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CARIBOO STOCK.

Geo. B. McAuley of Spokane has purchased 164,000 shares of the Cariboo Mining Company's stock, from C. B. King of Cœur D'Alene City, Idaho. The price was 17 cents a share. The company is capitalized at $700,000 and its property is situated at Camp McKinney. This company has paid 13 per cent. in dividends during the last year and will pay another dividend of three per cent. on May 1. Evidently Mr. McAuley, who previous to making the purchase, held a large number of shares in the company, is thoroughly satisfied that the stock is a really good investment, and in the face of recent development at the mine which has been attended with such good results, it is certain his judgment is sound. It is understood that at a depth of about 200 feet the vein of ore is nearly 10 feet wide, and it is generally conceded that as long as the crushing plant is not increased in capacity, three or four years ore is in sight in the mine. This being the case it is only reasonable to suppose that shares in the company will advance in price very materially in the future, and certainly will they do so if the property continues to pay 13 per cent. on its capital stock, as it did the past year.

FREE MINING MACHINERY.

About the most sensible piece of legislation enacted by the Dominion parliament just closed, was the placing of mining machinery upon the free list, thereby encouraging mining development by giving to the miner the opportunity to purchase without restriction in the most favorable and best market in which machinery required by him may be obtained.

Had the concession been made some time ago it would have resulted in great good to British Columbia especially, as during the past two or three years large quantities of machinery have been brought into the country for purposes of mining development, upon which heavy duties have been paid, duties which, had the money paid therefor been spent in other directions, such as develping the mines, would have been far more productive of good results to the country than it is at present, lying (or not) in the Dominion Treasury.

There are two things in connection with this piece of legislation, however, that should not escape observation, and that is, the time at which the concession is made, and the length of time it is made for. On the one hand the time at which it is granted would tend to show that it is intended as a catch vote piece of legislation, and on the other hand the time limit of one year in which it is intended it shall be in operation, tends only to lend color to the former conviction, which anyone might be pardoned for should they adopt it, for surely if it is well to grant such a concession for one year, it would be so much the better to grant it for four or five years, or for all time to come for that matter, so that the mining sections of the Dominion might reap a lasting benefit.

LAND SUBSIDY.

A few sections and part sections of the bill authorizing the granting of a land subsidy to the Columbia & Western Railway is herewith presented, which will, no doubt, be somewhat interesting to the general reader, and particularly so to all those who wish to acquire lands, either by pre-emption or purchase, in the southern portion of the Yale district.

1. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to grant to the said Company lands in the districts of Kootenay and Yale not exceeding ten thousand two hundred and forty acres for each mile of narrow gauge railway to be constructed by the said Company.

2. Upon the said Company filing with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works a map or plan, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, shewing the course and direction of the proposed railway upon one or more sections of said line of railway, from time to time, and the lands intended to be traversed, there shall be reserved from pre-emption and sale from the date of the filing of the plan or plans, from time to time, a tract of land extending sixteen miles on each side of the line of the section or sections as aforesaid of the proposed railway, and also such further area contiguous to the railway as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may direct in order to make up a sufficient quantity under this Act.

10. In the event of the Company constructing a standard gauge line of railway under the terms of the said Act of Incorporation, it shall be entitled to a grant or grants in said districts of twenty thousand acres of land per mile of railway constructed.

5. When section one of the railway is completed, the land earned under said section shall be granted to the Company; when section three of the railway is completed, the land earned under section three shall be granted to the Company; when section five of the railway is completed, the land earned under section four shall be granted to the Company; when section six of the railway is completed the lands earned under sections five and six shall be granted to the Company.

9. Nothing in this Act, and no grant to be made hereunder, shall be construed to interfere with free miners entering upon and searching for minerals and acquiring claims in accordance with the mining laws of the Province, and they shall also have the right to acquire the surface rights of mineral claims from the Company at a price not exceeding five dollars per acre, and the Company shall be bound to dispose of same to mineral claim owners lawfully acquiring claims were such claims are not within the immediate vicinity of railway depots or townsites; in all such cases the price to be determined by arbitration conducted so far as practicable according to the provisions of the "Railway Act" relating to arbitration, and such provisions so far as practicable shall apply to such proceedings.

11. Upon sections three, four, five and six of the said railway, after the lands are reserved under this Act, and up to the time the same are defined and selected by the Company, all agriculture lands included therein shall be open for purchase or pre-emption by any person or persons, upon similar terms to those provided for the acquisition of Crown lands by the "Land Act Amendment Act, 1891," or pre emption under the Land Laws of the Province, and the proceeds of such sales shall be received by the Provincial Government and held in trust for the Company until the said land is earned by the Company, when such proceeds are to be handed over to the Company.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending May 6th.

22. Big Four, Grand Prairie, H. Shaw, H. P. Haycock, W. S. Clark and J. King.
22. King, Christina Lake, J. Pelletier, O. Dubi.
22. Queen of the Lake, Christina Lake, O. Boyer, J. Billan.
22. Aspin, Summit camp, J. Keough.
22. Blue Ridge, Brown's camp, L. H. Merrill, G. D. Root, S. P. Jones, J. H. Rolfe.
22. Iron Pyrites, Deadwood camp, D. A. Holbrook.
22. Granite, Skylark camp, M. H. Kane.
22. Granada, Ingram Mountain, J. H. East.
22. Normandy, Ingham Mountain, E. S. Graham.
24. Hidden Treasure, Brown's camp, T. Parkinson, W. Pfeifer.
24. Pass Creek, Pass Creek, H. McEwen, J. McIntosh.
25. St. Clair, Nicholson creek, F. Denald.
25. Montecella, Nicholson creek, W. H. Conkle.
25. Combination, Smith's camp, J. S. Bauce, J. Dale, T. McAuley.
25. Wild Rose Fraction, Smith's camp, J. C. Haas.
25. Cyclone, Grand Prairie, G. Peone.
25. Don't Know, Smith's camp, J. Winters.
30. Halifax, Pardy creek, D. E. Lareva.
1. Star, Brown's camp, N. Larsen.
1. Keystone, Grand Forks, J. T. Denault.
2. Josy, Summit camp, E. Davis.
2. Moran, Summit camp, E. Davis.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

22. Hill Top; J. Woodhead, J. Almoure.
22. Blue Grouse; J. Woodhead, J. Almoure.
29. Skylark; J. Douglas, J. Atwood, W. McLean, T. Wake.
29. Strawberry; J. R. Ritter, T. Coady, T. Stevenson.
29. Granite Mountain; J. R. Ritter, T. Coady, T. Stevenson.
2. Nugget; A. Sherette, W. Shaw.
2. Dick Bland, Copper Camp, G. Thomas.
2. Royal Oak, Boundary creek, J. J. Harris.
2. Boldiningo, Boundary creek, J. J. Harris.
2. Connon Ball, Christina lake, O. Graden.
2. Deadwood, Christina lake, J. W. Spaulding.
2. Standard, Christina lake, P. Flynn.
2. Wonderful, Brown's comp, A. B. Williams.
2. Brunswick, Fisherman's creek, W. Collins, A. B. Williams.
4. Noreagle, Skylark camp, F. A. Williamson.
4. Diamond, Grand Prairie, H. Gajer.
4. Ruby, Grand Prairie, J. H. Boyd.
5. W. B. D., Skylark camp, T. McDonnell.
5. Trafalgar, Brown's camp, R. Clark, D. B. Pettyjohn.
5. Maud S., Brown's camp, G. Hicken.
5. Willamitte, Brown's camp, W. A. Glover.
5. Virginias, Brown's camp, F. P. Williams.
5. Herald, Brown's camp, C. Campbell.
5. Iron King, North Fork Kettle River, M. Kuntz.
5. Columbia, North Fork Kettleriver, T. H. Teschuet.
5. Comstock Lode, Pass creek, M. Kuntz, C. H. Miller.
5. Kupper Queen, No. 1, North Fork Kette river, M. Kuntz, C. H. Miller.
6. Dublin, Christina lake, H. Aabott, H. P. Toronto.
6. Swansea, Christina lake, R. Marpole, H. P. Toronto.
6. Golden Eagle, Brown's camp, C. M. Tobiassen.
6. Park, Brown's camp, D. W. Dillon.
6. Ottawa, Christina lake, A. Andet, G. Pallent.
6. Hunter, Brown's camp, J. McGuirk, J. J. Mullett, E. J. Kelly.
6. Ravenswood, Brown's camp, J. McGuirk, J. J. Mullett, E. J. Kelly.
6. Nellie Cotten; J. Sutherland, H. J. Cole, G. K. Reed.

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22. Joker, ½ interest, P. J. Dermody to J. Garrison.
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22. Smuggler, ½ interest, P. J. Dermody to J. Garrison.
22. Apex, ½ interest, P. J. Dermody to J. Garrison.
22. Copper King No. 2, ½ interest, P. J. Dermody to J. Garrison.
22. Gold Commissioner, ½ interest, P. J. Dermody to J. Garrison.
21. Sailor Boy, ½ interest, W. H. Hickerson to J. Stiefle.
22. Granada, all interest, J. H. East to E. S. Graham.
25. Lead King, ½ interest, A. M. Symons to J. C. Haas
25. Glasgow, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to G. E. Drew.
25. Lansing, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to G. E. Drew.
25. Elmer, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to G. E. Drew.
25. Glasgow, ½ interest, J. B. Henderson to T. Carmichael.
25. Lansing, ½ interest, J. B. Henderson to T. Carmichael.
25. Elmer, ½ interest, J. B. Henderson to T. Carmichael.
25. Glasgow, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to T. S. Higginson.
25. Lansing, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to T. S. Higginson.
25. Elmer, 1-16 interest, J. B. Henderson to T. S. Higginson.
27. Tobogan, ¼ interest, J. Wilbur to J. Newby.
27. Lead King, ½ interest, A. M. Symons to J. Wallace.
27. Lead King, ¼ interest, J. Wallace to Otto Dilher.
28. "65," ¼ interest, G. Cook to J. T. Bell.
28. Silver Plume, ¼ interest, J. Thompson to J. Newby.
29. Holyoke, ½ interest each, J. Fitzgerald, to P. Clarke and B. C. Kingsbury.
1. Wellington, 1-9 interest each, J. Fitzgerald to P. Clarke and B. C. Kingsbury.
1. Wilmington, 1-9 interest each, J. Fitzgerald to P. Clarke and B. C. Kingsbury.
1. Queen Bess, ½ interest, W. Hoffstetter to A. Stewart.
1. Chancellor, ½ interest, J. Thompson to J. Mulligan.
1. Premier, ½ interest, E. Timm to J. J. Mulligan.
2. Chancellor, ½ interest, J. Thompson to J. Mulligan.
2. Queen Bess, ½ interest, W. Hoffstetter to A. Stewart.
2. Leonora, ¼ interest, A. Jedness to G. Bjorklind.
2. Gold Condy, all interest, T. Hair to E. J. Clark.
2. Gold Condy, all interest, E. J. Clark to Dom. Devel. & Ming. Co., Ltd.
4. Standard, ¼ interest, C. Harrington to F. A. Williamson, W. H. Williamson, V. D. Williamson.
4. Phœnix, ½ interest, C. Harrington to F. A. Williamson, W. H. Williamson, V. D. Williamson.
4. Burns, ½ interest, C. Harrington to F. A. Williamson, W. H. Williamson, V. D. Williamson.
4. Platt, 1-3 interest, C. Harrington to F. A. Williamson, W. H. Williamson, V. D. Williamson.
4. Exchange, 1-5 interest, C. Harrington to F. A. Williamson, W. H. Williamson, V. D. Williamson.
5. Kootenay, ½ interest, C. Dougherty to E. A. Bielenberg.

A sidewalk and neat fence have been built around the Boundary Falls hotel, much to the improved appearance of the hotel.

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MONDAY, MAY 11, 1896.

A cross in this space indicates that your subscription to this paper has expired.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

SEVERAL times recently the members of the Kelowna Shippers' union have gathered together with the avowed purpose of discovering a means whereby the effectiveness of the union could be increased without causing a disintegration of so useful a co-operative body, as that which has done so much good in the past in placing the surplus produce of the Mission valley upon remunerative markets. That they are nearing the goal of their ambition there can be very little doubt, as they are now busily engaged perfecting arrangements for the incorporation of the union into a joint stock company. As a somewhat close corporation is desired which shall confine its operations principally to the Mission valley, it is intended to capitalize the company to the extent of $15,000, but to issue at first only a given number of shares (which it is hoped will be taken up by the farmers themselves) sufficient to raise funds for the successful carrying on of the business for which the company is formed, viz., the purchase of produce at Kelowna, and the disposal of the same in either the Kootenay or Boundary creek markets, or wherever it can be turned over at a profit to the company. As a co-operative body the farmers of the Mission valley have shown themselves capable of carrying on a business successfully, so successfully, in fact, as to capture that portion of the Kootenay market in which they have operated, and this, too, against the strong competition offered them by the producers on the south side of the line. This being the case, and as the affairs of the company will be in the hands of some of the most progressive, energetic and business-like members of the Mission community, we can see no reason why a large volume of business cannot be done, and prosperity and profits be the outcome of the new venture.

WE are in receipt of a communication from one of the high officials of the Pacific division of the C. P. R., in which that gentleman says, among other things, that the company are now reaching out for trade, and in doing so are making sweeping reductions in freight rates between points in the Prairie provinces east of the mountains and the markets of Kootenay and Boundary creek. As an instance, the rate quoted upon grain, flour and mill stuffs, in carload lots, between points in Manitoba and Penticton is 65 cents per 100 pounds, and from points on the Edmonton branch in the Northwest territories 55 cents per 100 pounds.

Upon first thought we were inclined to feel that at last the C. P. R. certainly deserved to be commended for furnishing a reasonable rate in their endeavor to foster trade, but upon mature consideration we are more inclined to ask questions than to commend, and we are induced so to do when we bear in mind that in our own province and close at the door of our mining camps we have institutions that certainly do not deserve to be discriminated against and made to pay the piper in favor of those other and far away corporations in whose welfare perhaps the C. P. R. is intimately interested. Why we would like to ask, should flour be hauled from the Prairie province to feed our miners, when just as good goods can be procured within a very short distance of the point of consumption, manufactured out of wheat grown by our own farmers and by machinery operated in the province.

If the C. P. R. are sincere in desiring to capture the trade of the Boundary creek markets, and shut out American competition, why do they not decrease the disparity between the rates from Manitoba points to Penticton and those in force between Enderby, Armstrong, Vernon and Penticton? Surely if a certain class of goods can be hauled over a thousand miles to a given point for 65 cents per 100 pounds, there is no reason in charging 40 to 50 cents per 100 pounds to haul the same class of goods a tenth part of the distance. Let freight rates be adjusted so as to place the products of the two provinces upon an equal footing, and the keynote of success will be sounded, and the British Columbia article finds its way into the markets of the Southern Interior.

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NOTICE.

In the Mining Court of the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, Holden at Osoyoos, B.C.

TO WILLIAM NEWTON:

TAKE NOTICE that an action has been entered and a summons issued against you in the above Mining Court by William B Rickards, of the town of Midway, in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District, B. C., free miner, for ejectment from the "Pheasant" mineral claim, together with all the rights and privileges given to the said mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act. And an order has been made that the publication of a notice of the entry of such action in the ADVANCE newspaper and a copy of the said notice posted on the door of the Mining Recorder's office at Midway, in the aforesaid mining division, and also upon the Government office at Osoyoos, aforesaid, for a period of two weeks, also that the delivery of a sealed copy of the summons issued in this action, together with a sealed copy of the aforesaid order, to Her Majesty's postmaster at Midway, B. C., addressed and registered to your last named place of residence, namely at Nelson, State of Washington, U. S. A., shall be deemed to be good and sufficient service of the summons upon you.

This summons will be heard at Osoyoos, aforesaid, on the 21st day of May, 1896, on which day you are requested to appear, and if you do not appear, either in person or by your agent at the time and place aforesaid, such order will be made and proceedings taken as may seem just and expedient.

Dated this 8th day of May, A. D. 1896.

Seal of the Mining Court. C. A. R. LAMBLY,
Osoyoos Division of Yale District. Gold Commissioner.

NOTICE.

To W. H. Norris, Esq., J.P., Midway, B.C. and James Kerr. Esq., J.P., Midway, B.C.

GENTLEMEN.—Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Licensing Court to be held for the lower portion of the Osoyoos division of Yale district, I intend to apply for a license for the sale of spirituous liquors at the Hotel Anaconda, Anaconda, B.C.

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NOTICE is hereby, given that thirty days from date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on the following surveyed lands, viz, north half of section 27 and south half of section 34, township 53, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and comprising 640 acres. W. H. NORRIS.
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—AT—
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ON MAY 25th,
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—TO BE HELD AT THE—
De Grey Opera House
Which will be completed by that date. The Orchestra will be assisted by some members of the Colville
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Arrangements have been made with the Grand Forks stage for reduced fares from Marcus and intermediate points for that date.
A Royal Salute Will Be Fired at Mid-Day.
A Programme of Sports Has Been Made up.

HALF WAY HOUSE
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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for the year 1896.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday, 5th May
New Westminster	Tuesday, 12th May
Vancouver	Tuesday, 19th May
Clinton	Monday, 25th May
Victoria	Tuesday, 26th May
Kamloops	Monday, 1st June
Vernon	Monday, 8th June
*Nelson	Monday, 15th June
*Donald	Monday, 22nd June

*Special Assize.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty day after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

Commencing at a post about one half mile in a north-easterly direction from Edwards' ferry, Kettle river, running thence northerly 160 chains, thence easterly 60 chains, thence southerly 160 chains, thence westerly 60 chains to the place of commencement, containing 960 acres, more or less.

THOS. J. HARDY, Locator.
Located April 14, 1896. 4

NOTICE.

To W. H. Norris, J. P., Midway, B. C., and James Kerr, J. P., Midway, B. C.

GENTLEMEN—I beg to hereby give you notice that I intend at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held for lower portion of the Osoyoos division of Yale district, to apply for a license for the sale of liquor at the Anaconda Hotel, Anaconda, Boundary Creek, B. C. Yours respectfully,

MACK AND THOLL.
Anaconda, B. C., April 17, 1896. 3

WANTED.—A man for every unoccupied district of Manitoba, N. W. T. and British Columbia, to represent our hardy Canadian grown nursery stock and new seed potatoes. Liberal inducements to whole or part time men. Experienced salesmen will find this offer a good one. Implement agents, farmers, farmers' sons, cheese makers and school teachers will do well to look into this. Men devoting but part time do well with us. Stock especially grown for the Western section. Send postal to Toronto, Ont., for particulars.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Lat.....49 Long.....118° 50
Altitude, 1,800 feet above sea level.
Melting snow for week, .0 of an inch; rain, 1.10

TEMPERATURE FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 7.

	Max.	Min.
May 1	48	30
" 2	50	35
" 3	49	34
" 4	55	35
" 5	56	29
" 6	63.5	35
" 7	56	34

LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

Mr. Palmerston, who has been sojourning in the south recently in search of health, is now in Spokane.

Judge Spinks and Mr. C. A. R. Lambly came over from Osoyoos on Thursday, and on Friday court was held at Midway, at which several cases were brought before the judge.

The irrigating ditch which is to bring water upon Mr. F. Coryell's ranch, and upon which many month's work has been expended, is gradually nearing completion, and will soon be in active operation.

Mr. Cecil Ward, of the firm of Fulton & Ward, of Kamloops, barrister, paid a visit to Midway for the first time on Thursday last, having business in connection with some of the cases which came before the court on the 8th inst

Mr. Stormer, an old time photographer of known excellence, has opened a photographic studio at Midway, and from henceforth little excuse will exist should the young gallants of the neighborhood fail to leave an impression other than upon their charming feminine friends.

Mr. T. B. Williams, brother to Mrs. Palmerston, has just been elected to the United States senate from the state of Louisiana, and although elected upon the Republican ticket, so popular was he in the state, that his majority amounted almost to an unanimous vote, as the baliot showed a return of 567 votes out of 600.

Mr. G. A. Henderson, of the Bank of Montreal, Vernon, is again a visitor to the district, having come down from Vernon on Thursday last. Mr. Henderson, on his perambulating trips through the district, has always an eye open for business, and no doubt is endeavoring to keep in touch with the bank's many customers in this lower section of country.

Brick and lime are in active demand at the present time, and as a consequence Messrs. Winters and Leplante intend burning a kiln of brick upon their ranch near Boundary Falls. The proprietor of the present yard, Mr. Burns, is doing a thriving business, as he has recently taken orders for the supply of a large quantity of brick in the different towns of the neighborhood.

Dr. Edgar, the newly appointed timber inspector, who now fills the position formerly occupied by the late Mr. Hayward, passed through the district last week and paid his respects to the many sawmill men who are ever gathering a rich harvest of logs, and therefore feel it a pleasure to enrich the provincial treasury by contributing a moiety of the profits derived therefrom.

The Vernon city council are experiencing no end of trouble in securing a suitable dumping ground for garbage and refuse. Why not purchase an acre or two of land somewhere and then dispose of the garbage by burning it up. This may be a somewhat expensive method of disposing of garbage, yet at the same time it is the most sanitary method of dealing with it.

Mr. L. K. Hodges, formerly city editor of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, and now travelling correspondent for the same paper, is sojourning in the district at the present time. Mr. Hodges is devoting his attention to the Colville reservation, and will write up its resources. After spending ten days in the mountains, having come in by way of the San Poil trail the weary scribe was glad to reach Midway and rest.

On Friday, May 1, a disastrous fire occurred in Vernon, the premises of Mr. A. D. Worgan having succumbed to the flames. Luckily no wind was blowing at the time or the destruction would have been much more severe, as a number of small houses and a photographic studio stood at the back of the building burned, which, on this account, were saved. The fire engine and brigade rendered good service, yet a great want is felt for a greater amount of fire protection. The building burned, it is understood, was insured.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COURT.

On Monday last at Midway, before Justices of the Peace James Kerr and W. H. Norris, one Leslie Wordworth appeared in answer to a summons charging him with cruelty to a horse at Greenwood. A sufficient amount of evidence not being adduced to sustain a conviction, the accused was discharged with a caution as to his future conduct.

Before the same court E. Myers and N. Lansberg answered to a summons charging them, together with a man named T. Johnson, who had previous to the service of the summons crossed into the States, with cruelty to a work horse, the property of the Boundary Creek Milling and Lumber company. The testimony of the witnesses tended to show that wherein cruelty was practised was at the hands of Johnson, and he not being before the court, the case against Myers and Lansberg was dismissed.

The adjourned preliminary examination was then renewed before James Kerr, J. P., in the cases in which H. Westgate was charged with jail breaking at Midway on the night of April the 21st, whereby Westgate himself and two other prisoners, Breedon and Thompson, were set at liberty. At the close of the examination the presiding justice considered that a sufficient amount of evidence was before the court to warrant a commitment. The accused was committed to stand his trial upon the charge preferred against him.

On Thursday, before W. H. Norris, J. P., a preliminary examination was held in the case in which G. Breedon and T. Thompson were charged with being at liberty, they having escaped from custody on the night of the 21st of April when the jail at Midway was broken open. Ample evidence being forthcoming, the accused were both committed for trial.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Fourth class, maximum marks 1150—Jessie Murray, 1125; Willie Melville, 1025; Eddie Melville, 1019.

Second class, maximum marks 950—Senior division: Willie Murray, 921. Junior division: Walter Melville, 920; Walter Murray, 812; Harry Palmerston, 810; August Kruger, 697; Theo. Kruger, 237.

II primer class, maximum marks 650—George Murray, 609; John Thornton, 87.

I Primer class, maximum marks 500—Colin Palmerston, 437; Mary Thornton, 65.

Chart class, maximum marks 400—Carrie Thornton, 30; Albert McClung, 20. A. M. LEWIS, Teacher.

COUNTY COURT AT OSOYOOS.

A sitting of the above court was held on the 6th inst. before His Honor Judge Spinks, and although several cases had been entered, all with the exception of one were settled out of court. The one case brought up was that of T. Elliot vs. Patton, in which the plaintiff sued for amount of account, $40, and secured judgment for same with costs.

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COUNTY COURT AT MIDWAY.

On Tuesday last, the 8th inst., a sitting of the above court was held at this place, His Honor Judge Spinks presiding, and judging from the number of cases which had to be dealt with it will be necessary to hold court much more frequently in the future. Following is a list of cases:

Hallett v. Breedon—In this case the plaintiff, a solicitor, sued the defendant for professional fees and obtained judgment by default.

Otto Dillier vs. A. M. Symons and J. Wallace—Settled out of court.

Hood vs. Martin—Adjourned to the next court.

Pittendrigh vs. J. C. Haas, James Sutherland and R. Wood—In this case the plaintiff brought suit for ejectment from the Dandy mineral claim, which is situated upon Boundary creek and adjoins the Greenwood townsite. The action which led up to the proceedings in this case was the re-location of the claim by the defendants, or rather by the first-named defendant, who it is understood was led to look upon the ground as vacant, owing to the fact it is claimed that the original location was made without mineral being found in place. Whatever the outcome may be, certain it is this case will create a widespread interest, and many will look forward with impatience to the time of the next sitting of the court, to which it was found necessary to adjourn the case.

The next case brought before the judge was that of Harry Westgate, against whom two charges were preferred, the first for bringing stolen property into Canada, and second, for having escaped from custody whilst awaiting his trial upon the first charge. Upon the former charge the accused elected to be tried under the speedy trials act, and the case was adjourned to Grand Forks, to be heard on Saturday, the 9th inst., upon the other charge the accused pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months with hard labor.

George Breedon was brought up charged with being at liberty in Canada, he having on the night of April 21 escaped from the jail at Midway in company with the former prisoner, Westgate, and the latter, Thompson. Pleading guilty to the charge, he was also sentenced to three months' hard labor.

David Thompson was brought before the court charged with the same offence as the two former prisoners, that of escaping from the Midway jail on the night of the 21st April, and he too pleading guilty, was sentenced to three months with hard labor

J. H. Jermain was then ushered into the judge's presence, charged with having burglariously, by day, entered the house of Mr. E. Spraggett of Grand Prairie, with intent to steal therefrom certain goods the property of Mr. Spraggett and Mr. Miner. The accused electing to take advantage of a speedy trial, and pleading not guilty to the charge, the case was adjourned to be heard at Grand Forks on the 9th inst.

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NOTICE.

To S. Russel Almond, J. P., Carson, B. C., and Peter T. McCallum, J. P., Grand Forks, B. C.

GENTLEMEN.—We beg to hereby give you notice that we intend, at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held for the lower portion of the Osoyoos division of Yale district, to apply for a license for the sale of spirituous liquors, wine and beer, at the (Original) Grand Forks Hotel, Grand Forks, B. C.

We are, gentlemen, yours respectfully,
J. L. WISEMAN,
CHARLES VAN NESS.

Grand Forks, B. C., May 6, 1896.

LICENSING COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licensing Court for the southern portion of the Osoyoos District, will be held at the Government office, Osoyoos, on

Monday, the 15th June, 1896,

at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

C. A. R. LAMBLY.

Government Office, Osoyoos, B. C., May 8th, 1896. 7

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz. the S. E. ¼ section 19, N. E. ¼ section 18, S. W. ¼ section 20, and the N. W. ¼ section 17 township 68, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

J. CAMPBELL.

Midway, B.C. May 4, 1895. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz, the S. E. ¼ section 26, S. W. ¼ section 25, N. W. ¼ section 24, and N. E. ¼ section 23 in township 67, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

ROBERT WOOD.

Midway, B. C., May 4, 1896. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz., being the whole of that portion of section 30, township 68, lying north of Kettle river, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

R. MARPOOLE.

Midway, B. C., May 4, 1896. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz., being the east ½ section 27, and west ½ section 26, township 67, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

J. W. HUGH WOOD.

Midway, B. C., May 4, 1896. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz., being the west ½ section 27, township 67, and east ½ section 28, township 67, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district and containing 640 acres.

CHRIS. WOOD.

Midway, B. C., May 4, 1896. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissionor of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal on the following described lands, viz., being south east ¼ section 24, and north east ¼ section 13, township 67, and the south west ¼ section 19, also the north west ¼ section 18, township 68, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

F. MCCLEERY.

Midway, B. C., May 4, 1896. 6

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz., being all that portion of section 28, township 68, not occupied as a homestead, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district and containing 640 acres.

W. R. MCMANN.

Midway, May 4, 1796.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz, Being all that portion of section 27, township 68, north of Kettle river, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district and containing 640 acres.

S. D. BIGGAR.

Midway, May 4, 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days from date I intend applying to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal upon the following described lands, viz, being that portion of section 29, township 68, not occupied as a homestead, situated in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, and containing 640 acres.

JAS. ARMSTRONG.

Midway, May 4, 1896.

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NOTICE.

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GENTLEMEN.—I beg to hereby give you notice that I intend, at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held for the lower portion of the Osoyoos division of Yale district, to apply for a license for the sale of liquor at Greenwood City. Yours respectfully,

PATTERSON & STEWART.

Greenwood City, B. C., April 21, 1896. 3

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ALL PLACER MINING CLAIMS AND Leaseholds legally held in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District are laid over from the 1st day of November, 1895, to the 1st day of June, 1896.

C. A. R. LAMBLY,
Gold Commissioner.

Government Office, Osoyoos, B. C., 30th October, 1895.

THE DOUBTING HEART.

He hated song, and light, and flowers:
Life was a burden to be borne.
A heavy rosary of hours
Told listlessly from morn to morn.

The long hours leading to the light!
The day-dawn longed for like a friend!
Day slowly wearing to the night!
The weary night that would not end!

And at the opening of a door
Her weary eyelids rose and fell,
And silence pleased her more and more,
And darkness soothed her like a spell.

And when he spoke she could not speak,
But turned her face for him to see
The little hollows in her cheek
That love had dug there needlessly.

—Violet Hunt, in the Speaker.

PHOTOGRAPHY IN COLORS.

Recent developments in the art of photography would seem to prove that the difficulty of reproducing colors in photographs has been solved, and this, it might be said, is only natural when it is taken into consideration the great amount of attention the subject has received of late years at the hands of eminent photographers and scientific men. To such a state of perfection have the arts and sciences attained it would seem that no problem, be it ever so obscure, remains for any great length of time unsolved, when the experimentists of the day bring their minds to bear upon it, and therefore is it the less surprising to learn that Mr. Lippman, a distinguished French investigator, has solved the difficulty of photographing in colors. Before a disguished audience at the Royal Institute, London, the other day, M. Lippman displayed to his astonished and enthusiastic audience some wonderful productions. He explained his methods, which were simple. The light, as everyone knows, leaves traces of its energy in photographic pictures of light and shade, but colorless because forms of individual waves or vibrations are not depicted. To secure this result M. Lippmann places behind the thin transparent gelatine, a mirror of mercury. This stops the rays of light and reflects them, thus rendering the vibrations practically stationary, as results show. Then they leave on the film an impress of each separate prismatic color and shade. These effects are not similar to those of pigment, which can be seen in any direction. The film remains transparent, its hues are like those of soap bubbles or nacrious mother-of pearl or other substances in themselves colorless—in other words the photographic plate which is developed in the ordinary manner, must be held at a certain angle in order to see the chromatic effects. M. Lidpmann showed by reflected electrical light a number of pictures produced in this manner, several being simple colors of spectrum; other photographs were of natural objects and scenes including portraits.

GENIUS TRIUMPHS.

Thomas A. Edison has just brought to a practical conclusion his great ore separating process at the mine at Edison, near Ogden, N. J., on which he has been at work for many years. After overcoming obstacles that would have conquered any less persistent experimenter, the process has at last been finished and the great plant is in running order.

The scheme is an interesting one in that there is no human intervention during the entire process from start to finish. When the cars of rock and ore are dumped in large masses into the massive crushers that form the first step in the process, the rest of the process is entirely automaticic, the crushed rock and ore being carried from one set of crushers to another by means of endless belts and bucket elevators, till the material is reduced to the requisite fineness, and then another series of belts and elevators carry it to the separating house, where the material falls in a fine stream across a field of large electro-magnets, which divert the iron from the direct line of fall and drop it in one receptacle, while the refuse and rock fall into another.

This process is repeated a number of times, till at last the resultant product is pure magnetic oxide of iron.

Automatic carriers take the iron ore thence to the bricking plant, where, by ingenious mechanism, over which the great inventor has spent thousands of dollars in experimenting, the ore is mixed with building material and pressed into small bricks for convenience in handling. These are then baked and are ready for the market. The sole remaining work of construction yet to be done is the building and rotary furnaces, which shall bake the brick as they are delivered and turn them out automatically. There are no mechanical or scientific difficulties connected with this part of the process, and these furnaces are to be built as soon as the frost is out of the ground in the spring.

A BIG FIRE.

Over $1,000,000 of property was destroyed by fire in Cripple Creek on Saturday. A courtesan threw a lamp at her lover, which struck a stove, the oil became ignited, and the fire which quickly followed soon got beyond control.

The B. C. Miners' Association, at its meeting at Nelson, decided to contest the legality of the tax on gold quartz mining, as it discriminates in favor of placer and coal mining.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

THE GREAT HOPES MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Deadwood Camp, Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District.

TAKE NOTICE that we, J. P. Harlan, free miners certificate No. 5 151, D. M. MacMartin, free miners certificate No. 62102, A. S. Crowder free miners certificate No. 62147, J. M. Cornthwaite, free miners certificate No. 65221, and J. M. Watkins, free miners certificate No. 65220, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the gold commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant to the above claim.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1896. 5

MINERAL ACT, 1893.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

THE DUNDEE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated at Providence Camp, in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District.

TAKE NOTICE that I, James Sutherland, free miners certificate No. 62183, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant for the above mineral claim.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Mining Recorder and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1896. 8

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

THE RODERICK DHU MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Long Lake Camp, Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District.

TAKE NOTICE that we, M. J. M. Wood, free miner's certificate No. 65213, and J. W. Powell, free miner's certificate No. 65,292, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant to the above claim

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1896. 8

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate in the Osoyoos division of Yale district, viz.: Commencing at a post on the north bank of Wallace creek and about 1½ miles from its junction with Boundary creek, thence running north 60 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east along the north bank of said Wallace creek 160 chains, more or less, to the place of commencement; and containing 950 acres, more or less.

L. H. HALLETT.

Greenwood City, B. C., April 6, 1896.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on 8th day, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years three times per week each way, between

GRAND FORKS AND PENTICTON

from 1st July next. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Grand Forks, Carson, Greenwood, Midway, Boundary Falls, Rock Creek, Camp McKinney, Fairview, Penticton and Vernon and at this office.

E. H. FLETCHER,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 10th April, 1896. 4

NOTICE.

To W. H. Norris, J. P., Midway, B. C., and James Kerr, J. P., Midway, B. C.

GENTLEMEN.—I beg to hereby give you notice that I intend, at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held for the lower portion of the Osoyoos division of Yale district, to apply for a license for the sale of liquor at the Windsor Hotel, Copper street, Greenwood City. Yours respectfully,

JAMES McMAHON.

Greenwood City, B. C., April 7, 1896. 2

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reservation which was placed on the north-west quarter Section 28, and south-west quarter and south half of north-west quarter of Section 33, in Township 74, Osoyoos Division of Yale District, notice whereof was published in the British Columbia Gazette, and dated 9th July, 1895, is cancelled.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 53d March, 1896.

TAX NOTICE.

Assessment Act and Provincial Revenue Tax, Rock Creek Division of Yale District.

NOTICE is hereby given that assessed and provincial revenue taxes for 1896 are now due and payable at my office, Osoyoos, at the following rates:

If paid on or before 30th June:
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One-half of one per cent. on income.

If paid on or after 1st July:
Two-thirds of one per cent on real property.
Two and one half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income
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C. A. R. LAMBLY,
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Osoyoos, B. C., 13th January, 1896.

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