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AT WORK ON THE BRUCE

THE FORCE TO BE INCREASED AT ONCE.

A Tunnel to be Run 280 Feet Long.

It will be remembered that some little time ago the Adams British Columbia company took a bond on the Bruce and seven other claims, situated on Ingram mountain, close to Midway, but owing to a misunderstanding the terms of the bond were not strictly adhered to in the outset, and the bond fell through, much to the regret of all parties concerned. The Bruce and two other claims reverting to the original owners, Mr. J. C. Haas and his associates, they set to work on the adjoining claim to the Bruce, the Jubilee, and soon sufficient work was done to demonstrate that not only was this good property, but that the Bruce was really a much better proposition than many had believed, as apart from the rich copper-gold ore to be found on the surface, it was seen that two ledges instead of one, existed on the claim, which running parallel with each other, disclosed such a large surface showing that the impression was conveyed to the unobservant that it was an enormous blow-out of ore, lacking undefined limits. The true merit of the property being perceived, many were the overtures made to the owners, by parties desirous of obtaining working or other bonds, but as in the meantime Mr. Haas had disposed of an interest in the principal claim the Bruce, all offers were rejected and the owners themselves having decided to prove the extent of their property, work was started a few days ago on a tunnel which is designed to crosscut in its course both ledges, to do which it will be necessary to continue it for a distance into the hill of about 280 feet. In the tunnel's course it is expected that the east ledge will be cut at a distance of about 140 feet, and at a depth from its apex of about 150 feet, and when at a distance of 280 feet the west vein is cut through, a depth from its apex will be attained of over 200 feet. To open out the work only a day shift is being employed, but as the work progresses and men can be used to advantage more will be put on, and day and night work will progress until the end aimed at has been attained, viz., that of showing that the Bruce is without doubt one of the most valuable properties, situated as it is in a most accessible position, to be found in the Boundary Creek district.

Charge of Dargai Ridge.

When poets are inspired to write such stirring lines as the following, as a result of the valorous conduct of a British Regiment, those who read them will be led to feel that the honor of the British Empire is still safe in the hands of her sons.

The incident touched upon by the writer was that which occurred on the 20th of October, when the Gordon Highlanders, so bravely stormed, and captured the almost impregnable position of the fighting Indian tribesmen, who had entrenched themselves upon what is known as the Dargai Ridge.

The lines are by Richard Mansfield, of New York.

DARGAI CAP.

Bulldogs, hark! Did your courage fail?
Bulldogs, hark! Did your glory pale?
What of the slander that says "Decayed
And gone to the dogs" since the Light Brigade?
For the blood and bone that humbled Nap.
T'was there again, boys, in the Dargai Cap.

Did ye hear the swish of the flying shot,
The roll of the drum and the rattle-pot?
The music that rose clear o'er that yell,
And thrilled through the ranks and stirred up hell?
Come, Highland laddie—head up—and step forth
A crown of glory—"cock o' the North"!

You cock o' the North, aye, pipe away,
With both stumps gone and you won the day!
You may lean your back against comrades now,
They'll moisten your lips and they'll kiss your brow;
For they fought like men, and a man may weep
When he lays a man to his last long sleep.

Bulldogs who sleep on the Dargai Ridge,
Fall in, quick march, and over the bridge.
The pipers ahead, and the same old air
To pipe you to heaven and veterans there;
And you'll tell the bullies who humbled Nap
The glorious story of Dargai Cap.

Important Change.

The Canadian Government has decided to change the rate of postage. At present a 5 cent stamp carries only one half ounce of mail matter to the United Kingdom and to some other countries it will not even do this. The change proposed is that a 3 cent stamp shall carry one ounce of mail matter to any part of the British Empire. Words are not required to depict the change that this will make in postal matters.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Records for the Week Ending November 30th, 1897.

MINERAL LOCATIONS.

NOVEMBER 20.

Ophir Fractional, Central camp, G. R. Naden.

Traveller, Kettle river, O. E. Nelson and J. J. Hibbard.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

NOVEMBER 24.

Jubilee, J. C. Haas.

Tip Top, J. C. Haas et al.

NOVEMBER 26.

Golden Dollar, J. Douglas et al.

NOVEMBER 27.

Glenwood, C. S. Galloway et al.

TRANSFERS.

NOVEMBER 25.

Jewel, ½ interest, F. Dittmer to The Prospecting Syndicate of British Columbia.

Gold Drop, ½ interest, F. Dittmer to The Prospecting Syndicate of British Columbia.

NOVEMBER 26.

L. A. F., ½ interest, J. Fisher to J. S. Harrison.

Delta, ¼ interest, T. A. Garland to M. T. Robison.

Montreal, ¼ interest, C. R. Garland to M. T. Robison.

NOVEMBER 27.

Glenwood, ½ interest, L. E. Sutherland to C. S. Galloway.

NOVEMBER 29.

Great Hesper, ½ interest, J. McNicol to J. C. Haas.

Hecla, ½ interest, J. McNicol to J. C. Haas.

NOVEMBER 30.

Louisa, ½ interest, H. McEwen to L. McEwen.

Strike in Summit Camp.

The gratifying information has been received that a good strike has been made on the Summit claim, in Summit camp. The claim is owned by Messrs. Conners and W. A. Corbett, who last month got in supplies for the winter, which they had decided to spend in prospecting the Summit. The claim is on high ground, and is distant by trail about a mile from Messrs Farrell and Midgeon's well-known Emma claim. About 30 feet of copper-stained, decomposed quartz had already been exposed in an open cut when a tunnel along the course of the lode was commenced, starting from a point about 500 feet below the outcrop in which the open cut had been made. A distance of about 34 feet was run into the hillside before a sufficiently deep face was obtained for the tunnel. Only six feet had been driven from this face when solid quartz two feet in thickness, was met with. Samples of this quartz show mineral freely, iron and copper pyrites, and galena, occurring in it. No assays have been made up to the time of writing, but the specimens are among the best-looking yet obtained in Summit camp, though of a different character from ore met with in other claims in that camp. Important developments here may be reasonably expected.

How to Harden Copper.

There have been many formulas devised for hardening copper, but most of them have not stood the tests to which such metal must necessarily be put. A Kansas man has come forward, according to the Idaho Journal, with a formula which he claims will stand any test to which it may be put. In carrying out the method enough finely powdered clay is mixed in clear vinegar to make a mass stiff enough to be easily worked.

The copper to be hardened is then covered with the mixture and placed in a furnace directly over the fire and allowed to remain five or six hours under intense heat. At the expiration of this time it is removed from the furnace and submerged in cold water. The clay is then broken open and the copper removed, and the same operation repeated successively until the copper has reached the desired hardness. When the clay is broken open after being heated the copper will be found to be surrounded by a thin crust, which readily peals off, leaving the interior portion of the copper whiter than the crust, the latter being red. The successive hardening of each piece of copper will gradually lighten its color, and the crust that forms on the copper is apparently one of the several constituents of ordinary copper exuding and depositing on the outer surface. By a quantitative and qualitative analysis of a given quantity of the clay used in this method the constituents and the proportions are found to be as follows ;— Aluminum silicate, five parts; silicate, ten parts; iron sulphate, one part; sodium, trace; potash sulphate, trace; earthy residum forming the balance.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

As in the near future a reorganization of the mail service for this district will be necessary, the Postal authorities will do well to consider the advisability of making provision for a connecting service between the two lines of communication over the different routes from Penticton to Oro, and Penticton to Grand Forks, so that Fairview may be brought into closer touch with the Boundary Creek section of the district. At present all mails coming from Fairview to Boundary Creek, are carried around by way of Penticton, whereas could the two lines be connected by a short service extending over only three or four miles, a direct communication would be established between these growing centers of mining activity, a state of affairs which we willingly intimate to the department, would be greatly appreciated by those who so much desire a rapid interchange of correspondence.

RECENTLY we made mention of the necessity that existed for the removal of the Government offices from Osoyoos to Fairview. Recognizing the fact that some time must elapse before this can be consummated, however, that is as far as the erection of the buildings is concerned, as this must depend upon a monetary provision being made at the next sitting of the provincial legislature, we would suggest that if the whole of the Government staff cannot be accommodated at Fairview at present, at least the Recorder could find room there, and by being stationed at a more central position, relieve the necessity that now compels the many, having business to do in his department, from traveling so many miles out of their way, to carry on the same. It would be well therefore for the government to take this into consideration for existing conditions entail much loss of time, and also a great expense, upon a class who, as a rule, are little able to afford either.

ALTHOUGH working quietly, nevertheless, D. C. Corbin is pushing ahead his railway surveys, and is preparing to make demands upon both the Provincial and Dominion Governments. At present a survey of the Kettle river loop is being made, the engineers working near Cascade City. It was always Mr. Corbin's idea to make the Kettle river valley the main artery of travel as it were, and therefore, that his engineers are now in the field between Cascade City and Carson, would tend to show, that he still clings to the hope of being able to secure a franchise, which would allow him to cross the International boundary line at Cascade City, and by traversing that portion of Kettle river which is known as Grand Prairie gain a point at which an easy re-entry into the Colville reservation could be made, thereby obviating the necessity of crossing over one or more ranges of hills, which he would be obliged to do, should he be compelled to extend his railway system westward without being allowed the privilege of entering Canadian Territory.

The Coming Mining Centre.

Mr. P. C. Andrews, accountant for the firm of Mackenzie, Mann & Co., contractors and capitalists, Montreal, who with Mr. R. J. Mackenzie recently visited several of the mining districts of this province, is reported by a Winnipeg newspaper to have expressed the opinion that Boundary Creek is the coming mining centre, when railways shall have opened up the district. Mr. Andrews very probably has posted himself well upon the extensive and varied mineral resources of Boundary Creek, since the firm of Mackenzie, Mann & Co. now control the V. V. & E. R. & N. Co.'s charter for the construction of a railway from the Coast through Boundary creek to the Columbia, and his travelling companion, Mr. R. J. Mcakenzie, lately bonded for $50,000, the Anchor and Enterprise mineral claims, in Long Lake camp, full particulars of which transaction were published in last week's ADVANCE. That Mr. Andrews may prove a true prophet, and that quickly, is the earnest hope and confident belief of nearly every one possessing sufficient knowledge of the district to justify him in coming to definite conclusions on this important subject.

Has Earned a Holiday.

After an absence from them of about five years, Mr. J. C. Haas, M. E., is about to visit his home and relatives, in Michigan, U. S. A. He went out recently via Marcus, and will after a short stay in Spokane, proceed thence to Michigan. Later he will go to Virginia, and probably New York and other eastern centres.

Mr. Haas has been closely identified with the mining interests of Boundary Creek for about three years, and much good work has he done during his residence here, quietly and unostentatiously yet persistently, to the benefit of the whole district. Possessing a good theoretical knowledge of mining matters, supported by a practical experience extending over many years, his unselfish and untiring efforts to obtain adequate recognition of the mineral resources of Boundary Creek, have been the more effective. Perhaps the most important work he did for the district—a work, by the way, that residents of Boundary Creek shewed scant substantial appreciation of, since they allowed him to bear the greater part of the expense as well as the brunt of the labor, himself—was the gathering together of a large and representative collection of specimens of the minerals occurring in Boundary Creek; in preparing a comprehensive and useful pamphlet dealing with the district and its resources, and in attending the 1896 Fruit Fair at Spokane, and there exhibiting the specimens and disseminating information relative to the district. He also assisted in compiling the pamphlet printed for distribution at the 1897 Fruit Fair at Spokane. Further than this, he has contributed mining news of the district to outside newspapers, and has freely given information to all inquirers, whether for publication, or for private uses.

It is fitting and is a matter for congratulation, that he has, during his residence in the district secured some valuable mining interests, either all or in part. Among these may be mentioned the Bruce, in Graham's camp (now being opened up); the Golconda group and the Great Hesper and the Hecla, in Smith's camp; the Ethiopia, in Long Lake camp; the Phœnix, in Greenwood camp, and others. He succeeded in interesting the British Canadian Gold E. D. & I. Co. of Toronto, in the Ethiopia; Hon. G. E. Foster, Dominion ex-Minister of Finance, of Canada, in the Golconda group; the Stratford Development Company, of Ontario, in the Bruce, and others whose names are not now remembered. It is this getting of outside parties with influence and with available means, to invest in local mining properties, that very serviceable advertising of the district is done. Much more might be written in a similar strain, but the foregoing is sufficient to bear testimony to the good service Mr. Haas has done the district. That he may have a very enjoyable holiday, may find numerous opportunities (which he will certainly take advantage of if they present themselves) to still further spread information respecting "the coming mining centre", and that he moy return safely in the Spring to take an active part in, and benefit by, the prosperity that awaits this district, are the sincere wishes of many who know and appreciate one whose integrity and mining qualifications combine to make him a most estimable and desirable citizen.

NOTICE.

A sitting of the Licensing Court, for the Southern portion of the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, will be held

At the Government Office, Osoyoos, and At the Government Office, Midway, on Wednesday, the 15th day of Dec., 1897.

At the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

C. A. R. LAMBLY.

Osoyoos, Nov. 30th, 1897.

NOTICE.

Vernon, Osoyoos, Kettle River, and Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale District.

NOTICE is hereby given that all placer claims legally held in the Vernon, Osoyoos Kettle River and Grand Forks Mining Divisions of Yale District, B. C., are laid over from the 15th day of November, 1897 to 1st day of June, 1898.

C. A. R. LAMBLY, Gold Commissioner.

Osoyoos, B. C., Nov. 13th, 1897.

COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At Fairview, on May 4th 1898.

At the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

By command, C. A. R. LAMBLY,

Government Office, Osoyoos, R. C. C.

November 5th, 1897.

A CARD.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

JUMBO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—In Summit Camp on north of lot 591.

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. T. Smith, free miner's certificate No. 8812 and W. G. McMynn, free miner's certificate No. 88801, intend sixty day from date hereof, to apply to the the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 30th day of September 1897.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

FORTUNE, JUBILEE FRACTION, AND DIAMOND FRACTION MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale district. Where located;—Camp Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. de Blois Green as agent for the Tin Horn Quartz Mining company, free miner's certificate No. 8730a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 25th day of Nov., 1897.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE.

BELMONT FRACTIONAL MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate at Fairview, Osoyoos Mining Division and adjoining the Mammoth on the south, the Atlas on the east, and the Lakeview on the west.

TAKE NOTICE that I, P. C. Stoess, free miner's certificate No. 12964, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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In the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition, and copies of such notice shall be sent by the parties inserting such notice to the Clerk of the House to be filed amongst the records of the Committee on Standing Orders.

57. No Petition for any Private Bill shall be received by the House after the first ten days of each Session, nor may any Private Bill be presented to the House after the first three weeks of each Session, nor may any Report of any Standing or Select Committee upon a Private Bill be received after the first four weeks of each Session, and no Motion for the suspension or modification of this Rule shall be entertained by the House until the same has been reported on by the Committee on Standing Orders, or after reference made thereof at a previous sitting of the House to the Standing Committee charged with consideration of Private Bills, who shall report thereon to the House. And if this Rule shall be suspended or modified as aforesaid the ... and which is presented after the time hereinbefore limited, or for which the Petition has been received after the time hereinbefore limited, shall in either case pay double the fees required as herein mentioned, unless the House shall order to the contrary. Any person seeking to obtain any Private Bill shall deposit with the Clerk of the House, eight days before the opening of the Session, a printed copy of such Bill, a copy of the Petition to be presented to the House, together with the notices published. At the time of depositing the Bill, the applicant shall also pay to the Clerk of the House a sum of three hundred dollars. If a copy of the Bill, Petition and notices shall not have been so deposited in the hands of the Clerk of the House at least eight days before the opening of the Session and if the Petition has not been pesented within the first ten days of the Session, the amount to be paid to the Clerk shall be six hundred dollars. If the Bill shall not pass second reading one half of the fees paid shall be returned.

60. Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is received by the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by rule 59, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a draw-bridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

61. All Private Bills for Acts of Incorporation shall be so framed as to incorporate by reference the clauses of the General Act relating to the details to be provided for by such Bills:—Special grounds shall be established for any proposed departure from this principle, or for the introduction of other provisions as to such details, and a note shall be appended to the Bill indicating the provisions thereof in which the General Act is proposed to be departed from. Bills which are not framed in accordance with this Rule shall be re-cast by the promoters and re-printed at their expense before any Committee passes upon the clauses.

65. All Private Bills shall be prepared by the parties applying for the same, and printed in Small Pica type, twenty-six ems by fifty ems, on good paper, in imperial octavo form, each page when folded measuring 10½ inches by 7½ inches. There shall be a marginal number every fifth line of each page; the numbering of the lines is not to run on through the Bill, but the lines of each page are to be numbered separately. One hundred copies of each Bill shall be deposited with the Clerk of the House immediately before the first reading. If amendments are made to any Bill during its progress before the Committee on Private Bills, or through the House, such Bill shall be re-printed by the promoters thereof.

Dated 16th November, 1897.

THORNTON FELL, CLERK, LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GILPIN FRACTIOAL MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Osoyoos Mining Division, and bounded on the north by the Cameron and Old England, on the south by the Joe Dandy and Daisy, on the east by the Daisy, and on the west by the Joe Dandy and Cameron mineral claims.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John R. Mitchell, free miner's certificate No. 9333, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 20th day of November, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ATLAS MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District, located at Camp Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John R. Mitchell, free miner's certificate No. 9331, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 13th day of November, 1897.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on the 17th of December, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week each way, between Grand Forks and Midway, from the 1st of January next.

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E. H FLETCHER, Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Victoria, B.C, Nov. 5th, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

HOMESTAKE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Camp Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles DeBlois Green, agent for Manson McMillen, free miner's certificate No. 73856, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 23rd day of Sept. 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

CHICKAMIN AND DIVIDE MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District, located at Kruger Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. Coryell, as agent for the Adams British Columbia Company, Ltd., Ly., free miner's certificate No. 6335a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

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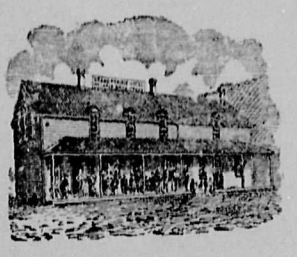

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Athelstan Bonded.

The Athelstan, a fractional claim situate in Wellington camp, near the Calumet claim, has lately been bonded, it is understood by Mr. Oliver, of Spokane. The claim was recorded in the name of John P. Mack, and is now owned by the Mack Bros. The consideration named in the bond is reported to be the sum of $15,000, payable in instalments spread over twelve months from date of the bond. Work has already been commenced under the new auspices, the sinking of a shaft on the ledge having been commenced. The ledge is about four feet in width, of quartz, carrying values chiefly in gold and copper. Assays of surface rock returned up to $12 in gold, but an improvement is looked for as depth is obtained. Several open cuts have been made along the course of the ledge and in each of them ore has been met with. A shaft house has been erected over the new shaft, and it is probable that sinking will be continued right through winter, in which case the claim may reasonably be expected to give a good account of itself. The indications so far met with suggest that ore of shipping grade will shortly be obtained.

The Winnipeg.

The new vertical shaft on the Winnipeg, in Wellington camp, has already been sunk through to the crosscut from the old incline shaft. Good progress has been made with the work of installing the steam hoist and pump, lately received at the mine, and the shaft and machinery house is in the course of erection, the delay in obtaining lumber for it having been got over.

Mr. Thomas Caterwood one of several North Dakota shareholders in the Winnipeg company, last week concluded a visit to the property, this having extended ever a sufficient time for him to thoroughly satisfy himself that the claim is fully up to what it was represented to be. Those for whom Messrs Honey and Beecher, of Grand Forks, North Dakota, acted in the recent deal will have cause for much satisfaction with Mr. Catherwood's opinion that both as regards the quantity of ore in sight and the assay values it returns, the representations made by Mr. Duncan McIntosh are more than substantiated. Those putting money into this mining venture were content to accept the statements of Mr. McIntosh, who has been favorably known to them for many verify them.

Mr. Catherwood left for Spokane last week. In view of the fact that he found the Winnipeg even more promising than he had been led to expect, and that he examined other valuable mining properties in the district, he will no doubt have nothing but good words to say of the Boundary Creek district as a field for mining investment.

COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At Grand Forks, on Tuesday, the 11th day of January, 1898.

At the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

By Command.

S. R. ALMOND,
D.R. C. C.

Government Office, Grand Forks, Nov. 5th, 1897.

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COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At Midway, on Friday, the 14th, day of January, 1898.

At the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

By command,

W. G. McMYNN,
D. R. C. C.

Government Office, Midway, October 27th, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

DAISY MINERAL CLAIM,

Situated in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John R. Mitchell, free miner's certificate No. 9033I, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

SAILOR MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Camp McKinney, in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. De Blois Green, acting as agent for C. Deitz, free miner's certificate No. 98933, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 6th day of Oct. 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE.

OSOYOOS MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District, located at Kruger Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBlois, Green agent for Stephen Mangott, free miner's certificate No. 75873, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 30th day of Sept., 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

CAPITAL PRIZE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Osoyoos District. Where located: In Skylark Camp adjoining the Helen Mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Sydney M. Johnson acting as agent for John W. Lind, free miner's certificate No. 88863, Thos. Hardy, free miner's certificate No. 95350, Thos. Humphrey, free miner's certificate No. 89901, Ewing Keighley, free miner's certificate No. 99739 and John Weir free miner's certificate No. 89879, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 30th day of September, 1897.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

It is reported, and the friends of the family will receive the intelligence with anxiety and regret, that Mr. Robert Lambly is seriously ill.

Miss Armstrong, who recently came down from Armstrong, and took a position as assistant nurse at the Greenwood City hospital, left for England on Wednesday's stage, being suddenly called away.

Mr. J. P. McLeod, our resident barrister, has moved into new, more commodious, and more comfortable quarters. At present his office is situated opposite that of the Townsite company.

About a month ago a telegram was sent from Vancouver to a party in Midway. So far it has not reached its destination. More recently, on the 16th inst., another was sent, which arrived here on the 23rd. There is something wrong somewhere, when it takes a telegram 7 days to travel so short a distance, even if it has to come part way in the mails.

Miss Thornber has been too ill during the past fortnight to attend to her duties as teacher at the Greenwood public school, consequently the school had to be closed temporarily. It is expected though that she will be sufficiently recovered to admit of the school being re-opened this week. A bad cold and a severe neuralgic affection were the causes of her being compelled to keep to her room for the time.

Miss McKenzie, our public school teacher, is meeting with much success in a canvass for subscriptions to a fund to provide a Christmas Tree for the little ones of Midway and neighborhood. Although the town has not as yet been thoroughly canvassed a sum approaching $75 has been subscribed.

The Rossland Miner makes the following announcement: "Though not officially announced it is generally understood that Mr. W. F. Tye, late chief engineer of the Columbia & Western railroad, has been appointed consulting engineer for the C. P. R. and is now in attendance on his duties. The company is taking advantage of Mr. Tye's general knowledge of the Boundary country and is sending him over much the same route that he laid out for the Columbia & Western two years ago." Mr. Tye was at Boundary Creek about a week ago, and whilst here visited the Bruce mineral claim, which is now being developed by Mr. J. C. Haas, M. E., and the Stratford Development Co., of Ontario.

After spending about a week in this portion of the district, Mr. J. E. Crane of New Westminster, left for home on Saturday's stage. Mr. Crane is the principal representative of the Travelers Life and Accident Insurance company of Hartford, Conn. U.S.A., in this province, and as he has been for many years past the most successful man in this line of business in British Columbia it is not necessary to say that his visit to this district was attended with any other than gratifying results. Before leaving Mr. Crane expressed himself as much taken up with Midway, and its surroundings, and said, that should circumstances permit he would in the future much like to become a citizen of the place.

Called East.

Mr. Hewitt Bostock, M. P., has found it impossible to visit Boundary Creek this week as he contemplated doing. In a letter from him received by Mr. A. K. Stuart by last mail he stated that he had been called east on important business. He wrote further:—"I presume the matter which most interests the people of the Boundary country is the railway question, and that they want someone to get the charter who will be independent of the C. P. R." Mr. Bostock would like to have an expression of opinion on this subject from his Boundary Creek constituents. He will endeavor to visit this section before the coming session of the Dominion parliament opens.

BACHELORS BALL.

Under the auspices of the bachelors of Midway, a very successful ball was given in McNicol's hall on Friday evening last. So successful, indeed, was the affair, that although the hall is capable of accommodating quite a number of people, it was taxed to its utmost capacity. Porter's orchestra was engaged for the occasion, and when at about 9 o,clock dancing commenced, the scene within the hall was an animating one. Under the guidance and artistic skill of the bachelors the hall had been beautifully decorated, and when filled with ladies in lovely costumes, and gentlemen in their best, a spectacle was presented not readily to be forgotten. So thoroughly did those present enter into the spirit of the dance, that on one occasion no less than 36 couples were observed to be taking part in one set of quadrilles, and when at midnight supper was announced, many would fain have remained in the hall, yet, having repaired to the Midway hotel, they were confronted with such a sumptuous repast, that for the time at anyrate, even the joy of the dancing was forgottten. Supper over, the company again repaired to the hall, and spent three or four hours more at dancing, after which the gathering dispersed, satisfied with the entertainment provided, and pleased with the admirable manner in which the bachelors carried out their appointments, to the delight of all present.

MINING NOTES.

The water has all been taken out of the mine workings at the Jewel, in Long Lake camp, so that shaft-sinking can now be resumed.

Little or nothing is now heard of the San Bernard, Providence camp; nevertheless it is being steadily prospected, and it is stated that some rich ore is being taken out. The small vein on this claim attracted the attention of the Provincial Mineralogist, Mr. W.A. Carlyle, who when in the district visited the property and seemed much pleased with it.

The Republic Mining company is reported to be building at Eureka a boarding house capable of accommodating about one hundred men. The company's pay-roll, however, is said to number about one hundred and thirty men. So much for the enterprise of a Clark on the other side of the line. May a similar transformation soon take place now that a Clark has got hold of the Snowshoe, in Greenwood camp.

The machinery for the Golden Crown mine, in Wellington camp, reached Penticton during the week before last. Efforts are being made to get it hauled to the mine without delay, so that it may be placed in position and got to work, in order to admit of the sinking of the main shaft being resumed. The men employed on the property are still driving the long crosscut tunnel, under the direction of mine superintendent W. J. Porter.

Information has been received from Rossland to the effect that Mr. A. H. Harrison purchased in that city last Monday, Nov. 29th, from the local agent of the Canadian Rand Drill company a complete mining plant for the B. C. claim in Summit camp. The plant is stated to consist of a four-drill compressor, a 30-horse power boiler, a 20-horse power hoist, a sinking pump, steel wire rope, piping, and a full complement of fittings. The cost of the entire plant is said to have been $4,500. The plant was shipped from Rossland last Tuesday morning. As soon as it arrives and is put in place, mining operations on the B. C. will undoubtedly be carried on to their full capacity.

The Stratford Development company, of Ontario, was organised by Mr. Sydney M. Johnson, C. E., now of Anaconda, when, some time since, he was visiting Stratford, which is his home. Mr. Johnson acts in the capacity of managing director of the company, and he has secured for it a number of mining interests in the Kootenay and Boundary Creek mining districts. The company is interested in this district in the Bruce, Jubilee and Magnetite claims in Graham's camp; in the Blue Jay, in Long Lake camp, and in the Leap Year, in Skylark camp. Mr. W. F. Tye, late of Trail is a director of the company, which, however, has its head quarters in Stratford.

Messrs Sydney M. Johnson, C. E., of Anaconda and W. F. Tye, C. E., of Montreal, who are directors of the Stratford Development company, of Ontario, recently paid a visit to the Bruce, in Graham's camp. Particulars of the work in progress on this property are published on the the first page of this issue. Mr. Tye, who recently resigned the position of Chief Engineer of the company owning the Columbia and Western railway, appeared to be well satisfied with the prospects of Boundary Creek, which he agreed needs no booming—its value and importance will soon compel notice, without boom tactics being resorted to.

The Western Mining World states that it is reported Mr. Patrick Clark, of Butte, Mont., has closed a deal for the purchase of a big milling plant to treat Republic ores. The process to be used will be what is known as the Pelatin-Cleric process, similar to that now in operation at DeLamar, Idaho. It is a combination of cyanide and electricity and is said to be very successful where used. Mr. William Pack, who is well-known in Butte and who was formerly connected with the De Lamar company has been engaged at a large salary to superintend the construction of the mill and manage it when completed. Active work will be commenced at once. Tests show that a high saving of the values of the ore are assured. There is an immense quantity of high grade ore in sight and the Butte people who are interested in the property are confident that the Republic will be one of the great gold producers of the west.

OSOYOOS MINING DIVISION.

Records for the Week Ending November 27th, 1897.

MINERAL LOCATIONS.

NOVEMBER 22.

Ukon, A. B. Barbour.
Klondike, fractional, W. Dalrymple.

NOVEMBER 23.

Great Ceasar, Wm. H. Meyers.
Golden Horn, Wm. H. Meyers.

NOVEMBER 24.

Ecuador, H. Stevenson and Thos. Barnett.

NOVEMBER 26.

Mpshella, G. B. McPherson Grant.
Altgorm, G. B. McPherson Grant.
Lakeview, W. R. Digby.
Nownie, W. R. Digby.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

NOVEMBER 22.

Kelowna J. R. Muir.

NOVEMBER 24

Freedom, Ainsley Megraw.
Pollux, Ainsley Megraw.
Allison, W. B. Riley and W. Stevenson.
Top Hand, Wm. L. Crossley,

NOVEMBER 27.

Dynamite, R. G. Sidley.
Success, R. G. Sidley.

TRANSFERS.

NOVEMBER 24.

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

RIVERSIDE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: Camp Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBlois Green, agent for Hirschel Cohen, free miner's certificate No. 20635a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 16th day of Nov. 1897.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:— Camp Fairview.

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TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. deBlois Green agent for W. A. Dier, free miner's certificate 8492 and A. A. Davidson, free miner's certificate No. 8491, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claims.

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

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HEAD OFFICE, GREENWOOD CITY, B. C.

Capitalization $1,500,000, in $1 Shares, Treasury Stock 700,000 Shares.

COMPANY'S PROPERTIES.

The Company's mining properties now consist of fourteen claims, viz., the D. A., G. A. R., Big Lgede, O. B., S. H. B., Fred D., S. F., J. A. C., P. H., C. S. & H., E. C. B., Prospective, Spokane and Granite Falls,

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BANKERS:

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DESCRIPTION.

On the "D. A." is a vein about 20 inches wide, with a pay-streak of 4 to 12 inches; from this 8,653 lbs. of ore was shipped to the smelter, giving $103.15 gold per ton, silver 74 7-10 ozs., and 2 per cent. lead. A tunnel is being driven on this vein from which ore is being taken. On the same property is a larger vein (quartz) carrying galena and pyrites.

The "G. A. R." has a 30-foot shaft sunk on a 2-foot vein, heavily mineralized with an intimate mixture of iron and copper pyrites, galena, blende and silverglance. The finest pieces of wire silver found on Boundary Creek were taken from this shaft. Average assays from different places across the vein gave $8.00 gold, 50 ozs. silver; also $8.00 gold and 150 ozs. silver and one, the latest return—$15.05 gold and 196 4-5 ozs. silver per ton.

On the "Big Ledge" is a 10-foot quartz vein, mineralized with iron pyrites. This vein has been opened up by cross-cuts on the surface for 500 feet. A narrower vein has been opened up, being one foot wide, carrying considerable copper pyrites, and runs into the main ledge as a spur, on which a tunnel of 40 feet has been driven. Average assays gave $33 gold and 11-10 ozs. silver, and $49.35 gold 17½ ozs. silver, 2 per cent. copper.

The "S. F." lies between the G. A. R. and D. A., in the direction of the strike on the G. A. R. vein. This location has been made on a vein of pyrrhotite.

The "O. B." has two distinct veins: one 25 feet wide which, from its strike and general character would seem to be the same vein as that on the Big Ledge, although sufficient has not been done to make this conclusive. The second vein has at present a width of nearly three feet. Assays have shown values in gold from $4.00 to $170.53, while a conservative sampling by Mr. S. S. Fowler, M. E. gave $20.00 in gold.

On the "S. H. B." are two converging veins of copper and iron pyrites, on which work is now being done. An average assay gave, gold $1.50, silver 16⅔ ozs., copper 11.96 per cent., or $40.44 for all values.

The "Fred D." was located in December, 1895, more as ground for a basis for mining operations for the other claims than for its present value, although there is little doubt that the large vein on the O. B. runs through it. There is a small vein of galena on this claim.

The "J. A. C." has a large iron-capping running through it from the Anaconda, at a depth of a few feet. The ore carries a considerable percentage of of copper and $10 in gold.

The remaining six claims are all good prospects, but as yet very little development work has been done on them.

This company is registered under the Companies Act, 1890, and amending acts, in the office of the Registrar in Victoria, B. C., for 1,500,000 shares at $1.00, non- assessable, of which a portion of the Treasury stock is now offered at 10 cents a share on application to the company.

NOW IS THE TIME

To get in on the ground floor. The company having recently purchased the McDonnell ranch of about 560 acres, adjoining its mineral claims, now possesses unusual facilities for carrying on mining operations on a large scale. This purchase has secured to the Company excellent mill and smelter sites; abundant water power for mining, electric light, domestic and other purposes, and other desirable advantages.

Forty acres of this land, very conveniently and centrally situated at the junction of Eholt Creek and Boundary Creek, have been surveyed into town lots, and the new townsite has been named.

BOUNDARY CREEK CITY.

ITS situation is a most favorable one, being at the meeting place of two much used routes of travel—to Long Lake, Pass Creek and Summit camps, and to Kimberly camp, and the main Kettle River respectively. It is also the only known practicable railway pass from the east, so will be nigh on the line of the new railway from the Columbia River to Penticton.

Building has already commenced on the new townsite, which offers particular inducement for both business and residence purposes. There are now good openings for several kinds of businesses and the company will give exery encouragement to business men establishing themselves at this point. Prices of lots are within the reach of all, and buyers building on them will be liberally dealt with. Full particulars of both mineral claims and town lots will be given upon application to the

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