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MINERAL LOCATIONS.

MARCH 2.

Boone, Copper camp, F. M. Greenwood.

International, Midway, E. A. Hain.

Idaho, Greenwood camp, J. Dempsey.

Early History, fractional, Deadwood camp, S. C. Richards.

Hector, fractional, Deadwood camp, E. C. Brown.

MARCH 4.

Big Bend, Greenwood camp, J. Moran.

Baltimore, Greenwood camp, J. Mulligan.

MARCH 7.

Iddy May Mine, Long Lake camp, E. Joanis.

Myrtle No. 2, Greenwood camp, A. W. Douglas.

Dynamiter, Greenwood camp, J. Sherrett.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

MARCH 3.

Monte Grande, J. E. Boss.

TRANSFERS.

MARCH 2.

Ready Bullion, ⅛ interest, Thos. Humphrey to A. Ferguson.

MARCH 3.

Big Four, Lulu, Napa, Grand Central and Paragon, ¼ interest each, A. Hanson to E. A. Bielenberg.

White Cloud, ½ interest, W. McCormick to A Hopper.

MARCH 4.

Vulcan, all interest, J. Dempsey to A. Mowat et al.

United, all interest, J. Dempsey to A. Mowat et al.

Boundary Star, all interest, M. Griffin to A. Mowat et al.

Oregon, ¼ interest, J. J. Winter to E. C. T. Pelham.

MARCH 7.

Frederick S., ⅛ interest, B. Brush to J. Empsey.

Frederick S., ¼ interest, B. Brush to G. L Taft.

Two Brothers, part of, F. A. Barthelomew to Combination Mining and Milling Company.

H. R., ½ interest, A. F. Thomas to H. Reed.

Brookline, all interest, B. Perkins and H. Reed to R. J. Bayes.

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Cariboo No. 2.

One of the most recent of Spokane organizations is the Cariboo No. 2 Gold Mining Company, which filed articles of incorporation a few days ago, and then proceeded to sell stock, 600,000 shares of which was taken in an incredable short space of time, two hours being sufficient it is said to dispose of that number.

After filing articles of incorporation a meeting of shareholders was held and the following were elected trustees: A. M. Winston, J. Goldstein, William Dornberg, A. E. J. Percival Peter Alladio and W. S. Rogers.

A. E. J. Percival was named general manager and will have charge of the development work upon the property. It is his intention to be in Camp Mc. Kinney in a few days to make arrangements for starting work.

The Cariboo No. 2 claim is situated to the north of the claims owned by the Cariboo Consolidated Mining and Milling Company and although the property is not developed it is said the claim has a good surface showing, two strong ledges being visible.

Lord Hurschell Dead.

Lord Hurschell the commissioner who represented Great Britain in the High Joint Commission just closed at Washington, died very suddenly in that city on the 1st inst.

Lord Hurschell who was Lord Chancellor of Great Britain was sent to the United States because of his eminent attainments to take a leading part in the negotiations designated to settle all existing differences between the United States and Canada. During the wintry weather, when the sidewalks were slippery, he fell heavily and broke one of his pelvis bones, He seemed progressing favorably towards recovery and was in good health comparatively until about 7 o'clock on the 1st inst., when he was sudenly stricken with heart failure and expired half an hour later.

Baron Hurchell was the first baron of that name, having been knighted in 1880 and created a peer in 1886. He was born on Nov. 2, 1837, and was the sun of the Rev. Ridley Hurschell of London.

He was a privy councillor, Knight of the Grand Cross of the Bath, doctor of civil law, doctor of laws, deputy lieutenant for Kent and Durham, justice of the peace, captain of Deal's castle, chancellor of London university, and was appointed British member of the Venezuela and British Guinea boundary tribunal. In his death Great Britain loses one of its most distinguished sons.

A Little Sermon.

Be strong to hope, O Heart!
Though day is bright,
The stars can only shine
In the dark night.
Be strong, O heart of mine,
But Look toward the light.

Be strong to bear, O Heart!
Nothing is vain;
Strive not, for life is care,
And God sends pain;
Heaven above, and there
Rest will remain!

Be strong to love, O Heart!
Love knows not wrong;
Didst thou love, creatures even,
Life were not long;
Did'st thou love God in heaven
Thou wouldst be strong.

—ADELAIDE ANNE PROCTER.

No Doubt of it.

The Hon. Mr. Cotton stated in his Budget Speech that he expected that the one per cent. net duty on the output of the metaliferous mines of the province would during 1899--1900 realize $60,000 as against $45,000 in 1898--1899.

The prognostication of the finance minister is no doubt correct, for there is every appearance that the mines of Rossland, the Slocan etc., will continue their volume of shipping and increase it, and with an increase to the old output and the output of new districts such as Boundary Creek added, the sum total of $60,000 should be easily made up.

Boundary Creek if given railway facilities early in the present season, will from present indications, add not a little to the shipping tonnage of the province before the close of the present year.

Victoria in Line.

Last year the people of Victoria were opposed to the granting of the Corbin charter that is if the board of trade and municipal council of the city represented the opinion of the people, or these bodies went so far out of their way as to petition the government at Ottawa not to grant the charter.

This year sees a great change and the people now that they better understand the question are giving their support to the project, the municipal council having on the 2nd inst. passed unanimously and without discussion a motion presented by Ald. Williams favorable to the undertaking.

It the board of trade of that city will now petition the Dominion government to do, what they requested them not to do last year, that body will show by their action that they are alive to a keen sense of justice, and are unprejudiced where their own best interests are concerned.

Vein Structure.

A Rossland mining man expressed his opinion the other day to a Miner representative upon the above subject. Although his remarks are not given in detail some of his observations will be interesting to mining men, more especially those operating in Camp McKinney, where conditions are similar to those which occur in Rossland camp with regard to vein structure. The mining man said:

"It has been my experience that the faults in this camp come from the north to the south. The vast earth disturbance which caused them seems to have extended from the poles to the equator. In the past some difficulty has been caused here by a confusion of dykes and faults. Properly there are no dykes here. The genuine dyke is a cross-course of some rock foreign to the nature of the country rock. Here what we call a dyke is really a section of the country rock occurring in the ledge. At the time the fissure was formed, ages ago, the fracture was incomplete, and in places no cleavage occurred. Later on the mineral was deposited in these fissures. Where the fracture had been incomplete, no mineral was of course deposited. It is these portions of the country rock occurring in the vein that are locally known as dykes. They are distinguishable because of the fact that they generally occur at right angles to the ledge proper. When they are found, the mining man need only drive straight ahead through the dyke along the general line of the ledge. He is almost certain to find the ore in place, just where it should be, when the dyke has been traversed.

"The fault is radically different. It can be easily distinguished from the dyke, since the fault is generally accompanied by striation marks, where it has been forced through the surrounding rock and the ledge. Then, too, there is nearly always a streak of talc between the vein matter and the fault. It has been my experience that these faults cut the country with almost mathematical precision. When one of two or three parallel ledges has faulted, the others may be depended upon to fault in a direct line with the break in the first ledge. As a consequence, when the character of one fault has been solved, a solution is offered to the character of the corresponding faults in all the parallel ledges lying by."

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MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1899.

SHOULD BE MOVED.

Although the buildings at Fairview have been finished for some time the government officials are still at their old quarters at Osoyoos. Just why this is it is hard to say, and from this distance the government seem to be negligent in the matter. For a long time past people in that portion of the district have been looking forward to the time when conditions for doing business at the Record office, and with the Gold Commissioner would be such as to relieve them of the necessity of taking a considerable journey, therefore that these officers are still at the old stand, when apparently they might just as well be at Fairview, is rather annoying to say the least. It is to be hoped the government will give the matter attention at once.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The government recognized the claims of their petitioners to be just, and appropriated the sum of $5,000 for the west fork of Kettle river road, including a bridge, and $4,000 for a road on the main river

If precedent is followed, this money will not be available until after the end of June.

Now, as all indications point to a big rush of people to the west fork district as soon as spring is well advanced, something should be done, by those interested in that section, to bring to the attention of the government the necessity of making an effort to at once construct the bridge at the crossing of the west fork, so that prospectors and others going into the country may be given facilities for crossing that stream.

True there is a ferry there which the government were good enough to operate for the convenience of the travelling public last year, but would it not be better to save the money represented in the operation of the ferry, and make it available in the construction of the bridge.

With the bridge constructed and a little grading done on the road between Rock Creek and the crossing, some sort of direct communication to that point could be had by teams, and that to those operating in that section would mean much.

Just now, and before the rivers becomes flooded is the time to build bridges, and if anything is to be done it should be done at once.

When the Time Comes.

Recently we were regaled with the intelligence that the C. P. R. were considering the proposition of building a railway to Republic camp.

Just how the C. P. R. could do this without entering into an agreement with an American corporation, holding permission to cross the Colville Reservation, was hardly discernible. The granting of the Corbin charter would change the state of affairs but until that charter is granted, there is only one corporation in a position to offer transportation to the Republic camp, and that is the Great Northern. This corporation controlls at present the situation, as it holds a charter which carries with it the right to traverse the reservation, by the building of a road up the San Poil.

To gain access to Republic camp, the C. P. R. will have to take one of three courses, first; encourage the granting of the charter to the Kettle River Valley railway, after having arranged for its acquisition, second; by entering into an agreement with the Great Northern, third; by a direct appeal to the United States Congress for the right to invade American territory.

Which of the three courses will the C. P. R. take?

Under the conditions prevailing the first and third would seem to out of the question, and the second certainly, judging from the expressions of the president of the Great Northern a few days ago when interviewed in Spokane upon the subject of giving transportation to Republic camp, for he remarked that when the time came for the building of a railway to that point his company would be the one to do so.

Under these circumstances it would seem that the recent expression of the C. P. R's intention was thrown out as bait to catch the unwary and so lull to rest the support which the people of Boundary Creek will give to the Corbin charter, and by so doing place [illegible] from competition in railway transportation.

Kipling Recovering.

According to latest intelligence Rudyard Kipling the great poet is gradually recovering from his severe attack of pneumonia. On the 6th instant his eldest daughter Josephine died of the malady but so far the father has not been made acquainted with the fact, as it is feared the consequence would be such as to cause a relapse. Much sympathy is being expressed for the family throughout the world, and no wonder, for there is no man to day so nearly universally admired as Rudyard Kipling.

Rather Wide of the Mark.

Mr. David B. Bogle, of Rossland, when in Spokane a few days ago is said to have made use of the following words to a Spokesman Review representative: "McKinney was discovered and staked by old pioneer placer miners in 1887. And they haven't done anything since but rolocate every recurring January and hold the claims and wait for events to shape themselves.

"A few months since one might have gone into the camp and have had his pick of the best of the properties there for $500."

In the above Mr. Boyle hits wide of the mark and does neither justice to the Camp McKinney old timers or to himself. If he were better acquainted with the camp, and the conditions that have prevailed therein for several years past he would not have made such a wild statement.

Gold Commissioners.

On and after the 1st of May next, the Mining Recorders in their separate divisions will have all the power now conferred upon and exercised by Gold Commissioners.

At first sight it may seem as if much power is being given to Mining Recorders, but if it is remembered that of recent years the powers of the Gold Commissioners have been greatly curtailed, owing to the fact that by changes in the Mineral Act, the jurisdiction formerly exercised by them has been transferred to the Supreme Court, it will be seen that Mining Recorders are not being invested with any very extended authority.

That their duties will have a wider range than at present, is however, very gratifying, for the reason that it will represent a convenience to the mining communities which have, and more especially in this district, had to contend with much inconvenience when desiring the Gold Commissioner's services, owing to the fact that he has resided and still resides so far away from the center of the district and in such an out-of-the-way portion of it, looking at the matter from a Boundary Creek point of view, that it takes several days to communicate with him upon matters that come within his jurisdiction.

Good News.

Our Camp McKinney correspondent says that a gratifying feature of the past week was the striking of a rich ore body in the Cariboo mine at the 300-foot level.

To those best acquainted with the permanent character of the veins throughout the southern portion of Yale, the above information will not come as a surprise, it would have been more of a surprise had the opposite happened. It is none the less gratifying however, for the reason that it not only places the Cariboo upon a very easy footing, it will have the tendency of infusing confidence into those who are expecting other free milling properties in Camp McKinney and as well in other camps in this district.

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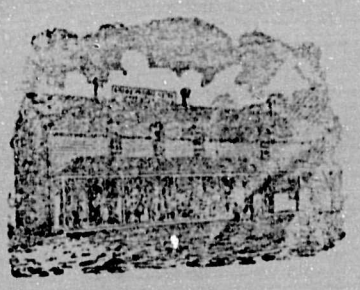

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Not Correct.

It is to be regretted that the recent session of the provincial legislature was brought to a close before the proposed amendments to the Mineral Act were considered. Some of the contemplated changes were of great importance, particularly that specifying that the interest of each owner of a mineral claim should be described in Crown Grant titles. Last year's provision that the survey of a claim should count as assessment work, was an excellent one, and it is unfortunate that it will no longer remain in force.—B. C. Mining Record.

In making these assertions the B. C. Mining Record is entirely mistaken as the above were among the principal amendments introduced to the Mineral Act during the session of the legislature just closed.

Section 14 of the Mineral Act Amendment Act 1899, reads thus :

Section 127 of said chapter 135, as enacted by section 10 of chapter 33 of the Statutes of 1898, is hereby amended striking out the words "one year" in the second line thereof, and substituting therefor the words "two years," and by striking out the figures "1899" in the fourth line thereof and substituting therefore the figures "1900." This applies to the survey of mineral claims.

And Section 19 says : Crown grants of mineral claims shall show the interest of each grantee in the claim.

Other provisions in the Act are that after the 1st of May next, Mining Recorders will have all the powers of Gold Commissioners, a provision which will be generally acceptable as it will bring the Gold Commissioner more closely in touch with the different mining communities. In the matter of Free Miner's Certificates all certificates issued after the 31st of May next, will expire on the following 31st of May, and certificates taken out for a fraction of a year will pay a pro rata rate, five dollars being the fee for a full year.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Ottawa, March 4, 1899.

It should augur well for the prevalence of hamony and brotherly love at the approaching session of parliament that in their recent speeches on more than one occasion, leaders of the opposition have professed adherence to the line of policy which has been followed by the government throughout their term of office. Sir Charles Tupper for instance when at last he broke loose from the stern restraint which he had so heroically inflicted upon himself, declared that under no conditions must the Canadian Commissioners sacrifice their country's interests to their opponents ; his parliamentary colleagues and newspaper supporters reiterated with all due emphasis their fixed conviction that it was impossible to make an equitable deal with the United States, and with their hands on their hearts and eyes upraised, protested that they would sooner have no treaty at all than obtain it by sacrificing even five cents worth of their national dignity.

In due course it transpired that the British commissioners have declined to proceed further with the negotiations because they believed it impossible to do so with honor and dignity ; thus showing the complete unaminity that exists between the two political parties

THEIR CONSCIENCE PRICKS THEM.—As a slight alleviation of the very natural regrets which the interruption in the negotiations at Washington have occasioned, it is satisfactory to notice that some of the leading American newspapers are frankly expressing their doubts as to the entire justification of the American position. For example, the Philadelphia Times remarks, "Remembering how recently the United States threatened to go to war with Great Britain to compel her acceptance of arbitration to settle the boundary dispute with Venezuela, the attitude of the United States commissioners in refusing to refer the Alaskan boundary for arbitration seems a little embarrassing." Other papers take much the same view, while others again, question whether this was really the insurmountable obstacle which blocked the way, being apparently more inclined to the view that it was the trade question that did the mischief. Whatever may have been the real cause, of one thing there is no doubt ; that a combination of minor local influences can, under the American system, be brought to bear upon national legislation to such a degree, that, regardless of the well being of the republic as a whole, the most delicate and important international questions may be hopelessly endangered by the reckless interference of irresponsible sectionalists. Our Canadian system is very far from perfect, and altogether too susceptible to improper influences, but it is happily may laps ahead of its neighbor to the south.

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NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with the Statutes that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Act, are now due for the year 1899. All the above named taxes collectible within the Rock Creek Division of Yale District are payable at my office at Osoyoos, Yale District. Assessed taxes are collectible at the following rates, viz:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1899.

Three-fifths of one per cent on real property.

Two and one-half per cent on assessed value of wild land.

One half of one per cent on personal property.

On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars the following rates namely :—Upon such excess of income, when the same is not more than ten thousand dollars, one per cent, when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and not more than twenty thousand dollars, one and one quarter of one per cent, when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars one and one half of one per cent.

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Three fourths of one per cent on personal property.

On so much of the income of any person as exceeds one thousand dollars : the following rates namely :— Upon such excess, when the same is not more than ten thousand dollars ; one and one quarter per cent, when such excess is over ten thousand dollars and less than twenty thousand dollars, one and one half of one per cent, when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars one and three quarters of one per cent.

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MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE

"CARIBOO FRACTION" AND "GOLDEN CROWN FRACTION" MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—In Camp McKinney, adjoining the Kamloops and Minnenaha Mineral Claims.

TAKE NOTICE that the Minnehaha Gold Mining and Milling Company., of British Columbia (Limited), free miner's certificate No18173a 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.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1898.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

DREAM MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Osoyoos Mining Division, of Yale District. Where Located:—About seven miles south of Camp McKinney.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby, as agent for Thomas Pinch, free miner's certificate No. 18962A and John Nelson free miner's certificate No.18137A, 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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Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

INTERNATIONAL MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: Kruger Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Charles DeBlois Green for myself free miner's certificate No. 1922 A, and Edward J. Goddard, free miner's certificate No. 1227 A, 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.

Dated this 4th day of January 1898.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

THILBY MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that we, Randolph Stuart free miner's certificate No. 8078a, H. R. Elliott free miner's certificate No. 1530b, I. M. Macdonald free miner's certificate No. 1622b and W. H. Norris free miner's certificate No. 1807a 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 4th day of January 1898.

agreed upon whereby the Anaconda Copper Company will enter the great copper combine. This virtually settles all doubts as to the completion of the greatest combine the world has ever known. Other interests and copper producers must now of necessity join in and it will now be but a short time before the American Copper company, as the combine will be known, will absolutely control this great industry. What influence this will have upon Butte, which produces about half the copper of the world, remains to be seen. These large interests have combined certainly for no loss, but on the other hand for gain. So we may naturally expect copper to keep up in price. This must revert to the benefit of the community.

No Gambling.

The following very important amendment was introduced to the Liquor License Act during the sitting of the legislature just closed. The amendment refers to gambling and reads as follows:

"Every holder of a retail liquor license who allows the gambling games known as draw poker, stud poker, black jack, faro, or any other games of chance to be played for money, or for checks, or other devices that represent money, in or on any part of his premises to which the guests and public have access is guilty of an offence, and liable, on summary conviction before a county court judge, stipendiary magistrate or two justices of the peace, to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars nor less than twenty dollars for the first offence, and not exceeding two hundred dollars nor less than one hundred dollars for the second offence, and in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, and in case of the holder of a retail liquor license being convicted a third time the license to be cancelled."

The Corbin Charter.

The independent press of the province favors the granting of a charter to the Kettle River Valley railway, while the servile journals of the province oppose such a proceeding. The Nelson Tribune belongs to the former, while the Nelson Miner belongs to the latter class of journals.

To bolster up its arguments against the charter the Miner recently stated that should it be granted the wholesale business men of Nelson would be injured. To this statement the Tribune gives a flat contradiction and does so in the following words, which will be read with interest by the people of Boundary Creek. The Tribune says:

"The argument that the building of the Kettle River Valley road would injure Nelson is fallacious, for it is based on mere sentiment. The building of that road would give Nelson two railways into the Boundary Creek country. Nelson has two railways into Rossland—and has either town been injured by having the two roads? The cry, that if the road is built the trade of the Boundary Creek country would be diverted to Spokane, is deceptive. Spokane now has the same facilities as Nelson has to do business in that country, and what percentage of the trade is going to Spokane? Just about the same percentage of the total business Spokane gets from Nelson and the country tributary to Nelson. This percentage cannot be reduced until Nelson's wholesale houses carry as large stocks as the houses of Spokane, and that cannot be done until Nelson has as large a population tributary to it as has Spokane. Nelson is now getting a foretaste of what it may expect if its business interests are made wholly dependent on the Canadian Pacific. How much ore is shipped from points along the Canadian Pacific or its branches to the Hall Mines smelter at Nelson as compared with the shipments to the Canadian Pacific smelter at Trail? The proportion is just about the same as the proportion of trade that now goes to Spokane from Nelson and tributary points. No goods now purchased in Spokane by our merchants that can be purchased to better advantage in other places, and the Canadian Pacific allows no ore to come to the Hall Mines smelter at Nelson that it needs for its own smelter at Trail. If the wholesale houses at Nelson are made entirely dependent on the Canadian Pacific to distribute their goods, how long will Nelson remain a distributing point if that road can make more money by distributing goods from some other point? The Tribune ventures a statement that will not be contradicted, that is, that there is not a single wholesaler in Nelson that is opposed to the building of the Kettle River Valley road into the Boundary Creek country."

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here is talk of a grand ball being given in McNeil's hall on Friday next to commemorate St. Patrick's day.

It is said that Dr. Jakes has invested in real estate in Midway, and that the future may see him residing in the town.

Mr. W. T. Tye, chief engineer of the Columbia and Western, Mr. Wildgress, right-of-way agent, and Mr. Rice, assistant engineer, were visitors in town during the week.

Dr. Gordon, of Toronto, is a visitor in town to day having come down from Camp McKinney, at which point it is said the doctor intends locating.

Mr. R. M. Groves, C. E., passed through town on Wednesday's stage from Camp McKinney. Mr. Groves has been in Camp McKinney surveying claims for the Camp McKinney Gold Mining Company.

Mr. W. S. Keith, M. E., of Greenwood, was in town on Wednesday last, having just come down from Camp McKinney, at which point he secured an option on the Big Bug and other property.

Mr. Robert Wood has been returned by acclamation to a seat in the municipal council of Greenwood. Mr. Wood is for a double term chief magistrate of the city, therefore he will make an exceptionally good alderman.

Mr. G. Arthur Rendell, of Greenwood, in offering himself as a candidate for municipal honors, and the people of the city would do well to accept his services, as they could chose no one more worthy of their confidence.

Having completed the survey of the Windy claim for the Highland Queen Consolidated Mining and Milling Company, Mr. F. M. Kerby, P. L. S., proceeded to Greenwood camp on Thursday last, there to survey a group of claims which are situated near the [illegible] mine and owned by J. Moran and others.

Mr. James Beckwith met with a rather painful accident during the week while working on the Lygia claim in Graham camp. He was endeavoring to break a corner off a granite rock with a sledge hammer, when a portion flew off and struck him full in the left eye, inflicting a wound so severe that medical attention has to be given the member.

The graders between Midway and Greenwood are obstructing the wagon road so that it is almost impossible for teams to get along. This should not be allowed, as the importance of the traffic between these points warrants a clear right of way being given it. If there is no other way out of the difficulty the government should put men to work to keep the road clear and charge the expense incurred to the contractors, and make them pay it.

Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, formerly the World man on the wing around the province" and now the "Province man on the wing around the world" was in town during the past week trying, and apparently with good success, to get people to believe that the Province enjoys the biggest circulation of any daily in British Columbia. To support his contention Mr. Wilkinson made use of all "kinds" of oaths and affidavits, backed up with the blandest of smiles and the most assuring conversation. Another point Mr. Wilkinson touched upon, viz: that the present daily is altogether a different institution to the old time weekly, which was published in Victoria, while the daily is published in Vancouver. Very many nice things might be said about the daily Province, but they are withheld, for the reason that it is realized that the [illegible] of the Province is a very modest young man.

Mr. F. C. Wolfenden, secretary of the Okanagan Flour Mills Company of Armstrong, was in town during the past week, having come down from Penticton on Wednesday's stage. Referring to matters in connection with his company, Mr. Wolfenden intimated that the company is doing a very flourishing business, not only at the coast but in all parts of the province, as the goods sent out by the company are acceptable wherever introduced. [illegible] of flour of superior grade being present upon the market. To keep in the van of progress the Okanagan Flour Mills Company spent several thousand dollars during the past year in the installation of new [illegible] designed not only to afford an [illegible] profit to the shareholders in the company, but as well a more rapid [illegible] of goods. The concern is [illegible] on the co-operative princi[illegible] progressive and aggressive, [illegible] intellectually managed it is bound to succeed. Upon leaving here Mr. Wolfenden went to Greenwood and Grand Forks, and will make his way home by way of Kootenay.

The Greenwood City Water-works Company, which was incorporated in 1897, Messrs. Robert Wood and C. Scott Galloway, of Greenwood, being the promoters, has disposed of its charter privileges and water power at Boundary Falls, to parties in Rossland, represented by Mr. Hector McRae, who in company with Mr. C. R. Hamilton a solicitor of Rossland a few days ago consummated the deal, the consideration in which it is said reached to several thousand dollars. Since being incorporated the Greenwood City Water-works Company built a big dam at Boundary Falls to raise the water of the Creek an extra 30 feet, and also the company secured certain privilledges from the Greenwood municipality. It had also been the intention of the company to install machinery and utilize the power at the Falls at no distant date, therefore that the new owners will do this at once is gratifying at least to the people of Greenwood.

Fortune Smiles.

A correspondent to the Nelson Miner referring to the Bella and Rosa property says :

The Bella and Rosa is owned by John Quinlin, Alex. Goyette of Erie and Coryell brothers of Midway, B. C., and is now under option to the Hall Mines syndicate which have a force of men cleaning off the snow preparatory to their engineer making a report. He is expected here in a few days and I have every reason to believe it will be favorable. The property was located in 1896 and has been worked continuously by the locators, Messrs. Quinlan and Goyette till September, 1898, when they succeeded in interesting Messrs. Coryell, and since that time it has been operated under the management of J. A. Coryell. They now have out 300 tons of ore that will average four per cent copper and $6 in gold and 20 tons that will average 14 per cent copper and $12 in gold. The ledge is 60 feet wide and is developed by three tunnels, one 20-foot drift on the vein, one 40-foot drift and one 25 feet, all in ore, with several crosscuts on either side. The one most noticeable is about 150 feet from mouth of tunnel which is 75 feet and all in ore, that would be safe to say will average four per cent in copper.

CAMP McKINNEY NOTES.

(From our own correspondent.)

During the past week another big strike of free gold ore has been made in the Waterloo drift, some of the specimens being equal in makeup to any previously taken from this mine. Two shifts are working and the drift is in between 70 and 80 feet and as soon as the hoist arrives the working force will be increased.

Another gratifying feature of the week has been the striking of a rich ore body in the Cariboo at the 300-foot level, some of it showing free gold. This strike will undoubtedly cause an advance in the company's stocks and generally strengthen prices of all the properties in line, as will as give increased confidence in the stability of the camp.

The 200-foot level has been reached on the Minnehaha and drifting commenced. I am pleased to say that Major Megaw, who suffered a slight relapse is again around.

Work on the O'Shea is progressing steadily, a shaft being sunk on the vein in the lime belt and some good ore showing on the dump. The adjoining claim the Rajah is being surveyed for Rossland parties who have negotiated a deal.

The Dolphin-Shannon property is looking exceedingly well, the tunnel, to crosscut the ledge, is now in over 90 feet, and some seams of rich ore are already visible in the face of the drift, showing the near proximity to the vein. A ledge running parallel with the one towards which the tunnel is being driven has been stripped for some 60 to 70 feet exposing a well defined vein two feet wide and well mineralized. An old shaft had been sunk some years ago at the lower end of this vein, from which good values were obtained. The Shannon-Dolphin is a good investment.

Some very good work is being done on the Granite under the superintendence of S. Hayes. The vein in the shaft, between 20 and 30 feet deep, is about five feet wide, from which good assays have been obtained.

On the Wiarton a shaft is being sunk and a crosscut run to catch the Waterloo vein. As the company have ample funds, the development work will be extensively curried on.

Dr. Gordon of Toronto intends taking up his residence in camp, he considering there being a good opening to build up a practice. His advent has been most fortuitous, quite a few cases of sickness, though nothing very serious already engaging his attention.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

BULLION MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby of Midway in said district, free miner's certificate No. 9595, for myself, and as agent for Angus Stuart, Randolph Stuart, and Wm. Graham McMynn, free Miner's certificate Nos. 11888a, 8655a, and 1891a, respectively, 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 18th day of January, 1899.

FORBES M. KERBY.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NORTH STAR (FRACTIONAL) MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where located : Long Lake Camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby P.L.S., as agent for Robert Wood free miner's certificate No. 260a and Chas L. Thomet free miner's certificate No. 18971a, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 8th day of March 1899.

FORBES M. KERBY.

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COMPANY'S PROPERTIES.

The Company's mining properties now consist of fourteen claims, viz, the D. A., G. A. R, Big Ledge, O B, S. H. B., Fred D., S. F., J. A. C., P. H., C. S. & H., E. C. B, Prospective, Spokane and Granite Falls.

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DESCRIPTION.

On the "D. A" is a vein about 20 inches wide, with a pay-streak of 4 to 12 inches; from 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 $33 gold and 1 1-10 ozs. silver, and $49.35 gold 17½ ozs. silver, 2 per cent. copper

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 "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 16½ ozs., copper 11.96 per cent., or $40.44 for all values.

The "Fred D." was located in December, 1895, more as ground for a basis for mining operations for the other claims than for its present value, although there is little doubt that the large vein on the O. B. runs through it. There is a small vein of galena on this claim.

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

The remaining six claims are all good prospects, but as yet very little development work has been done on them.

This company is registered under the Companies Act, 1890, and amending acts, in the office of the Registrar in Victoria, B. C., for 1,500,000 shares at $1.00, non-assessable, of which a portion of the Treasury stock is now offered at 10 cents a share on application to the company.

Mineral Act 1896

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

WESTERN HILL, FLORA, VIRGINIA, MINERAL CLAIMS.

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

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Chas. de Blois Green agent for Wm. Dalrymple, free miner's certificate No. 70194; Albert Dalrymple free miner's certificate No. 14412a and Duncan Carmichael, free miner's certificate No. 18178A, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 8th day of November, 1898.

NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore subsisting between James M. Lynch and Thomas Humphrey, doing business as hotel keepers at Camp McKinney under the firm name of "Lynch & Hemphrey" has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The said James M. Lynch assumes all liabilities of, and collects all debts due, the firm of "Lynch & Humphrey." Hereafter the business will be conducted by D. McDuff and the said James M. Lynch under the name of "Lynch & McDuff."

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Notice.

ASSAYER MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, William E. Cuttridge as agent for Beaumond Leather, free miner's certificate No. 14723a. 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 14th day of November, 1898.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ROBIN HOOD MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Wm. E. Cuttridge, as agent for B. Leather, free miner's certificate No. 14723a. intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvement, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

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