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Premier Prior issues Manifesto to the Electors of West Yale.

Premier Prior has issued a three-column manifesto to the electors of West Yale, in which he urges them to support the Government candidate in order to obtain stable government for British Columbia. Referring to a matter of great interest to the electors of that constituency, namely the delay in issuing the writ, the Premier says that it arose through no fault of his own, and he is sure that no one is injured thereby. The important matter of provincial finances is dismissed in a brief paragraph, containing promises of rigid economy, retrenchment, etc. The greater part of the document is taken up with the negotiations to obtain better terms for the province from the Dominion government. The government's railway policy is defended on the plea that by aiding railways the province will thereby be able to prevent the employment of Chinese labor in their construction.

Several railway schemes and also a system of light railways are mentioned indefinitely, and mention is made that the policy of granting land subsidies to railways will be continued. The only definite statement in the manifesto is that the government intends to re-enact the Alien Immigration acts, recently disallowed.

Nomination day in West Yale will be February 19th, and the election will take place on the 26th inst., the writ being returnable by March 2nd.

The Zala M.

The Zala M. is said to be looking fine and producing some fine looking ore, a carload of which was shipped last week and there will be more going out right along. There is a good force of men at work on the property and it is being put in a very good shape to turn out ore.

The Pearl Gold Mining & Milling company is operating on the Pearl group of claims with three men, driving a tunnel, which is now in about 25 feet and has crosscut a 12 foot vein of very handsome looking quartz, identical in general character and appearance with the Zala M. ore, and it carries equally as good values. The tunnel will be driven to intersect a crosscut lead on the same property. The Pearl group lies west of the Zala M. and has a parallel vein which crops out a full dsstance of 2500 feet on three claims of the group—the Pearl, the Prince and the Howard Fraction. The last named carries the cross lead, and there is a shaft following down on it 50 feet, all the way on good shipping ore. The main vein has been prospected by several open cuts, and from these assays as high as $40 in gold and 300 ounces of silver have been obtained.

Eagles Organize at Greenwood.

A. W. Von Rhein, provincial deputy grand president for the province of British Columbia, instituted a branch of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Greenwood last Friday evening. About 30 of the charter signers were initiated and officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: Worthy past president, James McCreath; president, J. W. Nelson; vice-president, H. B. Madden; secretary, Charles Wilson; treasurer. A. H. McNeil; conductor, T. Pickard; guards, W. McDonald and Geoge Wellwood; chaplain, Thomas Gainer; trustees Philip McDonald, Duncan Campbell and Fred Munn. A large delegation of visiting Eagles from Phoenix and Grand Forks were present to assist the deputy grand president in forming the new aerie. After the election and installation of officers were disposed of a grand social session was held in Eagle style, songs and speeches contributed greatly to the pleasure of those taking part. The new aerie promises to become one of the strongest secret soc eties in the town, and to W. E. Morand is due much of the credit of its organization, he having been untiring in his efforts to secure its institution.

Crofton Smelter to Blow In.

The Crofton smelter, on Vancouver island, in which Messrs. Breen, Fothergill and Bellinger, of Spokane are interested, is about to start up again, after the closedown which was necessitated by the lawsuits over the Lenora. The owners have made arrangements whereby continuous operation can be secured for some time to come. W. M. Brewer, the ore buyer, has secured a large tonnage from White Horse, in the British Yukon, and from Mount Richards, on Vancouver island. The company has also been in negotiation for ore from South America.

Good Ore on the Elkhorn.

Jas. Sutherland and Phil McDonald, who have a working bond on the Elkhorn mineral claim, situate north of Greenwood and just outside the city limit, and owned by C. L. Thomet of Midway, are meeting with more encouragement as they make progress with their prospecting work on the claim. In December they commenced sinking a prospect shaft between the old workings and the Elkhorn brewery, following the vein down. For about 39 feet there was little ore of any account, but at that depth a narrow paystreak of clear quartz, carrying zinc and galena, with gold and native silver showing in places, came in. At 42 feet in depth this paystreak is five inches in width of high grade ore, besides which there is about a foot of poor ore, chiefly quartz mineralized with iron and a little zinc and galena. The vein being sunk on is confidently believed to be a continuation of the lead in the adjoining Providence claim, from which between $15,000 and $20,000 worth of high grade ore was taken last year.

Working the Helen Claim.

J. Wilmhurst and two other men are working on the Helen claim, at Anaconda, under a working lease and option to purchase. They are drifting and stoping, and purpose shipping a car of ore about the end of next month. The vein varies from 10 to 15 inches of high grade quartz, with values in gold and silver. The property is owned by the Boundary-Helen Gold Mining Co., of Greenwood, but it has not been worked by the company since 1897.

The Wedding Party.

"The Wedding Party," by Kowloski, the picture selected by the Free Press, Winnipeg, and given to the readers of the Weekly Free Press in January illustrates the Polish form of a custom which exists in almost every civilized and semi-civilized country.

The painting reproduction presents a scene full of life, gaiety, laughing faces, bright color and lively movement which combine to give the scene a character of joyousness and "go," seldom found in pictorial representations.

Alfred Kowloski von Wierusz was born at Suwalki, Poland in 1849, and was a pupil of the academies of Warsaw, Dresden and Munich. His "Hunting Scene," sold at the Morgan sale in New York in 1896, brought $22,250.

"The Wedding Pariy" is one of the brighest, and will prove one of the most popular, pictures that has up to the present been presented to Weekly Free Press readers. So highly was "The Wedding Party" thought of that it was selected as a special Christmas gift to be be given to the readers of one of the largest papers in the United States.

J. C. Haas, M. E., now of Spokane, but for several years in the 90's engaged in the mining business in the Boundary, is in the district on a fortnight's visit to look after some of his mining interests.

C. V. Semered has disposed of his candy and fruit business in Greenwood and will shortly leave for Alberta. During the past season he handled a large quantity of fruit grown in the American Okanagan, finding a market for it in the Boundary creek towns and mining camps.

99 out of 100

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C. M. CROUSE..... Editor and Proprietor

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY, 7, 1903.

Dr. Goldwin Smith thinks the time has come when Canada could dispense with the luxury of a Governor General chosen from the British aristocracy with a salary of $50,000 per annum, and Hon. Joseph Martin, in a speech delivered before the Liberal Association at New Westminster, expressed the opinion that Canada should be more democratic in its form of government and that the Dominion senate, as now constituted, should be abolished. Since the Governor General is a Viceroy and the senate a kind of Canadian House of Lords, these reforms, if carried into effect would appear to suggest a subversion of the British system of government. Under that system it is necessary to have a Viceroy, and, in our opinion, it is better to have a British aristocrat than a titled Canadian. The latter is not what the Americans would call an aristocrat of the first class, Royalty has given him a handle for his name—a habit that Royalty has when a man has risen from the ranks and become distinguished above his fellows—but he probably thinks his blood is of a bluer tint than that of the people from whence he came and who, perhaps, honored him with their confidence, and were more important factors in making him what he is than Royalty and its titles. The British aristocrat, on the other hand, is the genuine article, the real thing, born that way and is, therefore, not responsible; moreover, they are usually men of considerable experience and ability, even though officially, for the most part, are mere figure-heads. They are men of independent means to whom, as well as to the people of Canada collectively, $50,000 is a paltry sum. The Governor Generals, after their terms of office expire, do a great deal to keep Canada and its resources before the British public, and we owe much to such men as Lord Dufferin and Lord Lorne for their self-imposed missionary work in the old land. But more important still they are not embroiled in Canadian politics, a most important desideratum. Regarding the senate the present Dominion government and Sir Wilfred Laurier are pledged to reform it, and no doubt it will receive due attention when the time is ripe for action. If Hon. Joseph Martin possesses any abundance of special talents for reform measures, we would suggest that he take a look over his adopted province. Our provincial government is somewhat out of joint, its stability is known all over the English-speaking world, and every person who has the welfare of the province at heart should earnestly consider what steps should be taken to remedy this state of affairs. We speak thus plainly of Hon. Joseph Martin, because he claims to be the leader of a party to which we have given a life-long allegiance, though we had nothing to say about the choice of a leader, nor are we aware that any of our neighbors had. We think that matter was left entirely to the larger and vote-producing communities, while the smaller communities were entirely ignored, as they usually are, in this as in other matters. Mr. Martin could very well have left the matter of the Dominion senate to the Dominion parliament, his attack upon this august body shows the destructive tendency of his mind, a most desirable faculty at times, but what this province wants is a statesman of constructive rather than destructive mental make-up, one who will modernize our present system of local government, which was perhaps well enough 20 years ago, when the province consisted principally of Victoria and New Westminster and a few other settlements, but which is now entirely out of date. There is an opening for a Liberal leader in this province, from which party all important reforms have come, as the history of Canada shows; but if provincial parties are to be divided on Dominion lines, the respective leaders should disabuse their minds of any idea that the people of this province will tolerate for a moment that provincial affairs be run as a kind of side show to Dominion issues. We have had too many would-be statesman already, forever soaring up above the clouds, while the practical affairs of the people have been neglected or left to incompetent subordinates. What did Mr, Cotton, who in his own opinion, was a ne plus ultra Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, do towards having the public lands surveyed and opened up for settlement? He, at one time, was very much interested in the all-British cable, something entirely beyond his sphere. Mr. Wells, who does not know enough to recognize his own deficiencies, and who has spent a good deal of time negotiating with Mr. Greenshields or someone else who wants a big slice of the public domain, what has he done towards having the public lands surveyed and opened up for settlement? Nothing in this part of the country at least.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT.

George Cawston, of Kereneos, was in Midway a few days during this week, He states that there is but little snow over in that district, not enough to admit of sleighs being used.

A contract has been let to supply 120 piles for protecting the bank of the North Fork of Kettle river at the bridge near Hardy's ranch, and George Findlay with a gang of men have left to drive the piles.

Ralph Smailes, managing partner of the firm of Rendell & Co., dry goods merchants, Greenwood, was elected mayor of that city on Thursday by a majority of four votes over the other candidate, ex-mayor George R. Naden. A comparatively small number of votes was polled, only 80 for the successful candidate and 76 for his opponent.

S. F. Parrish, manager of the B. C. mine, in Summit camp, has been appointed general manager of the Le Roi mine at Rossland and of the Le Roi company's smelter at Northport. Mr. Parrish came to the Boundary country as manager of the B. C., which was the first mine in the district to ship ore in quantity. He will leave for Rossland next week to enter upon his new duties. For the time being he will continue as well to act as manager of the B. C., visiting that mine whenever necessary.

Duncan Donnelly, a driver of a logging team hauling logs to the Yale Columbia Lumber Co's sawmill, at Deadwood, had a narrow escape from death one day last week. As it was he was badly shaken up and had his right shoulder dislocated, whilst one of his horses was killed outright, and another was so badly injured that it is very doubtful if it will live. Driving a four-horse team Donnelly had just commenced the decent of the hill near the Buckhorn mine when the loaded sleigh got beyond his control. For some distance he managed to keep the team on the winding road but eventually the sleigh struck a stump causing the heavy logs to shoot forward and carry driver and horses with them. The horse that was killed was so badly crushed that nearly all the bones in his body were broken. Assistance was procured and Dr. Spankie put Donnelly's shoulder back in place. Those who saw the wreck say that it is a wonder man and horses were not all killed.

Another Liberal Victory.

The Burrard election which took place last Wednesday was very close, Macpherson getting only 30 majority in Vancouver when 200 was expected. The reason assigned is that a large number of Conservatives who had promised their votes to McInnis supported Foley at the last minute.

The vote polled was a large one, Mcpherson, 1786; Foley, 1709; McInnis, 345; the latter losing his deposit. This includes Barnet, Squamish, Westminster Junction and Moodyville. The total vote in Vancouver was 3700.

Up-coast points are yet to hear from, but it is not expected that Foley will be successful. **Macpherson's supporters celebrated with a great torchlight procession.**

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MINERAL ACT.

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NOTICE.

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

Dated this 14th day of November, 1902.

Feb. 28. FORBES M. KERBY, Agent.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

To H. E. Mitchell or any person or persons to whom you may have transferred your interest to in the "Gold Drop" Mineral claim situate on Dry Creek, on the West Fork of Kettle River, in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District.

You are hereby notified that I have expended $102.50 in order to hold the said mineral claim under the provision of the Mineral Act, that you should contribute $51.25 as your portion of the said sum for your undivided one half interest in said claim and if within 90 days of the first insertion of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute the sum of $51.25 which is now due by you, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in said mineral claim will become the property of the subscriber under section four of an Act entitled the "Mineral Act Amendment Act," 1900

Dated this 16th day of January, 1903.

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NOTICE.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby, as agent for Fayette Harris, free miner's certificate No. B55413 intend sixty days from the date hereof, to appip 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.

Date l this 10th day of November, 1902.

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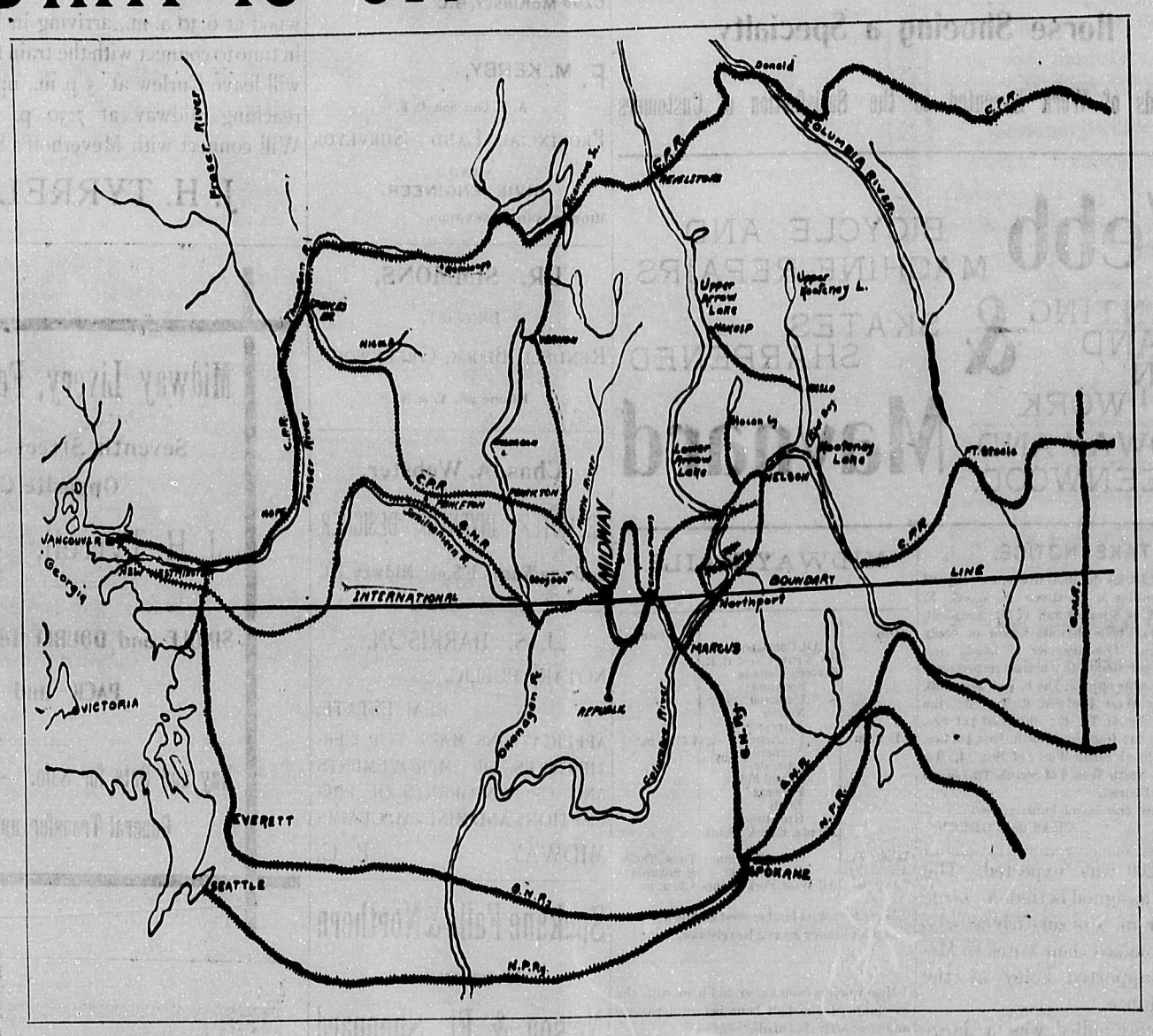

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The Dispatch

ELI, THE BEGGAR.

Some Newspaper Moralizing That Is Worth Some Consideration.

The old Jew who died worth $100,000, although he lived as if he were not worth a cent, merely carried the money-hunting spirit of the times to the extreme limit.

Allowing for certain differences in station and surrounding circumstances, there are plenty of Eli Haymans to be met with whichever way one turns. They do not dress as the old Jew did, for they operate on a higher level than he; they do not sleep in stables for they were reared better than he; and they are compelled by over-ruling laws that they cannot make way against, to maintain more or less expensive homes, and to live rather well as regards creature comforts.

But, like Eli the Jew, they live only for money. It is the one great thought of their life, and if it is not their only thought, it enters into all others and discolors them. The difference between this beggarly miser and some men of wealth, who heard of him with much surprise and a little aversion, is not as great as they think. Like him, they have saved and schemed for money long after their earthly needs were met. Wealth that he concealed in the lining of his vest they have stowed away in deposit vaults. He, being rich, begged pennies from the poor. They, being rich, and having grown strong and long-armed, reach out and seize wealth they do not need from under the groping hands of those who need it badly. He denied himself the small pleasures that men of his class are usually inclined to, heat, light, a bed, regular nourishment, but he joyed to do it, for the gain he got. They, with their greater intelligence and possibilities, deny themselves also. He lived for money; they live for money. He hid his wealth inside the lining of his clothes; they hide theirs elsewhere, and think that makes a difference.

There should be erected on the lawn before the City Hall a life size statue of Eli, the Beggar, who represents the extreme to which the age is tending. It would be a timely sermon in stone. It would arrest the attention of ten thousand men who, like him, are grasping after wealth and more wealth, and, figuratively speaking, sewing it into their vests, where it may—like his—be found by chance when strangers strip their disrespected forms. And many of those vests will—as nearly happened to his—be thrown on the fire and consumed, wealth and all, and no one the wiser. This statue would cut quite a figure. Many would pause to consider its meaning.—Toronto Star.

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NOTICE.

NAPOLEON MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: In Beaver Creek Camp, adjoining the Idaho Mineral claim.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby as agent for Donald Smith, free miner' certificate No. b54938, Duncan Smith, free miner's certificate No. b54937 and Alexander Smith, free miner's certificate No. b54936, 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 10th day of November, A. D. 1902.

Feb. 28 FORBES M. KERBY.
Agent.

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NOTICE.

KNOB HILL MINERAL CLAIM,

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District Where located: About Six miles north from Beaverdell on the divide betwe n Beaver Creek and the West Fork of Kettle River.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby, as agent for Sidney C. Cosens, free miner's certificate No. b55140, intend, sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder fora 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 10th day of November, 1902.

Feb. 28. FORBES M. KERBY.
Agent.

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE.

ROSIE MINERAL CLAIMS.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby, as agent for Alex. M. Winston free miner's certificate No. B36352, 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.

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