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IN CAMP McKINNEY.

An Interesting Summary of its Work and Prospects.

The Outlook Good for Much Profitable Development.

The ADVANCE has been requested to re-publish two interesting letters on Camp McKinney from the pen of Mr. Frank D. L. Smith, of the Toronto "World." Space restrictions prevent their being here re-produced in full but the gist of them is contained in the following:

Camp McKinney is situated at an altitude of about 4500 feet above the sea level. The section is heavily timbered and two branches of Rock Creek run through it; wood and water for mining purposes being, therefore, convenient. The country formation prevalent here is classed by some mineralogists as diorite and by others as altered diabase. Most of the properties so far opened up are found in this formation, but some locations of promise have been discovered in the western end of the camp, where a granite formation prevails. The ore bodies appear in the form of quartz ledges, which for the most part run east and west with the country formation. These veins are strong and well defined on the surface and below ground they are characterized by a series of breaks or faults. In other words, in sinking the miners lose the lead, but by a few feet of cross-cutting they always find the ore again. These faults generally take place towards the south and the theory is that there has been a general movement of the surface of this part of the country towards that point of the compass.

About the Cariboo.

The chief property in the camp is the Cariboo mine owned by the Cariboo Consolidated Mining & Milling Company. The company owns seven claims, the Maple Leaf, Emma, Alice, Cariboo, Amelia, Okanagan and Sawtooth. Two or three ledges of ore have been discovered on these properties, but so far development work has been confined chiefly to one lode on the Cariboo and Amelia.

The main Cariboo ledge, so far as explored, varies in width from a few inches to eight feet and in one place widens out to as much as 25 feet. The average width, however, is from 3½ to 4 feet. The lode runs east and west with the country formation of diorite or diabase, and is classed as of fissure character. The ledge is characterized by the breaks or faults to the south already mentioned. The ore may be described as a white and grey quartz, carrying iron pyrites, galena, sylvanite and zinc blende and often showing free gold. The development on the Cariboo and Amelia claims includes four shafts. From the main shaft four levels have been run on the ledge at depths of 70, 170, 285 and 360 feet. These are connected by upraises and a good deal of ore has been taken out between the surface and the first, second and third levels. On the first level 600 feet of the vein has been stoped out, on the second 600 feet, on the third 250 feet and on the fourth 100 feet. Much ground has yet to be opened to the east and west of and below the present workings, and it will, therefore, be realized that much of the company's ore has as yet not been touched. The drifts on the second, third and fourth levels have yet to be pushed for a distance which is as yet undefined. Thus new ore bodies are all the time being blocked out and added to the available stopes.

Down the Cariboo Shaft.

I inspected the underground working of the mine. At the 200-foot level I found the ore body in place and well defined, the ledge being in some places three and at others eight feet wide, and in the eastern drift at one point we came into a huge chamber of ore from 20 to 25 feet in width. On the 300-foot level similar conditions prevail, and at the fourth level at the bottom of the mine one of the several machine drills used in the property is boring away at a three-foot face of quartz. In my descent I observed that the width of the vein varies very much. While it is sometimes eight feet wide, in some of the upper portions of the mine it narrowed down to six inches, only to broaden out again into several feet. One of these local decreases in size occurs at the fourth level, but the ore body is widening out in the face of the drift.

The development work done, aside from these main workings, includes several shafts sunk from 30 to 50 feet on the Okanagan, Alice, Emma and Maple Leaf locations.

The plant consists of a 10-drill air compressor and two 60-horse-power boilers. The milling plant consists of a Blake rock crusher, a Gates rock crusher, a 20-stamp mill, two Johnston concentrators and one Wilfley table. The mill is operated by a 60-horse power Corliss engine and a 60-horse power boiler, and handles about 50 tons of ore every twenty-four hours.

The ore, which varies greatly in different sections of the mine, is largely free milling and most of the values are caught on the plates, the rock on the average being about four per cent concentrating. These concentrates run about $60 per ton on the average. As to the actual output in bullion from the mine official figures are not available, but I am informed that at present the property is yielding about $20,000 per month. The Cariboo gets its water from Rice Creek, a tributary of Rock Creek, and about $3 per cord is paid for firewood laid down at the mine. About sixty men are at present employed by the company.

Development work has not shown conclusively which way the lead runs after leaving Cariboo ground. East from the Cariboo comes the Wiarton, owned by the Camp McKinney Development Company. The development work includes two shafts and some test pits sunk with a view of prospecting outcroppings on the claim. At the bottom of one of these shafts, 40 feet deep, the ledge shows about two and one-half feet of bluish quartz similar in appearance to the ore on the Waterloo.

The Waterloo.

The Waterloo, which lies immediately east of the Wiarton, is one of the most promising properties in the camp Considerable ore has been opened up and a 5-stamp mill will be in operation shortly. It has a strong outcrop of a well-defined vein of solid quartz from three and a half to four feet wide on the surface and opened up for several hundred feet by means of two shafts and a series of test pits. The main shaft is down nearly 100 feet, with a sump and drifts at the 65 foot level. The ledge in both the east and west drifts at the bottom of the working is from five to six feet wide. The quartz is generally of a bluish character, but in the face of the west drift 175 feet from the shaft it takes on a white appearance and other characteristics of the Cariboo ore. The ledge is enclosed between good walls and carries iron pyrites and a fine grained galena. The values are said to be the highest obtained in the camp, some of the rock showing free gold, visible to the naked eye. Mill tests from both drifts have gone from $25 to $37 to the ton

The erection of a mill is about completed and the five stamps will start dropping about Oct. 20th, and the clean-up is looked for early in November. The mill is supplemented by Johnston concentrators. The property is equipped with steam hoist and good buildings and a 280-foot tramway will convey the ore from the collar of the shaft to the stamps.

Fontenoy and Adjacent Claims.

The Fontenoy, adjoining the Waterloo to the east, is operated by the Fontenoy Gold Mining and Milling Company, which has sunk a shaft on a north and south vein, about three feet wide on the surface, and which I was informed widened out to six feet of ore 150 feet down. I was also told that by means of drifts at the 120 foot level the east and west ledge of the Waterloo had been tapped. The property is equipped with a steam hoist.

To the north of the Waterloo and Fontenoy lies the Last Chance, and to the east the New York, Goldcup and Pathfinder claims, which have for some time been under option to the Silver Bell Consolidated Mining Company. East of these again lies the Ecuador. Two quartz ledges outcrop on this property, both running east and west. Upon one an incline shaft is down 80 feet. I was told that there is two feet of quartz at the bottom of this shaft. The second shaft is down 25 feet on the second vein, with three feet of ledge matter, including quartz and gangue at the bottom. The quartz resembles the Waterloo in appearance and mineralization.

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J. FROOBS ..... MANAGER

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1899.

The reported discovery of galena in quartz within half a mile of Midway is of interest, but importance of the find will of course depend entirely upon whether there is a ledge of sufficient size and carrying values enough to induce effective development. That mineral, chiefly copper ores, occurs in both directions within a radius of two or three miles from the town, is well known, but hitherto comparatively little work has been done to fairly prove whether the ore deposits are continuous or not. Until more work shall have been done it must remain uncertain whether there are the makings of payable mines near to the town. The indications are favorable, but only development will establish either that Midway will eventually have the benefit of a mining pay roll, or the contrary.

The announcement has been made to the effect that on and from to-day a daily passenger train will run between Robson and Greenwood. This marks a step forward in the advancement of the district, since it involves the establishment of far more expeditious and comfortable means of travel than the district has hitherto had the benefit of. It may be expected that many more profitable investors will visit the district than under the comfortless and tedious stage travelling hitherto existing, which though good of its kind, was not of a kind to induce nearly so many men of means unaccustomed to, in a measure, roughing it along the road, to come into the district. There should, too, be a decided improvement in regard to freight matters, so that the long and vexatious delays and frequent losses now experienced may be done away with. It is said that all things come to him who waits. Many in the Boundary country have waited long and anxiously and in their impatience, pardonable perhaps under the circumstances, have blamed the railway charter holders for the delay. But none may now fairly blame the C. P. R. Company in this direction, for, having effectually blocked opposition for the time, this company pushed on the big and costly work of giving the Boundary country transportation and has now extended its branch lines to an extent warranted only by a strong confidence, amounting almost to a certainty that there will be a large and profitable transportation business to be done.

Having arrived at this forward stage residents and others interested may anticipate the future with equal confidence and as benefits accrue from railway connection, may well forget the long and weary waiting in the reflection that "all is well that ends well."

City of Paris and Majestic Groups.

Mr. Jay P. Graves has returned from a trip of inspection to the City of Paris and Majestic properties in Central camp.

"I am much pleased with the progress of development work," said Mr. Graves to your correspondent. "About 60 men are employed. We are cutting a station in the City of Paris, in the tunnel, about 850 feet from the mouth of the tunnel. The hoist recently installed will be in operation Nov. 13th. Sinking is in progress at this station. It will be continued until an additional depth of 100 feet is gained, before cross-cutting is commenced. At the station the tunnel is 250 feet vertically from the surface. More than 3,000 feet of work has been done on this level in the City of Paris, and an upraise to the surface has just been completed, ensuring good ventilation. A second upraise will be made from the adjoining and connecting workings in the City of Lincoln. We will shortly commence stoping from the 100-foot level of the City of Paris, preparatory to hauling the ore to Grand Forks early in the new year.

The Majestic tunnel is in 400 feet, and very good ore was encountered in the latter half of the workings. The property bids fair to become a good mine. The plant, which serves for the two groups, comprises a Rand duplex compressor, two 60-horse power boilers, and one 25-horse power hoist. We erected a number of buildings this fall, store conducted by private enterprise is doing business there. The new wagon road from Grand Forks is in good condition. Over it during the winter months will be hauled from 2,000 to 5,000 tons of our ore. There are 1,000 tons of shipping ore on the City of Paris dump. This group comprises three claims, and the Majestic group four claims. The principal values are in gold, copper and silver. Many assays of the City of Paris ore yielded one ounce of gold, two to five per cent copper, and from 20 to 30 ounces of silver to the ton.—Grand Forks correspondence.

In Camp McKinney.

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The Lemon Group.

One of the most interesting properties in the camp is the Lemon group of five claims. It is situated at the extreme end of the camp, about two miles from the Cariboo, and is owned by the Lemon Gold Mining Company of British Columbia. The development work on the property so far has been confined chiefly to the Gold Standard location. The quartz ledge being opened up is a very strong one. It runs north and south and has a surface showing of six feet. An incline shaft has been run down on the ledge for 200 feet. It follows the hanging wall all the way with the foot wall not in sight. At the 125-foot level a drift has been run 100 feet south on the vein and a crosscut shows the ledge to be 21 feet wide at this point, including 12 feet of milling ore. The vein matter consists of greyish quartz mixed with talcy strips, all carrying galena and iron pyrites. I am told that the pay chutes in the lode ran high and that an average test of the ore in the face of the tunnel at the 125 foot level went $10 per ton in gold. At the 200-foot level the shaft is still on the hanging wall and 10 feet lower a drift will be run on the ledge toward the south, in order to block out the ore below the 125-foot level. The Lemon is equipped with a steam hoist, and a five-stamp mill has been ordered, and will be installed within a few months, with power for 30 stamps. The mill will be supplemented by concentrators.

Immediately to the south and west of the Cariboo lie the Minnehaha, Sailor and Kamloops properties, and still further to the southwest the Granite and Banner locations. The three first named properties are supposed to all carry a vein which is known as the Minnehaha ledge, and some people interested in the Sailor group figure that they also have the Cariboo ledge. Development will prove the truth or otherwise of this contention.

The Minnehaha.

The Minnehaha group includes the Minnehaha, Golden Crown fraction, Cariboo fraction, Iron Duke, Sinbad fraction, Silvan and Brushwood Boy. The Minnehaha has three quartz ledges, two running east and west, like the Cariboo ledge, and one north and south, like the Lemon lode.

In the first place, the management has an extention of the 25-foot ledge found on the Aberdeen, an adjoining location, and in the second place has sunk a 20-foot shaft on a small east and west quartz ledge. The chief work, however, has been done on another vein running in an easterly and westerly direction, with a surface outcrop of an average width of three feet. To open up this lead a shaft has been run down 190 feet, with cross-cuts at the 9 and 190 foot levels. The shaft followed the vein down a distance of 40 feet. Here the ledge, which at this depth showed five and a half feet of clear quartz, faulted, and at the 95-foot level a crosscut was run intersecting the vein again in place within 16 feet. Where thus caught on the 95-foot level, the lode is 5 to 6 feet wide with well-defined walls. From this cross-cut a drift was run westerly for 75 feet. This working is in ore all the way, and the face, which is near the end line of the Kamloops, shows a good ore body. At the same level the management has drifted easterly for 190 feet. This drift ran in ore for 45 feet, and then a dyke of country rock cut off the ledge for about 40 feet, after which the working ran into ore again and continued to show more or less quartz for the rest of its entire length. From this level an upraise is being made to the surface. At the 190 foot level cross-cutting and drifting is still being done to locate the ore body. The company now has two of its machine drills at work on the first level, and two others this month begin work on the second level.

The company's plant consists of a five-drill air compressor, air drills, steam hoist, a sinking pump and a station pump, and a 10 stamp mill is now being installed. It is expected that this mill will be ready to start running inside of about two months. Ore values have not been ascertained by any mill test, but assays show a wide range, some being very high and some very low. The buildings include shaft and engine house, blacksmith's shop, bunk houses, boarding house and offices.

The Kamloops, which adjoins the Minnehaha, has, as already indicated, the Minnehaha ledge. This vein has been opened by a small incline shaft and a permanent working shaft is now being sunk to catch the ledge on its dip. Ten men are at work upon the property.

Mr. W. A. Carlyle, formerly Provincial Mineralogist and for some time past general superintendent for the B. A. Corporation, owning the Le Roi and other valuable mines in the neighborhood of Rossland was tendered a farewell banquet and presented with a valuable silver service by the citizens of Rossland, last week. Mr. Carlyle will shortly assume charge of the Rio Tinto mine, in Spain, which mine is said to employ 14,000 men.

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FRANK BAILEY.

Dated this nineth day of November, 1899.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, Nelson Joseph La Plant, free miner certificate No. 86164, for myself and as agent for R. L. Rutter, free miner certificate No. 186311, James McNicol, free miner certificate No. 135755, and William Graham McMynn, free miner certificate No. 86301, 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 7th day of November, 1899.

NELSON JOSEPH LA PLANT

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Wednesday, 15th November, for the purchase of Lot 681, Group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District, containing 60 acres, more or less.

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W. S. GORE,
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Valley, P. C. McArthur.

SEPTEMBER 26.

Niagara, W. C. McDougall.
Rambler, W. C. McDougall.
Scotch, Pass, and Crown Point, H. McArthur.
Morning, Ophir, Noonday and Knob Hill, C. S. Morris.
Keremeos, Chalenge and Buckhorn, H. C. McArthur.
Gold Run and Belle, James Riorden.
Evening, W. C. McDougall.
Eureca, J. J. Thomas,

SEPTEMBER 27.

Nellie Buck, John R. Redman.
Francis Meher, Gold Brick and Wheeling, Albeidt & Ecker.

SEPTEMBER 29.

Golden Horn, J. W. Powell.
Alberta, Henry Rowand.

SEPTEMBER 30.

Stemwinder, John Cameron.
San Francisco, Thomas Hawkins.
Rajah, J.B. Christopherson.
Buckeye, J. Westerman.
Coolgardie, Albert Piper.
Gem, fraction, Frank Parker.
Royal Exchange, D. J. Lynch.
Conkle, H. Anderson.

OCTOBER 2.

North Star, W. H. Rambo,
Poorman, Rambo & Rock.
Lone Star, W. H. Rambo.
Clyde A., A. P. Day.
Rupert, G. Hooper & G. Gibson.
Treasure Box, R. Knight.
Polar Star, W. D. McKinnon.
Buffalo, John Dufour.

OCTOBER 5.

Boodler, Steve Mangott.
Cinabar, Venner, Kennard and Goodchap.
Afgan, Venner & Kennard.

OCTOBER 6.

Tassay, Allan Gillis.

OCTOBER 9.

Auction, C. Jordan.
Black Jack, J. M. Young.

OCTOBER 10.

Friendship, H. Strauss.
Crown King, Evan William.
Sunrise, A Plant.
Last Chance, Rion & Plant.
Morning Star, E. Rion.
Trois Pistoles, A. Plant.
Lucky Jim, M. J. Moriarity.
Big Dyke and Golden Butterfly, Christopherson & Westerman.
Morning Glory, E. D. Boxing.

OCTOBER 11.

Mogul and Valley View, Thos. Burt.
Nabob, H. Malony.
Southern Cross, Wm. Younkin.

OCTOBER 13.

Buckhorn, Antler and Sandown, Hall & Nelson.
Colmax, Ben. Peterson.
Royal Crown, Wm Steel.

OCTOBER 14.

Black Chief, fraction, Hopkins & Morris.

OCTOBER 16.

Huron, Chas Heald.
Emperor, Hamilton & Megraw.
St. Charles, A. A. R. Chambeau.
Gem, W. H. Rambo.
Tiger, Rock & Rambo.
Nodaway, R. E. Richter.
Violet, E. E Moss.
Maple Leaf 2, Robt. Wood.
Blarney Stone, E. E. Moss.
Last Chance, Arthur Hill,

OCTOBER 18

Hallow E'en, James Grant.

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Mountain Daisy, C. C. White.
Mountain Lily, James Kehoe.
Silver Thread, Cunningham & McBoyle.

OCTOBER 21.

Valley View, Dan Coutenay.

OCTOBER 23.

Cape Breton, K. P. Matheson.
Lucky Bob, F. E. Holt.

OCTOBER 25.

Lakeside, fraction, A. J. Wheatley.
Headlight No. 1 and Headlight No.2, Spencer Benerman.

OCTOBER 26.

After Thought, James Riordan.
Billy Goat, R. N. Allison.

OCTOBER 30.

Winnipeg, Copper Queen, Trapper and Brooklynn, Steve Mangott.

NOVEMBER 1.

Dew Drop, H. W, Conkling.
Little Winner, Jas. Mather.
C. O. D., Atwood & Vaughan.
Mountain View, T. N. Graves.

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SEPTEMBER 25.

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SEPTEMBER 26.

Triumph, A. Beaucage.
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SEPTEMBER 27.

Ophir, Evan Morris.
Badger, D. A. Holbrook.
Mary Graff, Mary Graff.

SEPTEMBER 28.

Occidental, T. J. Armstrong et al.
Staunch, Shatford, Cosens and Mueller.

SEPTEMBER 29.

Horn Silver, J. W. Powell.

SEPTEMBER 30.

Peerless, Edward James.
Ada M., Ainsley Megraw.
Julia, Hamilton and Megraw.
Mascot, Hamilton and Younkin.
Ore Bastante, Greene and Bemis.
Surprise, A. F. Rosenberg.

OCTOBER 2.

Yellow Jacket, Star of the West and Bank of England, J. E. Walsh.
Mountain View, Champion and Pilgrim, R. E L.Brown.
Mountain Queen, Spencer Cosens.
Lion, W. G. Gillespie.

OCTOBER 3.

Boston, St. Louis and Toronto, Jno. N. Greden et al.

OCTOBER 4.

Waterloo, fraction, J. J. Finnegan et al.
Rover, fraction, Sailor Consolidated Mining and Milling Company, Limited.
Bounty, J. P. McLeod.
Logan, Alex. Wallace.

OCTOBER 9.

Granite, Camp McKinney Mining Company.

OCTOBER 10.

Wandering Boy, George McKugo.

OCTOBER 13.

Alberta, Ainsley Megraw.
Big Bug, Ainsley Megraw et al.

OCTOBER 16.

Eureka, fraction, Nicholson and McKenzie.
Alma, fraction, Stevenson, Nicholson and Mueller.
Sovereign, Henry Stevenson.
Mainland, Held, Lind and Keightley.

October 20.

Annie L., Little Cariboo Mining Co.
Bonnie Doon, Thomas Donald.

October 21.

Lizzie D., fraction, Coutney, Mangott and Shatford.
Florence, Dan. Coutney

October 25.

Revenge, and Lottie, G. M. Barrett.
Arlington, S. Benerman.

October 30.

Greyhound, Joseph Bromley.

November 1.

Prince, Alex. Wallace.
Duncan, Bell and Wallace.

November 2.

Photograph, Barbour and Nash.

November 3.

Derlin, Bramlett and Derlin.
City of Paris, A. D. McLeod.

EXCHANGE CLIPPINGS.

The railway into the Boundary camps is stirring them to unprecedented life and activity.— Spokane "Spokesman-Review."

Men who in all parts of the world take off their hats when "God Save the Queen" is played are not likely to fail in responding when the Queen calls upon them.—American Exchange.

This war in South Africa if it prove Britain's military efficiency will develop into a great peace movement. Britain's power on land and sea is the surest guarantee of the world's peace. —Toronto "Evening Telegram."

The buying and using of space in newspapers for advertising purposes is no longer an experiment or a pastime —it's business. What shall it profit a man if he have the biggest bargains on earth to offer, and nobody knows it?

Freedom should be the real bond between Great Britain and the United States. After all is said and done Great Britain and the United States are the only two powerful nations on earth ruled by the people.—Toronto "Evening Telegram."

All reports from mining men seem to agree that the outlook for the mining season next year is most flattering. Repeal the Alien Act and fix up the roads and the most of us don't care a straw who the M.P.P.'s are.—Ashcroft "Journal."

Two new battleships of the first-class have within a month been added to the Royal Navy in the "Bulwark" and the "Venerable." The former is of 15,000-horse power, is to be the flagship of an Admiral and carry a crew of 773 men of all ranks, The Bulwark is very heavily armoured.

Here's to the blood that is thicker than water!
Here's to the speech from one mother's knee!
Here's to the Lion, Kangaroo and Beaver
And the Saxons' strength of that Trinity!

Copper seems to be king among the minerals at the present time. The richest mines on the continent of America, the Calumet and Hecla, are copper producers. On a capital of $2,500,000, they have paid $62,850,000 in dividends. The shares of $25 were first sold at $12.50 and now are selling at $780.

(Continued on page 4.)

"MIDWAY THE BEAUTIFUL."

A brief History of Midway and a Summary of its Advantages.

A Picturesque Townsite Affording Special Inducements for Business and Residence Purposes.

It is very generally admitted that Midway is the best natural site for a town in the Boundary district. It was formerly known as Eholt's, after the original pre-emptor of the land. It was purchased from Mr. L. Eholt in 1892 by Capt. R. C. Adams, of Montreal, P. Q., and several associates.

The original townsite was platted in 1893 by Messrs. Kirk & Ritchie, provincial land surveyors, now of Rossland. The town was named Boundary City, but as another place had already been similarly named a new name had to be found for this town before registration could be secured. Capt. Adams eventually decided upon the name of Midway for the reason that the town is situate about midway in British Columbia between the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific Ocean. The first Townsite Agent was the late Mr. H. P. Palmerston and the first sale of lots was made in 1893 to Mr. John Douglas, who still resides in the town.

A Picturesque Townsite.

Midway certainly is a most picturesque and beautiful site for a town. Occupying a broad, level plain at the confluence of Boundary Creek with Kettle River and at the meeting place of three valleys, with the intervening mountains rising around it, it commands general admiration. But the advantages that attach to its singularly favorable location are not scenic alone, for, lying in the only natural pass through the mountains east and west for a long distance, it appears destined to become an important point on the chief highway through the district. Here meet three main wagon roads which come in from the Okanagan country and Camp McKinney on the west, the mining camps of the Colville Indian Reservation on the south, and the extensive area of mineral bearing country comprising the Boundary Creek district lying immediately to the north. Here, too, for some time will be the terminus of the Columbia and Western railway now nearly completed and which will give rail connection with the Kootenay and thence northwards to the C. P. R. main line or eastwards via the Crow's Nest railroad. And when competing railways shall come in it will be here that a road from Spokane via Republic and another from the Columbia River up the American Okanogan via the Palmer Mountain and Meyers Creek mining districts, will junction, These important natural advantages therefore appear to warrant the expectation that when trade and population shall have adapted themselves to more permanent conditions than now prevail Midway will become.

A Distributing Centre

for a wide area of country, including some of the mining camps of Boundary Creek, those of upper main Kettle River and its numerous tributaries, Camp McKinney, and those in Northern Washington south to Republic in one direction and south-west through Meyers Creek to Palmer Mountain in another. Being on the Kettle River and, as well, centrally situated for manufacturing purposes, it should eventually secure an important and increasing manufacturing connection, the more so since having railway transportation facilities, it will be practicable to bring in materials for industrial uses at low freight rates. The fact that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is interested to a considerable extent in the town and immediate vicinity is an additional advantage in its favor, since it assures to the town the influence and support of that powerful company, which has already expressed its intention to make Midway a divisional point and the junction of two branch railways.

As a residence town Midway stands alone in the Boundary Creek district. No other town in the district can honestly claim to enjoy similar advantages from a health point of view. With a dry bracing atmosphere, an abundant supply of pure water, favorable sanitary conditions, an entire absence of contagious diseases, ample room for out-door sports, and level roads for riding, driving, cycling, etc., it is without doubt

Unequalled as a Residence Town

any where in the district. For families there are the further requisites of a skilled resident physician, a thoroughly well-qualified schoolmaster and a resident clergyman.

Midway has for years been the chief town of the Kettle River Mining Division in an official sense. Here have long been located the district offices of the Provincial Government, so that all business with the Mining Recorder, the County Court Registrar and the Registrar of Marriages has to be transacted here. The District Coroner and the Provincial Chief Constable both reside in Midway, where is, too, the oldest Public School and the first Customs House in the district. Here, too, of course unofficially came, in August 1894, THE ADVANCE, the first newspaper published in the Boundary district.

Much more might be added to show that the town is a desirable one from both an investment and a residence point of view. It has promising mineral resources in its immediate neighborhood awaiting development; as a smelter site it has many advantages; it offers summer attractions to the sportsman in good fishing and shooting and in the winter the skating and sleighing are so good as to be unrivalled anywhere else in the district.

Close by the town land is available for small holdings, in lots of from one acre to five or six acres and obtainable on liberal deferred-payment terms. Some of these are already in cultivation and enjoy the advantage of having a local irrigation system to assist growth. These small holdings can be purchased from The Midway Company, Ltd., which also sells town lots—both business and residence—at reasonable prices and on easy terms of payment The town is growing commercially, too, numerous business and trades being either already represented or about to be. Altogether Midway is worthy of the attention of those seeking a location for either business or residence purposes whilst to investors it offers special inducements, lot prices being still low and the town having a bright and promising future before it.

PUBLIC OFFICES.

POST OFFICE—
Mails going west close about 2:30 p. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; going east on Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays at about 11:3 a. m.
P. O Money Order Office.
Edward A Hain, Postmaster,

CUSTOMS OFFICE—
Office hours 9 a m to 4 p m; Saturdays 9 a m to 1 p m.
R. Gardom, Acting Sub-Collector.

MINING RECORDER'S OFFICE—
Office hours 9 a m to 12:30 noon, and 1:30 p m to 4 p m; Saturdays 9 a m to 1 p m.
Wm G McMynn, Recorder for the Kettle River Mining Division.

COUNTY COURT OF YALE—
Wm Ward Spinks (Vernon) Judge.
Wm G McMynn (Midway) Registrar and Clerk of the Peace.
A G Pemberton (Ducks) Sheriff.
G B Taylor (Greenwood) Deputy Sheriff

SUPREME COURT COMMISSIONERS—
Wm G McMynn, Commissioner for taking affidavits within British Columbia.

PROVINCIAL POLICE—
Wm G McMynn (Midway) Chief Constable for Southeast Yale with constables stationed as under:
Cascade City, D J Darraugh,
Grand Forks, I A Dinsmore,
Midway, Geo Cunningham,
Camp McKinney, Chas Winter,
Fairview, J R Brown,

DISTRICT CORONER—
Dr R W Jakes, M D, C M, Coroner for Kettle River and Grand Forks Mining Divisions.

REGISTRY OF MARRIAGES—
Wm G McMynn, Registrar.

PUBLIC SCHOOL—
A A McPhail, Teacher.

BOUNDARY CREEK LICENCE DISTRICT—
E Jacobs (Midway) and T W Coleman (Trail), Licence Commissioners.
D J Darraugh, Chief Licence Inspector. All Provincial Constables are Licence Inspectors. Regular meetings of Board on June 15 and Dec. 15; special meetings when ever called by Chief Inspector.

NOTARIES PUBLIC—
Forbes M Kerby, Wm G McMynn, W H Norris, Jas. Sutherland, R H Bergman, J S Harrison (West Bridge).

Free Miners' Certificate Fees.

The following scale will show the fees to be charged for free miners' certificates covering only a portion of the year: Certificates issued between June 1st and 18th, $5: between June 19th and July 6th, $4.75; between July 7th and 24th, $4.50; between July 25th and August 11th, $4.25; between August 12th and 30th, $4; between August 31st and September 18th, $3.75; between September 19th and October 7th, $3.50; between October 8th and 26th, $3.25; between October 27th and November 14th, $3.00; between November 15th and December 2nd, $2.75; between December 3rd and 20th, $2.50; between December 21st and January 7th, $2.25; between January 8th and 25th, $2; between January 26th and February 12th, $1.75; between February 13th and March 2nd, $1.50; between March 3rd and 20th, $1.25; between March 21st and April 7th, $1; between April 8th and 25th, 75 cents; between April 26th and May 13th, 50 cents; between May 14th and 31st, 25 cents.

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And widen pleasures marge!
Go build thy hut of any size,
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The Midway Company still have for sale a few 5-acre tracts. Buy one on easy terms, and "make thy garden large."

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Have you seen the beautiful dinner sets we received direct from the importer? if not, don't fail to look at them soon, as we do not know how long they will be in stock. Chamber sets of 12 pieces, also cheaper ones of 6 pieces. Anything in the Crockery line from plain white stoneware to the costliest chinaware.

Our Dress Goods Department is not quite complete, as most of the seasonable goods have been sold, but we still think that we are able to satisfy almost any taste. Silks, satins and velvets in all colors for trimmings, and shirt waists. A new consignment of shirt waists has just arrived.

Our fine lot of Groceries are coming in daily, including fine Government Creamery butter, also fresh made ranch butter.

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THE GAME LAWS.

The open seasons for game are, respectively, as follows, both dates being inclusive :—

September 1st to February 28th—Bittern, ducks of all kinds, heron, meadow lark, plover.

September 1st to December 31st—Caribou, elk, wapiti (bull), grouse of all kinds, including prairie chickens, hare, moose (bull).

September 1st to December 14th—Deer (buck), deer (doe), mountain goat, mountain sheep (ram.)

November 2nd to March 31st—Beaver, land otter, marten.

Unless specially provided, it is unlawful to shoot or destroy the following: Insectivorous birds, English blackbird, caribou (cow or calf,) chaffinch, deer (fawn under 12 months), elk, wapiti (cow), elk, wapiti (calf under two years), gull, linnet, moose (cow or calf under 12 months), mountain sheep (ewe or lamb), English partridge, cock pheasant, quail of all kinds, skylark, thrush, and eggs of protected birds.

Farmers only may shoot robins in gardens, between June 1st and September 1st.

It is unlawful to buy, sell, or expose for sale, show, or advertisement: Insectivorous birds, bittern, English blackbird, caribou (cow or calf), chaffinch, deer (fawn under 12 months) or doe, elk or wapiti of any sex or age, grouse of all kinds, except blue grouse, which may be sold during the open season; gull, linnet, meadow lark, moose (cow or calf), mountain sheep (ewe or lamb). English partridge, cock pheasant, hen pheasant, quail, robin, skylark, thrush, at any time.

It is unlawful to buy, sell, or expose for sale, show, or advertisement: Caribou, hare, bull moose, mountain goat, mountain ram, before October 1st; buck deer, blue grouse, plover, during the close season.

It is unlawful to kill and take in one season, more than five caribou, ten deer, two elk, 250 duck, two moose, five mountain goats, three mountain rams, and to hunt deer with dogs, or kill deer for hides alone.

Man for man, the British army is the most efficient of all the armies across the water. The recent Soudan campaign was carried forward like a gigantic business undertaking. The task of clothing, feeding and moving large forces has been reduced to a science by the British military authorities.—"Spokesman-Review."

It seems that Sir Louis Davies has promised on behalf of the Dominion Government the beginning in Spring of the building of a submarine railroad tunnel to connect Prince Edward Island and the Mainland. This is regarded in Eastern Canada as another indication of an early General Election. The Prince Edward Islanders have been expecting this tunnel ever since they entered the Dominion Federation in 1873.—"News-Advertiser."

A press despatch from Grand Rapids, Mich., states that Judge Newnham's father, sister and twin daughters were all born on Queen Victoria's birthday. He recently sent a group photo of the family to the Queen with a note of explanation, and received a letter of acknowledgment direct from Balmoral Castle, with further advice that to him would be sent a photo of Queen Victoria and representatives of three successive generations.

KETTLE RIVER MINING DIVISION.

Records for the Week Ending November 9th, 1899.

MINERAL LOCATIONS.

NOVEMBER 10.

Bellringer, Central camp, George Foulds.

NOVEMBER 11.

Copper Dell, Deadwood comp, Thomas Pascoe.

Copper Reward, Deadwood camp, John McQuirk.

Simplex, Skylark camp. J. Smith.

NOVEMBER 13.

Deadwood, Deadwood camp, H. L. Morgan.

NOVEMBER 14.

Golden Eleanor, near Midway, John L. Patterson.

NOVEMBER 15.

Copper Cliff, Providence camp, C. W. H. Sanson.

Gold Dollar, fraction, Triple Lake camp, G. D. Cunningham.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

NOVEMBER 11.

Niger, Fernardo, Strathmore, Callao and Nelson, C. Scott Galloway.

Sidar, Arthur F. Thomas.

NOVEMBER 14.

Columbia, J. W. Smith.

NOVEMBER 15.

Traveller, Oscar E. Nelson and E Fletcher.

NOVEMBER 16.

Le Roy, D. D. Enyeart.

Minedott, D. D. Enyeart et al.

TRANSFERS.

NOVEMBER 9.

Boston Boy, ¼ interest, John Lucy to George D. Leyson.

Highland Mary, ⅛ interest, Robert Wood to Sydney M. Johnson.

Black Warrior, all interest, Frank M. Greenwood to Chester H. Archibald.

NOVEMBER 10.

Highland Mary, ⅛ interest, Robert Wood to Sydney M. Johnson.

Foghorn, ¾ interest, J. W. Reed to Sydney M. Johnson.

Dandy, 7-48 interest, Thos. Humphrey to Sydney M. Johnson.

Dandy, 7-48 interest, J. W. Lind to Sydney M. Johnson.

NOVEMBER 11.

Atlanta, ¼ interest, E. H. Rippeto to C. M. Arnold.

Atlanta, fraction, ¼ interest, E. H. Rippeto to C. M. Arnold.

NOVEMBER 14.

Hartford, all interest, Patrick McCarthy to Thomas Hardy.

Joker, ¾ interest, P. J. Dermody to Michael Sullivan and Thomas B. Garrison.

NOVEMBER 16.

Golden Eagle, ½ interest, H. Hamlin to Donald A. Cameron.

Grey Horse and Bessie, ⅛ interest, D. Bryant to Ben. H. Miller.

ABANDONMENT.

NOVEMBER 10.

Klondyke, Duncan Ross.

CERTIFICATES OF IMPROVEMENTS.

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Applications for Certificates of Improvements.

Notices advertised in this week's ADVANCE are those of :—

North Star, Camp McKinney.

Granite and Banner, Camp McKinney.

Dominion, Fairview, A. D. A., and Black Hawk, in Camp Fairview.

Bullseye, fraction, on Kruger mountain.

Dividend and Dividend fraction, Gold Dust and Little Gold Dust, Kruger mountain.

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Greenwood City, B. C.

L AND DISTRICT.

band of beef cattle for P. ., passed through Midway

ns are out for a Bachelor's mp McKinney, on Friday, t.

e given at the Hotel Spo- Vednesday evening was well nd an enjoyable time was

or, Judge Spinks, will hold urt at Greenwood on Tues- 1st, and at Midway on Wed- v. 22nd.

eckwith has returned from where he had an operation on one of his eyes but it was ossible to save the sight.

Jacobs, local representative way Company, Ltd., left for last Friday. He will be ee or four weeks.

D. Banbury went out on Fri- e on his way to Trail. He n in a few days with his d in future will make Mid- home.

n Kirkup, Government Agent Rossland-Boundary District stable I. A. Dinsmore, of orks, were visitors to Mid- uesday last.

ers are now at work on Mr. rguson's house which when d will add greatly to the ap- of the row of buildings on cre tracts.

ted that there is a movement erect in Grand Forks a $10- al, which will also be avail- employees on the Columbia tern Railway.

arry Humphreys, allotting the land on the Colville In- ervation, is reported to have ed that the work will be com- ithin two months.

ditional lengths of side-walk g put down on Fifth Street are d improvement. The cost is efrayed by several business others interested in this part own.

. Dietz's new residence on Street is now completed. He had an addition built to the which he recently purchased r. Randolph Stuart. This hree houses Mr. Dietz has on et.

mon with other local mer- Messrs. Hain & Co. have lately onsiderably to their stock, for ven now they have none too space, notwithstanding that oo, lately largely increased re accomodation.

ms Inspector Clute, who has Grand Forks and Cascade for past has gone to Nelson, B. C. Hon. Wm. Patterson, Minister ous. Mr. Clute's official visit nwood and Midway will conse- be deferred for a few days.

. L. Terry's new store building enth Street is now sufficiently ed towards completion to ad- his stock of general merchan- ing displayed to much better age than was practicable whilst penters were at work inside the g.

Midway Trading Company has it necessary to provide more or the heavy stock it is now car- It has rented for storage pur- he new building recently erected J. C. Smith at the rear of the ny's large store, and it is as well a roomy cellar excavated under in business premises.

rs. Barclay and Harris last purchased from the Midway any two lots situate on Seventh opposite Crowell's hotel, and are recting on them a building for a barn and feed stable which they hemselves conduct. They have od wishes of friends and prospec- atrons that success may attend enterprise.

idway Progress Association.

the meeting of members of the ay Progress Association held Wednesday evening the commit- ppointed the previous week for urpose submitted a draft of the itution and by-laws they had pre- d. These were considered clause ause and after alteration to meet views of the members present adopted as the constitution and ws of the association.

e election of officers and commit- esulted as follows:—President, Mr. Powers; Vice-President, Mr. S. owell; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Crouse; Committee, Messrs. J. rguson, E. Jacobs, C. N. Owen, Terry, C. L. Thomet, J. R. Wich- and the officers ex officio.

was decided to hold regular fort- ly meetings of members, com- ing on Wednesday evening 29th

Word reaches here of a terrible shooting accident at Vernon by which Herbert McClusky, a young man of about 18 years of age, lost his life. Young McClusky, in company with a boy named Albert Carey, went on a deer hunt. They each had a shotgun and rifle, and finding no deer they used the former in killing some grouse. They came to a steep cliff of loose rock and before descending the cartridges were removed from both rifles and Carey's shotgun. After removing the cartridges from his rifle young McClusky went forward, and his companion asked him if he did not intend to empty his shotgun as well, but hardly had the words been spoken when McClusky stumbled and the gun went off, sending the charge of shot into his arm, and the entire muscular section between the elbow and shoulder was torn away. His companion was unsuccessful at stopping the enormous flow of blood, and he reached Mr. Furniss' place in a very exhausted condition. He was taken to the City Hospital where he died on Tuesday evening.

The deceased was a son of the late W. McClusky, for some years manager of the BX Ranch. He leaves a mother, Mrs. Furniss, and several brothers and sisters to mourn his sad and sudden end.

A. W. Bowlby Commits Suicide by Hanging, at Penticton.

Upon going to the blacksmith shop last Tuesday morning Mr. Barnes, proprietor of the livery stable at Penticton, was horrified to find the body of a man hanging from a beam of the ceiling. The remains were still warm, but life was perfectly extinct. It was found that the unfortunate man was A. W. Bowlby, a blacksmith who had until recently worked at one of the Fairview mines. He was about 55 years of age and came to this country from St. Thomas, Ontario, where he leaves a wife and family. Financial worry is supposed to be the reason for his rash act. A coroner's inquest was held on Friday last to inquire into the matter and the following jury was impanelled: E. E. Jones (foreman), L. E. Turner, Norman Wilkinson, W. J. Kirby, Jas. Ford and W. Armstrong. The evidence elicited was as above, and the jury returned the following verdict: "That the deceased, Abraham W. Bowlby, came to his death on or about the 7th inst., in a blacksmith shop at Penticton, by his own hands, when temporarily insane, he having attached a rope to a beam of the ceiling with the other end around his neck and jumping from a bench which was close by."

MINING NOTES.

A ledge of fine copper ore has been found at a depth of fourteen feet on the White Cloud, in Bruce Mountain camp. This claim is owned by Messrs. W. McCormick and A. Hopper.

Publication of the Osoyoos Division Mining records having been unavoidably omitted for several weeks, those made since the latter part of September appear in this issue so that readers of THE ADVANCE interested in them may have reference files complete.

Among recent records made in the local Mining Recorder's office was one of a mineral claim located about half a mile north of Midway. Specimens of galena in quartz stated to have been found on this claim were exhibited in Midway last week. No particulars of the find have yet been received at THE ADVANCE office, but it is interesting to note that mineral has been found so near the town.

It is reported that the clean-up from the 5 stamp mill on the Granite and Banner in Camp McKinney, for the week ending 7th inst. was a gold brick valued at $633, and this result was obtained from 37 tons of ore, averaging $17 per ton. The plant was idle for a day owing to a slight accident to the thus injector. The crosscut from the 30 foot level has shown the ledge to be 40 feet wide. The sinking of the shaft is also being continued.

A Plea for Consistency.

Americans can not consistently censure England's course in the Transvaal, because this nation owes its strength and glory to forces, movements and principles like the forces, movements and principles which are now under application in South Africa.

We elbowed the Dutch out of the New Netherlands, and that gave us New York. We shoved the Spaniards out of the Carolinas, the Spaniards and Frenchmen out of the Louisiana country, and the Spaniards and Mexicans out of Texas, California and the territories along the Mexican border. American settlers swarmed into the Oregon country in the early '40s and we compelled the Hudson's Bay Company people to pack up their trading posts, abandon their fields and gardens in the Willamette valley, and "trek" off north into British Columbia.

tion on the American continent of a great, progressive, English-speaking nation would have been an impossibility. Instead of one flag floating over the existing 45 states and the territories of New Mexico, Arizona and Alaska, the skies would have been gay with the flags of Holland, France, England, Spain, Mexico and Russia—for Alaska we acquired from the Czar.

England's course in the Transvaal is justified by history, by manifest destiny, and by the admissions of the Transvaal government that it is incapable of dealing with liberality and fairness towards the great wave of immigration. Kruger's government can not or will not treat English-speaking residents of the Transvaal as the British treat the Dutch-speaking residents of Cape Colony and Natal.

It may be, as Olive Schreiner prophesies, that in fighting the Boers of Transvaal and the Orange Free State, England will sow seeds of resentment which will spring up in after years and sever the whole South African country from the motherland. But that will be another page of history from that written when England drove the Dutch government out of New York, and pulled down the French flag in the south. The fact is not altered that England stands to-day for progress, civilization, and the protection of life and property in South Africa.—Spokane "Spokesman-Review."

Teaching the Deaf.

To the Taxpayers and Citizens of British Columbia, and Residents of Victoria especially:

The results of my work since August 19 in your beautiful city impel me to submit for your careful consideration some facts which have come to my knowledge during my stay here.

In this city are seven deaf persons, whose average age is 14 years, three of whom were born "deaf mutes," the other four having organs of speech and hearing paralyzed by disease after birth.

Prior to the opening of the school now being provided for by private beneficence and an appropriation by the city council to December 31 of this year, only two of these had received the benefit of a single dollar of public money for their education, under the conditions that call so loudly that some provision be made for them. Others in this province have had no provision made for them.

The rapid progress being made under the instruction now given is superlatively gratifying to those who take the trouble to inspect the work being done. The public are urgently requested to do so, from 3:45 to 4 o'clock every school day, in the A. O. U. W. building.

Bills on file in the provincial treasury department show that $1,560 annually is being paid by this province for the support and education of five other deaf pupils now in Manitoba and California, whose average age is also 14 years, and a blind pupil, 17 years old, has had $300 per year paid for him in Ontario since 1894.

The $1,560 now being paid out of this province would, if properly expended here, provide for a family of fifteen, that should include a woman qualified to be at once head teacher, matron and superintendent. One such could doubtless be obtained for her home and a salary of $400 per annum. Several of the students would be able to serve as pupil teachers in one or more lines of instruction. The members of such an institution could perform all the work necessary to be done in it, and by so doing they would gain much of the most useful part of an education.

Let boys and girls alike be compelled to observe carefully the manner of doing all kinds of work done therein, and share in the performance of nearly all kinds of work accomplished.

It has been stated by the head teacher of a school for the deaf that "two years is too short a time to expect much improvement in such pupils," and that "in exceptional cases they remain ten and twelve years in school."

Come and see what improvement can be shown in writing, spelling, arithmetic, reading, physical culture and sewing, after six weeks' instruction by a teacher who was never inside of any school for the deaf except the one she is now teaching! More than one of these pupils can be made not only self-supporting, but thoroughly efficient teachers, if properly trained.

Will you deny them this privilege because they cannot force you to grant it? What better way can be suggested for increasing the wealth of nations, no less than of individuals, than by educating all classes of pupils who are not only willing but anxious to learn?

Let me add, most gratefully and heartily do I thank all—and there are many in Victoria—who have helped me in this greatly needed work.

HELEN WILLARD MERRITT.

Nov. 6, 1899.

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Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located; On Kruger Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. deBlois Green, acting as agent for H. A. Bowerman, free miner's certificate No. B5711, B. A. Anderson free miner's certificate No. B5712, and John C. Fisher, free miner's certificate No. 18728A, 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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Notice.

BULLSEYE FRACTION MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. de Blois Green, as agent for John C. Fisher, free miner's certificate No. 18728A, George A. Engel, free miner's certificate No. 18727A, and for Wm. F. Keller, free miners certificate No. B5728, 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 20th day of October, 1899.

CHAS. DEB. GREEN.

Mineral Act 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

DOMINION, FAIRVIEW, A. D. A. AND BLACK HAWK MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District Where located: in Camp Fairview.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. deB. Green, as agent for the Dominion Consolidated Mines, Limited, free miner's certificate No. B5622 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.

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

Dated this 20th day of October, 1899.

CHAS. DEB. GREEN.

MINERAL ACT, 1896,

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

GOLD DUST AND LITTLE GOLD DUST MINERAL CLAIMS.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. deBlois Green as agent for George A. Engel, free miner's certificate No. 18727A, and for Wm. Keller, free miners certificate No. B5728, 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.

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

Dated this 20th day of October, 1899.

CHAS. DEBLOIS GREEN.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE

GRANITE AND BANNER MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located:—In Camp McKinney.

TAKE NOTICE that I, R. H. Parkinson as agent for the Camp McKinney Mines Limited, of Camp McKinney, free miner's certificate No. B5776A, 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.

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

Dated this 17th day of August, 1899.

R. H. PARKINSON.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NORTH STAR MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where Located: In McKinney.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBlois Green, as agent for Wm. Edwards, free miner's certificate No. B5680, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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