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Record of Mineral Locations for the Week Ending June 21st, 1897.

JUNE 15.

Antler, Norwegian creek, F. J. Mead
Crescent, Pass creek, G. Knudson et al.
Good Luck, Pass creek, G. Gunderson et al.
Elizabeth, Canyon creek, J. Hamilton
Liberty, Kimberly camp, D. A. Holbrook.
Black Hawk, Pass creek, J. J. Baker.
Mugwomp, Fisherman creek, L. Schufte.
Trail Finder, Browns camp, O. C. Luther.
Red Granite, Pass creek, D. M. Innis and F. Dalton.
Wild Horse, Grand Prairie, W. Hoffman.
Black Prince, Kettle river, C. A. Greening.
Kittie J., Kimberly camp, L. Larsen and D. McCarthy.

JUNE 16.

Grey Eagle, Sheep creek, J. H. Bailey.
North Star, Hardy montain, J. H. Ashfield and A. L. Rogers.

JUNE 17.

Evelyn, Cedar creek, J. St. Clair Blackett.
Helvetia, Kimberly camp, F. Haussener.
Yellow Blossom, Silver creek, A. H. McKay.
O. K., Canyon Creek, J. Dee, J. Mellon and O. Mellon.
Utica, Canyon creek, J. Mellon and J. Dee, and O. Mellon.
Denver, Canyon creek, J. Mellon and J. Dee.
Montana Quartette, (fractional), Evans camp, L. Lowndes et al.
Surprise, Long Lake, T. E. O'Brien and R. Gillian.
Sudbury, Summit camp, J. W. Young et al.
Vermillion, Summit camp, J. W Young et al.
Mountain View, Morrisy creek, C. C. Rahlfs and A. Langford.
Tamarack, (fractional), Greenwood camp, J. Lucy.

JUNE 18.

International, Canyon creek, J. Newlands.
Empress, Canyon creek, J. Newlands.
Wisconsin, Canyon creek, W. E McBoyle.
Iowa, Canyon creek, G. Smith and W E. McBoyle.
Nelly Blye, Canyon creek, G. Smith.

JUNE 19.

Moonlight, Long lake camp, F. Clough.
Pearl of the Lake, Christina lake, J. A. Defore.
Fairy Belle, Christina lake, J. A. Defore.
Jew, Christina lake, J. A. Defore.
Parret, Browns camp R. Gilian.

JUNE 21.

Arlington, Greenwood camp, A. Spence, J. Starrett and G. W. Spence.
Iron King, Stack creek. G. Smith.
Minnesota, Canyon creek, G. Smith.
Ottawa, Long lake camp, F. Blackburn.
Midnight Star, Copper camp, D. Smith.
Lakeview, Crown Point camp, W. S. Fletcher et al.

TRANSFERS.

JUNE 16

Josey, ½ interest, E. Duford to L. D. Wolford.
Climax, ½ interest, R. Watson to J. T. Bell.
"95", ¼ interest, G. Cook to J. T. Bell.

JUNE 17.

American Eagle, ½ interest, J. Holms to H. McGuire.
Monte Carlo, ½ interest, E. W. Johnston to H. McGuire.
W. J. Bryan, ½ interest, F. Graff to G. A. Rendell.
Cannon Ball, 1-12 interest, R. D. Markill to G. T. Armstrong.

JUNE 19.

Drumlomon, ½ interest, R. G. Poe to C. A. Lowman and M. J. Yesler.
Riverview, ¼ interest, R. G. Poe to M. J. Yesler and C. A. Lowman.
Key, ⅛ interest, R. G. Poe to M. J. Yesler and C. A. Lowman.
Tiger, ⅛ interest, R. G. Poe to M. J. Yesler and C. A. Lowman.
Red Cross, ⅛ interest, R. G. Poe to M. J. Yesler and C. A, Lowman.
Blue Grass, ⅛ interest, R. G. Poe to M. J. Yesler and C. A. Lowman.

JUNE21.

Willamina, all interest, D. Smith to A. A. McIntosh, and A. Spence.

CERTIFICATE OF WORK.

JUNE 15.

Irondale, G. Knudson et al.
Cyclone, G. Knudson et al.
Quadra, G. Knudson et al.
Copperopolis, G. Rither.
Hercules, E. L. Tait.
Little Volcanic, E. L. Tait.
Napolean Bonaparte, The English and French Gold Mining company.
Hidden Treasure, N. Bennet.

JUNE 16.

Little Bertha, O.C. Gunderson et al.
Lady of the Lake, Boundary Mines company.
Fanny H, Boundary Mines company.
Glasgow, Boundary Mines company.
Helen, Boundary Mines company.
McGregor, Boundary Mines company.
Ivanhoe, J. M. Lynch.

JUNE 17

Ironclad, J. M. Lynch.
Only Chance, F. J. C. Hagen et al.
Bloomer Girl, F. J. C. Hagen et al.
Alexandria, J. J, Evans et al.
McGregor, D. A. Jones and W. J. Murphy.

JUNE 19.

New Jack of Spades, C. Vacher et al.
Colorado, A. G. Edwards.
Albainbrah, B. Garrison.
Verginius, A. G. Edwards et al.
Homestake, J. W. Reddy and I. H. Fox.
Highland Cheif, I. H. Fox.
Little Pittsburg, I. G. Crielman.
Trail, T. Donan.
Iron King, C. Cosgriff and D. P. Mitchell.
Layover, J. Byrne
May Queen, J. S. Byrne.
New York, C. Cosgriff and H. A. Henderson.
Bunker Hill, Ella Clark.
Amandy, G. Thomas and C. N. Collins.
Grey Eagle, J. Stevens and J. S. Schofield.
Alta, C. N. M. Nales.
J. & R., J. Rogers et al.
Denver, A. A. McIntosh et al.
Kan Kakee, St. Clair Inkster and G. H. Inkster.

Blocked.

The Colonist in its issue of the 19th dicussing the Heinze railway tangle says in part: The project has been blocked. Who has gained anything by the blocking? No one except President Corbin of the Spokane & Northen, whose engineers are now on Sheep Creek looking for a route whereby they can find a line into Boundry Creek. Dr. Milne has not gained anything, and until we get a glimpse at that paper, which he signed and then repudiated, we shall not know if he even stood the slightest chance of gaining anything. Mr. Heinze's plans have been interruped. But who profits by this? There has been an unceasing cry against Mr. Heinze being allowed to build the road. We do not hear anything of that now. In a moment the idea has been brought home to everyone's mind that it was a matter of perfect indifference who built the railway, provided it was built without too great a cost to the public. Now that it is too late, people are beginning to realize how they were mislead into supposing that the Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern people could accomplish the impossible, and into believing that Dr. Milne and those who worked with him to defeat the Columbia & Western and secure for themselves authority and subsidy for the same road, and not a mile more, were acting in the public interest.

Export Duty on Ores.

On the 19th inst. the question of placing an export duty on logs and ores was dicussed in the Commons.

Mr. Foster commenting upon the resolution upheld the imposition of an export duty on logs, but depricated the imposition of an export duty on ores. Holding that those who had invested money in Canadian mines should be protected. When first he went to British Columbia he said he held the idea that the ores of the country should be smelted at home, but he soon realized that there was another side to the story. An export duty on ore would mean the imposition of a tax on the mining companies equivalent to from $6 to $30 per ton. He urged the Government to proceed slowly.

Mr. Blair in dicussing the question held that he believed that smelting could be profitably carried on in British Columbia. The Dingley bill, he said, gives protection to the smelters of the States, and half a cent a pound imposed by Canada would meet that.

Mr. Foster said that the building of the Crow's Nest railway by opening up the coal fields of Eastern Kootenay would do more to encourage smelting in Canada than an export duty would.

Mr. Blair intimated that if the export duty is imposed the War Eagle people will probably establish a smelter at Robson or some point near Rossland; if there is no such duty they may locate at Northport. The resolution passed.

A Rich Strike.

Near Nelson, Wash. a very rich strike has been made on the Brimstone claim, a property lying adjacent to the celebrated LeFleur ledge. The Brimstone is owned by Messrs. Phar and Coulson who have obtained assays which run up to about $1,500 per ton from a streak of peculiar looking decomposed ore, of a brown color which was found in one portion of the ledge. At the first appearance of this streak in the vein, upon which a tunnel is being driven, no notice was taken of it, but curiosity got the better of the owners and assays did the rest.

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MONDAY, JUNE 28, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

ONE thing the newly appointed constable to Fairview can do, and which we are sure Constable Elkins will do, and that is, pay attention to sanitary matters, and see that the regulations are put into force the object of which is to preserve the public health. Up to the present little attention has been paid to the question at Camp Fairview, the consequence being, a great deal of sickness last spring, and the possibility of much sickness this fall, if the sanitary arrangements of the camp are not brought to a much better state than they are in at present. Too much caution cannot be excerised in this respect, as it is much easier to prevent sickness than it is to stamp it out when once it gains a foothold in a community.

THE charter mongers Heinze and Milne, have locked horns at Ottawa, the result being a doubtful outlook for the immediate construction of a railway through this southern portion of British Columbia. Upon the offending head of Dr. Milne all sorts of imprecations are being lavishly heaped, whilst to his opponent a certain amount of sneeking adulation is being offered, mingled with censure. Why are people so inconsistent? Surely they do not entertain the idea that either the one or the other, will give a thought to the public weal or woe whilst fighting to obtain priveliges, which the people of this province or rather a portion of their representatives have placed them in a position to expect. Did not the provincial government grant to the one a charter, carrying with it a cash subsidy, and did not the same government grant to the other a charter, carrying with it a tremendous land bonus, and endeavor as well to supplement the concession with a cash subsidy amounting to many thousands of dollors? Why therefore censure these men, who are nothing more than the representatives of rings and cliques and servants who are expected to do the bidding of their masters. Would it not be more consistant to turn attention to the Government that shirked its responsibility to the people, and gave into other hands concessions, which in the one case had they been retained, would easily have offset the cost of building the road so badly needed between Penticton and the Columbia river. The British Columbia government is responsible for the jarring and clashing and wrangling and jangling of the charter mongering interests at Ottawa, and the sooner the people of the province realize this, the sooner will the subsidy seeking and land-grabbing policy be done away with, and one substituted for it, having for its object legitimate enterprise, carried out under the direction of a responsible government.

In the meantime and until such a changed state of affairs as outlined above can be brought about, something must be done to insure a railway being built through the Boundary Creek district at the earliest possible moment, that as if the people of the province and those at the coast particularly do not wish the trade of the district diverted into alien and southern channels. Did the Turner government recognize its duty to the people, it would immidiately take steps to put into execution the building of the road from Penticton to the Columbia as a provincial enterprize, the same to be extended to the coast as soon as possible or as soon as circumstances would permit. By such action the whole question would be settled at once.

VERNON NOTES.

From Our Own Correspondent.

On Saturday the 19 inst. the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henderson had the pleasure of welcoming them home from their honeymoon trip spent in California and Mexico, and which has been extended over a period of nearly two months.

The dance in the jam factory, on the evening of the 22nd, the proceeds of which are to go to the fund for the erection of a cottage hospital in Vernon, turned out to be the greatest event of the kind ever witenssed in the city, and in fact was far ahead of any similar function. The premises which were beautifully decorated, was literally crowed with people, who vied with each other to make the event an enjoyable one. The number of tickets sold, and the proceeds of the refreshment counters, which were presided over by charming attendants, must have netted a sum in the neighborhood of three or four hundred dollars, therefore the management have every reason to congratulate themselves.

The 22nd was quite a gala day in this city, and although I am unable to give a programme of the sporting events in detail at this writing, yet I can outline them and say that in the base ball match, which was played by Enderby and Vernon teams, the latter were the victors, winning the game with much ease. Not so easy however was Vernon's victory in lacrosse, and a desperate struggle ended by a goal being taken by Vernon just 17 minutes previous to the limit of the play, and although Kelowna made a supreme effort to put themselves on at least an equal footing with their opponents, yet they were not able to do so in the short time of 17 minutes allowed before the close of the game, therefore victory rested once more with the home team. In the bicycle race which was hotly contested, Alex Birnie carried off highest honors.

Three bylaws have been introduced in the city council, one calling for an appropriation of $55,000 for water works; one for $12 000 for electric light; and one for $8,000 for a city hall. These will be submitted to the vote of the people for their approval. Now that the old difficulty about taxes is settled, the council is in a position to go ahead and do something, and this fact will be appreciated by the people.

Vernon Celebration.

By our Kelowna Correspondent.

The evening of the 22nd gave indications of a rainy day, and while mostly everyone looked sorrowful thinking the sports would be a failure, secretly the farmer was rejoicing for rain and lots of it meant a good crop. At half past nine it cleared up and with the exception of one slight shower the day was all that could be desired. The programme of sports was lengthy, consisting of all the usual athletic games including bicycle races, base ball, lacrosse and trap shooting, in the majority of which Vernon was the winner. At 10.45 a game of base ball Vernon vs. Enderby, started the sports, resulting in Vernon winning by a score of 33 to 15.

Broad jump—A. Birnie, of Vernon, 9 ft. 2in., R. Crozier, of Kelowna, 9 ft., without weights.

Hop, skip and jump—W. H. Lawrence, Vernon, 37 ft. 3 in., Frank Frazier, Kelowna, 36ft. 9 inches.

100 yard dash—Geo. Bell, Enderby, Francois (Indian.)

High jump—S. D. Ord, Vernon. Tilton, Enderby, 4 ft. 10 in.

Boys race—Harry Gibb, Ray Mitchell.

Girls race—May McCloud, Elsie Middleton, tie.

¼ mile race—Francois, S. D. Ord.

Putting the shot—Alex. McDonald, White Valley, 26 ft 5 in., Geo. Bell, Enderby, 26 ft.

Bicycle race—Alex. Birnie, Vernon, W. H. Lawrence, Vernon.

220 yards hurdle race—S. D. Ord, Francois,

Trap shooting, Vernon vs Armstrong—Vernon defeated Armstrong easily and also took the individual prize.

Lacrosse match, Vernon vs Kelowna—Vernon 1, Kelowna 0.

In the evening a calico ball at the jam factory in aid of the Hospital fund ended a day of sport which has never been approached in this locality.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

FONTENOY MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. De Blois Green, acting as agent for D. A. Cameron, free miner's certificate No. 61189, 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.

June 13th, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

PATH FINDER MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District, located in Brown's Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that we, The Pathfinder Mining Reduction and Investment Company, free miner's certificate No. 89754, 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.

June, 24th, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896,

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

LAST CHANCE MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBlois Green, as agent for Stephen Mangott, free miner's certificate No. 75873, 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.

June 24th, 1897.

NOTICE TO MINERS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to J. A. Cowan, care of J. A. Unsworth, druggist at Midway, will be received up to the 30th day of June, for driving a tunnel forty (40) feet in length and four by six (4x6) feet in face, on the Margaret claim, on Kettle River, opposite Rock Creek, work to be completed not later than 10th day of August next.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

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Notice.

MAMMOTH MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. S. N. Wills, as agent for W. A. Dier, free miner's certificate No. 89492, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

June 21st, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

WINCHESTER MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, W, S. N. Wills, as agent for The Winchester Gold Mines Company, free miner's certificate No. 93912, 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.

June 21, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

FANNIE MORRIS MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. S. N. Wills, as agent for The Fairview Consolidated Gold Mines Company, free miners certificate No. 93022, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

June 21st, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

CALIFORNIA MINERAL CLAIM.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

QUARTZ QUEEN MINERAL CLAIM.

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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

WHITE SWAN MINERAL CLAIM.

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NOTICE.

SILVER BOW MINERAL CLAIM.

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

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

June 21st, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

OCEAN WAVE MINERAL CLAIM.

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June 21st, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

TAMARACK MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. H. Young, free miner's certificate No. 87534, 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.

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NOTICE.

WIARTON MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Camp McKinney, in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District, Adjoining the Okanagan Mineral Claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, George M. Bennett, free miner's certificate No. 77336, acting as agent for the Camp McKinney Development Company, Limited Liability, free miner's certificate No. 90875, 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.

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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 1897.

SPRING ASSIZES.

Nanaimo	Tuesday, 4th May
New Westminster	Tuesday, 11th May
Vancouver	Tuesday, 18th May
Victoria	Tuesday, 25th May
Clinton	Monday, 31st May
Kamloops	Monday, 7th June
Vernon	Monday, 14th June
*Nelson	Monday, 21st June
*Donald	Monday 28th June

*Special Assize.

FALL ASSIZES.

Clinton	Thursday, 23rd September
Richfield	Monday, 27th September
Kamloops	Monday, 4th October
Lytton	Friday, 8th October
Vernon	Monday, 11th October
New Westminster	Tuesday, 2nd November
Vancouver	Monday, 8th November
Victoria	Tuesday, 16th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday, 23rd November

COUNTY COURT NOTICE.

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

At Midway, on 31st July, 1897, and At Grand Forks, on 2nd August, 1897.

At the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, respectively. By command.

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

Government Office, Midway,
March 24, 1897.

COUNTY COURT NOTICE

A sitting of the County Court of Yale will be holden at

Osoyoos on Wednesday the 28th of July 1897.

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

By command, C. A. R. LAMBLY,
R. C. C.

Government Office, Osoyoos,
June 24th, 1897.

Provincial Secretary's Office.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Govenor has been pleased to make the following appointment:

SIDNEY RUSSELL ALMOND, of the Town of Grand Forks, Esquire, to be a Mining Recorder for the Grand Forks Mining Division of Yale Electoral District.

NOTICE.

THERE will be organized a Court of Charity Members of the Independent Order of Foresters at Midway about the 1st of July by the undersigned. By order of,

JAMES H. FALCONER,
Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger, I. O. F,

TENDERS WANTED.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned till the 12th day of July, 1897, for the right to cut this season's hay crop on the "Elhoit meadow."

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ANGUS K. STUART,
Agent Midway Company, Ltd.

Midway, B. C., June 12th 1897.

NOTICE.

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ANGUS K. STUART,
Agent Midway Company Ltd.

Midway, B. C., June 12th, 1897.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

RANDOLPH MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, W. S. N. Wills, as agent for The Randolph Elmore Quartz Mining and Milling Company, free miner's certificate No. — —, 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.

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June 21st 1897.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

Mr. L. V. Cuppage, Road Superintendent, passed through the district the last week.

On Thursday last Mr. A. K. Stuart passed out to Grand Forks to meet Captain Adams.

Mr. W. J. Armstrong, of Vernon, is paying a visit to the district, having come in on Friday's stage.

Dr. Powell, of Victoria, is at present sojourning in the district attending to mining and other matters.

The government have given the contract to have a fence built around the lockup at Kelowna and also a shed built.

As a result of the meeting on Friday last Mr. T. McAuley was re-elected to serve on the board of trustees of the Midway public school.

The many friends throughout the district of Mr. G. M. McMynn, will be pleased to hear that he has been reinstated as chief constable at Midway.

There is to be on the 1st of July a picnic at Kelowna, by the Presbyterian Sunday School of Vernon. The Aberdeen is to be chartered for the occasion.

The president and manager of the Cascade Water and Power company Dr T. J. Jones of Victoria, passed through the district last week bound for home.

The Recorder's office to be built at Grand Forks will be kept for that and court purposes only, and will not be made use of as a dwelling house by the Recorder.

A Court of charter members of the order of Foresters, will be organized at Midway, on or about the 1st of July. Mr. J. H, Falconer, of Victoria, is here in connection with the organization of this court.

Timber inspector, Mr. J. Murray, rounded up the sawmill men of the district during the past week, and in consequence the government exchequer is the richer by several hundred dollars.

The largest dairy in this district, is that of Mr. Tedrow, located on Anarchist mountain. This dairy consists of over 30 cows, the product of which finds a ready market in the camps and towns of the district.

C. A. R. Lambly, S. M. came over from Osoyoos yesterday. Mr. Lambly as Gold Commisioner will superintend the transcribing of the records in connection with the establishment of the recorder's office at Grand Forks.

Mr. G. Shurson has moved his sawmill into camp Fairview. It was formally located about 3 miles east of the camp. The demand for lumber necessitated the employment of a night and day shift at the mill, which is cutting much dimension stuff for the mining companies operating in the camp.

Many changes were made in the disposition of the local constabulary as a result of Soprientendent Hussey's visit to the district recently. Constable Deans of this place has moved to Osoyoos, Constable Elkins of Greenwood has moved to Fairview, Constable Gardom of Enderby is located here and Mr. J. R. Brown, has been appointed a special constable.

At the licensing court recently held at Osoyoos, the following applications were granted and refused. Mr. D. Carmichael, for a hotel at Fairview, granted, subject to completion of house. Mr. Morris, for the Miners Home, Fairview, granted. Mr. W. A. Dyer, granted, subject to completion of building at Fairview,. Mr. Hozier for his premises between Rock Creek and Camp McKinney, refused. Mr. Sprolees, for his premises between Fairview and Penticton, refused.

It is with regret the sad death of Mrs. Wilkins is chronicled this week. The deceased was living on a ranch with her husband who is a well-to-do farmer near Boundary Falls. The circumstances attending her death are particularly sad, as having occasion to be moving around outside near the house, she became unconscious, and remained so for two hours after it was discovered she was ill. She then passed away from the effects of heart disease. The funeral took place the following day. The Rev. Mr. Leith officiated.

MINING NOTES.

Jimmy Hunters claim which is recognized as being one of the best yet discovered on the Similkalimeen, has been bonded for a period of six months to Messrs. Douglas and Thompson of Midway. The bonding consideration has not as yet been made public.

Messrs. McLaine and Bergman of Midway, are busily engaged developing their claim in Long Lake camp, known as the Manchester. This claim adjoins the Silent Friend, and the fact of the Silent Friend's vein running through the Manchester ground gives to it intrinsic value, as the Silent Friend is recongnized as being a really good property.

Bill Allison is hammering away at the Morning claim situated on Baker creek, a tributary of Rock creek. The vein which is about 3 feet wide, is composed of a heavy sulphide ore, which commences to show some hematite in its composition. As far as the shaft has been carried down, the property looks well, and gives promise that quite a nice body of ore will be opened up as development progresses.

Mr. C. L. Thomet and Mr. Bennerman have moved their outfit down to the Highland Queen in Providence camp, and work will soon start up on this claim which is the property of the Highland Queen Consolidated company. There is a large rich looking iron cap on the claim, and it is their intention of the management to give it attention before resuming work on the main ledge.

It is reported that a very rich strike has been made in Summit Camp, by Kehoe Brothers, who have been fortunate enough to uncover an immense ledge of copper ore, on a claim recently located there by them. It is said tne ledge is 30 feet wide, and carries a high percentage of copper. Almost as soon as the ore body was revieled an option was given extending over only a short time, the purchasing consideration named in the option being $50,000.

Surveys have been run on the Crown Point claim, in Crown Point camp, for the purpose of determining the most suitable spot to drive a tunnel, work upon which will be started at once. The tunnel will in its course crosscut the ledge on the claim at a good depth, and will be the means of showing up this property to quite an extent. The Prospecting Synadicate of British Columbia, is noted in the district for the through manner in which they open up claims, as instanced with the Jewel in Long Lake camp, and no doubt the same policy will be pursued in their new field of exploration.

Keightley--McAuley.

A pleasant marriage ceremony and one in which the people of Midway were much interested and which should have taken place here about the 4th inst. was unavoidably, owing to the death of Father Lemay, of Rossland, posponed and adjourned to Spokane, where on the 16 inst. Mr. Ewing Keightley, of Anaconda, was united in holy matrimony to Miss May McAuley, of Midway, the Rev. Father Cauten officiating, with Mr. T. McAuley supporting the groom, and Mrs. Palmerston formally of Midway giving assistance to the bride. Circumstances deprived the citizens of Midway the pleasure of witnessing the marriage ceremony, in connection with these very popular young people, and therefore all the more were they determined to show their appreciation of the event, and this they did in no unmistakeable manner when on Thursday last, Mr. and Mrs. Keightley returned to the scene of their future home. Arrangements having been completed, their many friends assembled at the Midway hotel where a hearty reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Keithley, all present offering their hearty congratulations. Later in the evening the guests were entertained at a splendid supper, given by the brother of the bride, Mr. T. McAuley, at which the toasts usually indulged in on such occasions, were cheerfully offered, and as cheerfully responded to. After supper many of the guests adjourned to the Midway town-hall, where a very enjoyable hour or two was spent in dancing and social intercourse. Following is a list of some of the presents received.

Mrs. C. McAuley, upright piano, fancy quilt, pair of gold bracelets, silver cruet; Mr. T. J. McAuley, bedroom suite; Mr. M. McCuaig, silver tea set and server; Hain & Co., silver tea set; P. McAuley, gold lace pin; Mr. and Mrs. J. McNicoll, silver butter dish and pickle cruet; Mrs. W. G. McMynn, fancy silk mantle drape; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lundy, fancy clock; Mr. and Mrs. N. Toll, silver dinner cruet; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hardy, silver gravy boat; Mrs. Palmerston, siver dinner cruet; Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Birnie, silver salt and pepper shaker; Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey, silver bread plate; Mr. and Mrs. Thomet, set of carvers; Mrs. J. McAuley, pair kid gloves; Miss K. McKenzie, 1 doz. silver coffee spoons; Miss Elsie McLaren' silver butter chips; Miss Sadie Myers, silver sugar tongs; Miss Ethel McLaren, set silver tea spoons; Miss Alice McMynn, silver sugar spoon Miss Myrtle Tholl, photo frame; Mrs. M. Taffney, silk hose: Mr. T. P. Murphy, set silver napkin rings; Messrs. Wilbur and Mitchell, silver breakfast cruet; Louis, fancy parlor lamp, Mr. W. B. Rickards, cheque.

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VIEW SHOWS GREENWOOD CITY AND LOCATION OF COMPANY'S CLAIMS.

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.

PROPERTIES.

The properties, which are absolutely owned by the Company, consist of eight claims lying in a group and named as follows: "The Fred. D.," "S. H. B.," "Big Ledge," "D. A.," "O. B.," "S. F.," "G. A. R." and "J. A. C.," being fully shown and explained in the Map Plan annexed.

DESCRIPTION.

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

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

On the "Big Ledge" is a 10-foot quartz vein, mineralized with iron pyrites. This vein has been opened up by cross-cuts on the surface for 500 feet. A narrower vein has been opened up, being one foot wide, carrying considerable copper pyrites, and runs into the main ledge as a spur, on which a tunnel of 40 feet has been driven. Average assays gave $53 gold and 1 1-10 ozs. silver, and $40.35 gold, 17½ ozs. silver, 2 per cent. copper.

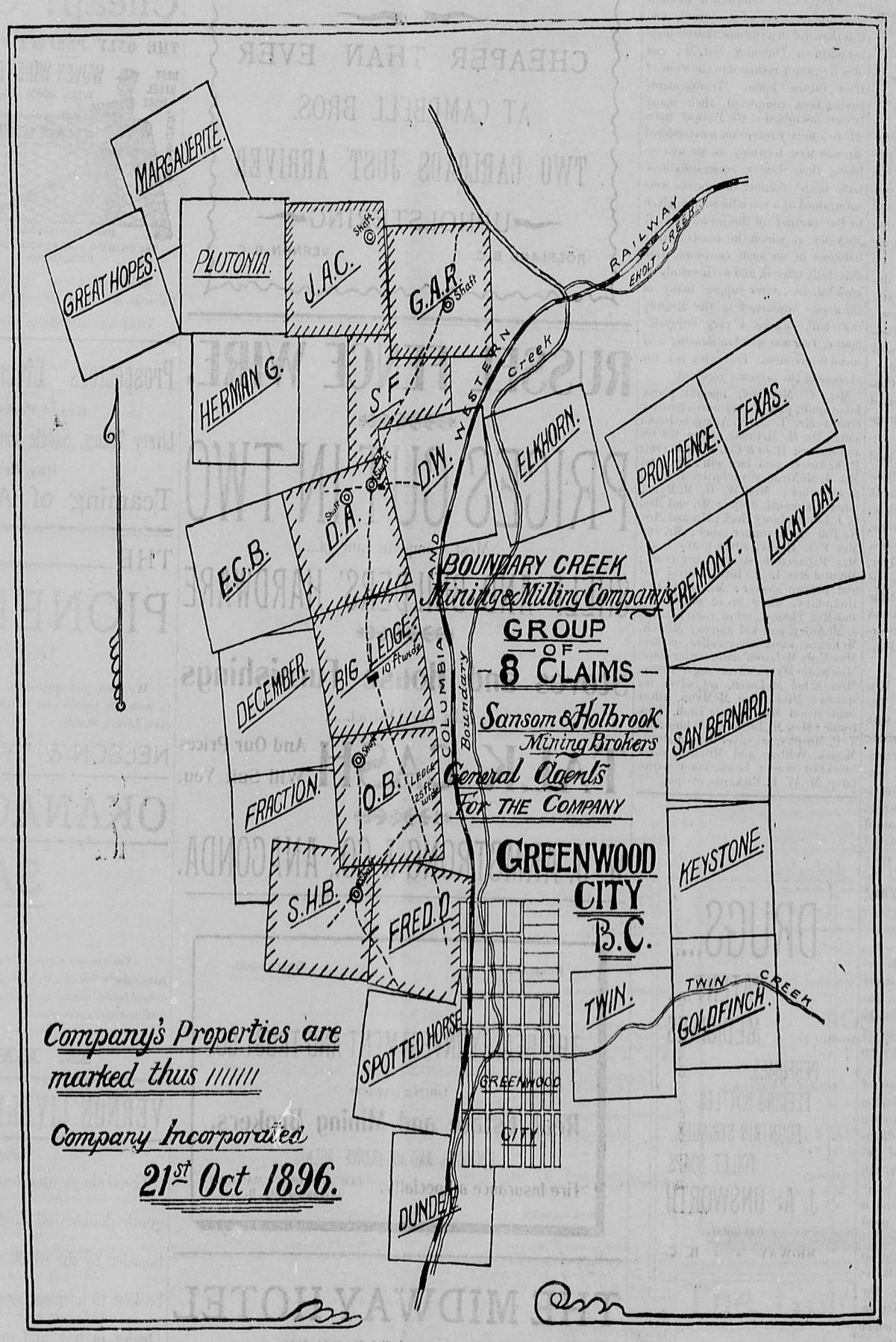
The "O. B." has two distinct veins; one 25 feet wide which, from its strike and general character would seem to be the same vein as that on the Big Ledge, although sufficient has not been done to make this conclusive. The second vein has at present a width of nearly three feet. Assays have shown values 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 "S. F." lies between the G. A. R. and D. A., in the direction of the strike on the G. A. R. vein. This location has been made on a vein of pyrrhotite.

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



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