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In order to close out the balance of our Summer Goods, and do it quickly, commencing Monday morning, August 3rd, we will give a **Cash Discount** of **Twenty Five Per Cent.** on all summer Goods. This means that you get a dollar's worth for seventy five cents.

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Labor Day at Phoenix.

Interesting Programme of Sports Has Been Arranged.

Preparations for the Labor Day celebration at Phoenix are now in an advanced state of completion, and from the reports from the place where the mines are, it bids fair to be the best celebration ever held in that place. Music will be furnished by the Greenwood band, and special railway rates will prevail, giving every one in the Boundary a chance to have a good time on the 7th and 8th of September.

A number of hose teams are expected to compete for the $250 hung up for this sport, several already having signified their intention to be present. In the rock drilling there will be both double and single hand contests, with a number of entries in each.

A novel feature will be the log rolling contest, and as there are a dumber of old lumber jacks in the Boundary, several of whom have expressed the intention of going into this, for this section, novel contest, it will be of unusual interest.

There will be horse racing, tennis matches, and about $200 will be devoted to prizes for Caledonian sports. On the evening of Monday a ball will be given under the auspices of the Phoenix Trades and Labor Council.

From the indications it appears that a good share of the residents of the Boundary will visit Phoenix a week from Monday.

Mining Association of B. C

Goes After Candidates With A Long List of Questions.

ROSSLAND, Aug. 26.—The executive of the Mining Association of British Columbia in session here to-day resolved to carry the war for reforms in connection with mining legislation, into practical politics.

It was moved by Messrs. Galt and Howse that all candidates for election to the legislature in the present election be interrogated as to whether they were in favor of the objects aimed at by the association and as to whether they would support the aims of the organization by their votes and influence, if elected. This was in a general sense, but the following were particularized;

To repeal the two per cent tax.

To amend the mineral act so as to provide that failure to keep up a free miner's licence shall not operate as a complete forfeiture of rights acquired under it, but that some reasonable provision be adopted or extension of time within which the certificate must be renewed.

To entitle the owners of mineral claims to the use of the timber on such claims for many purposes without the imposition of the royalty now enforced.

Crown grants on mineral claims to be reduced from $25 to $10.

To inquire into tne operation of the boiler inspection act with a view to ascertaining to what extent the said act works unnecessary hardships upon the owners and operators of steam boilers and to remove by amendment any just grievances.

To amend the Placer Mining act to enable holders of placer claims to secure title thereto by crown grants.

To pass a conciliation act for the settlement of labor troubles.

To revise and consolidate the acts relating to quartz and placer mining to remove numerous anomalies in existing acts to simplify the laws regarding mining.

The desirability of opening Indian reserves throughout the mining district for mining purposes.

Copies of the foregoing in extension are to be sent to the candidates nominated throughout the province, and to the newspapers.

The executive adjourned to meet in Kamloops on November 23rd.

Making Large Improvements

Large improvements are going forward at the smelting works of the B. C. Copper Co. at Greewood. A large brick chimney is in process of construction to take the place of the metal stack now in use. A substantial foundation of stone and cement 21 feet square is being laid, on which a chimney 120 feet high is to be built. The structure will gradually diminish to the top, where it will be 12 feet inside the diameter. About 220 thousand brick will be used in construction. After the new chimney is completed connection will be made with the lower part of the present one without much inconvenience or delay to the working of the plant.

A railroad from the furnaces is being built for carrying off the hot slag. A car will carry about six tons of this hot slag at a time and about 50 trips daily will be needed to remove the present output of each furnace. When the additional two furnaces now contemplated are in commission the daily tonnage of slag will be doubled.

The blacksmith shop is being enlarged by an addition 22 feet square.

A contract has been let to W. H. Fraser of Grand Forks, for excavation for the converting works, which will be put in as rapidly as possible.

The C. P. R. officials when they were there a few days ago, promised to put in a spur which will run in front of the converting works, for the removel of the matte. This will do away with a large amount of matte handling now necessary.

Machinery For Winnipeg Will Arrive This Week.

Richard Plewman, manager of the Winnipeg mine in Wellington camp, who closed a deal for a 10-drill straight line air compressor, last week, is expecting the arrival of the machinery at the mine this week, when the work of installation will be immediately started. The compressor is a $5,000 plant and will be ample for the purposes of the Winnipeg for years to come. Mr. Plewman is also arranging for the erection of the new shaft and compressor house and gallows frame for the hoist. It will take some little time to get things in shape for actual development, so that shipments of ore can be resumed, but when they are once started again Mr. Plewman looks for their being kept up uninterruptedly for a long time to come.

Machinery For The Bodie.

W. G. Madison, superintendent of the Bodie Mining company, owning the Bodie mine in Bodie camp, has arrived at the property to superintend the installation of the new machinery for the milling plant.

The machinery consist of a ten stamp amalgamation-cyanide mill, a sawmill and a power plant for both. The sawmill will have a capacity of 15,000 feet per day and the power plant will furnish between 50 and 60 horse power. The machinery occupied three cars. It is now being hauled from Curlew to the mine.

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Estimating "Ore in Sight."

The definition of what constitutes ore in sight is receiving considerable discussion among engineers and mine operators. The personal equation has entered into its use rather more extensively than is compatible with the definiteness that an art that is ultimately to be an exact science should possess. Almost any one who has a mining claim that it is desired to sell writes for the promotion of the sale a descriptive paper which by courtesy is referred to as a mining report. The use of the term "ore in sight in these literay documents is free and elastic. Any rock in place is ore in sight in many of these compositions. Others estimate it as being any of the mineral deposits exposed by a mine opening, quite regardless of its payable or nonpayable quality, and quite regardless whether of any ore body only one face is exposed, or three or four faces. Perhaps the closest limitation of the application of the term is to ore bodies which in the workings of a mine are exposed on not less than three sides, which only include the mass of ore which in place contains the pay mineral. The first use of the term is simply an evidence of ignorance of the meaning of the words by the user of them. The second use is a careless one. The close limitation of the third use overlooks the practical circumstances of mining, and can suggest misleading conclusions, though it is fully exact and correct in some circumstances. Broadened a little it will answer very well. Ore in sight should have a constant, unvarying meaning, and should without explanation always describe the same definite thing. It is suggested that "ore in sight" should mean a body of rock in place, exposed by mine workings on no less than three sides, which, removable by the most economical mining methods applicable, shall contain of estimable recoverable values at least the cost of obtaining them. This is sufficiently elastic to include as ore in sight the waste rock, not containing payable values, which in the most economical mining is unavoidably taken out and treated with the latter. It does not include such barren rock where the economical mining methods separates it from payable rock, before it receives metallurgical treatment. For example, a 4-inch wide streak of pay ore, if separable from the waste that must be mined out to get it, may be ore in sight. The same streak that cannot be separated from the waste may not be ore in sight.—Mining & Scientific Press.

The Extension of Markets for Agricultural Products.

For a number of years the Department of Agriculture has paid particular attention to the development of our export trade in agricultural products. During the South African war the Department undertook to fill a number of very large orders from the war office, and as a result hay, flour, oats, meats, jam, etc., to the value of over $8,000,000 were purchased in Canada for the manitenance of the army in the field. This work was carried on under the direct supervision of Prof. Robertson, Commissioner of Agriculture and Dairying, but, at the beginning of the present year, it was decided to create a distinct extension of market the Department in 1900, and who has been intimately connected with all the efforts made to increase Canadian trade with that country. It need scarcely be added that Mr. Moore will always be found ready to afford enquirers any information in his power regarding the markets for Canadian agricultural products.

Fruit pulp.—During the past few weeks considerable correspondence has reached the markets division from Great Britain, with especial reference to fruit pulps, particularly raspberry. The fruit crop in the united kingdom and on the continent is very poor, and consequently there is a consderable demand for foreign, or rather colonial, fruit pulp. The market is now bare of supplies, and as new Australian will not arrive before March next, an excellent opportunity is offered for Canadian canners, if they have the goods to fill orders. Unfortunately, it appears that the Canadian raspberry crop was also short this season. The canners have, however, been placed in possession of all the information at Mr. Moore's disposal, and considerable business has already resulted. All the pulp available will doubtless be disposed of at once at good prices.

Cider apples.—In view of the short fruit crop there is likely to be a good demand in Britain for boiling and cider-making apples. The Department has received advices from the Canadian High Commissioner in London to the effect that one firm would take 5,000 tons of each of the above sorts. Mr. Moore is now in communication with the leading fruit shippers to ascertain whether they can fill the order. The possibility of shipping cider is also being investigated. A trade of this sort would afford facilities for selling to advantage the immense quantities of cull apples which now goes to waste in this country.

Food-stuffs for South Africa.—Recent letters received at the Department indicate that on account of the drought the grain crops in the Transvaal will be short this season, and that in consequence there is likely to be a good demand for Canadian food products in the sister colony.

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You are hereby notified that I have expended $200.00 in order to hold the said Colby and Reco mineral claims under the provisions of the mineral act, and have paid the sum of $5.00 for recording the same for the year ending 26th June 1903, that you should contribute $51.25 as your proportion of the said sum for your undivided one-quarter interest in said claims, and if within 90 days from the first insertion of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute the sum $51.25 which is now due by you, together with all costs of advertising, your interest in the said mineral claims will become the property of the subscriber under section four of an Act entitled the "Mineral Act Amendment Act" 1900.

Dated at Midway B. C. this 15th day of August 1903.

GEO. D. CUNNINGHAM.

First insertion, 15th August 1903.
Last do. 14th November, 1903.

interest to in the "Highland Chief" Mineral claim situate in Camp McKinney, in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District.

You are hereby notified that I have expended $148. in order to hold your interest in the said mineral claim under the provision of the Mineral Act, that you should contribute the sum of $148. for your 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 $148. 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 18th day of July, 1903.

GEORGE M. BENNET.

NOTICE.

TAKE notice that 60 days from the date hereof, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land being the north west ¼ of Section 6, Township 51, Osoyoos district.

Dated this 4th day of August, 1903.

M. E. GREEN
C. deB. Green,
Agent.

NOTICE.

TAKE notice that 60 days from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchaes the unoccupied fractional north west ¼ of Secton 18 Township 51, Osoyoos district.

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MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

P. A. MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Oaoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: On Kruger Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that I, C. deB. Green, as agent for A. L. Broderick, free miner's certificate No. B61921 and for Geo. Frederick, free miner's certificate No. B62002, 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 June, 1903.

C. deB. GREEN

MINERAL ACT.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE.

H. R. and BROOKLINE MINERAL CLAIMS.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. Kerby, as as agent for Robert S. Bayes, free miner's certificate No. B30300 and Hugh Reed free miner's certificate No. B30551, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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A. Hain attended the sports Rossland this week.

O. Thompson, left on Tues- for Vernon.

ex. Bloomfield was over at sland during the week.

P. McLeod, of Greenwood, t the week in Midway.

s. H. McCutcheon, of Green- d, was visiting Mrs. McKar- during the week.

J. LaPlant, of Marcus h., is spending a few weeks idway and vicinity.

A. Crowell was among the ber that attended the car- at Rossland this week.

s Ella Meyerhoff and Miss e Day returned yesterday attending the Rossland ival.

W. H. Sansom, of Green- , returned home yesterday spending a short holiday

e Miners' Union, of Camp inney, are giving a ball Wednesday evening. The orchestra, of Midway, furnish the music.

e ninth semi-annual meet- of the Kettle River and h Okanagan Pioneer So- takes place at Grand s on Tuesday, Sept. 1st.

ncan Ross, editor of the dary Creek Times, has appointed liberal organiz- r the province and entered his new duties this week.

W. Haley, C. P. R. agent at place, left on Wednesday sit his old home in Nova ia. He expects to be absent t two months. During bsence his duties here will erformed by G. R. Thomp-

his morning J. R. Jackson ght to town some very apples grown on his ranch, to Midway. They were of Twenty Ounce Pippin and ow Transparent varieties. former is naturally a large le, but nothing in the district been produced that would pare anywhere favorably the ones grown by Mr. son and these had not yet ined their full proportions, were picked to prevent the vily loaded trees breaking eath their weight of t.

ev. A. S. Thompson returned Thursday from attending semi-annual meeting of Kootenay Presbytery, which ened in St. Andrew's church sland, last Tuesday morning lasted for two days. Con- rable business was transact- nd the home mission re- which was presented by convener, Rev G. W. For- , shows that in the face of general depression through- the country the ministers he church are doing an ag- sive and successful work.

he four furnaces of the nby smelter at Grand Forks e blown out last Thursday ht, and will remain cold for east two weeks, while the nections on furnaces Nos. 5 6 are being made, and all ils completed for the con- ous operation of the six naces. The close down ns the total stoppage of ore pments from the company's nes for the present, but that make no difference in the e now employed at the nes, and when the six fur- ces are blown in an additional ndred men will be put on to out the increased tonnage ore.

A careful examination of the o 30 drill compressors in ich the cylinders exploded a w days ago at the Granby nes in Phoenix, shows that e damage is not as serious as as at first anticipated. It is w expected that one of the ge machines will be in run- ng order by the latter end of is week, while it will take me little time to secure the drill steam driven compressor, as well as the Old Ironsides plant of similar size have been pressed into service, and are used at the Granby mines in the work of preparing for the in crease of shipments to the basis of 2,000 tons daily which is expected to happen in the course of a couple of weeks, after the two new furnaces at the company's smelter has been coupled up. George L. Fraser, of the master merchanic's staff of the Granby mines, who was hurt in the explosion has progressed so well that he was removed from the hospital to his own home on Tuesday.

Beats World's Trotting Record.

READVILLE, MASS., Aug. 24.—Lou Dillon broke the world's trotting record on the mile track here to-day, going it in 2.00 flat. The previous record wrs 2.01½, held by Crescus, made at Columbus, Ohio, last year.

Work on Hesperus Progressing Favorably.

Work is progressing favorably on the Hesperus group, in Wellington camp, which is being operated by a company controlled by Chicago capitalists. When work was commenced on this property a couple of months ago, the ledge was opened up on the surface by a series of open cuts on the "glory hole" system of mining practiced in the Boundary. Since then a crosscut has been run to pick up the ledge, and a drift run on the vein for about fifty feet. It is the intention to crosscut the vein a little further in, and then to decide as to the future plan of development, a choice lying between sinking and crosscutting at a consiberably lower depth.

The Hesperus vein averages about eighteen feet in width, and carries average values of about $15. The ore is a self-fluxing pyrrhotite product that will command a low rate at the smelters. The crew has been confined to five men up to the present time, but at an early date the force is to be increasd to about twenty. In the meantime while things are being got in shape for handling more ore at the smelter, the immense stopes at the company's mines will be filled with ore as well as the smelter and mine ore bin capacity.

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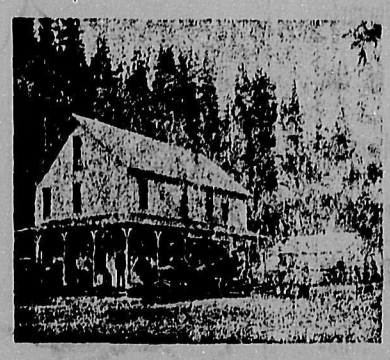

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10.15 a.m.	ROSSLAND	5.10 p m.
7.00 a.m.	NELSON	8.00 p.m.
11.00 a.m.	GRAND FORKS	4.00 p.m.
9.15 a.m.	REPUBLIC	5.40 p.m

H. A. JACKSON,
General Passenger Agent.
Spokane Wash.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that 60 days from the date hereof I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner Lands and Works for permission to purchase 20 acres of land in Township 88, Osoyoos District, beginning at a post on the north boundary of C. Green's pre-emption, thence north 40 chains, west 80 chains, south 40 chains, east 80 chains.

Dated this 28th day of April, A. D., 1903.

R. W. NEAVES.
C. deB. GREEN, Agent

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

To, Thomas Murray, of Ymir, and M. J. Moriarty, late of Ymir, B. C.

SIRS:

You are hereby notified that I have expended One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) in assessment work on the "Lucky Jim" Mineral Claim, situate near Myers Creek in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale District in British Columbia, to hold said claim for the year ending October, 10th, 1901, and a further sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) in assessment work to hold said claim for the year ending October 10th, 1902, and have further expended the sum of Five Dollars ($5.00) in recording said assessments in order to hold said claim under the provisions of Section 24 of the Mineral Act.

And if within ninety days after the publication of this notice, you, or either of you fail or refuse to pay or contribute your portion of the expenditure required under said section 24, that is to say, the said Thomas Murray in the sum of $34.16 and the said M. J. Moriarty in the sum of $33.33, together with your portion of all costs of advertising, the interest of such of you as fail or refuse to contribute your portion of said expenditure and costs of advertising, shall become vested in the subscriber (your co-owner) under section 4 of the "Mineral Act Amendment Act 1900.

Dated at Camp McKinney, B. C., this 23rd day of June, 1903. Last issue Sept. 27th, 1903.

J. A. DALANDER.
Henry Nicholson, Notary Public.

TENDERS.

Estate of William Edwards, late of Camp McKinney, B. C., Deceased Intestate.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon on the 22nd. July, 03, for the purchase of the following mineral claims and mining interests situate near Camp McKinney, in the Greenwood Mining Division of Yale:

North Star Mineral Claim, Crown Granted.
Nest Egg Mineral Claim.
Trapper Mineral Claim.
Highland Chief Mineral Claim ½ interest.
Sunset Mineral Claim ½ interest.
Slamath Mineral Claim ½ interest.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to file them with the undersigned before the 22nd day of July, 1903 and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make payment forthwith.

HENRY NICHOLSON.
Administrator.

Camp McKinney, June, 24th. 1903.

TAKE NOTICE

That 60 hays from the date hereof, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land being the south west ¼ of Section 33, Township 49.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1903.

H. W. Yates.
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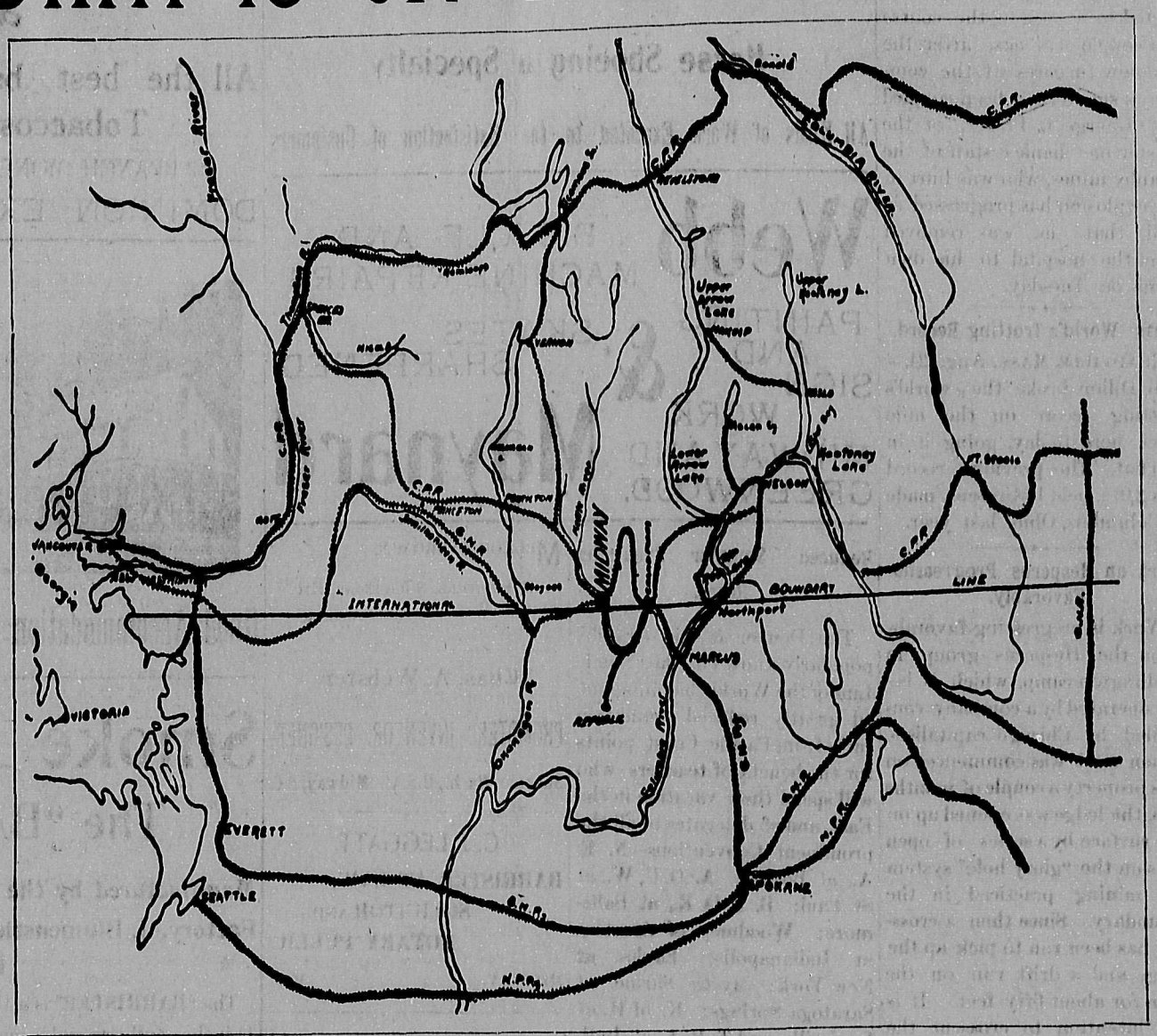

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The Dispatch

SATURDAY, AUGUST, 29, 1903.

WHAT IS OUR CANADA?

What is our Canada?
Three hundred thousand acres of woodland,
Three hundred million acres of fresh soil,
Free-flung possessions for the reaching hand.
Mountains of mineral, deep wells of oil,
Streams that run gold, where lusting laborers toil,
Is this our Canada?
No, no,
Our Canada is richer, vaster, more
That all the yellow wealth in earth's full store.

What is our Canada?
The clang of iron gates, the hammer's fall,
The hard steel rails that grip a continent,
The black smoke rolling from the chimneys tall,
The steamships rushing down the orient,
The reign of commerce, absolute, intent.
Is this our Canada?
No, no,
Our Canada is nobler, holier,
Than monstrous night of multi-millionaire.

What is our Canada?
The splendid beauties of our sun and shade,
The snow-edged Rockies, and along their steep
The drifting clouds, Niagara's cavalcade
Of thundering legions, broad St. Lawrence's sweep,
The booming of two oceans, deep to deep;
Are these our Canada?
No, no,
Though these beyond all telling precious are,
Our Canada is something dearer, far.

What is our Canada?
Our Canada is manhood, true and strong;
A nation of young stalwarts, firm and free,
Ready to strike a blow, redress a wrong,
Conquering gloriously by purity,
Hark to their hymn of humanity:
Heir of all generations,
Harvester of experience,
Obtaining deliverance
From fear and empty venerations;
Leaven of God among the nations,
Refuge of the oppressed,
Consolation of the distressed,
Receiving them kindly in its habitations.
A white page,
No sins, no conventions,
And yet no cleavage.
In mankind's inventions,
Our fathers have rough-hewn their homes in the heart of the forest,
And failed not;
Our mothers have suckled their babes within sound of the wolf's howl,
And failed not;
We are their sons,
Let us fail not;
Our manhood is Canada,

—Edward A. Wicher.

The Manse, Claude, Ontario.

Indians and the Graphaphone.

A rather amusing experience in connection with Dominion Superintendent of Forestry Stewart's recent tour in the far north was a half-breed concert in one of the Indian settlements around the Lesser Great Slave Lake. The Indians there are rather up-to-date, know the topical songs of the day, and can sing. On this particular occasion Mr. Stewart was entertained with "Goo-goo Eyes" and similar melodies, and when he asked a half-breed where he had learned the tunes he received the verse reply, "Graphaphone."

Do not waste time in useless regrets over losses.

NOTICE.

LEFT at the premises of the undersigned in January last, one black horse. Owner can have same by paying cost of this advertisement and feed of animal to date, otherwise if not claimed within 30 days will be sold to pay expenses.

HARRY JOHNSON,
Arrarchist Mountain.

NOTICE.

TAKE notice that 60 days from the date hereof, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land being the north ½ of Section 31, Township 49, Osoyoos district.

Dated this 4th day of August, 1903.

A. WOOD
C. deB. Green,
Agent.

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NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

To A. W. Boyd or any person or persons to whom you may have transferred your interest to in the "Morning" Fractional Mineral claim, situate in Camp McKinney, in the Greenwood 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 provisions of the Mineral Act, that you should contribute $34.16⅔ as your portion of the said sum for your undivided one third interest in said claim and if within 90 days of the first insertion of the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute the sum of $34.16⅔ 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 2nd day of June, 1903.

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