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NATIVES OF THE COUNTRY.

Some of the Birds and Beasts Collected by Mr. Pound of Vernon.

Although the following is incomplete, it will give local zoologists some idea of the various native animals to be be found in this part of B. C. It by no means represents all the varieties known to exist, but only what are to be seen at present on exhibition. A very fine display of the taxidermist's art can be looked forward to at the coming show at Vernon, which those who interest themselves in natural history throughout the Province would do well to take in.

1. Elk, or Wapiti deer.
2. Caribou.
3. 4. Mule deer (two varieties).
5. Virginia, or common deer.
6. Antelope, or Prong Buck of America.
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8. Mountain goat.
9. Mountain Lion, or Cougar.
10. Wolverine.
11. Black bear.
12. Brown bear.
13. Grizzly bear.
14. Lynx.
15. Wild Cat.
16. Badger.
17. Otter.
18. Beaver.
19. Martin.
20. Mink.
21. Weazel.
22. White squirrel.
23. Flying squirrel.
24. Gopher.
25. Bush-tail rat.
26. White Pocket gopher.
27. Marmot.
28. Cayote.
29. Wolf.

BIRDS.

30. Swan (Trumpeter).
31. Pelican (White).
32-33. Sand Hill Crane (two varieties).
34. Bittern.
35. Loon (or Great Northern Diver).
36. Gull.
37. Duck, Mallard.
38. " Wood or Summer.
39. " Velvet.
40. " Golden Eye.
41. " Green Wing Teal.
42. " Buffle Headed.
43. Goosander.
44. Owls, Snowy.
45. " Great Grey.
46. " Great Horned.
47. " Hawk.
48. " Arcadian.
49. " Pigmy.
50. Eagles, White Headed.
51. " Golden.
52. " Ring Tail.
53. Hawks, Osprey, or Fish Hawk.
54. " Blue.
55. " Sparrow.
56. " Night.
57. " Sharp Shinned.
58. " Slate.
59. Grouse, Blue, or Dusky.
60. " Ruffled
61. " Sharp Tail.
62. " Franklin's.
63. " Ptarmigan.
64. Magpie.
65. Meadow Lark.
66. Robin.
67. Varied Thrush.
68. Bohemian Waxwing.
69. Cedar bird.
70. Red Wing Blackbird.
71. Catbird.
72. Western Oriole.
73. Canary (wild).
74. China Finch (white).
75. Steller's Jay.
76. Blue Jay.
77. Wood Pecker, Pileated.
78. " Gold Wing.
79. " Lewess'.
80. Golden Plover.
81. Yellow Shanks, Plover.
82. Marble Godwit.
83. Coote.
84. Golden-eared Grebe.
85. Western Grebe.
86. Evening Grosbeak.
87. Cardinal Grosbeak.
88. Butcher Bird.
89. Tanager, Louisiana.
90. " Scarlet.
91. Turtle dove.
92. Lazuli Finch.
93. Shore Lark.
94. Song Sparrow.
95. King Bird.
96. Pe-we Flycatcher.
97. Black Cap Titmouse.
98. Yellow Breasted Warbler.
99. Blue Bird.
100. Rock Int. Bluebird.
101. Phalerope, Wilson's.
102. Kingfisher.

The Wellington Camp.

This small group of claims lies on the slope of Fourth of July creek, on the summit between Boundary creek and Grand Prairie, about four miles north of White's. The new wagon road now being constructed across Boundary mountain will pass by it, affording excellent shipping facilities.

The first claim located was the Keystone, which was staked off in the fall of '91 by Rumberger and Taylor. It has a ledge of gold and silver-bearing quartz, average assays of the ore giving $10 in gold, 8 oz. in silver and a small percentage of copper, and is a smelting proposition. This ledge has been developed by three shafts down to a depth of fifteen feet in solid ore and by open cross-cuts. It has an average width of seven feet and lies between two well-defined granite and porphyry walls. Several tons of ore lie on the dump.

The Wellington was also located in the fall of '91 by the owners of the Keystone, and lies to the north of that lead. It has a vein from fifteen inches to two feet in width of shipping ore, average assays of which give $30 in gold, $15 in silver and 23 per cent copper. A tunnel eighty feet in length has been run, which crosscuts the vein at a distance of thirty feet and a depth of twenty feet from the surface, after which it was continued fifty feet, with the object of tapping a larger body of ore, of which surface indications exist. This tunnel will be continued on to a greater length (from 100 to 150 feet) shortly.

The Bland, a claim lying one mile west of the Wellington, is also owned by the same parties, by whom it was located last fall, and is a straight silver proposition. It has a two foot vein of high grade ore running from $200 to $500 in silver, which lies in a lime formation. A twenty foot shaft has been sunk on it, and it has been exposed in various places on the surface for 150 feet. This will probably be the first claim to make a shipment.

The Wall Street is another of Mr. Taylor's last year's locations and lies half a mile west of the Keystone. It has a ten foot ledge which has had little development done on it. Surface assays of the rock give $5 in gold and $7.50 in silver.

DISTRICT NOTES.

Forty men are working on the waggon road into Sheep creek from Northport.

When money becomes more plentiful the S. F. & N. railway proposes to build a branch up Sheep creek to the Trail creek mines.

Mary Smith has lost the cattle after all, the Indian agent and U. S. authorities deeming that she had no right to them.

There will be a great race meeting at Loomiston on 1st and 2nd of October. There will also be a county ball on the night of the 1st. Altogether a high old time can be looked forward to.

It is estimated that the President's Proclamation for the opening of the Colville Indian Reservation will place one and a half million acres of agricultural and grazing lands open for settlement.

Messrs. J. Stevens and M. Hotter are in Fairview, where they will have some development done on the Comet. Mr. Stevens will also have a hard try to find the Morning Star lead on the Evening Star. Mr. Hotter is, we regret to state, in poor health. They will both winter in Fairview.

One of the most promising prospects of the New Camp is the Golden Globe, the south extension of the Capital Prize, located on the first of July last by F. Dettmer. It is not on the same lead as that claim, but has two parallel veins, each averaging eighteen inches of high grade gold and silver ore. On one of these a fourteen foot shaft has been sunk, and Mr. Dettmer is now prospecting the other.

Mail matter gets considerably mixed up at times between Grand Prairie and Osoyoos. Additional mail bags are needed, so that letters sent from Grand Prairie to Midway or Rock creek need not travel all the way to Osoyoos and back. As the post office officials appear indifferent about these matters, some religious body ought to take this in hand, as the present state of affairs leads to a great deal of unnecessary swearing.

The Mystic claim in the New Camp is now in dispute between Mr. Haas and Mr. F. Dettmer. It was re-staked and re-recorded by both parties on the seventh inst., who had a race for the recorder's office at Rock creek, which was won by Mr. Dettmer, who renamed it the Mamon. It was also recorded by Mr. Haas a few minutes later. This case will be decided by Mr. C. A. R. Lambly, the Gold Commissioner, on 20th October, when the county court is held at Midway.

The experience of the man who has been collecting data for the descriptions of the mining camps which have appeared in this paper is that local holders of claims are very willing to furnish information about their own properties, but loath to do the same for other claims with which they are well acquainted. If every one claim holder in the district is going simply to consider his own private interests and not those of others as well the chance of the progress of this section will be small.

The government have a townsite reserve at the mouth of Rock creek, which has been used so far by Chinese as a garden patch. Now that the through road is being completed into Kettle river and the district generally is going ahead it would pay the Government well to have it divided up into respectable sized lots or acre blocks (not the usual B. C allowance of twenty-five feet) and put it on the market. The chance of selling property at Rock creek is scarcely likely to be better next year than this. We believe lots auctioned off on the spot would bring a fair price. It ought to pay the Government better to sell this property at what it will bring than to let it remain a Chinese ranch.

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If the completion of the through road for this district on the British side is to have the effect of diverting trade to the north, the appointment of an additional customs officer to patrol the line between Grand Prairie and Boundary creek will be a necessity. At the present time the customs officials at the east of Grand Prairie and Osoyoos find quite enough to do to attend to the the duties of their office in connection with merchandise, etc., coming in from the States through the passes in which their offices are situated, and if the stores recently erected north of the line are to be able to compete with those in the States which have formerly held the trade of Kettle river, their interests must be better protected than at present. The Provincial Government having now done its share in building a through trade route on Canadian territory there is no longer any excuse for the federal authorities not to follow suit by providing the district with a better mail service and by appointing an extra customs officer, so as to enable the freighting facilities afforded by the new road to be used for the diversion of trade from across the line to the benefit of our own Province.

The completion of the through road to Grand Prairie reflects credit on the Government. A great deal of pressure from various sources was brought to bear on the executive for this object, and it might naturally be supposed that without it the road work would not have been re-commenced this season. We have, however, good reasons for stating that as soon as the authorities were officially informed as to the condition of things when the appropriation was expended, there was no hesitation on their part in ordering work to be resumed.

The prize list of the O. & S. Agricultural Society reached our office by last week's mail. It is, as hitherto, a good sample of the printer's art and a credit to the job printing department of our contemporary the Vernon News. We advise our readers to read, mark and put it to practical use by sending any exhibits they possibly can to the show.

ARMSTRONG HAPPENINGS.

(From our own correspondent.)

We have just had Mr. Wm. Brown, A. G. F. A., of the C. P. R., pay Armstrong a flying visit. His object was to arrange freight rates on spuds, I understand, but have not heard that he has done anything. Verily great bodies move slowly and the world stands still to give them a chance to move. Mr. Brown has just recovered from a severe attack of fever.

We have had fairly heavy rains twice in the last few days. The smoke with which the atmosphere has been loaded for weeks has disappeared before the fire conqueror.

The grain crop, the smallest yield per acre in the memory of any of our settlers, has been harvested, and in some cases threshed and shipped.

Great inroads are being made through the brush on the rich bottom lands near Armstrong, adding to the profits of the rancher, the beauties of the landscape and the general appearance of the surroundings of the town.

There is a scheme on foot to dig a large ditch from Otter lake to E. C. Cargill's ranch for the purpose of more thoroughly draining the meadows in the vicinity. All here wish the scheme every success, and think the promoters deserve great praise.

The price of wheat at the mills here (Enderby and Vernon) is to be $16 per ton this year. What good has the $5,000 bonus granted to a flouring mill at Vernon done?

The prettiest little fake of the day is the petition of "The Rt. Hon." E. J. Tronson against the return of Donald Graham to represent this riding in the local parliament and praying that the Hon. F. G. Vernon retain his seat to again misrepresent the riding. Caution editor—do not permit a 'mis' print. One would think that a man would have sense enough to submit to a defeat with good grace where a second and greater defeat is sure to follow.

The new wagon road from Dog lake to Kettle river is very materially affecting our markets here. Vernon is booming in consequence and the wily Captain Shorts has got "in on it" by putting a new boat on Okanagan lake. Can we not send you down a carload of quills, Mr. Editor? We are running short of almost all other kinds of produce. Yours,

SLICK & PARTNER.

Mr. John Pettijohn of Grand Prairie, was tried last week before Mr. W. G McMynn on an information laid by Mr Keithly for carrying passengers without a licence, and fined $6 and costs.

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NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:

TAKE NOTICE that I, William Hedges, pre-emptor of claim No. 1726, shall one month from date of this notice apply to Leonard Norris, Esquire, Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, for permission to record two hundred inches of water, the same to be diverted from a creek passing through my claim and known as Sand Creek. The said amount of water to be taken from the creek at a point twenty chains, more or less, north-east from my north-east corner post; the water to be used for agricultural purposes. The said water to be taken for a term of ninety-nine (99) years, or so long as the said lands, or any part thereof, shall be in the possession of William Hedges, his heirs or assigns.

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County Court Notice.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Yale will be holden as follows:

At Osoyoos on Wednesday, 17th October, 1894;

At Midway on Saturday, 20th October, 1894, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

By Command,

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
R. C. C.

GOVERNMENT OFFICE, OSOYOOS,
19th July, 1894.

COURTS OF ASSIZE.

Table Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

Clinton	Thursday, 20th September
Richfield	Monday, 24th September
Kamloops	Monday, 1st October
Vernon	Monday, 8th October
Lytton	Friday, 12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday, 6th November
Vancouver	Monday, 12th November
Victoria	Tuesday, 20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday, 27th November

NOTICE.

THE SPRING COURT OF ASSIZE at Vernon which was postponed to the 10th of September, has been further adjourned till Monday, the 8th day of October, at 11 o'clock a.m., on which date all jurors and witnesses are notified to attend.

By Order,

LEONARD NORRIS,
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. Gilpin, customs officer, Grand Prairie, is in town.

Messrs. Moore and Holt returned to Loomiston on Saturday after visiting White's camp.

Mr. J. Coryell, C. E., passed through on his way to Grand Prairie yesterday. Mr. F. Billings accompanied him.

Mr. F. Billings, of Cochrane & Billings, Vernon, has been spending a few days at Midway and taking many a wily trout out of Kettle river.

Mr. S. Martin has taken up a pre-emption of 320 acres on Nicholson creek, about two and a half miles from its mouth.

Messrs. Schuster and Green's new building is being used as a school house. Mrs. McDonald, the teacher, reports an average attendance of fourteen.

Mr. Mackay Ingram, of Ingram & Buber, hauled out the Boundary creek ore exhibit on Monday. Mr. Ingram is taking it up to Penticton without charge.

Mr. Knuth and family, who were camping by the river, left on Monday for the Nez Perces reservation, where they hope to secure one of the first homesteads.

Mr. L. Norris returned north on Saturday, after making final arrangements for the completion of the through road to Grand Prairie and other official business.

Messrs. J. Boss and John Douglas passed through on their way to Rock creek yesterday, returning to-day. Mr. Douglas will visit Camp McKinney within a week, where he has large interests.

Mr. C. J. Lundy, who lately paid Midway a visit, has purchased an interest in the Boundary creek hotel and will shortly return. The latter will undergo extensive improvements and alterations.

The teams which hauled out the D. A. ore returned yesterday with goods for Messrs. McNichol & Rice's store. They met with a number of mishaps, break downs, etc., on their return trip. Mr. Rice accompanied them.

DISTRICT NOTES.

Mr. D. A. Carmichael, of Fairview, is on a business trip to Conconully.

Camp McKinney is at last connected by wagon road with the outside world.

Mrs. C. de B. Green and family are residing on Mr. Green's pre-emption on Osoyoos lake.

The stampmill at Fairview started crushing again last Friday, the ore coming from the main vein on the Brown Bear.

A pleasant dance took place last Saturday at Mr. Hardy's hotel, Boundary Falls, at which over fifteen couple were present.

The ten stamp mill lately put up on O. K. mine, Trail creek, is said to be working well, but under difficulties, as water is scarce.

Mr. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder company, and Mr. J. A. Russell, barrister of Vancouver, paid Fairview a visit last week,

Mr. Austin Corbin, junior, son of the President of the S. F. & N. R. R., and a party of friends are expected in to-day, when Mr. Scott McCrae will guide them to the happy hunting grounds up Boundary creek. Their intention was to have gone up the north fork, but the trails are too badly blocked up. They are after caribou.

Some twenty odd men are at work on the Rush and Oro mines lately sold by Judge Barney of Loomiston.

Mr. R. Ochsner, of the Vernon brewery, is reported to have made an assignment to Messrs. Wulffsohn & Bewicke.

Mr. Coryell, C. E., is engaged to survey twenty-two pre-emptions in Trinity valley next month. This is the new settlement lying between Mable lake and Deep creek.

A mining expert visited the Copper camp last week, going in by way of the old Ingram trail. His name not having transpired he may be termed the "wise man from the west." Let him go at that.

The site for the bridge at Ingram's, which was washed out by the flood last summer, has been located by Mr. J. A. Coryell, C. E., on exactly the old place. It will, however, be built much higher than the old structure.

John Jarrett, who murdered a man called "Humpy" at Palmer lake not long since and was in the county jail at Conconully, committed suicide by hanging himself from the ceiling of his cell with his pocket handkerchief.

Mr. J. Lynch's claim, the Maple Leaf, Camp McKinney, has been surveyed and a crown grant will be taken out for it. All the claims on the original main lead, which may be termed the Cariboo group, are now, therefore, patented.

Mr. C. A. R. Lambly, gold commissioner for the district, left last Friday for Enderby, having received a special message that his mother, Mrs. Lambly, was very dangerously ill, and no hopes were entertained of her recovery. Mr. Lambly has the sympathy of all who know him.

The horse seized by Sheriff J. S. McDonald of Okanagan county, claimed by Less Woodworth (now in jail at Osoyoos) which was to have been sold by sheriff's sale, and which either broke loose or was stolen, was found by Mr. McDonald in an old stable on Mr. McBride's ranch and taken back across the line.

Mr. J. S. Clute, customs inspector, New Westminster, is expected shortly at Grand Prairie, when the advisability of appointing a mounted officer to patrol the line between Fourth of July creek and Midway will be brought to his notice. Mr. Clute, when on his way in recently, was taken ill at Northport and had to return to New Westminster.

Professor R. H. Bliven of Loomiston, is patenting his new leaching process for the handling of refractory gold ores. The solvent employed by Mr. Bliven in this process does not cost more than a good article of cyanide of potassium, and either of several precipitants can be used at a nominal cost. So far, very close to the assay value of the ores has been obtained. Mr. Bliven has a small experimental plant working in his laboratory at Loomiston, the results being highly satisfactory.

Mr. W. Bullock-Webster has been appointed quarantine officer for fruit trees and nursery stock coming into the province by way of Osoyoos, by the Horticultural Board. All trees, etc., now ordered from the States will have to be inspected by him at that point. The appointment was a good and necessary one. The fees payable for inspection are $2 for each shipment or invoice up to the value of $25, and an additional dollar for each $5 of value or fraction thereof. Such fees are payable by the owner or agent of such stock or plants before the certificate of inspection can be granted.

Mr. Charles Schepuster of the Trinune mine, Golden, recently made two small runs of sorted ore out of the lower tunnel, which ran $18 to the ton. The same ore did not previously mill higher than $3 or $4. He calculates that in the former runs made the stamps were made to drop too quickly, keeping the water in the batteries too much agitated, and that too much water was used. The gold in the ore is a very fine leaf gold and Mr. Schepuster calculates he can save it by handling the mill rightly. The plant, however, has no fru vanners, and the property is tied up, so that it is unlikely that the mine will be worked this season.

The two gangs of men completing the Kettle river through road are doing good work and and it will be finished this season after all—probably within six or seven weeks—and as a wagon road, not merely a sleigh road. Mr. Louis Christien has charge of the gang working from Camp McKinney to the mouth of Rock creek, and Mr. McInnis of that on the Boundary mountain section. There are about twenty-five men in each, and the foremen could not possibly have been better picked. Mr. Christien is working from Camp McKinney east on the route located and decided upon by Mr. L. Norris when lately down in this section, and Mr. McInnis from Grand Prairie west. The prompt action taken by the Government in this matter has earned them not a few friends.

Mr. C. de B. Green, C. E., passed through Midway on Monday en route to the north fork of Kettle river, having received instructions from the lands and works department to make a report on that district and the country up the main stream above Rock creek, with a view to ascertaining what amount of land is available for settlement and their general resources. There is small chance of the Government being disappointed when Mr. Green's report comes in, as all acquainted with these districts invariably assert that there is room for large settlements when they become opened up, more especially up the north fork, where the old time prospectors state a hundred families could obtain good locations. Mr. Green has taken one of the men who are best acquainted with the section with him—Mr. Lind. There is little doubt that the Government will see fit to have the north fork and main stream districts surveyed off next spring and less doubt still that it will pay them well to do so, as the experience has invariably been the same that when really good sections of the Province have been surveyed, the pre-emption fees, tax money, etc., have more than covered the cost of original surveys, as instanced in Fire valley. If the government exercised its borrowing powers more largely for obtaining money for these surveys, which show up the natural resources of the province, few men would be found (in the interior at least) who would oppose such a policy.

VERNON NOTES.

(From our own correspondent.)

The long looked for rain hath come and cleared away the smoke and dust, enabling us to breath more freely and preventing fu ther loss from fires.

The shootist is now able to go over the hills without getting lost and judging from the number of shots we hear in the distance the chicken must be getting pretty scarce.

A deputation of our small parliament, headed by the mayor, ascended Deep creek gulch on Friday looking for pure water. After a rough trip and a great deal of puffing they reached the canyon, but no water to speak of, at least not enough for thirsty Vernon. I don't wish it to be understood that we all drink water, because some of us mix it to prevent any injurious effects from Long lake water. I don't know what the council are going to do about water works. As a body they feel that the city is not in a position to spend $75,000 to bring Long lake water here, even if it would carry, which is doubtful, as a number of us are of the opinion that, notwithstanding the report of the analyst, the water is unfit for domestic purposes.

The mistake we made in the mill bonus makes us a little careful, and I think the next time the ratepayers give money to any enterprize they will naturally want to know a little more about it.

Mr. McIntyre, of the Columbia Milling Co., was here last week and secured most of the grain in this vicinity, so if our mill is run on the agreement entered into with the corporation wheat will have to be brought from Manitoba.

Nothing has been lately heard re Tronson's protest. Mr. Graham has not been served and the hearing is set down for the 8th of October. The next move is anxiously awaited.

W. F. Cameron was married to Mrs. Dewdney on the 29th of August at Gleichen. The happy couple are expected home about the 15th.

The racing fever is just commencing, and we may expect to hear of nothing but records, marks and the usual horse talk before the races come off. E.

OSOYOOS NOTES.

(From our own correspondent.)

A sitting of the County Court was held at Osoyoos on Wednesday, the 12th inst., before His Honor Judge Spinks. The cases were: Gillespie vs. O'Neal, judgment for plaintiff; Hayward vs. Sidley, judgment for defendant; Kline vs. Stewart, settled out of court. Mr. Billings represented the Bar.

Less Woodworth has once more got into trouble, being unable to resist the attraction of riding around British Columbia armed with a loaded revolver. In pleading guilty he said he carried it in case the Indians gave him any trouble. He was arrested at Osoyoos on Monday the 10th inst., and sentenced by Judge Spinks, sitting as a stipendiary magistrate, to one month's hard labor in the Osoyoos lockup.

White's Camp.

The deal negotiated by Mr. C. C. Sands having gone through, the St. Lawrence and a two-third interest in the Jack of Spades, in White's camp, have passed into the hands of Mr. Ross of Spokane and associates, who call themselves the Gold Hill Milling and Mining Company. The new owners have already five men employed and will increase their force to ten or twelve this week. The first development on the St. Lawrence will consist in running a tunnel from the bottom of the present shaft near the south ledge to tap the north lead. This tunnel will follow up the rich stringer which is supposed to connect the two veins, and there is every probability of a rich strike being made when the north ledge is struck at a depth of about 120 feet. Should such be the case a mill will be brought in to work the ore.

Mr. White is doing assessment on the Number Four.

Mr. Douglas has three men employed sinking on the Mabel.

Mr. Attwood has, we are glad to state, sufficiently recovered to be able to get around again.

A party of ladies from Midway, piloted by Mr. T. McAuley, visited the camp last week and were shown over the mines by Mr. White and Mr. Douglas.

EPIGRAMS OF HISTORY.

The Leisure Hour offered prizes for wise sayings connected with historical events. The editor awards the first and second prizes, both of which are won by women.

He says: "A careful analysis proves beyond all doubt that the most popular instances of wise sayings connected with history are the following:

"Oliver Cromwell's—'Put your trust in God, but keep your powder dry.'

"Cardinal Wolsey's dying words—'Had I but served my God as diligently as I have served my king, he would have not have given me over in my gray hairs.'

"Latimer to Ridley at the stake—'We shall this day light such a candle, by God's grace, in England as, I trust, shall never be put out.'

"Sir Robert Walpole, in the declaration of the war with Spain—'They may ring their bells now, but they will soon be wringing their hands.'

"Nelson's—England expects every man to do his duty.'

"Wolfe at the Heights of Abraham, repeating the stanzas of Gray's Elegy—'I had rather be the author of that poem than take Quebec.'

"Sir Walter Raleigh at his execution—'What matter how the head lie, so that the heart be right?'"

WOMEN AS A WOMAN SEES THEM.

Vanity is woman's conscience.

A woman's day should begin at night.

Where there is a will there is a woman.

If you want to know a woman, marry her.

Women are very good to eat, but very bad to digest.

Many women can make every home happy but their own.

A woman's love is bewildering, till you get it, then it is embarrassin.

A woman is strongest when she is weakest; a man is weakest when he is strongest.

Tell a child that he is good, a man that he is great and a woman that she is beautiful.

Women are always wishing that men were true; men are always wishing that women were new.

A woman generally makes the worst of a good husband; a man generally makes the best of a bad wife.

Any man with a heart is attracted towards those who suffer; any woman who has a heart is attracted toward those who prosper.

ANTIQUITIES.

Egyptian monuments represent hats in nearly the shape of the Mexican sombrero.

It is estimated that one of the largest stones in the pyramids weighs fully eighty-eight tons.

The "rock cork" mentioned by Pliny and other ancient writers is thought to have been asbestos.

In an old Indian burying-ground in St. Simon, Ga., the remains of a warrior over eight feet long were excavated recently.

A prehistoric human skull found at Anniston, Ala., in 1890, measured 34 inches in circumference just above the ears.

Petrified horse tracks are among the curiosities ascributed to Missouri. They are said to be found in the bottom of a creek in Ray county.

Officials of the Smithsonian institute have discovered evidence which lead them to believe that the mound-builders were the progenitors of the modern Indians.

Pliny says that bricks and tiles so light as to swim in water were made in Italy, Spain and Greece. The peculiar art of this manufacture was recently discovered by an Italian gentleman.

FLOWER AND TREE.

Tulips are indigenous to south Europe.

The box elder is probably the best of the quick growing trees.

The wallflower in floral language signifies fidelity and misfortune.

A brier rose, though not desirable for its flowers, which are single, spreads fragrance all around through its foliage.

Sweetbrier is one of the most delightful of common plants with which to decorate sitting rooms, for its fragrance, though very sweet, is pleasant.

A Texas plant, with a grayish green leaf, resembling the left foot of an ox, is known in the Lone Star and adjoing States as the "Devil's Cattle."

The largest tree in the world lies broken and petrified at the end of a defile in north western Nevada. The tree measures 656 feet in length and 60 in diameter at the butt.

Zinnias make a great show for very little money, though they are rather coarse compared to more tender plants. They are in bloom all summer if the faded blossoms are picked off.

THE CHINESE WAY.

The men wear skirts and the women trousers.

The men wear their hair long and the women wear it short.

The men carry on dressmaking and the women carry burdens.

They begin dinner with dessert and end with soup and fish.

Note first that the Chinese compass points to the south instead of to the north.

They launch their vessels sideways and mount their horses from the off side.

Books are read backward, and what we call foot notes are inserted at top of the page.

They shake their own hands instead of the hands of those they would greet.

The surname comes first instead of last.

The spoken language of China is not written and the written language is not spoken.

The Chinese dress is white at funerals and in mourning at weddings, while old women always serve as bridesmaids.

THE NATURALIST.

The blowing viper, when brought to bay, makes a pretence of committing suicide.

At the end of each hair of a cat's whiskers is a bulb of nervous substance which converts the hairs into exceedingly delicate feelers.

The average whale is from fifty to sixty-five feet in length and thirty-five feet in circumference. The jawbones are twenty to twenty-five feet long, and a tongue has been known to yield almost a ton of oil.

Almost every kind of an animal seems to have what may be called a weather instinct. The approach of rain is indicated by the flight of cranes and swallows, by the cries of waterfowl, by the actions of cows and pigs.

The flying dragon of the Indian archipelago can suspend itself in the air for fully thirty seconds. Some naturalists assert that it can leap, with the aid of its batlike membrane between its forelegs and head, a distance of sixty feet.

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Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

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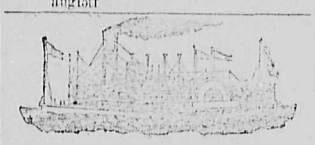

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NOTICE.

I, FRANK GOME, Free Miner, and part owner in the Jack of Spades mineral claim, situated in White's camp, Boundary Mountain, in the Kettle River recording district, British Columbia, hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any money expended on said claim beyond my share of actual 1 gal assessment expenses, as required by the mining laws of the Province.

FRANK GOME.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of Richard Thompson, Deceased, Intestate.

The one-eighth (1-8) interest of the above deceased in the "Mother Lode" mineral claim, situate in the Deadwood Camp, in the Kettle River Mining Division, will be sold by tender.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office, Osoyoos, up to and inclusive of the 27th day of October, 1894.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
21-6 Gold Commisssoner.

In the Matter of Richard Thompson, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the powers vested in me under section 118 of the "Mineral Act, 1891," and amendments, I will administer and wind up the estate of Richard Thompson, late of Boundary Creek, in the Kettle River Mining Division, Yale District, B. C., free miner, now deceased, intestate, and all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me, at Osoyoos, forthwith; and all persons having any claim against the estate of the said deceased are hereby requested to forward the same to me at my office, Osoyoos, duly authenticated, on or before the 27th day of October, 1894.

After which date I will proceed to distribute the assets (if any) of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
21-3 Gold Commissioner.

In the County Court of Yale, Holden at Osoyoos.

To A. D. MILLER, of Fairview, B.C., Blacksmith:—

TAKE NOTICE that a plaint has been entered and a summons been issued against against you in the above Court by Thomas Elliott, of Fairview, merchant, for the sum of $58.01 for goods sold and delivered and for moneys advanced to you by way of loan, and an order has been made that the posting up on the outer door of your last known place of business of a Notice of the Entry of such plaint and the publication thereof in the ADVANCE, a newspaper published at Midway, British Columbia, shall be deemed to be service of the summons upon you, and the plaintiff shall be at liberty to proceed in this action as if personal service had been effected.

And further take notice that if you do not appear to the said plaint within ten days after the publication of this notice by filing a dispute note with me, as Registrar of this Court, at Osoyoos, B. C., judgment may be entered against you as on default of appearance.

Dated at Osoyoos, B. C., September 13th, 1894.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undermentioned respective amounts will be paid as bounty for the head of every panther, wolf, or coyote killed in a settled district of the Province, on the certificate of a Justice of the Peace that such animal was killed in a settlement, and that the head was produced to and destroyed by him, namely:—

For each panther, seven dollars and fifty cents ($7.50).

For each wolf two dollars ($2.00).

For each coyote one dollar ($1.00).

By Command,

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Victoria, August 22nd, 1894. 23-4

THE COLVILLE RESERVE.

The Act Under Which Part of the Territory Will be Opened for Settlement.

Though the Colville Reservation is on the other side of the line, the effect of it being thrown open will have such an enormous influence on the development of the southern Okanagan and Kettle river districts in our Province that we believe that anything of importance relating to this matter will be of interest to our readers.

Received by the President June 20, 1892.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The following Act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the House of Congress, in which it originated, within the time prescribed by the constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

An Act to provide for the opening of a part of the Colville Reservation in the State of Washington, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

That subject to the reservations and allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians of the Colville Reservation in the State of Washington hereby provided for, all the following described tract or portion of said Colville reservation, namely: Beginning at a point on the eastern boundary line of the Colville Indian reservation where the township line between townships thirty-four and thirty-five north, of range thirty-seven east, of the Willamett meridian, if extended west, would intersect the same, said point being in the middle of the channel of the Columbia river, and running thence west parallel with the forty-ninth parallel of latitude to the western boundary line of the said Colville reservation in the Okanagan river, thence north following the said western boundary line to the said forty-ninth parallel of latitude, thence east along the said forty-ninth parallel of latitude to the north-east corner of the said Colville Indian reservation, thence south following the eastern boundary of said reservation to the place of beginning, containing by estimate one million five hundred thousand acres, the same being a portion of the Colville Indian reservation created by executive order dated July second, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, be, and is hereby, vacated and restored to the public domain, notwithstanding any executive order or other proceedings whereby the same was set aside as a reservation for any Indians or bands of Indians, and the same shall be open to settlement and entry by the proclamation of the President of the United States and shall be disposed of under the general laws applicable to the disposition of public lands in the State of Washington.

SEC. 2. That the net proceeds arising from the sale and disposition of the lands to be so opened to entry and settlement shall be set apart in the Treasury of the United States for the time being, but subject to such future appropriation for public use as Congress may make, and that until so otherwise appropriated may be subject to expenditure by the Secretary of the Interior from time to time, in such amounts as he shall deem best, in building school houses, the maintainence of schools for such Indians, for the payment of such part of the local taxation as may be properly applied to the lands allotted to such Indians, as he shall think fit, so long as such allotted lands shall be held in trust and exempt from taxation, and in such other ways as he may deem proper for the promotion of education, civilization and self-support among said Indians.

SEC. 3. That each entryman under the homestead laws shall, within five years from the date of his original entry and before receiving a final certificate for the land covered by his entry, pay to the United States for the land so taken by him, in addition to fees provided by law, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents per acre, one-third of which shall be paid within two years after the date of the original entry; but the right of honorably discharged Union soldiers and sailors, as defined and inscribed in sections twenty-three hundred and four and twenty-three hundred and five of the revised statutes of the United States shall not be abridged except as to the sum to be paid as aforesaid.

SEC. 4. That each and every Indian now residing upon the Colville Indian reservation hereby vacated and restored to the public domain, and who is entitled to remain thereon, shall be entitled to select from said vacated portion eighty acres of land, which shall be allotted to each Indian in severalty. No restrictions as to locality shall be placed upon such selections, other than they shall be so located as to conform to the Congressional survey or subdivision of said tract or country, and any Indian having improvements may have the preference over any other person in and to the tract of land containing such improvements, so far as they are in a legal subdivision not exceeding in area the quantity of land that he or she may be entitled to locate.

All such allottments shall be made at the cost of the United States, under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may from time to time prescribe. Such selections shall be made six months after the date of the President's proclamation opening the lands to settlement and entry, and after the same have been surveyed, and when such allotments have been selected as aforesaid and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, the titles thereto shall be held in trust for the benefit of the allottees, respectively, and afterwards conveyed in fee simple to the allottees or their heirs, as provided in the Act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for the allotment of land in severalty to Indians on the various reservations, and to extend the protection of the laws of the United States and territories over the Indians, and for other purposes," approved February eighth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and an act in amendment and extension thereof approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and ninty-one entitled "An Act to amend and further extend the benefits of the act approved February eighth, eighteen hundred and eighty seven, entitled 'an Act to provide for the allotment of land in severalty to Indians on the various reservations, and to extend the protection of the laws of the United States over the Indians, and for other purposes.'" Provided, that such allotted lands shall be subject to the laws of eminent domain in the State of Washington, and shall, when conveyed in fee simple to the allottees or their heirs, be subject to taxation as other property in said State.

SEC. 5. That all Indians residing in the lands hereby vacated and restored shall have the right, if they so prefer, under the direction of the Indian agent, to occupy and reside upon such portions of the Colville Indian reservation not hereby vacated as are not occupied by or in possession of any other Indian or Indians.

SEC. 6. That the land used and occupied for school purposes at what is known as Tonasket school, on Bonapart creek, and the site of the sawmill, gristmill and other mill property on said reservation, is hereby reserved from the operation of this act, unless other lands are selected in lieu thereof.

Provided, that such reserved lands shall not exceed in the aggregation two sections, and must be selected in the legal subdivisions conformably to the public surveys, such selections to be made by the Indian agent of the Colville agency, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior and subject to his approval.

Provided, however, that said Indians may, in lieu of said sites or either of them, select other lands of equal quantity, for such purposes, either on the vacated or unvacated portions of said reservation, the same to be designated in legal subdivision by said Indian agent, under the direction of and subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, in which case said first designated tracts shall not be exempt from the operation of this act; such selection to be made and approved within six months after the survey of said lands and the proclamation of the President.

SEC. 7. That for the purpose of making such allotments and selections in this act provided, including surveys of the lands provided to be vacated and restored to the public domain, thirty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 8. That nothing herein contained shall be construed as recognizing title or ownership of said Indians to any part of the said Colville reservation, whether that hereby restored to the public domain or that still reserved by the government for their use and occupancy.

The townsite of Thompson, in Trail creek, has, we understand, been re-christened Rossland.

During the fire age (a few weeks back) when bush fires were raging throughout the whole southern interior, people in Vernon became alarmed that the fire on Deep would spread into the town, and some considered it was the duty of the Provincial Government to protect them. The Government agent took the sensible view that as Vernon was an incorporated town it should provide its own fire protection, as, if the Government had helped people to put out bush fires in one locality, they would be called upon to do the same in other portions of the district where dangerous fires existed in all directions.

Gold was first taken out of Boundary creek thirty-four years ago, on the fourth of September, by Henry Sudbrinck, the first prospector of the creek and his partner Dutch Bill. They came in by way of Port Hope at the time of the old original Rock creek excitement. Next year sixty-eight men were working on the creek. This number only lasted one year, however, and the fall of '60 all the white men had left for Colville and Chinamen took their claims. The best location on the creek was called the Norwegian claim, as it was worked by four Norwegian sailors, who had deserted from their ship at San Francisco. This is where J. Thornton, better known as Jolly Jack, is now working

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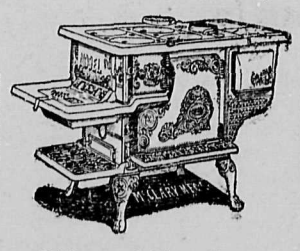

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