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The Esperanza Mine is Sold

The Esperanza Mine formerly owned by Pedro Salinas, has been sold to Mr. Edward Elge, for a considerable sum. Mr. Elge arrived in town on Thursday, and stated that he is going to start working the property at once. Work will commence on the big quartz ledge, and will be extended later on. The property is situated 1½ miles from Alice Arm, and over \$27,000 worth of ore has been taken out by the Salinas Bros. (former owners.) The history of the mine will be given in our next issue.

Geologists Arrive at Alice Arm

Mr. R. W. Goranson and Mr. W. Riley, of the Canadian Geographical Survey, arrived in Alice Arm on Thursday. They are going to study the rock formation of the upper Kitsault. The ground covered will be about 40 miles square. Work will start from the David Copperfield and extend to the Kitsault Glacier. They will camp around Trout Coeek. Mr. Hanson, the head of the party, and Mr. Buckle will arrive next week.

Rich Ore Strike on the Alliance River.

Mr. G. Morley and Al. Clary are reported to have made a big strike of high grade grey copper ore, about 5 miles up the Alliance River. They have brought samples in town and it is pronounced by all who have seen it to be fine ore.

The Bellevue Mine Still Operating

The Bellevue Mine on the Alliance river is showing very encouraging results. Work was commenced last fall and was continued all through the winter. The tunnel is in 235 feet with a depth of 100 feet. Two ore bodies were encountered in driving the tunnel, but is not believed to be the main ore body. Cross-cutting has now commenced, to locate the main body, and if this is successful, extensive development work will be done.

BIRTH

Mr. R. J. Manning of camp 8 received a telegram last week informing him that he was the father of a baby girl, born in Vancouver on June 2nd.

Alice Arm Notes

Mr. H. Peterson has two tents erected for rent by Anyox campers, they have floor, board sides, etc. and present a very neat appearance.

Jim McAleenen left on Monday's boat for Prince Rupert.

Get busy you house owners and spread some paint on the boards; it beautifies the home, preserves the wood and adds to the dignity of the town.

See Al. Falconer for Wood or Coal.

Angus MacLeod arrived from Vancouver last week, and is working on his claims on the Kitsault.

J. Farestill arrived from Rupert on Monday's boat.

Mr. A. J. Hughes who is in charge of operations at the Bellvue Mine, was down this week for powder and supplies. He says there is still some snow at the mine but is going fast. He was real pleased to get into town again and tread the solid ground, after being at the mine all winter.

George Casey arrived in town from Rupert, Thursday, June 2nd, and left the following day for the Second Thought, on Clearwater Creek, to do assessment work.

Paddy Morley and Tom McRostie arrived Sunday from the North East fork.

See Al. Falconer for Freight or Pack Horses.

Angus MacDonald and George Adams left on Wednesday, to do assessment work on their claims on the Alliance River.

Don Cameron and Miles Donald left on Wednesday to do development work on the Moose.

Mrs. E. McCoy of the Alice Arm Hotel arrived home from Prince Rupert on Monday.

Mr. Davidson arrived home from Vancouver Thursday, looking exceptionally well pleased with himself. Everything went off very satisfactory for him in Vancouver.

Pedro Salinas, former owner of the Esperanza Mine is on his way home to Spain and intends to stay.

Mr. Beverly Jones, an old-timer in the Arm, came in on Thursday from Seattle, where he has spent the winter.

The Baseball game between the Beavers and the Bears last Sunday, resulted in a win for the former by 9 to 2.

Don Cameron has started to paint his residence, and when completed, it will be an imposing structure.

It is reported that a few mosquitos have made their appearance in woods. Probably blown over from the Naas.

Granby Company Beats its own Record

Picnic and Smoker given in honour of the Occasion

On Saturday, the Granby Company was "At Home" to their employees at the Anyox Ball Park. The occasion was an open air smoker celebration for the heaviest tonnage turned out by the Granby Company for any one month in its history here. The ball grounds gave one the impression of a circus being in town. There were four tents put up, one for the boxing aspirants and three others to look after the wants of the inner man, both as to eating and slaking his thirst which was at times abnormal. In this respect the company provided sandwiches, beer, soda pop, cigars and cigarettes and anything was to be had for the asking of it.

There was also a boxing stage put up with bleachers on three sides, and the bouts put up by the boys more than gave pleasure to everyone watching these sports. The big event staged was by Fitzpatrick and Jack Sherman. If Fitz had only landed his blows, Jack would be in the Hospital today. Fortunately he is a gas eater and to use his own expression "you can't kill 'em at all."

The Elk's orchestra furnished the music between the bouts and it was enjoyed by everyone. The handling of the undertaking was in the capable hands of Mr. Chas. Wing, who had some able assistants to help along the good work.

The officials of the company were out with the crowd and helped to make the event a pleasure both for themselves and their employees. Such acts as these once in a while, will do more to solve the labor and capital difficulties than any preaching or agitating will ever do.

Below is a comparison of the dry ores shipped from the mine and smelted last month and the previous records held by the company.

May, 1921, Dry ore shipped from Mine, 88,074 tons.

January, 1918, Dry Ore shipped from Mine, 85,933 tons.

May, 1921, Ore smelted, 88,789 tons.

December, 1918, Ore smelted, 87,725 tons.

When the Government starts to sell the booze they will make so much money that there will be no more poll tax, or income tax, or any other tax, in fact we may get a bonus for being alive.

The battle cry then will be; "Be Patriotic, Buy Booze and Reduce Taxation," and the response will be magnificent.

Work on Wharf Road At Alice Arm Going Ahead

The local Contractors, known as the O. M. Watson Contracting Company are making great progress with the work on the Government wagon road from the town to the wharf. The work is under the able direction of Mr. H. Wolf, who is an expert at the game. Two coyote holes have been shot, besides numerous gopher holes, etc. The coyote hole which was fired on May 27th. was a huge success, and displaced about 1500 yards of rock, just enough powder was used to procure good results, and a natural seam in the rock added to the efficiency of the shot. Mr. Wolf estimates that they will be finished by August 1st, which will be good time, and by the way all the boys are working, it sure looks as though they will. Sixteen men, all local, are in the contract and a few day men are working. Following are the names of the contractors:

O. M. Watson; J. Marshall; D. Kennedy; E. Ness; A. Bertlesen; J. Graham W. McDonald; G. Matheson; H. Wolf, G. Moniott; N. Forbes; H. McColl; T. Martenson; J. McLeod; M. Peterson; W. M. McFarland.

Anyox Notes

The "Busy Bees" have decided to hold a Sale of Work, Home Cooking and Candy in the Anglican Church on Saturday, June 11th, at 3 p.m.

The Anyox Night School Sewing Class closed the session with a picnic, for the members and their families to Larkham Island, May 31st. Those attending were—Mrs. McIntyre, teacher; Mrs. Dove; Mrs. Foxley; Mrs. Cameron; Mrs. McKnight; Mrs. Morning; Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Phippen. Each lady took the usual good eats and all spent a very enjoyable time.

The Salvation Army will hold a Sale of Home Cooking, Candies, etc. in the old Anyox school on Church street, on Saturday, June 18th. Afternoon tea and ice cream will be served.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, of Anyox, a daughter, both mother and daughter are doing well.

Among those leaving for the south on Thursday, were Mrs. E. Waterman for Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Owens and son; R. Greenwall C. Parmiter; H. S. Munroe and Colonel Crabbe.

Rev. J. R. Hewitt and family left on Thursday for Hazelton. Rev. Hewitt has been pastor of the Union Church for over two years, and will be sadly missed.

Several news items are unavoidably held over until our next issue.

The Man Around Town

The Elk's won the football game on Sunday evening.

There was a snappy game of football last Thursday. The score was even up 3 to 3.

E. Loeske and wife left on Monday's boat on a visit to their old home in Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cody and FAMILY arrived in town on Thursday's boat. Welcome home, Jack.

"Happy" Pete Draudson is wearing a smiling face these days, because he is to have Jack on the Elk's lineup.

Several parties were out at Bear Creek on Sunday, and had a very enjoyable time.

The bridge fends are taking the rest cure, for the summer months, preparatory to starting in again in the fall.

Bert Wing was over for a day last week on business. The climate must suit him. We never saw him looking so well.

Mr. and Mrs. Byck and Mrs. Ransome of the telephone staff are taking a short vacation at Swamp Point.

Jack Dillon and other experts on baseball had better rub up on the game a little. Mr. Gregory has bought a book of rules. It gets em all sooner or later.

Miss Stainsby of the Hospital staff also left for Vancouver. She has been here a long time and our loss here is Vancouver's gain. She was a capable nurse and a very conscientious worker.

Dr. McKenzie and family left on Thursday's boat for Vancouver. You leave behind you lots of good friends Dr. and will be especially missed amongst the trapshooters, where you were always on deck to take a crack at the birds.

Mr. Ballantyne also got home after attending the Methodist Conference. With him came his daughter, Mrs. G. Thomson, and her infant girl. Married life seems to agree with Mrs. Thomson. She looks just as young as she did whilst working in the Drygoods Dept. here some time ago.

Bert Kergin also came home again from Rupert on Thursday's boat. He was successful in selling the old boat, and we wish him and his genial partner just as much business with their new boat as they did on the old Wake. One will go a long way these days to meet more obliging fellows than Kergin and Fowler.

The Elk's won their game at Baseball on Monday evening. They have hit their stride now.

Nine new members were initiated at their meeting on Monday. There was a good crowd too considering all the counter attractions for that evening. The boys served coffee and sandwiches after the session and rounded out the evening with a few songs.

The B. P. O. E. gave a very successful Dance on the King's Birthday, in the Recreation Hall. While the crowd was not as large as usual on account of the very hot weather, those that stayed away missed one of the best dances of the year. The music was grand and reflects great credit on all the orchestra, while the lunch was enjoyed by everyone. As a coffee maker George Jessop is in a class by himself.

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The Future of Alice Arm.

Despite the close-down of the Dolly Varden Mine last fall, the future of Alice is exceptionally bright, as is admitted by all who know the country and the mineral wealth contained in the Kitsault and Alliance valleys. Due to financial difficulties, the Taylor Mining Co. suspended operations at the Dolly Varden last fall, and up to the present no definite word has been received of operations being resumed. Mr. Taylor, so far has been unable to raise sufficient money to build a concentrating plant, extend the railroad to the Wolf, and undertake development work both at the Dolly Varden and the Wolf. It is necessary that these things should be done before the mine can be a permanent shipper, and it will take considerable capital to do it. If the Taylor Mining Company cannot raise the necessary capital there is no doubt they will sell out to some big mining company who has the capital to develop it, or it will eventually revert to the original owners or their creditors. We understand there are several mining companies in the field to take over the property, providing a clear title is granted, with no chance of litigation to follow as has been the case in the past. Such a company operating the property, would without a doubt, take over other properties in the immediate vicinity on which high grade ore has been already found in considerable quantities, in order to have an unlimited supply of ore for the mill. To leave idle two such rich high-grade silver mines as the Dolly Varden and the Wolf is a calamity to the district and disastrous to the prosperity of the province. It is to be hoped that the present tangle will quickly be straightened out, and that the wheels of industry will be turning once more, so that Alice Arm can again claim the position as the premier silver mining camp in British Columbia.

Two properties are working on the Alliance, the Bellevue, operated by the Alice Arm Holdings Company, and the Silver Star, operated by Mr. A. J. Bone and Mr. A. R. Hodgson. Work on the Bellevue has been going on all winter with very satisfactory results. The Alliance River section has not had the attention paid to it as the Kitsault, but there is no doubt that this summer will be one of prosperity for the Alliance, and with the opening up of the Dolly Varden, which may be very shortly, Alice Arm will command the attention of the mining world.

Prosperity for Anyox

With the price of copper getting close to 14 cents again, the citizens of Anyox are beginning to be a little more cheerful and when it does go to 14 cents they will have cause to be jubilant, for it will mean twenty-five cents per day increase in wages, and twenty-five cents per day helps considerable to buy the children's shoes, ice cream, etc. The management will be no less pleased than the employees, as they have had a hard up-hill struggle for the past year, and the silver lining is beginning to appear on the dark cloud of low price copper. The Company's operations for the past year will show a deficit, and it is to be hoped that from now on conditions will improve, as no company can run indefinitely at a loss. It is almost certain that copper will continue to slowly rise and if it does it will benefit the Granby Co. and the employees, also the district and the Province in which we live.

Extract from the annual report of the Hon. J. W. deB. Farris Minister of Labour, for the year ending, December 31st, 1920—A large amount of valuable information has been collected in the statistical section of the department on the general position of labor in the province. This is based upon figures supplied direct to the Department of Labor by 1,869 companies and firms employing industrial workers. Taking all industries together, the average wage for all adult industrial male workers in the province, as computed from last year's returns, is \$31.51 per week, which is an advance of \$2.40 per week as compared with 1918-19, and of \$3.54 per week as compared with the first seven months of 1918.

Anyox Gun Club

Wednesday evening's shoot at the traps, resulted in the breaking of the local trap record by Wetmore who fractured 23 birds out of a possible 25. Here are the contestants highest scores.

- Wetmore 23
- Beckett 19
- Conway 18
- Munroe 18
- Champion 18
- Campbell 17
- Roscoe 16
- Mrs. Munroe . . . 14
- Mann 3
- Crabbe 2

The tie between Beckett and Roscoe for the May handicap tournament was shot off, resulting in a win for Roscoe by a close margin, and giving the mine a lead on the beach for the Munroe Cup. As a result of the first evening's shooting this month, four shooters are now tied for first place in the June Handicap Tournament. Mrs. Munroe, Campbell, Conway and Champion have each scored a possible 25, and a close and exciting contest is assured.

New Liquor Act

On the 15th. of this month the New Liquor Act comes into force. All stocks of beer must be off the premises by midnight of the 14th. and the near beer bars will pass into history.

Mr. G. Hanson, will be in Alice Arm this summer, investigating the mineral deposits for the Dominion Department of Mines.

Anyox Community League Council

Meet every Friday evening at 7 p.m.
Last Friday in the month Meeting held at Mine
Other Meetings held at Recreation Hall, Beach

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And 1 Reel Screen Snapshots

Thursday, at 7 p.m.
Jack Pickford in "DOUBLE DYED DECEIVER"
Bray Metograph and Educational Reels

Saturday, at 7.15 p.m.
Wallace Reid in "DANCIN FOOL"
Paramount Magazine and Briggs Comedy
SPECIAL. "Dempsey Brennan" fight pictures next Wednesday night.

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New Superintendent At Cassidy Mine

R. R. Wilson, superintendent and resident manager of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Co's Collieries at Cassidy Vancouver Island, for the past two and a half years, resigned on June 1st. The duties of his office will be assumed by Charles Campbell, one of the company's well-known officials; who was for twenty-one years superintendent and resident manager at Phoenix, where operations ceased some time ago. Mr. Wilson is a son of W. R. Wilson, president and general manager of the Crows Nest Pass Coal Company. He took charge at Cassidy before the industry was on its feet, completed the construction started by the Taylor Engineering Company, of Vancouver, and built up an efficient and smooth-running organization that carried production from 100 tons a day in 1919 to 1200 tons a day in 1920. This was done in a virgin field and without extraction of pillar coal. It is now authoritatively stated that it now is possible, should trade conditions warrant it, to increase the daily output to 1500 tons without difficulty.

Gold Mining on Queen Charlotte Islands

Shuttle Island, a small member of the Queen Charlotte Group, is witnessing some gold mine development that may become important. Gold was discovered on the

beach in 1918 by workmen engaged in getting out spruce for airplane construction. The Ellen Group Gold Mining Company is operating on one small vein, five inches wide, assaying from \$1100 to over \$1400 in free milling gold. Another vein 8 inches wide, has been located in a quartz ledge, the returns from which are fully as high. Some fine nuggets are also found on the beach.

To Test Texeda Island Ore

Twenty tons of iron ore are being shipped from the Lake Hill Mine of the Puget Sound Company's group on the west coast of Texeda Island for a test run in the electric furnaces of the firm of Thomas Summersons & Sons, Limited, Darlington, England.

The British Parliament

The Membership of the British House of Lords, is 692 members, with sixteen Scottish and twenty Irish peers, who are also British, and nineteen Scottish and fifty-seven Irish, who are not hereditary members, but are elected by peers of their own country. The House of Commons consists of 670 members, 461 for England, thirty-four for Wales, seventy-two for Scotland and 103 for Ireland—one for every 70,000 people of Great Britain and one for every 43,000 of Ireland.

Coal Mined at Cassidy

During the month of April, 26,584 tons of coal were mined at Granby Colliery, Cassidy.

ATLIN ELECTORAL DIVISION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, I shall, on MONDAY the 20th. day of June, 1921, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Government Office, Anyox, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name or names on the Voters List for the above named Electoral District.

Dated at Anyox, B. C. this 10th. day of May, 1921.

JOHN CONWAY,
Registrar of Voters,
Atlin Electoral District.

PARENTS who have children wanting to take Music Lessons kindly phone Community League Secretary at 150, as it is the intention of the Anyox Community League to get a first class Music Teacher from the outside.

THE Anyox Community League is now over 500 strong, and is still looking for new members. Join folks and let's made the A. C. L. a live issue.

Anyox Baseball League

SENIOR			
May 16th.	Elks	vs.	Mine
" 18th.	Smelter	vs.	Elks
" 23rd.	Mine	vs.	Smelter
" 25th.	Elks	vs.	Smelter
" 30th.	Mine	vs.	Elks
June 1st.	Smelter	vs.	Mine
" 6th.	Elks	vs.	Smelter
" 8th.	Mine	vs.	Elks
" 13th.	Smelter	vs.	Mine
" 15th.	Smelter	vs.	Elks
" 20th.	Elks	vs.	Mine
" 22nd.	Mine	vs.	Smelter

First half of series

Games played Mondays & Wednesdays

Anyox Intermediate Baseball League

May 7th.	Beach	vs.	Mine
" 12th.	Mine	vs.	Beach
" 14th.	Beach	vs.	Mine
" 19th.	Mine	vs.	Beach
" 21st.	Beach	vs.	Mine
" 26th.	Mine	vs.	Beach
" 28th.	Beach	vs.	Mine
June 2nd.	Mine	vs.	Beach
" 4th.	Beach	vs.	Mine
" 9th.	Mine	vs.	Beach
" 11th.	Beach	vs.	Mine
" 16th.	Mine	vs.	Beach

Games played on Thursdays and Saturdays

Anyox Football League

May 10th.	Mine	vs.	Smelter
" 17th.	Elks	vs.	Mine
" 20th.	Smelter	vs.	Elks
" 27th.	Smelter	vs.	Mine
" 31st.	Mine	vs.	Elks
June 3rd.	Elks	vs.	Smelter
" 7th.	Mine	vs.	Smelter
" 10th.	Elks	vs.	Mine
" 14th.	Smelter	vs.	Elks
" 17th.	Smelter	vs.	Mine
" 20th.	Mine	vs.	Elks
" 24th.	Elks	vs.	Smelter

First half of series

Games played on Tuesdays and Fridays

The Herald already has the largest circulation of any weekly in the North.

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General Merchandise

The Man around Town

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The Smelter and the Mine locked horns on Wednesday evening. The smelter losing by a narrow margin. The only real excitement of the evening was when "Babe" Chapman was carried off the field in a wheelbarrow for daring to root for the smelter, contrary to the wishes of King Gray and a few of his satellites, who were upholding the mine team. However, Harry had the courage of his convictions and kept on rooting for the good old smelter, even against such an aggregation as he was up against that night.

Dance Held at Camp Eight

The residents of camp eight were the hosts and hostesses to a party of about forty citizens of Alice Arm who gladly accepted their kind invitation to attend a supper and dance held at the camp on Friday, June 3rd, the King's Birthday.

The visitors left the Arm during the afternoon, and were conveyed to their destination via the Haid Car route, which to many proved a novel means of transportation. Without doubt, the Kitsault is a "high grade" proposition, as the numerous blisters, sore arms, and moist brows of the pumpers gave ample proof. However, the sumptuous repast that awaited them upon their arrival proved worthy of the effort and a wonderful reviver of drooping spirits and aching limbs.

After supper the evening was spent in dancing at "Dinty Moore's" and a dainty luncheon at one o'clock was thoroughly enjoyed by all. An impromptu concert from then until daylight appeared provided a cheery form of entertainment.

Leaving at three in the morning the visitors were quickly conveyed to their homes; the laws of gravity spurning the feeble assistance of human effort in regard to propelling the cars.

The hospitality of the residents of camp eight is well known throughout the district, and it was surpassed upon the present occasion. Everyone who was present was loud in their praise of the good time extended to them.

Everyone was real tired after the thirty-six mile hand car joy-ride, and lucky were those that could spare the time for a few hours sleep.

See Al. Falconer for Wood or Coal.

Who are the Sneak Thieves?

Sneak thieves have been busy plying their dirty trade in Alice Arm of late. Last Monday night a chicken house was broken into, and some fine chickens stolen, while not very long ago a considerable quantity of gasoline was stolen from a gas boat, the door being smashed in to obtain it. Other petty thieving cases have been going on for some time, and it is the duty of any citizen who has any reliable information that will lead to the arrest of the parasites to disclose it to the police. It is the dirtiest, lowest kind of thieving and should be stopped.

Government Road Work

Work on the Alliance trail will start in a few days, from 12 to 15 men will be employed, and work will consist of general repair work on the trail already built.

Work on the Kitsault River wing dam finished some time ago. It has been considerably strengthened this spring, and will, we hope be strong enough to turn aside the high water of the Kitsault River during the fall rains, and save the town from being washed out.

A heavier cable is being installed on the cage ferry across the Kitsault River, and when it is finished the ferry will be first-class in every respect. It has been built in such a way that it can with very little expense be converted into a bridge for pedestrians or pack horses.

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Has produced minerals valued as follows: Placer Gold, \$75,722,603; Lode Gold, \$100,272,431; Silver, \$50,432,304; Lead, \$43,821,106; Copper, \$153,680,965; Zinc, \$16,818,487; Coal and Coke, \$199,123,323; Building Stone, Brick, Cement, etc., \$29,991,757; Miscellaneous Minerals, \$786,918; making its mineral production to the end of 1919 show an

Aggregate Value of \$670,649,894

The substantial progress of the Mining Industry of this Province is strikingly exhibited in the following figures which show the value of production for successive five-year periods: For all years to 1895, inclusive, \$94,547,241 for five years, 1896-1900, \$57,605,967; for five years, 1901-1905, \$96,509,968; for five years, 1906-1910, \$125,534,474; for five years, 1911-1915, \$142,072,603; for the year 1916, \$42,290,462; for the year 1917, \$37,010,392; for the year 1918, \$41,782,474; for the year 1919, \$33,296,313.

Production During last ten years, \$322,829,310

Lode-mining has only been in progress for about 25 years, and not 20 per cent of the Province has been even prospected; 300,000 square miles of unexplored mineral bearing land are open for prospecting.

The Mining Laws of this Province are more liberal and the fees lower than those of any other Province in the Dominion, or any Colony in the British Empire.

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