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MINERAL LOCATIONS.

MAY 11.

May Queen, Canyon creek, L. Simpson.
Jewell, Canyon creek, E. Kane.

MAY 12.

Double Standard, Central camp, G. R. Naden.

MAY 14.

Dewey, Providence camp, P. McBride.
Mona, Canyon creek, H. D. Barnes.
Kaffir King, Kettle river, H. D. Barnes.
Berlin, fractional, Deadwood camp, A. D. Oliver.
Commodore, Providence camp, P. McBride and C. O. Campbell.
Admiral, Providence camp, C. D. Campbell.
Lucky Jay, Providence camp, C. D. Campbell.
Trade Dollar, Deer creek, V. R. Swanson.
Barnato, Deer creek, V. R. Swanson.
Silver Bell, Deer creek, J. Peterson.
Oro, Skylark camp, A. H. Black.
Triumverate, fractional, Skylark camp, A. H. Black J. S. Birnie.

MAY 16.

Fitz Hugh Lee, Copper camp, F. Claugh.

MAY 17.

Traper, Canyon creek, J. J. Hibbard, J. Frederickson and H. B. Thoen.
Jig, Smith's camp, E. A. Hain.
Good Hope, Smith's camp, W. Miller.
Admiral Dewey, Long Lake camp, F. K. McMann.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

MAY 11.

Wemite, J. B. Mitchell.

MAY 13.

Independence, F. Beauchene et al.

MAY 14.

Kimberly, R. Murray et al.
Goldfinch, C. W. H. Sansom.
Echo, N. E. Peterson et al.
St. Geneva, J. J. Fitzgerald et al.
Magnetite, S. M. Johnson et al.
Revenue, J. H. Macfarlane et al.
Pioneer, J. H. Macfarlane et al.

MAY 16.

Young George, A. Pogge et at.
Carlotta, A. Pogge et al.
Maple Leaf, W. J. Porter.
Sycamore, G. Riter et al.

MAY 17.

Belcher, J. Frederickson et al.
Excelsior, J. A. Stack.
Early Bird, G. M. Barrett.
Iron King, G. M. Barrett.
Iron Duke, G. M. Barrett.

TRANSFERS.

MAY 11.

Golden King, ½ interest, H. Fisher to J. H. Winter.
Silver King, ½ interest, H. Fisher to J. H. Winter.
Gold Bar, ½ interest, H. Fisher to J. H. Winter.
Gold Dollar, ½ interest, H. Fisher to J. H. Winter.

MAY 12.

Ivanhoe, all interest, H. A. Ross to C. Mathieson.

MAY 14.

Queen Sabe, ½ interest, H. L. Morgan to E. A. Bielenberg.
Lygia, ½ interest, W. H. Norris to J. Beckwith.
Excelsior, ½ interest, I. M. Macdonald to J. Beckwith.

MAY 16.

Ladoga, ½ interest, Theo. Witte to W. M. Law.
Le Roy, Tip Top, Winedot, ½ interest G. W. Coe and E. M Smith to J. W. Smith and J. A. Currie.

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENT.

MAY 12.

Tunnel, L. M. McCarren.
New York, J. B. McArthur and W. Marshall.

Lord Aberdeen Resigns.

It is officially announced that theQueen has accepted the resignation of the Earl of Aberdeen as Governor-General of Canada, to which office he was appointed in 1893. The two persons most prominently mentioned, recently, as likely to succeed the Earl of Aberdeen as Governor-General of Canada, are Earl Selborne, the Under-Secretary of State for the colonies, and Earl Hopetoun, the Paymaster-General. It has been said that the former can have the Governor-Generalship of Canada if he wants it.

Lord Aberdeen has notified Sir Wilfred Laurier that, on account of private and family claims and interests, he will not be able to remain in Canada for the full six years of his official term as Governor-General, and that he intends resigning in October or November of this year. Lord Aberdeen says he has notified Mr. Chamberlain to this effect, and that the Colonial Secretary has consented. Lord Aberdeen's letter is dated May 6th, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied the following day, regretting Their Excellencies' departure. The Premier says that he regrets it, not only as Prime Minister, but as one of Her Majesty's Canadian subjects.

The Le Roi Sold.

It can be stated with certainty now that one of the biggest mining deals the west has seen for many a day was concluded in Spokane on the 13th inst. when the Le Roi passed out of the hands of the Le Roi Mining company into those of the British America Corporation, which corporation pays the enormous sum of $3,000,000 for the property on the following terms, viz., $500,000 down and the balance in monthly instalments of $500,000 each.

Governor Mackintosh, representative of the British America Corporation, referring to the transaction pointed to the fact that his company now own about 2000 acres of mineral lands, in the Rossland, Nelson, Ymir, East Kootenay and Boundary Creek districts, and that among their claims besides the Le Roi were such properties as the Nichol Plate for which they paid the sum of $225,000; the Josie $275,000; the Great Western and Golden Chariot about $100,000; West Le Roi and Josie $147,000 and so on through the list until their holdings represent a sum total of nearly $5,000,000.

Significent Words.

The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, made an important speech on public affairs at Birmingham on the 15th inst.

Mr. Chamberlain, after depreciating the constant assertions in certain quarters that Lord Salisbury was "discredited" and the government "weak and vacillating," said: "If foreign countries believe and act upon these statements they will find themselves much mistaken and that courteous diplomacy and graceful concessions are not incompatible with a firm maintenance of the country's honor and interests."

Then, declaring that he intended to make a "plain statement of facts, unfettered by the mysteries and reticence of diplomacy of half a century ago, which without revealing secret negotiations, should be understood of the people." Mr. Chamberlain said he would accept the judgment of the people as willingly as that of the wisest diplomat in the world.

Referring to the policy of strict isolation that England has pursued since the Crimean war, he remarked that this had been "perfectly justifiable" and added: "The time has arrived when Great Britain may be confronted by a combination of powers and our first duty therefore is to draw all parts of the empire into close unity and our next to maintain the bonds of permanent unity with our kinsmen across the Atlantic." (Loud cheers).

"There is a powerful and generous nation," said Mr. Chamberlain, "using our language, bred of our race and having interests identical with ours. I would go so far as to say that, terrible as war may be, even war itself would be cheaply purchased if in a great and noble cause the stars and stripes and the union jack should wave together over an Anlo-Saxon alliance. (Prolonged cheers).

'It is one of the most satisfactory results of Lord Salisbury's policy that at the present time these two great nations understand each other better than they have ever done since over a century ago, when they were separated by a blunder of the British government."

Mr. Chamberlain proceeded to draw a gloomy picture of the situation in China, "where we have to count with Russia, as in Afghanistan, except that we do not possess an army or a defensive frontier in China and cannot therefore injure Russia without an ally. The fate of the whole Chinese empire is involved and our interest are so enormous that no more vital question was ever presented for decision to the British nation and a British government. Unless the fate of China is to be decided without England's voice we must not reject the idea of an alliance with those powers whose interests are similar to ours."

All the leading London journals took occasion to comment upon the speech, and the Standard, applauding Mr. Chamberlain's stand, says:

"There is not the smallest reason to suppose that his convictions are not shared by every member of the cabinet. They had been anticipated by most men who have tried to look below the surface of current diplomacy, and the special quality which he has imparted to the declaration was the emphasis of concentrated and unadulterated truth. We are liable at any moment to be confronted by a combination of all the European powers. The contingency should not be dismissed as impossible merely because it would be startingly unpleasant.

"Already we have endeavored with no small success to draw all parts of our vast empire together in the firm intention to co-operate for the common defense; nor can it be said that there is anything lacking in our feeling of regard and friendship for the great kindred community on the other side of the Atlantic."

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MONDAY, MAY 23 1898.

Passed Peacefully Away.

At about 5 o'clock on the morning of the 19th the end came peacefully to Mr. Gladstone, the great English statesman and scholar. For some time he had been slowly sinking and therefore his death was expected. That his death was peaceful and unattended with pain did not, however, detract from the great grief of the nation which now mourns his loss. As soon as the news of his death became generally known every other topic in Great Britain dropped out of sight before the passing of Mr. Gladstone. In two places, perhaps, was the tension most keen and heartfelt—the house of commons and Hawarden. Just before the house rose on the 19th a telegram from Herbert Gladstone reached Lord Stanley announcing that his father was sinking. Already before his death the hush of grief seemed to fall over the scene of his triumphs, and from the present men turned to the past, recalling sayings and doings. A great lion lay dying, his old colleagues, his one-time enemies and followers watching his last long fight with his last and implacable foe, as they watched in past days his fight against foes whom he had overcome. He was yielding slowly inch by inch. It was generally believed at St. Stevens's that his dying was but the sequel to that great scene witnessed four years ago, when his last speech spoken, he quitted the house without one word of spoken advice.

Anticipating the inevitable, the members of the government discussed the appropriate precedure to be observed and resolved that no effort on their part should be wanting to mark a suitable sense of their loss. Disregarding recent precedents, it was decided that the programme in parliament should be the same as that adopted in the case of the Earl of Chatham and of the younger Pitt, namely, *an address to Her Majesty* praying for a funeral at the public charge and a monument erected at Westminster abbey.

As it was the topic of the hour in Great Britain so abroad the evidences of sympathy were almost as universal. M. Faure, president of France, daily inquired and regularly received every bulletin. The press of Belgium, France Italy and Greece, in spontaneous outbursts, *recalled how many oppressed* people during Mr. Gladstone's life have offered hymns of praise for his intervention in their behalf; while in Madrid even, the prospect of his death caused a 24-hours' suspension of war animosity against England.

Not the least point in this tribute to Mr. Gladstone was its profound unanimity.

How eventful has been the life just *closed, can be gleaned from a short* biography which shows that Mr. Gladstone was born in Liverpool, December 29, 1809. He was the son of a rich merchant of Lancashire. The family was of Scottish descent, with an illustrious pedigree in Burke's Peerage. In Gladstone's boyhood George Canning was the controlling influence, and the years of his boyhood were passed during the time that Wellington won *Waterloo and Napoleon became an* exile. He was a student at Eton in 1821, when Napoleon died, and for six years he was a pupil under Dr. Turner, afterwards the famous bishop of Calcutta.

In 1929 he entered Christ's Church college and graduated in 1831 with the highest honors, afterwards taking what was then a tour of the world, namely a tour of Europe.

In 1832 his public life began. He was elected a member of parliament, and in 1833 became a force, at the age 24 years. At 25 he became a junior lord of the treasury and engaged in controversies with Disraeli, Newman, Cobden, John Stuart Mill and Peel. He and Disraeli afterward faced each other as direct rivals, and for forty years waged a political war.

In 1843 Gladstone succeeded the Earl of Ripon as president of the board of trade and *did important* work for British machinery. He continued active in British politics until 1863, when he reached the apex of his fame, and became a premier. Disraeli had resigned. For the next seventeen years he led the liberal party and alternately succeeded himself and Lord Salisbury in the premiership.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Ottawa, May 13th.—The peculiarly distressing circumstances attending the death of Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, Q. C., M. P. gives the event which all Canada mourns to day an atmosphere of pathetic sadness. On Friday evening last, but five short days before he died the deceased statesman was in his seat in the House of Commons, in the full enjoyment of that splendid physicial activity and magnificent intellectual vigor which has always characterised him. Returning to Toronto to spend the Sabbath with his family, as was his wont, he started on Sunday evening from his home to catch the night train for the capital again and in less than an hour, was brought back bleeding and unconscious, from injuries received in an accident caused by the bolting of the horse he was driving, injuries from which he never rallied but which proved fatal within 72 hours.

The personal interest felt in his condition during these three brief days by all classes of the community has not been equalled in the case of any Canadian public man since the memorable illness of the late Sir John Macdonald; anxiety to learn the latest reports were manifested everywhere, and whether in the corridors of the commons, in the hotel rotundas, on the streets, or in the home, the solicitude was universal, and to-day it is succeeded by a heartfelt sorrow widespread and sincere.

The scene in the commons when the Premier made the sad announcement, will long be remembered. Attracted by the prospect of an animated debate on that dead issue—the Manitoba School Question—that cause of bitter contention and party division in which the dead statesman had taken so active and effectual a part and in connection with which his name and memory will always be prominently associated—the house was unusually well filled and the galleries presented a more animated appearance than had occurred at any previous sitting this session. Mr. Bergeron the conservative member for Beauharnois, had entertined the assemblage since the commencement of the evening session with a lively harangue on the alleged action of the government in opening negottations with Rome, during which he charged that the school question was not settled but was in a worse position to-day than ever. His remarks had been met with much good natured banter across the floor and the cheering and countercheering had for an hour or more contributed to create an unusually lively episode. The speaker concluded at a few minutes to 10 o'clock and every eye centred on Sir Wilfred Laurier as he rose, apparently to reply. The first half dozen words that fell from his lips, however, were like a bolt from the blue for while the worst had been feared from many, the afternoon bulletins from Toronto had been brighter and at that particular moment no one within hearing of the Premier was anticipating the dread announcement. Instantly an intense hush pervaded the chamber which a moment before rang with laughter and echoed with vigorous plaudits, while everyone leaned forward to catch the subdued words of the Prime Minister. His tribute was eloquent in its brevity and simplicity and was uttered in tones tremulous with deep feeling. In words equally touching, and evincing the strongest emotion Sir Charles Tupper added to and endorsed the remarks of the leader of the government and after a few words from Mr. Clark Wallace who had had much to do with the deceased member in the political arena of late years, the house adjourned in reverential silence. Canada's loss in the premature death of her distinguished son is great, and it was preeminently fitting that her sense of her bereavement should be thus emphasied by her legislators in parliament assembled.

Business in parliament:—This has been a very busy week in parliament, good progress having been made with the business on the order paper and for a time there seemed some prospect of reaching prorogation by Queen's Birthday but there is small chance of that now, and the best that can now be hoped for is that the session will be will wound up early in June. The only matters that are likely to consume much time in discussion now are the balance of the Supplies Bill, the Franchise Bill which awaits its third reading and to which Sir Charles Tupper will move an amendment providing for final appeal to a County Judge by those not on the voters list; the Plebiscite Bill upon the third reading of which very little debate is expected and a government measure dealing with the administration of the Yukon and possibly one having reference to the vexed transportation question into the same territory. These matters out of the way but little of interest will remain on the order paper.

No boodling there:— Considerable time has been consumed this session in *the Public Accounts committee ex*amining into various contracts which have been carried out under the direction of the Public Works department. Lengthy sessions have been held stretching from day to day, witnesses have been summoned from the four corners of the universe, and wearing examinations have been undertaken, and in every single case the results have been to demonstrate the absolute *honesty of the work done* and the fairness of the prices paid. While no actual charges of crookedness have been preferred by opposition members there can be little question that all this investigation instigated by them had behind it not only the suspicion of wrong doing but the keenest desire that such might prove to be the fact. Though the outcome is not what was contemplated nor desired yet the promoters of these searching inquiries have rendered signal service to the country in proving to such an undoubted certainty that the affairs of the Public Works department are being economically and honestly administered and that scrupulous care is being exercised by Hon. Mr. Tarte in safeguarding the public interests.

Sir Charles Tupper:—After several days absence from the house through sickness Sir Charles Tupper is back in his place and has signalised his return by several vigorously bitter attacks on the ministers and others who have ncurred his displeasure. One night he assailed the government for its action in the oft-discussed and almost forgotten matter of the post election appointments made by his government and disallowed by his successors and the next night he made a vindictive onslaught upon General Gascoigne; while a couple of days later he attacked the members of the press gallery and especially one correspondent who had incurred his displeasure in some personal reference sent to an eastern paper. Such incidents are scarcely helpful to the party cause and are certainly inimical to the dignity of parliament.

Insurance:—The question of fraternal insurance has been prominently before the country this week through the publishing of statements made before the Banking and Commerce committee during consideration of bills to incorporate the Ancient Order of Foresters, and the Sons of England Benefit Society. It was claimed by insurance experts that there is not a fraternal society doing business in Canada to-day, that can possibly last at the present rates charged but must sooner or latter smash, involving tens of thousands in misery and ruin. The government announces that it has already appreciated the situation and will introduce a general bill thereon next session.

OSOYOOS MINING DIVISION.

Records for the Week Ending May 14th, 1898.

MINERAL LOCATIONS.

MAY 9.

Banner, Kruger mountain, Geo. H. Cahill.

Sinbad, Camp McKinney, Hugh Megraw.

Red Bird, Fairview, O. Copp.

Blue Grouse, Fairview, O. Copp.

MAY 10.

Sunset, Keremeos, A. J. Hinckley.

MAY 11.

Phoebe, Saw Creek, E. B. McMynn.

Douglas, Johnson creek, John Douglas.

Atwood, Johnson creek, J. Atwood and Ole Johnson.

MAY 13.

Jumbo, fractional, Beaver creek, Frank Chadler.

Independence, James creek, Wm. J. Northey.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

MAY 9.

Gold Hill, E. D. Boeing and Steve Mangott.

Mountain Eagle, Albert Dalrymple.
Argentine, Paul Johnson.
Blue Horse, Geo. H. Cahill.
Victoria, D. Carmichael.

MAY 10.

Lewella May, A. J. Hinckley and Wm. Cohen.

Mountain Chief, A. J. Hinckley and Wm. Cohen.

MAY 11.

Boston, J. Thomas.

MAY 12.

Thistle, Jas. Turley and D. Rankin.

Grace Darling, Jas. Turley and D. Rankin.

Ivanhoe, Jas. Turley and D. Rankin.

MAY 14.

Atlantic Cable, R. Wood and I. Thompson.

Bisi, Alfred Mueller.

MAY 14.

Calumet, John Kearns.

Ecca, John Kearns.

Queen Vic, John Kearns.

Divide, James McGee.

TRANSFERS.

MAY 13.

Mount Adams, ½ interest, H. W Yates to J. H. G. Riley.

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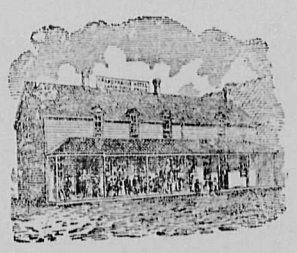

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One Side is Losing, but is the Other Side Gaining?

Toronto Telegram:

Some of the liberal leaders have succeeded in cooling this country's affections for the Laurier government, but what of that if the opposition leaders have not succeeded in curing the country's dislike of the politicians who gave character to the last conservative government?

It is certain that the Laurier government has been steadily losing ground, but it is not so certain that the conservative opposition's gain this session has been proportionate to the government's loss.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell and the Senate have carried off the honors of the session. The leaders of the conservative opposition in the commons strengthened their party with the country by their glorious opposition to the Yukon deal, and then immediately proceeded to disgust every independent observer by a speedy relapse into a state of miserable subserviency to the interests which dictated a rejection of the Kettle River Railway bill.

Supplementary Estimates.

The supplementary estimates were laid before the house on the 15th inst, and as introduced represent the outlay of an enormous amount of money, as no less a sum is asked than $404,402, to the end of June of this year, and $102,289 added to the estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, or a total of $506,721. These are the largest for years, and as a result it means a serious matter to the taxpayer.

There are among the large items $21,000 for a new wing to the insane asylum, $5500 for the jail at Kamloops, $7500 for the Nelson jail, $16,000 for protecting river bank at Revelstoke, $6,000 for an additional Rossland school house and various sums for public works, in addition to those already voted.

For next year there is $3000 for sessional allowance for the five new members to be elected under the redistribution bill. There are additions to salaries of officials, already agreed to, at Comoplix. Lardeau gets a new recorder's office, $600, and Vernon a new jail, $12,000. Wardner, Trout Lake Mara and Kaslo are among the places to get new schools, the cost to be $35,650, all in next years's account. The refund of taxes to Rossland, Nelson, Grand Forks and Greenwood, just incorporated amounts to $5,128.

Bombardment of San Juan.

More recent and consequently more authentic accounts of the bombardment of San Juan de Puerto Rico would tend to show the engagement began at 5:15 a. m. and ended at 8:15 a. m. The enemy's batteries were not silenced. The town in the rear of the fortifications probably suffered. The ships taking part in the action were the Iowa, Indiana, New York, Terror, Amphitrite, Detroit, Montgomery, Waumpantuck and Porter. The enemy's firing was heavy but wild, and the Iowa and New York were probably the only ships hit. They went right up under the guns in column, delivering broadsides, and then returned. The line passed thrice in front of the forts, pouring tons of steel on shore. It is impossible to judge the amount of damage done to the buildings and forts. They appeared to be riddled with shot, but the Spaniards were plucky. The after turret of the Amphitrite got out of order temporarily during the engagement, but she banged away with her forward guns. After the first passage before the forts the Detroit and the Montgomery retired, their guns being too small to do much damage. The Porter and Waumpantuck also stayed out of range. The enemy's loss is believed to have been heavy. The Americans had two men killed and seven men injured.

A French Idea.

Henry Rochefort suggests in the "Intransigeant" that Spain and Italy become republics, and join the French Republic in forming a triple Latin republic alliance to offset the probable Anglo American and German alliance.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

BROOKLYN MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District, located in Greenwood Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John P. McLeod as agent for W. T. Smith, free miner's certificate No. 80812, J. M. Taylor, free miner's certificate No. 80918, and E. J. Roberts, free miner's certificate No. 76553, 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.

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COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be holden

At Grand Forks, on Saturday, the 9th day of July, 1898.

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

By Command,

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

Government Office, Grand Forks, May 18, 1898

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NORFOLK FRACTIONAL MINERAL CLAIM

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Central camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. Coryell, as agent for *J. Roderick Robertson* free miner's certificate No. 84756, 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 15th day of April, 1898.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

TENAS MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. de Blois Green agent for David Leggett free miner's certificate No. 9217, 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 3rd day of March 1898.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

TEASER MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. de Blois Green as agent for Hugh Cameron free miner's certificate No. 90547, and Malcolm McCuaig, free Miner's certificate No. 87559, 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 3rd day of March 1898.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

AETNA MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Located in Greenwood camp

TAKE NOTICE that I, George Rumbergerfree miner's certificate No. 83A, 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 March 1898.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ROCKY POINT MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Osoyoos Mining Division, of Yale District. Where Located:—Camp Fairview, Province of British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Thomas H Parr. acting as agent for J. E. Miller, free miner's certificate No. 97825, Rossland June 8th 1897, W. T. Nichol free miner's certificate No. 6255, Vancouver Aug. 15th 1897, and E. Cook free miner's certificate No. 20759A, Vancouver Nov. 5th 1897, Trustees of the Rocky Point mineral claim, 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 26th day of February, 1898.

EDUCATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 4th, 1898, at 8.45a.m:—

Victoria . . . In South Park School Building.
Vancouver. In High School Building.
Kamloops. . In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above named places he will attend.

EVERY notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonial of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their application can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A, Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 13th and 14th instants, and to undergo required oral examination.

S. D. POPE,
Superintendent of Education.

Education Office,
Victoria, May 4th, 1898.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

BOUNDARY CREEK MINING AND MILLING COMPANY, LTD. LY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special general meeting of the shareholders in the company will be held at the office of the company, Greenwood City, B. C., on Thursday, the 26th day of May, 1898, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon.

BUSINESS.

(1) To consider the best means for the conduct of the business of the company and to consult as to its future operations.

(2) To arrange, if deemed advisable, for the sale of some of the company's mineral claims, with the object of providing means for the development of the remainder.

(3) Any other business connected with the affairs of the company, the meeting may deem it necessary to transact.

Dated at Greenwood City, B. C., this second day of May, 1898.

E. JACOBS,
Secretary.

NOTE.—By-law No. 9 requires that "the Register book of the company for the transfer of stock shall be closed twenty days previous to any special general meeting." No transfer of stock in the company can therefore be registered between May 7th and 26th, 1898, both days inclusive.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

Judge Spinks came in from Grand Forks yesterday, and passed on north to-day.

Mr. Hankey of Vancouver, is a visitor in this district, having come in from Penticton on Wednesday last.

A sitting of the Licensing Court for the district will be held at the Court House Midway, on Wednesday, 15th of June next.

Mrs. H. S. Cayley of Grand Forks, passed through town to-day on her way to Vernon to there pay a visit to parents and friends.

C. A. R. Lambly, S. M., and Gold Commissioner for the district came over from Osoyoos on Wednesday last, and after attending to some official business returned home on Friday.

The Revd. Mr. Wilson, of Vernon, and the Revd. Mr. Ganing of Rossland, passed through town on Thursday last. These gentlemen are paying the district a visit in connection with mission work.

Mrs. C. A. R. Lambly, of Osoyoos, and Miss Allison of Princeton, are visitors in town. Mrs. Lambly is paying Mrs. Dowding her mother a visit, and expects to be in town for about two weeks.

It is gleaned that the recently vacated position of Superintendent of Roads, made so by the resignation of Mr. L. V. Cuppage, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. J. A. Schubert, formerly of Vernon and more recently of Fairview.

Mr. E. C. Davidson of Kamloops, paid Midway a visit during the week. As with all others thoroughly acquainted with this district Mr. Davidson feels that the government acted shamefully when they tacked Boundary Creek on the Rossland riding in the creation of new electoral districts.

Negotiations are proceeding between a committee of Greenwood men appointed for the purpose and the Nelson and Vernon Telephone company respecting the extension to Greenwood of the telephone line which the company has announced its intention to build to Grand Forks.

A party of C. P. R. officials consisting of Messrs. J. H. Sussman, mining expert, D. W. Moore ore buyer for the Trail smelter, and H. E. McDonald, freight agent at Nelson, visited Midway last Saturday. Messrs. Sussman and Moore went up to the Bruce before returning to Greenwood.

After spending a pleasant holiday here, Mr. S. Rickards left for Vancouver on Tuesday last. Before leaving Mr. Rickards expressed himself as holding to the view that this district has a great future before it and also that the people of the coast have so far failed to appreciate the advantages that would accrue from a closer business relationship between the two sections.

Mr. Thos. G. Earl, of Lytton, who is a member of the Board of Horticulture and is Inspector for this district, came in this morning, on his periodical tour of inspection. He visited Golden, Northport, and Grand Forks on his way in. This afternoon in company with Mr. W. H. Norris he paid a visit to the latter's newly-planted orchard. He was much pleased with what he saw and expressed the opinion that with irrigation fruit growing should pay well here.

Another appropriation of $1,200 is made by the government toward the repair of the Mission creek dam near Okanagan Mission. Several such appropriations have been made, and the pity is that the government would not donate a sufficient amount to insure a permanent work being constructed, instead of dribbling out sums of money annually, of an amount just sufficient to carry the work to a point at which a few dollars more spent would ensure a good and lasting job being done in connection with the dam above referred to. Those fairly competent to judge claim that to prevent the overflow of the creek, and the consequent destruction of property, attention should be paid and money spent in clearing out the bed of the creek.

MINING NOTES.

Mr. H. White is again at work on the Paris and Lincoln in White's camp. It is stated that a 600-foot tunnel is to be run to cut at a lower level the big ledge, already opened up to a considerable extent. The new road from the mines down to the Kettle river road is now well in hand.

The superintendent for the Boundary Mines company, Mr. F. Keffer, arranged last week for work to be resumed to-day on the No. 7, in Central camp under Mr. Wm. Boyle as foreman. It is intended to run a drift from the main shaft at the 70-foot level, and to take out ore so as to make a good showing on the dump.

In Deadwood Camp.

Deadwood camp continues to show activity although on not so large a scale as it may be expected to do when the Mother Lode plant shall have been placed in position and in operation. This plant is arriving at the mine right along several teams bringing portions of it each week. Work in the Primrose crosscut is just now giving more encouraging results, the indications being more favorable for the Mother Lode lead than at any time since the crosscut—which is now in about 145 feet from the shaft—was started. The crosscut tunnel on the Sunset, adjoining the Primrose is being pushed, and Mr. J. H. Macfarlane expects this property ere long to give a good account of itself. Mr. E. M. E. Munns, representing the English owners of the Anaconda group returned to Greenwood last week, but apparently he does not look for an early resumption of work on the big copper-gold ore-showings on the Anaconda. On the other hand it is quite likely that the Boundary Creek Mining and Milling company will soon be at work again, a favorable offer having been received which promises to provide ample funds to prospect several of the company's claims to a sufficient extent to fairly test their value. The proposition will be submitted to a special general meeting of shareholders to be held at Greenwood next Thursday afternoon. Meanwhile the company's solicitor is taking the requisite steps to Crown grant the group of claims.

From Pass Creek.

At Pass Creek camp an increasing amount of assessment and development work is being done. Although somewhat cut off from more populous centres by reason of the long delay in giving the camp wagon-road connections, its claim holders are generally confident that their turn will come soon, the mineral showings some of them have, being large and promising enough to justify their belief that they will soon attract the notice of men with money to put into a good prospect. One lead in particular is having attention. It is stated that this lead has been traced by outcroppings over a comparatively long distance on its north-westerly trend up Pass creek towards Long Lake. Among the claims on it are the Maud S., Mountain Lion, Sidehill Star, No. 3, Golden Giant, Northern Belle, Minnie and others farther N. W. The ledge is described as a large one occurring at the contact of porphyry and quartzite, Messrs. R. Robinson and Carl Nelson, who own the Golden Giant and Northern Belle, are now running a crosscut tunnel with the object of cutting the ledge at a depth of about 100 feet. They are working two shifts and are in daily expectation of encountering the footwall. Judging by the surface showings they estimate that the ledge will be found to be fully 50 feet in width. The ore met with near the surface carries values in both copper and gold, and should these live down they will have a valuable property. Messrs. Estep and Smith intend shortly doing more work on the adjoining claim the No. 3. Other prospectors are scattered about the camp either prospecting or doing assessment work.

New Gaol at Vernon.

Grand juries repeatedly called the attention of the government through the medium of the court, to the pressing necessity of providing a suitable building in which to keep prisoners at Vernon, and so often was this done that at last those called to serve on the grand juries recognized the futility of addressing themselves to the subject, and refrained from pressing the matter upon the attention of the judges, and through them upon the government. Those who became disgusted, however, with the little notice paid to their request, failed to recognize the fact that they were pressing their suit at an inopportune time. Once only in every four years is particular attention given to such subjects, and the grand juries should have know this and acted accordingly. However, election times or no election times, Vernon is to get her gaol, and judging by the amount appropriated for the building, it will be a commodious and possibly fine structure. The only pity is that the government did not provide for the institution sooner, for had they done so, some criminals would have been brought to justice, and much money saved to the country, through expenses in connection with extradition proceedings, and the removal of prisoners to such points as Kamloops and New Westminster, which could with equal facility have been kept at Vernon. Having taken the initiatory step, it is to be hoped that the building will be provided with as little delay as possible.

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Notice.

MONTE CRISTO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Greenwood Camp on the north of the Montezuma mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. Coryell, as agent for James Marshall free miner's certificate No. 8878, and James Nicholson free miner's certificate No. 8897, 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 February, 1898.

HENRY CARR, C. E. E. M.
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NOTICE.

Licensing Court.

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

At Osoyoos, and Midway, on Wednesday, the 15th day of June, 1898.

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

C. A. R. LAMBLY S. M.

Government Office,
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May 13th, 1898.

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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 tais 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, heayily 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 betweed 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 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 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.

Certificate of Improvements

Notice.

GILT EDGE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—In Greenwood Camp, on the east of the Montezuma mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. Coryell, as agent for James Marshall, free miner's certificate No. 88878, 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 February, 1898.

TABLE.

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1898.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday, 3th May
New Westminster	Tuesday, 10th May
Vancouver	Tuesday, 17th May
Victoria	Tuesday, 31st May
Clinton	Monday, 30th May
Kamloops	Monday, 6th June
Vernon	Monday, 13th June
*Nelson	Monday, 20th June
*Donald	Monday 27th June

*Special Assize.

FALL ASSIZES.

Clinton	Thursday, 22nd September
Richfield	Monday, 26th September
Kamloops	Monday, 3rd October
Lytton	Friday, 14th October
Vernon	Monday, 10th October
New Westminster	Tuesday, 1st November
Vancouver	Monday, 14th November
Victoria	Tuesday, 15th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday, 22nd November

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

POWIS MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBloi reen agent for Edward James, free miner's certificate No. 94254, Henry Nicholson, free miner's certificate No. 90585 and Malcolm McCuaig free miner's certificate No. 87559, 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 2nd day of Feb. 1898.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

MONTE CARLO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: In Greenwood Camp on the north of the Gilt Edge mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, John A. Coryell, acting as agent for Thomas Rhoderick, free miner's certificate No. 88883, 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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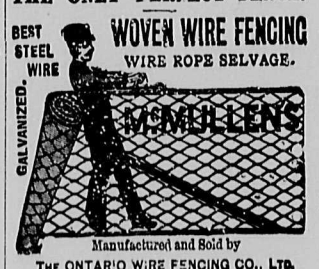

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