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Records for the Week Ending December 13th, 1898.

MINERAL LOCATIONS.

DECEMBER 7.

Mona, Greenwood camp, W. H. Harris.

DECEMBER 8.

Frank B., fractional, Deadwood camp, L. B. Pearce.

DECEMBER 12.

Iron Age, Grahams camp, E. R. Fisher.

Atlanta, Greenwood camp, W. Mathew and E. H. Rippets.

DECEMBER 13.

Ontario, Kimberley camp, P. Sullivan

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

DECEMBER 6.

Tip Top, R. Stuart et al.
Jo Jo, E. T. Wickwire et al.

TRANSFERS.

DECEMBER 7.

Alice, ½ interest, D. McLaren and W. G. McMynn to N. Thoil and J. W. Greden.

Alsian, all interest, T. Dobie to W. H. Harris.

Wenrice, fractional, all interest, J. B. Mitchell to G. R. Naden.

DECEMBER 9.

New Number Seven, ⅓ interest, C. Francis to J. R. Robertson.

New Number Seven, ⅓ interest, J. Fisher to J. R. Robertson.

New Number Seven, ⅓ interest, F. Keffer to J. R. Robertson.

DECEMBER 10.

Amandy, ½ interest, J. Dyer to J. Hunter.

Abner, ½ interest, J. Dyer to J. Hunter.

DECEMBER 12.

Four Ace, ½ interest, H. J. Cole to W. T. Smith.

Black Hawk, ¼ interest, J. M. Jarrett to W. M. Law.

LeRoi Shares Snapped up.

The avidity with which the shares in the new Le Roi Mining Company were snapped up by British investors, gives a true indication that virtually an unlimited amount of British capital is available for the exploitation of British Columbia mines as soon as investors know that they have more than a chance to get good returns on their investments in the shape of dividends. Two hundred thousand shares of £5 each were offered for subscription, representing $5,000,000, and yet the general public did not get a chance at a share, as members of the Globe Finance Corporation, and the British America Corporation swallowed them up entirely, and would have taken many more, had they an opportunity. What has taken place in connection with this king of Rossland properties will no doubt be repeated in connection with Boundary Creek properties in the future, therefore is the outlook extremely bright and the advent of much British capital invested in Boundary Creek mines not far off.

Big Smelting Plant.

In the Spokesman Review of the 11th inst., the statement is made that Mr. J. P. Graves of Spokane has been successful in organizing a very strong company in Montreal, to build a smelter for the treatment of ore from the Knob Hill and Old Ironsides mines situated in Greenwood camp. So successful was Mr. Graves in floating the smelter scheme that more than twice the amount of capital was offered than was needed. The new company is capitalized at 900,000 shares and yet the public offered to take over 2,000,000. It is therefore necessary to apportion the stock among the many applicants.

The smelter will have a capacity of 400 tons a day, and it will be located somewhere on the Kettle river, but on which side of Boundary mountain is a matter at present for much speculation.

Among the principal holders of Knob Hill and Old Ironsides stock are the Gaults of Montreal; S. H. C. Miner of Sherbrooke; J. P. Whitney and associates of Phildelphia and some Boston capitalists. Mr. Graves who has organized the smelting company is the largest individual holder in the Knob Hill and Old Ironsides as he holds a one qurter of the shares in each.

That the two mines will be able to supply a sufficient amount of ore to keep a 400-ton smelter in constant operation goes without saying, as not in any part of America or for that matter in the mining world of to-day are larger bodies of copper-gold ores to be found, than are begin devoloped in these Greenwood camp claims. A splendid characteristic of the ore too is that is self fluxing, a quality seldom found in ore bodies of such immense size.

All preliminary arrangements will be made during the winter and work on the smelter will commence with the opening of spring, therefore the Boundary Creek section will have only a short time to wait for its first smelter.

A Subject of Pride.

The Kootenanian referring to the building of the Nelson and Bedlington railway approves a policy which has for its object the fostering of International trade relations between the United States and Canada. It says:

"From Ontario and Quebec we have head at times strong disapproval of the policy of allowing American roads to tap the trade of the west and draw it south across the line, and we have heard these sentiments echoed by some of our fellow provincialists in Victoria and Vancouver. These communities begrudge to us privileges which they enjoy to the fullest extent; privileges, interference with which they would resent as grossly impertinent. That we are able to open up new trade relations with a foreign country, and find a market abroad for products not readily marketable at home, thereby creating a trade balance favorable to our country, is a subject for pride and congratulation, and nothing for which we need be ashamed. But in giving honor to whom honor is due we must not forget that it is primarily to the Kootenay Railway & Navigation Company that we are indebted for the prospect of the early completion of the Nelson & Bedlington, with all that is expected to follow and to flow from it."

Bright Outlook for Copper.

All those who are interested in copper-gold properties in this the southern portion of British Columbia, will be pleased to learn that there is a very bright outlook for this metal, as day by day the price is ranging upward and has now reached a point not touched for many years. The Western Mining World discussing the situation, says:

The most cheerful news that we have had for several years past is the fact that copper has reached the 13-cent point. Not since 1891 has the price been at its present high level, and never in the history of copper mining has the production and the consumption reached the enormous proportions now showing. It is this wonderful increase in demand, resulting from the more widely extended use of copper, that has led to a promotion of an unusual number of Arizona and Michigan new copper companies upon the eastern market. While conservatism suggests that this copper share speculation is perhaps being overdone with new companies, yet there is on the other hand every reason for believing that it is not all extreme. By comparison with other years the copper shares have certainly made big advances.

But this, under the existing conditions, is hardly a fair measurement. The present is an age of progress. Development work, mechanical appliances, and, indeed, all the factors entering into the cost of producing copper, have been modernized so as to bring it down to a minimum. At the same time the demand for the metal has increased at a surprising rate, and the production of our mines of a few years ago would not begin to meet the present demand. Even as it is, the supply of copper of nearly all the large producers is kept sold well ahead for much of the time in order to meet consumers' demands at home and abroad.

It is only natural that this demand, which keeps on increasing, should lift the price of this metal. An advance of a small fraction means very much to the producers in the matter of profit. And of course increased profits means enlarged dividends. And enlarged dividends means in turn an enhanced market value for these copper shares. This is really all that there is to the present movement. It is natural, healthy and substantial.

But financial circles have become so accustomed to spasmodic and periodical copper share booms that they fail to grasp readily the great and permanent change in the copper situation that has been and still is working out of the new conditions.

Of course there will be a limit to this increased consumption, and if the new companies turn out good producers, the demand will be more readily cared for.

But for the present, and, indeed, for a long time to come, it does seem to us as though the present conditions will continue.

The copper share speculation as a whole is, therefore, viewed from this standpoint, less of a boom than it is a natural and healthy development, and it cetainly gives promise of having a permanent and more lasting effect than is now generally appreciated.

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Before THE ADVANCE is again issued, the anniversary of our Saviours advent into the world will have been observed by a large proportion of the inhabitants of the earth. Millions of voices will be lifted up in prayer and praise and those words, "Peace on earth, good will to men" with which the watchers of old broke the stillness of the night, will again peal through the universe, and under the influence of the divine spirit the olive banch will be offered by man to man. Realizing this, and also that the day of rejoicing is near at hand, we offer to each and to all of our readers, our best wish for "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

MAKING CAPITAL.

The Conservative press, in and out of the province, is trying to make capital by asserting that the C. P.R. wields a greater power at Ottawa now than ever before, and to substantiate their claim, the Crow's Nest deal and the successful opposition to the Corbin charter, is given as proof of the same. Those who are so ready to condemn the Dominion government in this respect, are the very ones who so strenuously fought against the granting of the Corbin charter, thereby enhancing the power of the corporation which they taunt the Dominion government with an inability to kill. It is from just such a source the cry, "Canada for Canadians" usually emanates.

THE C. P. R. POLICY.

Much speculation is being indulged in by those who are interested in the movements of the C. P. R. in this district. For some time it was considered that the Columbia and Western would be extended from Robson to Midway, and that at this point connection would be made with the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway, but it looks now as if some other movement is contemplated, and that the C. P. R. are determining the feasability of carrying their line at the earliest possible moment to a connection with their system either at Penticton or Vernon. If the former, then connection would be made with their steamboat service on Okanagan lake, and if with the latter, then would railway connection be made with the Shuswap and Okanagan railway, which runs from Vernon and joins the C. P. R. main line at Sicamous. That some such movement is contemplated is adduced from the fact that active surveying operations are being carried on to the west of Midway, and as these operations are to extend throughout the winter and are to be confined to the valley of the Kettle river, until the height of land is reached which divides the valley of the said river from that of the Okanagan, there would seem to be room for the conjecture referred to.

If it is decided to make connection with Penticton then would the line be no doubt carried from the summit of the divide down Penticton creek, whereas if Vernon is the objective point then the height of land would be followed until the head of Mission creek is reached, and then the line would be carried down this creek to the Okanagan Mission valley, by following which north Vernon would easily be gained. Whatever the policy of the company is, no doubt the near future will see it revealed, and if to the upper Okanagan district railway connection is given with Boundary Creek and the Kootenay, such an era of prosperity will be ushered in for the farming communities to the north, as will compensate them for years of waiting.

Harcourt Resigns.

The Rt. Hon. Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, member of parliament for West Monmouthshire, and, since the resignation of the late Mr. Gladstone, the official leader of the Liberal party in the House of Commons, has addressed a letter to Mr. John Morley, Liberal member for Montroseburg, announcing his resignation of the leadership. He says:

"The Liberal party, rent by sectional disputes, and personal interests, is one which no man can consent to lead, either with credit to himself or to the advantages of the country."

Mr. Morley in his reply expressed sympathy with Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, and says he is not surprised at the latter's decision.

The suddenness of the crisis brought on by Sir William Harcourt's announcement to retire from the Liberal leadership, has nonplussed the party. The Liberal organs have little to say, except to advise the party to weigh all the circumstances before coming to a decision.

Government Candidate Wins.

The Albeni election was held on the 15th inst. and the government candidate Mr. Neill won the seat by a majority of thirty two over the opposition candidate Mr. Ward.

Starting Work.

Work has been started on the Washington and Lone Star claims which are situated just across the boundary line on the Colville reservation and adjoining Central camp. The Washington and Lone Star are two properties owned by the Reservation Mining and Milling Company of Spokane, and up to date a considerable amount of work has been done, quite sufficient to show that enormous bodies of good sulphide ores exist on the claims, in fact much ore could be shipped if smelter facilities were provided within a reasonable distance. It is said the present course of development will be carried on indefinitely.

CAMP McKINNEY NOTES.

(From our own correspondent.)

There is very little news in camp. Work is going along steadily in the different properties.

The Waterloo shaft is now down 75 feet still in good ore.

In the Minnehaha the steam drill is kept busy drifting at the 100 foot level, two shifts being employed.

In the Cariboo three shifts are sinking.

A 50 foot shaft has just been started on the Annie L., now owned by the Little Cariboo company of Spokane. A block of the stock, 25,000 shares having been recently sold, the proceeds will be expended on development.

Dr. Reddy visited the camp this week and some deals are talked of, but nothing has yet materialised.

Work has commenced on the Sailor townsite in clearing the main street and some lots, and buildings will soon be in the course of erection.

Friday the 16th was school-closing day, which was made the occasion of a most interesting and successful examination and entertainment here. The number of pupils is not large but each one was lit up with that life and inspiration which is to be found only in a happy and well-conducted school. Nearly every pupil took part both in the classes examined and in the entertainment which followed, in which they did credit to themselves as well as to the untiring energies of the teacher. The visitors were not numerous, partly owing to busy times and partly to the unfamiliarity of such occasions in the town, but an ever-increasing interest will certainly be taken henceforth by parents and outsiders. It is safe to say that Miss Dell is one of the most successful and most popular teachers in these parts, and "a merry Xmas, and a happy New Year" is the wish of the community to both teacher and scholars,

COURT OF REVISION.

ROCK CREEK DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT

A Court of Revision and Appeal under the "Assessment Act 1888" and Amendments, will be held:—

At Osoyoos, in the Government office, on Thursday the 5th of January 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

At Midway, in the Government office, on Saturday, the 7th day of January 1899, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

At Grand Forks, in the Government office, on Monday the 9th day of January 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 6th December 1898.

(L.S.) FRANK McGOWAN,
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

WESTERN HILL, FLORA, VIRGINIA, MINERAL CLAIMS.

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

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. de Blois Green agent for Wm. Dalrymple, free miner's certificate No. 7094; Albert Dalrymple free miner's certificate No. 14424 and Duncan Carmichael, free miner's certificate No. 18178A, 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 8th day of November, 1898.

Land Act.

SECTION 29 A.

I HEREBY give notice that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described pieces of land situate near Fairview in the District of Yale, B.C., viz:

Commencing at a post planted on the East boundary of my pre-emption at a point twenty chains North of the South East corner thereof; thence East forty chains to the S. E. corner of land applied for; thence North, forty chains, to the N. E. corner of land applied for; thence West, forty chains to the N. E. corner of my premption; thence South along East boundary of my pre-emptiom, forty chains to point of commencement and containing 160 acres more or less.

J. K. ROBINSON.

Dated at Fairview, Oct. 22nd, 1898.

THE partnership heretofore subsisting between Frank Donald, Thomas Donald and James M. Lynch, doing business as hotel keepers at Camp McKinney has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by James M. Lynch and Thomas Humphrey under the name of Lynch & Humphrey who will pay all debts, and to whom all debts due the said firm must be paid.

Dated this 10th day of October, 1898.

JAMES M. LYNCH.
THOMAS HUMPHREY.

NOTICE.

Came to my premises on the first of April last, a small sorrel mare, with white strip in face and branded "G C" on the nigh shoulder. Mare now has a foal by her side. Owner proving property and paying expenses, can take the same away.

DAVID McCUAIG,
Fairview B. C.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

VIRGINIA MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located Grahams Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby P.L.S., as agent for Edwin Smith Graham free miner's certificate No. 8480, 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 12th day of October, 1898.

LICENSING COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Licensing Court to be held at Midway for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail now held by the undersigned in respect of the premises known as the "Mountain House" situate on Hozier's pre-emption near Rock Creek to J. B. Christopherson and that a copy of this notice has been deposited with W. H. Norris, Esq., and James Kerr, Esq., Justices of the Peace within the County of Yale.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1898.

W. H. CONKLE.

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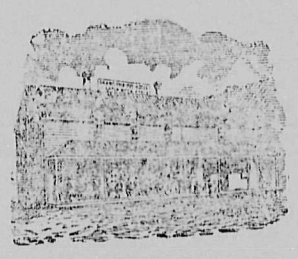

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Said; "Look, She wears no armour on her breast,
What if we strike?

But She, of their base greed and armed array
Haughtily heedless, moated by her main,
Still across ocean ploughed her peaceful way,
In strong disdain.

Then each to other muttered: "Now, at last,
Her splendour shall be ours, and we shall slake
Our envy. She is pillowed on her Past,
And will not wake."

Slowly, as stirs a lion from his bed,
Lengthens his limbs and crisps his mane, She rose,
Then shook out all her strength, and, flashing, said,
"Where are my foes?"

Thus to her self She did herself reveal,
Swiftly, yet calmly, put her armour on,
And, round her Empire, sentinelled in steel,
Like morning shone!

From field and forge there thronged embattled hosts,
And that one struck the anvil, this the lyre,
And from the furnaces of war her coasts
Were fringed with fire.

Dazed and dismayed, they veiled their futile vow;
Some fain would be her friend, and some would nurse
Their hate till they could curb the might, that now
They could but curse.

But they who watch from where the west wind blows,
Since great themselves, proud that their kith are great,
Said: "See what comes when England with her foes
Speaks at the gate!"

Then back to loom and share her people poured,
Chanting peace paean as they reaped and gleaned,
While, gazing wordward, on her undrawn sword
Watchful she leaned.

—ALFRED AUSTIN, in London Times.

Government to Control Rates.

There are several signs which indicate that the federal government will shortly have to undertake the regulation of transportation rates over the Canadian railways. The conviction is forcing itself upon the people of the Dominion that the railway companies charge for transportation just what the commodities will stand. When by any chance a change is made in the tariff, whereby the duty is lessened, the advantage, instead of going to the consumer, is absorbed by the railway company through an increased freight tariff. Recently a reduction of one cent a gallon was made in the duty upon coal oil. It was contended that the difference between the new and old tariffs would be secured by the *consumer, but it did not work out that* way for the reason that the railway tariff was advanced one cent per gallon and the amount represented by the reduced duty was diverted from the government's coffers to those of the railway company. Incidents like these will ensure government railway tariffs before long.—Nelson Tribune.

Should be Repealed.

The revenue producing amendment which was introduced to the Mineral Act last session should be repealed. Reference is made to the amendment to section 24 which provides for the recording of assessment work done on a mineral claim. Until last session it was compulsory upon the holder of a mineral claim, that he should do or cause to be done $100 worth of work on his claim and record the same within a year from the date of the record of such claim, and an additional $100 *worth of work in each and every year* until a Crown grant was issued. If this requirement was not fulfilled the ground became vacant.

As a means of producing revenue at the last sitting of the provincial legislature section 24 was amended by adding the following:—Provided that if said free miner shall have done the work within the year, and if he shall, within 30 days after the time for obtaining and recording said certificate, record the same and pay an additional fee of ten dollars ($10), such record shall have the same effect as if recorded within the year."

This portion of the section should be repealed and the section allowed to

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Ottawa, Dec. 10th, 1898.

Some of the opposition papers are professing to be greatly exercised over the alleged dilatoriness of the government in the matter of the Pacific cable between Canada and Australia, onepaper even going so far as to declare,that had the conservative government still been in office, the project would have been put through long ago. This is decidedly rich of an administration which did nothing at all to help forward the project during its lengthy term of office; and the charge of needless delay in such a matter, does not stick very closely to a government which has confessedly done more for Imperialism in two years, than was accomplished in the previous two centuries.

AN IMPERIAL OPINION.—Outsiders admittedly see the most of the fight, and those who have no personal interest are best able to fairly estimate the situation. To what extent the present administration can be charged with a lack of Imperialism, may be judged after perusing an article which has just appeared in the London, England, Daily Mail, an article sufficiently interesting, to warrant the following extract:—

"For in Canada they understand imperialism in all its aspects. It was the imperialist instinct which showed early Canadian governments the wisdom of taking advantage of the country's lakes and rivers to lay a mesh of inland waterways, and to follow up this policy by giving large aid to that magnificent link of empire, the Canadian Pacific Railway. It was imperialism which prompted the great scheme of the confederation of British North America a generation ago, and the same wide outlook which prompted the Dominion government to summon to Ottawa in 1893 representatives of the other self governing colonies to discuss the feasibility of the whole empire's union in the bonds of close commercial federation, as well as to debate the great Pacific cable scheme.

THIS WAS IMPERIALISM.—And when it was found that certain foolish treaties between England and Belgium and Germany stood in the way of preferential tade within the empire, and that Downing street was fearful of denouncing these treaties, it was Canada's stalwart imperialism which prompted the free gift of preferential trade to the mother country, forcing her to get rid of the hampering treaties. The imperialism of that act is all the more marked since it was inspired by a liberal—the present most statesmanlike of Premiers, Sir Wilfred Laurier.

NECESSITY KNOWS NO LAW.—Still another outrage upon the people's liberties has vanished into thin air. Last week a terrible inconsistency and lack of patriotism on the part of the minister of Railways was discovered, and proclaimed, in that he had given an order for Intercolonial locomotives to a Phidelphia foundry, because the only locomotive works in Canada those in Kingston, were already loaded up with Government orders and were several months behind their contract time, while orders for cars and coaches had also been sent across the line of necessity, because the only two firms in Canada capable of turning out the work had more government orders on hand than they could execute. Now there is an outcry against the Post Office department because New York engravers were engaged upon the new Imperial penny postage stamp, but it appears from the official statement of the Ottawa Plate Printers' Union that the New York experts were employed at the request of the union because there was no one in Canada able to turn out the work, though they were only too willing to avail themselves of the opportunity of learning.

SO IT IS IN OTHER CASES.—So it is in other similar cases; these ridiculous charges are constantly given space in opposition papers in the hope that they may be read and believed, and that the facts may not be known.

STILL THEY COME.—The British emigration returns for the eleven months ending November 30th emphasises the remarkable degree to which the tide has set Canada-wards. There were 3,000 more emigrants booked for Canada during that period than for the Cape, and 6,000 more than for Australia, the totals being English 14,891, Irish 833, Scotch 1,687, foreigners 9,435 or a total of 26,846. These of course are simply the emigrants leaving the United Kingdom, and do not include the 10,000 or 15,000 more from continental Europe and other points.

THE NEW POSTAGE STAMP.—The new imperial two cent postage stamp has been issued, and after amusing itself for some weeks past with weak jokes at the expense of the Postmaster General, the local opposition paper declares that, "Its design does credit to Hon. Mr. Mulock's artistic taste and patriotism." The stamp can be used at once on all classes of mail matter to all destinations, but of course the Imperial two-cents-per-half-ounce rate does not come into effect until Christmas Day.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

To-morrow evening the Cosgrove troupe will give an entertainment in McNicol's Hall.

Don't forget the Christmas tree entertainment at McNicol's hall on Friday evening the 23rd inst.

Mr. L. W. Shatford of Fairview paid a visit to Midway and Greenwood during the past week, returning home on Friday.

Mr. D. McDuff who was recently in business at Greenwood, has purchased Mr. Thos. Humphrey's half interest in the St. Louis Hotel, Camp McKinney.

Potatoes are selling rapidly at $60 per ton in this district at present and hay brings from $40 to $50 a ton according to variety and whether bailed or not.

The government has decided to at once build a lock-up at Cascade City. It is a great pity this institution was not provided some time ago, for had it been the recent shooting affray might never have happened.

Mr. Spencer Cosens of Fairview, was a visitor to Midway during the week. Mr. Cosens says his firm will erect a large mercantile establishment in the new town of McKinney, as soon as lumber can be got upon the ground.

Messrs. Lynch & Earle the enterprising Cascade City sawmill firm, has secured the contract for cutting some 1,500,000 feet of bridge timber for the C. P. R., to be used in the construction of the big bridge crossing the Kettle river just east of the above named town.

Mr. E. Jacobs the representative of the Midway Company, left on last Tuesday's stage for Penticton, from whence he will journey to the coast, and there spend the Christmas holidays. During his absence Mr. C. M. Crouse is attending to townsite affairs.

It is said contracts are now being let over the portion of the Columbia and Western between Summit camp and Midway, and there seems to be plenty of foundation for the statement, judging by the number of C. P. R. officials and railway contractors who are at present in this neighborhood.

Messrs. Frank and Stanley Lamb left for Victoria on Tuesday last. The Messrs. Lamb will spend the Christmas holidays in company with their father Captain Lamb, who recently arrived in Victoria from England. They will also be with their brother who is editor of the British Columbia Mining Record.

The semi-annual examination of pupils at the Midway public school took place on Friday last, a large concourse of parents and friends of the scholars being present. Those interested in the school were given an opportunity of appreciating the very rapid advancement the pupils are making under the able tuition of Mr. McPhail the present principal of the school.

Mr. E. Spraggett of Grand Forks, came over to view Midway during the week, and incidentally to look after some real estate in which he is interested. Mr. Spraggett will shortly leave Grand Forks for England, but will only be away for a short time. Referring to the business outlook over his way, Mr. Spraggett said, never in the history of Grand Forks has business been so good as at present, and there is every prospect of its increasing day by day.

Mr. F. J. Ritchie of Rossland was a visitor in town on Wednesday last. As a provincial land surveyor, Mr. Ritchie it was who laid off the first portion of the Midway townsite, therefore not by any means was Mr. Ritchie a stranger to this neighborhood although he had not seen it for four or five years. Of necessity Mr. Ritchie notes a great change in Midway since his last acquaintence with the place.

The O'Dell survey party, which was recently operating up the west fork of Kettle river, is now engaged running a line toward Rock creek. As soon as this is completed they will return to their old camping ground on Beaver creek, a tributary of the west fork, and will then survey north, continuing the work until the objective point in the Okanagan valley is reached. To carry out this work the party will be obliged to spend the whole winter under canvas, a contingency for which every preparation is now being made.

We were shown last week, by D. Gellately, a small fish, about three inches in length, numbers of which strewed the beach on the west side of Okanagan Lake. It is not known what caused the death of these fish, but there is no doubt that they are white fish, a million and a half of which were placed in the lake some four years ago. As these fish can only be taken by nets, none have ever been captured heretofore, and it was more than suspected that they had failed to live and breed in these waters. This seems, however, to set this matter at rest, and there is no doubt that the fish are there for any person who can net them.—Vernon News.

Mr. Frank Carey of Rock Creek was in town to day and with him had the pelt of the big cougar he killed near Rock Creek recently. In relating the circumstances attending the killing of the animal Mr. Carey says he was very close to it, in fact so close he does not wish ever to be so near one again. He came upon the cougar suddenly, and just as the animal, which was about ten feet from him, was about to spring, he fired and laid it low. He gave it a second shot for luck, and then retired to a safe distance while it struggled with death. These animals are becoming so numerous they are virtually taking possession of the country.

Kettle River Valley Railway.

The application for a right of way through the Colville reservation asked for by Mr. D. C. Corbin for the Kettle River Valley Railway, has been granted by the United States Congress. Permission has to be obtained before a railway can be built through Indian reservations, therefore the necessity of the application which has just been granted.

Parcel Post.

A circular just received at this office from the Postal Department at Ottawa gives the information that no parcel can be sent from Canada to any other country by parcel post without it bears a customs declaration setting out the nature of its contents and the value of the same. Without this declaration all parcels entrusted to the mails will be sent to the dead letter office, which means that they would be lost forever, as it is not possible to return them to the owners. This fact is worth remembering.

Made a Sub-Port.

Cascade has been raised to a sub-port of entry. Formerly it was only a Customs preventive station.

As showing the importance and increase of Customs business at Cascade City, it may be mentioned that an assistant has been appointed to help Mr. G. C. Rose who has held the position of Customs officer there since the creation of the office.

So important a point is it in the Customs system it is questionable if even now the staff is large enough to attend to the duties of the office thoroughly, without much inconvenience to themselves.

Dismissed from Service.

H. R. Parke and Jas. Schubert, road superintendents respectively for the north and south portions of this riding, received word last week that their services would be no longer required. In view of the fact that much necessary work still remains incomplete, especially in the southern country, it is sincerely to be hoped that this may only prove a temporary suspension from duty. In these days when the axe is falling with such monotonous regularity, it seems out of the question to expect that even the most competent and inoffensive officials will escape; but we trust the hope is not unfounded that these will be reinstated at an early date.—Vernon News.

Have Started Work.

From a party interested in the company it is gleaned that men were put to work a few days ago to develop the properties of the Dominion Consolidated Mines Company at Fairview. This company which was recently organized on the non-personal liability plan, with a capital of $500,000 divided into 2,000,000 shares of 25 cents each, owns a group of four claims on the eastern outskirts of the camp, just back of the Okanagan river. The claims are the Black Hawk, Fairview, Dominion and A. D. A., and upon some of the claims is an enormous surface showing of free milling gold quartz. Attention is being first paid to the Black Hawk and on this a 200 foot tunnel will be driven, which it is estimated will crosscut the lode at a depth of upwards of 500 feet. Surface assays from this lode gave, it is said, very satisfactory returns, and if the lode when cut by the tunnel contains as good quartz as that found on the surface then will those interested in the company have every reason to be pleased with their holdings.

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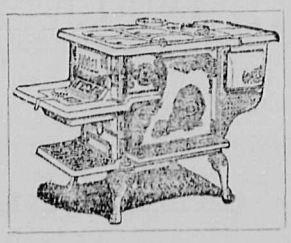
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The "G. A. R." has a 30-foot shaft sunk on a 2-foot vein, heavily mineralized with an intimate mixture of iron and copper pyrites, galena, blende and silverglance. The finest pieces of wire silver found on Boundary Creek were taken from this shaft. 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 1 1-10 ozs. silver, and $49.35 gold 17½ ozs. silver, 2 per cent. copper

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

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 $170.55, 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 16¾ 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 percent age 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 hem.

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.

CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION

—OF AN—

Extra-Provincial Foreign Company.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

THE WATERLOO MINING AND MILLING COMPANY.

Registnred the 29th day of October, 1898.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The Waterloo Mining and Milling Company" as an extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies Act 1897" to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth, to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends—

The head office of the company is situate at the City of Spokane, State of Washington U.S.A.

The amount of the capital of the company is One Hundred Thousand dollars, divided into one million shares of ten cents each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate at Camp McKinney, and Thomas Graham, miner whose address is Camp McKinney aforesaid, is the attorney for the company.

The objects for which the company has been established are:—To work, operate, buy, sell, lease, locate, acquire, procure, hold and deal in generally, mines, metals, mineral claims of every kind and description within the United States of America and British Columbia, to carry on and conduct a general mining business smelting, milling and reduction business; to purchase, acquire, hold, erect and operate electric light and power plants for the purpose of mining and treating ores, and for the purpose of furnishing lights and creating power for all purposes; to bond, buy, lease, locate and hold ditches' flumes, and water rights; to construct, lease, buy, sell and operate railroads, ferries, tramways and other means of transportation, for transportating ores, mining and other material; to own, bond, buy, sell lease, locate timber and timber claims; to do and conduct a general mercantile business, and, finally, to do anything consistent, proper and requisite for the carrying out of the objects and purposes aforesaid, in their fullest and broadest sense, within the territory aforesaid.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 29th day of October one thousand eighi hundred and nincty-eight.

(Seal) S. Y. WOOTON,
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ASSAYER MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Canyon creek about one and one-half miles from Kettle river.

TAKE NOTICE that I, William E. Guttridge as agent for Beaumond Leather, free miner's certificate No. 11723A, 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 11th day of November, 1898.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ROBIN HOOD MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On west of Canyon creek, about four miles from Kettle river.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Wm. E. Guttridge, as agent for B. Leather, free miner's certificate No. 11723A, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvement, 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 11th day of November, 1898.

Mineral Act, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

SILVER TIP MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—Deadwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Forbes M. Kerby P.L.S., acting as agent for John Mack free miner's certificate No. 14170A, 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 12th day of October, 1898.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NORTH STAR (FRACTIONAL) AND GOLDEN EAGLE MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located; In Long Lake camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby P. L. S., acting as agent for Robert Wood free miner's certificate No. 360A and Charles L. homer free Miner's certificate No. 18371A intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown grants 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 11th day of October, 1898.