

After Setting Fire to Her Home Take

Her Life.

The Men Behind the Gun.

BINGHAMTON, Aug. 28.-After sup

of institute in parliament buildings in morning. Either complimentary garden party in afternoon or public reception

with entitusiasin as they tell what they have seen and examined.

Prospectors are very busy in the valley staking new claims and burrying to open them up, but it is the partly developed properties that naturally attract

most attention and interest.

A party of American mining men from Salt Lake City, among whom is M. M.

Saturday and has since been examining many of the properties. He is expected to arrive in Nelson tonight.

J. L. Warner, who is himself largely interested, and who has done much to bring Sheep creek to the attention of the public returned to the city last night. the public, returned to the city last night after four days spent in the valley.

Mr. Warner brought with him a beautiful specimen of free milling gold ore from the present deepest workings of the Koetenay Belle. It is flecked with

coarse gold.

Mr. Warner stated that it came from a ledge nearly a foot wide, uncovered on the face of the cliff for 35 feet ver-

service by water to the far east, either independently or in connection with some line already in existence. One thing is absolutely essential however before reciprocal arrangements can be made—I mean faster ships. The time now consumed on a trip by water is very much in excess of what a trip to the Orient or to the Antipodes is entitled to, once it comes into consideration on the face of the cliff for 35 feet vertically, and entered now by a tunnel to a distance of 40 feet.

Shipments from the Mother Lode continues to be made of the highest grade ore. Last Saturday 100 sacks were shipped and a similar shipment is being predected by Mr. Warner says that it

rade ore. While he was too busy to visit many properties other than those he is personally interested in, Mr. Warner heard good reports from all. In every case development work has so far confirmed the most sanguine expectations of the owners , who are, in most cases still, the

original locators.

Going and returning Mr. Warner met many parties all bound for the valley.

# MINING MEN'S EXCURSION

confer with district attorney Jerome from whom he expects to get information in regard to the conduct of this case, in view of its similarity to the Thaw case, which Mr. Jerome prosecuted.

The name of the hidden witness who had represented himself as ready to tes-The name of the hidden witness who had represented himself as ready to testify to having heard William E. Annis boast of his conquest of Mrs. Peter C. Hains, wife of captain Hains was resurvey, who thinks that the mining men should have an opportunity of seeing the mining exhibit at the Nelson fair, are being met by getting out a special pamphlet by the publicity bureau of the board of trade, dealing retained to defend his two sons, captain Peter Conover Hains, Jr., and Thornton Jenkins Hains, now awaiting trial on a charge of murdering Annis. He is C. A. Curtis of Princeton, N. J., and Washington. The general made public the following letter written to him by Mr. Curtis on August 1st from Princeton: statistically with the output of Koot-enay for the last ten years and show-ing the advances that have been made ing the advances that have been made both in tonnage and in metal output during that decade. While the specimens at the fair cannot be seen by the visitors, yet E. W. Widdowson has offered to place his own extensive collection of Kootenay ores, arranged for the inspection of the mining men.

The revised itinerary follows:

Friday, Sept. 11—Arrive at Medicine Hat in morning. "Allow me to offer you and your family my deepest sympathy in all your trouble and to offer any assistance in my nower" "Apropos of this letter I beg to say that I have heard Mr. Annis making boasts as to his relations with your son's wife on two occasions, once in New York and once in a yacht near New York. Kindly keep all I have written from all except your attorney and family as I dislike notriety. If, however, it becomes necessary. I will of course.

Hat in morning.
Saturday, Sept. 12—Arrive at Frank;
from there to Lille, Hillcrest, etc.;
then to Coleman and side trips. Sunday, Sept. 13—Leave Coleman arly in morning and stop at Hosmer.

ine. Arrive at Kootenay Landing in

posing all night that Mrs. Wm. Walker, wife of a prosperous farmer, had been burned to death in her home, neighbors today found her body hanging from the limb of a tree, thirty rods from the house. A letter left by her showed that she had first set fire to the house which was burned yesterday and then hanged herself. COPENHAGEN, Aug. 28.—Two men were killed and two others dangerously wounded on board the Danish cruiser Hekla today by the premature explosion of a shell. The accident occurred during target practice.

Greenwood.

Friday, Sept. 18—Leave Greenwood early in morning for Phoenix, and inspect Granby and other mines. After lunch leave Phoenix for Granby smel-

possibly a steamer excursion to the Blue Bell mine will be made in after-noon. Banquet in evening, tendered by city of Nelson, resident members of A. Bryan-Williams, provincial game A. Bryan-Williams, provincial game and forest warden, spent yesterday in the city. He is en route from Victoria to East Kootenay to visit the tract which the provincial government has decided to set aside as a great game preserve, on the western slopes of the nstitute, and board of trade. Leave at midnight for Arrow lakes and Revel-stoke, arriving latter place Sunday evening, 20th.

Monday, Sept. 21—Arrive at Victoria, by C. P. R. steamer from Vancouver,

Mr. Bryan-Williams arrived in the city Tuesday night and readily acceded to a request of some of the citizens who are interested in game preservation that he would remain over for a day and confer with a representative gath-

ering.

An informal meeting was held last evening. Among those present were:
J. M. Lay, S. A. Kelly, O. H. Burden,
W. F. Mawdley, G. Procter, Capt.
Paddon. Many others who were hastily

their inability to attend.

As one of the objects of the provincial game warden's tour is to learn conditions in the interior, confer with the district wardens, and also learn the views of the public, he was glad to meet visit to weinington contery company's coal washery and shipping binkers, and Tyee Copper company's smelting works, morning. Luncheon at Ladysmith. At Nanaimo—Visit to Western Fuel company's colleries, and drives in neighborhood of Nanaimo, afternoon and evening.

An informal discussion then occurred Saturday, Sept. 26—Leave Nanaimo The subject of greatest interest was the relation between game preservation and prevention of forest fires. On this parts of city and Stanley park; lunch at Vancouver club as guests of resident members of institute, board of trade, and city of Vancouver. Leave for Banff, in Rocky mountains, by C. P. R. express in afternoon. at present exist.

LIKE THE THAW CASE

at present exist.

One recommendation among several which Mr. Bryan-Williams promised to lay before the government on his return to the capital, was that the setting out of fires in the open in warm dry
weather should be absolutely prohibited, except when it is for the purpose of
obtaining warmth or preparing food.
There was discussion also on the
question of constituting a game district
or districts in Kontenay within he

or districts in Kootenay within he meaning of the statute as a preliminary step towards better enforcement of the

laws.

The unsatisfactory state of the laws The unsatisfactory state of the laws regarding the protection of fish was also a subject of conversation but it was considered inadvisable to make any recommendation pending the decision of the conflicting claims of the dominion and provincial authorities, which it is generally hoped will soon be settled by a reference to the judicial committee of the imperial privy council.

Last evening, to a representative of The Daily News, Mr. Bryan-Williams

The Daily News, Mr. Bryan-Williams said that although comparatively few had been able to attend the meeting owing to the extremely short notice possible, he had conversed on the same siblects during the day with many more and was convinced that the citizens generally were practically unanimous and that their opinions were very fairly reflected by the recommendations which he was asked to convey to the

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., and his brother, T. Jenkins Hains, probably will be placed on trial early in October, according to a statement made by district attorney Darrin. Mr. Darrin said it would take two or three days to present the state's case and that he had not decided whether he would place Mrs. Hains on the witness stand. That would depend entirely on a talk he expected to have with her. The district attorney said that he would get reports from time to time on the condition of the two prisoners, and that if he became convinced that either the captain or his brother were not sound mentally he would have a commission in lunacy to examine them. Mr. Darrin approused that on Monday next he will

ket is permitted.

Mr. Bryan-Williams leaves for Cranbrook this morning, where a similar conference.

### PAT FOR BOY'S LIFE.

American Motorists Roughly Handled by German Villagers.

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on the subject of fish protection Mr. Bryan-Williams said: "Little can be done until the unfortunate dispute between the dominion and provincial governments is settled. But the people of Kootenay as well as of all other districts in the province may make up their minds to this; if you value the attraction of your game fish as a source of wealth and of pleasure, you must consent to the total prohibition of fish-ing for the market. Tourists and sports-Tourists who are looking for such spor variably ask about such things and

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ers asked that a bylaw be submitted to the rate payers to authorize the sale of debentures to the amount of \$85,000 for the installation of a second unit of the city bower plant. Ald. Steed then introduced the bylaw, No. 189, as requested. The bylaw was read twice by title. Ald. Procter gave

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City Property.

The city engineer asked that a shed and yard for the equipment required by his department be provided. Ald. Procter suggested the property on the corner of Vernon and streets. Aid. McMorris reminded him that even the city could not put up a frame building within the fire limits. The city engineer suggested corrugated iron. The matter was referred to public property committee.

Ald. Kerr suggested provision for lighting the pavilion at the city park, that it might be rented for dances. The city electrician estimated the cost at He was instructed to make the necessary connections. The rental was fixed at \$5; application to be made in each case to the city clerk.

# GILKER TIES WHEELER

INCREASED INTEREST IN LAUNCH RACE CONTESTS.

NINTH OF SERIES TAKES PLACE NEXT WEEK.

On Wednesday next the ninth of the season's series of launch races will be ver island coast. The Governor, pulled off and it is expected that there dent and City of Pueblo of the will be more interest than ever taken will be more interest than ever taken in this popular contest. The prizes on wireless, and about ten of the steamers this occasion will be donated by Messrs. plying between Seattle and Alaska, are

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Castro Assesses Cable Company at Five Million Dollars.

CARACAS, Aug. 28.-Via Port Spain, Trinidad, Aug. 27.—The civil court of first instance today handed lown a judgment declaring the French Cable Co. guilty of complicity in the Matos revolution against president Castro and condemning it to pay damages of \$5,000,000. In addition the company of \$5,000,000. In addition the company must pay a further amount to be assessed later by experts. The company may appeal from this decision. The British minister to Venezuela has been in conference lately with president

Veteran Very III.

TOKIO, Aug. 27-The St. Petersburg morning newspapers state that Count Leo Tolstol's condition is very grave. He has been suffering for some time past with dilation of the veins in his feet, which more recently became complicated by an attack of influenza. He

For the first time for months was t be seen yesterday cars running up the spur to the Hall Mines smelter from the C. P. R. tracks at the west end of the union depot. The creaking of the tramway, the moving of the ore laden buckets. roclaimed the fact that there was again visible life on the old standby of Nelson from its early days—the Silver King

Yesterday was started the shipment of several hundred tons of ore over the tramway and the C. P. R. line from the tramway and the C. P. R. line from the Silver King to the Consolidated company's smelter at Trail. While work was started yesterday no ore was actually loaded at the Nelson end for shipment but this will be done today and the tramway, which has recently been placed in repair, will be kept moving until the ore, which includes some good rock, has all been shipped.

This is the first fruit of the work which has been undertaken for the new management by superintendent William

management by superintendent William Turner of the Silver King. There was little ore shipped earlier in the year but this was the result of the work of the old company. The mine is now be-ing equipped with electric power to run the big compressor, which heretofore has been operated by steam and a survey is today in progress with a view of subsequently erecting a pole line from the West Kootenay Power & Light com-

The whole scene of operations is, of course, due to the energy and ability of M. S. Davys, to whom the Kootenay Development Syndicate owes its existence. Mr. Davys has never lost faith in the property and in his own characteristic persistent fashion has eventually so controlled circumstances that there now seems every likelihood of a long and prosperous future to the Silver King.

### WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Four More Stations Are to be Equipped Within the Province.

VICTORIA, Aug. 28.-Four radio-telegraph stations will be estab-lished in British Columbia by the Can-adian government during this year, the sites being now under consideration. The success of the stations at Cape Lazo, Point Grey, Pachena, Estevan and Victoria, in operation for upwards of six months past, has induced the government to proceed with the execution of the original plan of erecting ten stations; and the four additional ones are to be ready for seviled within four to be ready for service within four months. These will include one a months. These will include one at Prince Rupert, one at the northern end of Vancouver island, and one at a point on Moresby island, in the Queen Charlotte group. Since the five stations now operating were built, the gov ernment has received many sugges-tionss from shipping men as to the sites for others and these suggestions are now receiving attention. An example to the other trans-Pacific lines has been set by the N. Y. K. of Tokyo which has equipped the six steamship of its American fleet with wireless, al as yet in regard to conformation with international regulations. The system used, too, is not of the best, but will be improved. At present the N. Y. K. lin-ers communicate with Victoria direct when within 200 miles off the Vancou S. Co.'s fleet were among the first o de Veber and Elford.

As a result of the last contest several changes took place in the standing of the contestants, which tends to make the Wireless Co. to equip all its seagoing the contestants, which tends to make the rivalry all the more keen. Wheeler is still at the top of the list with 15 points to his credit, but his record is equalled by Gilker, who increased his score last time by 4 points. Rutherford takes third place with 14 points. Next, in fourth and fifth places, come de Veber and Traves, who are tied with 13 points each. Brown advances to sixth place with 12 points, jumping ahead of Elford, who is now seventh with 11 points. Anad similar services through the string the rivalry all its seagoing and coasting vessels, averaged in the coasting vessels, and orders have just been given by the Inland Navigation Co. for installations on all the vessels of its fleet, so that it may safely be said that radio-telegraphy is becoming general on the steamships of the D. G. S. Quadra making dafly reports on government lighthouse work and similar services through the string drews and Wolverton, Jr., come next with 10 points each. Wolverton, Jr., Salvage Co.'s Salvor having apparatus aboard for the purpose of reporting to Victoria when engaged in salvage work. "KEEP AT IT."

> There is no Good Time to Rest in Advertising.
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> The important in the management of a store is that it is open for business regularly on all business days. This fact makes it important that the pulling power, the influence, of the advertising should be as steady as the service of clerks There is no day on which the advertising can be suspended without doing injury to the store—just as sure and positive injury as would be done by suspending any other function of the store for a day or two now and then.
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> For advertising has come to be a "function" of every live store—a part of the service it renders to the public. Advertising information is calculated to save the time and money of the store-patrons—and there is no good time to suspend such a function as this. There is no Good Time to Rest in

(Western Associated Press.) LONDON, Aug. 27.—W. A. P. Willett, M. P. is pleased with the fact that several towns in Canada have adopted day light saving plan and prophecies that Canada generally wil adopt the idea and that the United States must follow.

Expecting the Stork. AMSTERDAM, Aug. 27.-Conflicting statements have been issued concerning the health of the queen and the Tele graaf this morning says: "It is learne that Queen Wilhelmina's health is good and it is probable that a commun

He is quite satisfied with the progress

Two Drowned. MANITOWOC, Aug. 27.—Two men are believed to be dead in the barge Baldwin which sprang a leak and sank off Two Rivers point tonight, en route from Sturgeon bay to this city with a cargo of stone.

public joy."

# Water Frontages

Summer Cottage Sites "Across the Lake"

Look at sketch below and "size it up for yourself." Can you imagine a better location for a Summer Cottage or a Camp? Only a short distance from Nelson, about 2½ miles from the city wharf.

Close to Nelson Getting Scarce

> A view of the city from each lot-50 feet of water frontage for each purchaser. APPLY FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS TO

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MANY RANCHERS COMING INTO THE COUNTRY.

NEWS NOTES CONCERNING UPPER ARROW LAKES.

NAKUSP, Aug. 26.-Some important. fruit land sales are reported by Mr. Hammond, of the Kootenay Orchard asociation, who was a visitor to the town for a couple of days this week. He was accompanied by Mr., Locke, resident manager on the Arrow lakes, and Mr. Gehm from Fargo, N. D. The latter gentleman bought six blocks of land overlooking the town and lake, and commanding an excellent panoramic view. He also secured an option on view. He also secured an option on six more blocks adjoining, for some of

his friends in the States.

The Kootenay Orchards association intend at an early date opening up offices at Nakusp, which will be centrally located for the transaction of busi-

T. Abriel made one of the most im portant sales of the season to two German gentlemen of 120 acres of fruit land, two miles from town and adjoining Brouse Station. The buyers immediately gave Mr. Abriel a contract for clearing 40 acres of it, to be ready for

the plow by the time the snow flies.

Mr. Abriel has on exhibition in his office window a magnificent assortment of huge cucumbers grown on his home ranch. Taking the crop as an average for size and quality no such growth has been seen in this district before, and is evidence of what can be done by proper cultivation on land in Kootenay with the particulars of all comthis district. Mr. Abriel picked twenty petitions. The rock drilling features standard crates of this delicious tabl

regetable this morning alone.

For the first time since the days of railway construction Nakusp will on Thursday have a resident medical practitioner. Dr. Mosman, lately from tled at Arrow Park has decided to 10cate here, with his wife. The govern-ment at its last session granted aid to-wards the establishment of a medical man here, and this with the increase population will ensure a splendid practise. Dr. Mosman was formerly physician to Sir John Furness, the well known shipowner, and comes highly recommended.

The government wagon road between Nakusp and Box lake, has been com pleted as far as the appropriation could carry it. The work is done in a highly creditable manner, of which the foreman J. S. Morrison may be proud. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McDougald, who have been on a tour through the eastern provinces have returned,
Miss Sperling of Revelstoke spent a
week here, the guest of Mrs. Edward.

Mrs. Jordan returned from New Denver on Monday.

The school opened on Monday with Miss M. Porter in charge. Miss Porter is a graduate of Dublin university and for some time was attached to the Chilliwack high school. Considerable interest was manifested in the opening this town. The government's first terest was manifested in the opening this term. The government's first issue of free text books was distributed and previous to the opening the British ensign was raised on the new flag pole to the accompaniment of the children's singing of the national anthem. The chairman addressed the children patchairman addressed the children pat-riotically, immediately after the flag

Miss Maud Ogilvie and her little

Miss Maud Ogilvie and her little brother from Tacoma are visiting their father Mr. W. F. Ogilvie, proprietor of the Leland hotel.

On Friday evening a most enjoyable social time was spent at the Leland hotel in honor of Miss Ogilvie, who is an accomplished violinist and a sweet singer. The evening was wound up with a dance. noted in honor of Miss Ogflyle, who is an accomplished violinist and a sweet singer. The evening was wound up with a dance.

Messrs. Vestrug and Wicks, fruit

The Spokane Interstate Fair will give a purse of \$1.250 for three rock drilling contests. This money will be divided as follows: One thousand dollars for a double handed contest, of which \$750 is

ranchers left for the northwest on Fri-day where they also own farm lands. Mr. and Mrs. McAllister spent a day in town from the Nedles at the end of the wek.

MILWAUKEE NEXT

Winnipeg. WINNIPEG, Aug. 27.—The question of where the next meeting of the American health convention will be held has been practically decided upon. Mil-waukee is the favored city, the majority of the delegates having expressed their

or the delegates having expressed their intention of voting for it.

Today the delegates visited Winnipeg beach and Lower Fort Garry. Mayor Ashdown and many prominent citizens accompanied them. Mr. C. C. Chipman, commissioner of the Hudson's Bay company, entertained the party at Lower Foot Carry where a pleasant time was Fort Garry where a pleasant time was spent. The delegates returned to the city this evening.

# FOR KOOTENAY MINERS

CHANCES FOR PRIZES AT SPOKANE INTERSTATE FAIR

RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITIONS AND CONTESTS.

terstate fair, at which Kootena, evilibitors and inspectors were so successful in the mineral department, the secretary has written to the secretary of the Nelson board of trade asking that arrange-ments be made to acquaint residents of have been referred to Fra 15

The communication is as follows: The liberal awards made in this de-partment in 1907, brought out a very creditable exhibition, and the same hopes of bringing out an even better dis-

play.
Freight will be paid on all ore samples sent in which are billed to the Spokane Interstate Fair, and which are allowed will be paid.

The rock drilling contest put on in 1807 was such a success that it will be held again for more liberal purses, and

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The Spokane Interstate Fair will also award diplomas to any meritorious exhibits not receiving any of the above

CLASS 2-MISCELLANEOUS.

For the handsomest and most unique cabinet display made by any one individual, a cash prize of \$25.

For the best topographical map of any mineral district or camp, a cash prize of \$10.

In both above lots, cabinets and maps having won prizes at this fair in 1907. having won prizes at this fair in 1907, will be excluded from competition, but may be entered for exhibition only.

CLASS 3-ROCK DRILLING CONTEST

for first prize and \$250 for second; \$200 for a single hand contest, of which \$150 is for first and \$50 for second; \$50 for a boys' drilling contest, for boys 15 years old or under, of which \$40 for first and \$10 for second.

The following rules will govern these contests: Compatition open to all; on.

Now Growing in Our Nurseries for the Fall Trade:—
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the best granite obtainable for this contest; if possible, the same will be procured from Gunnison quarries. Contests will commence on Monday, October 5,

and continue throughout the week, and will be put on either night or in the day

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Hon. T. Mayne Daly May Oppose Hon.

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doubtedly win hands down. In Portage, Arthur Meighen, a brilliant young lawyer, has undertaken to recover for

C. Lariviere, in Provencher. He was another victim of the "thin red line" outrage. Dr. 'Roche, in Marquette, Dr. Schaffner, in Souris, and W. D.

Staples, in Macdonald, will retain their present seats with increased majorities, while W. H. Scarpe, who contests Lis-

gar, now held by Hon. Thomas Greenway, and Thos. Bradbury, the party nominee in Selkirk, can be depended upon to make good. The party pros-

F. H. Sherman May Enter the Federal

Political Field.

CALGARY, Aug. 28.—The announcement that Frank H. Sherman, president of district No. 18, United Mine Workers

time at option of fair management

TENDERS addressed to the un signed at his office in the Court Ho signed at his office in the Court House, in the City of Nelson, will be received up till the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, September 30, 1908, for the purchase of the Sandaulphon Mineral Claim, Lot 4639, Group 1, Kootenay District, which was declared to be forfetted to the Crown at the tax sale held in the City of Nelson on the

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WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—The conservatives of Manitoba have now practically completed their organization for the dominion election, and in each of the ten constituencies will have candidates in the field who are out to win In Winnipeg, Brandon and Dauphin, the standard bearers have not been named, but it is believed that the Hon. Robert Rogers will be induced to stand in Winnipeg, while Hon. T. Mayne Daly, formerly minister of the interior, will enter the lists against Clifford Sifton, in Brandon. Glen Campbell, the popular member for Gilbert Plains in the provincial legislature, will contest Dauphin against brother-in-law Burrows, of timber limits fame, and will undoubtedly win hands down. In Portage,

of August, 1908. HARRY WRIGHT. Government Agent, Nelson, B. C.

why he should not poll a big vote in the riding if the union men as a body were to support the socialist cause. Bankhead section, where there is little but a mining population would be a foregone conclusion. A big share of the farmers' votes might also fall this way. The socialist party have practically decided to nominate a candidate in most of the southern ridings. A convention of the southern ridings. A convention will be called here as soon as the unions get together and elect their dele-

To Ensure Peace. BUENOS AYRES, Aug. 27.-It is stated that a secret meeting of the chamber of deputies approved the scheme for the proposed new armaments, which includes the building of two powerful battleships, a flotilla of torpedo boats and destroyers, and the purchase of a reserve of guns.

of district No. 18, United Mine Workers of America, will probably be a socialist candidate in the riding of Calgary is the cause for some uneasiness in the minds of the conservative and liberal candidates, who hitherto considered that they had the field to themselves. Mr. Sherman seems to be by far the most popular figure among the local labor men, and they think that there is no reason The following notice is contained in the current issue of the military gasette:

"Koptensy Rifles"—To be captain, lieutenant G. Moffatt, vice captain J. McEyoy, who is permitted to resign his commission.



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LONDON, Aug. 28-The year of grace granted to foreigners under the new patent act expires today, henceforth foreign patents in this country may be revoked by Great Britain after a reasonable interval, unless the patented article is manufactured or the patented process is operated in the United Kingdom to an adequate extent.

A great number of foreign firms have already taken sites and started works in Great Britain, and many others are making arrangements to do so. These are mainly German and American firms. Sir Alfred Jones, head of a prominent firm of lawyers and land owners estimates that \$125,000,000 will thus be invested here for the manufac ture of articles formerly manufactured abroad and a prominent expert in pat-ent law thinks no fewer than 8000 patents granted to foreigners will come under the new law.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 28.—The international congress for the protection of industrial property which has begun its sessions here today to look up the discussion of the British patent act in its effect on foreign countries. Twenty-one foreign countries were represented. Edward B. Moore, United States patent commissioner said tonight that the result of the discussion on England's new patent law probably will be that the majority of nations belonging to the international patent union will enter protest against it and recommend to the official congress to be held next year in Washington that some sort of retal-STOCKHOLM, Aug. 28.—The interna-Washington that some sort of retal-liatory combination against Great Brit-ain be formed whereby Great Britain will either become a party to their pro-position or be excluded from all the benefits to be derived from such a com-bination."

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Bona Vista and Regalo mineral claims, situate in the Nelson mining district of West Kootenay district.

Where located: One mile north of Sanca. Take notice that I, Frank C. Green, acting as agent for Robert W. Riddell, free miner's certificate No. B22890, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for certificates of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining crown grants of the aboye claims.

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

Dated this 25th day of July, A.D. 1908. 21-8-60 F. C. GREEN, Nelson, B.C. IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL CLAUSES ACT AND AMENDMENTS THERETO

IN THE MATTER OF THE MANHAT-TAN SALOON.

Take notice that I, W. E. Jarrett intend to apply to the board of licensing commissioners at the first meeting of the board to be held on or after the 25th day of September, 1506, for leave to transfer the liquor license of the Manhattan Ssloon, situate on lot one (1), block six (6), in the City of Nelson from myself to Daniel Dezall and Timothy W. O'Leary.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 21st day of August, 1908.

W. E. JARRETT. W. E. JARRETT.

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Kiruna, Kiruna Fraction and Butterfly Fraction mineral claims, situate in the Nelson mining division of West Acotenay district. Where located: Adjoining the Queen Victoria mineral claim, near Beasley sid-ing.

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Take notice that I, Wm. S. Drewry, acting as agent for J. P. Swedberg, free miner's certificate No. Bl5614, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for certificates of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of each of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements. Dated this 12th day of August, A. D. 1908. 13-8-8w W. S. DREWRY.

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Dated 27th June, 1908.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, C. E. Bennett, of Nelson, B. C., occupation miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about 300 yards North of Sheep Creek, between Deer and Fawn Creeks; thence South 40 chains; thence East 80 chains; thence North 40 chains; thence West 30 chains to point of commencement, and containing 250 acres more or less.

C. E. BENNETT. C. E. BENNETT.

Dated May 15th, 1908.

West Kootenay District and Similka

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Division of Kootenay District; thence southerly, following said western boundary of Kootenay District; to the 48th parallel; thence west along the 49th parallel to the place of commencement.

ROBT. A. RENWICK.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 30th, 1908.

In the matter of the Municipal Clauses Act and Amendments thereto; and in the matter of the Strdar Hotel.

"ALL S. NOTICE that I, Louisa E. McPeak, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing commissioners, at the first meeting of the Fourier to be seed on or after the 14th day awars, 78% for leave to transfer the liquor license of the Sirdar Hotel, situate in the town of Sirdar, from myself to James H. Campbell.

Dated at Sirdar, B. C. this 13th day of ed at Sirdar, B. C., this 13th day of Dated at Sirdar, B. C., this lath day of taly, 1968. LOUISA E. McPEAK.

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