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MINERAL LOCATIONS.

JUNE 19.

Bunker Hill, Canyon creek, W. W. White.
Bonanza, Canyon creek, W. W. White

JUNE 21.

Black Mail, Long Lake camp, G. Mahon.
Vancouver, West Copper camp, E. Curts.
P. A. P., Kimberly camp, L. B. Pearse, D. Beath and J. Holmes.
Eff. W., Kimberly camp, L.B. Pearse D. Beath and J. Holmes.
Chilliwack, Grahams camp, H. Johnson.
Glenwood, James creek, J. T. Erwin.
Cliff House, James creek, J. T. Erwin.

JUNE 22.

Great Eastern, Canyon Creek, N. E. Paterson.
Raymond, Canyon creek, A. F. Thomas.
Gold Rock, Canyon Creek, A. F. Thomas.

JUNE 23.

White Horse, Central camp, J. Campbell.
Pine Grove, Deer creek, E. Collier.
Yellow Stone, Beaver creek, E. Collier.
White Rose, Skylark camp, W. F. Blue.
Brandon fractional, Greenwood camp, J. Marshall.
Maggie, fractional, Greenwood camp, T. A. Blair.
City of Rome, Central camp, C. Gidon.
Minnie, Meyers creek, S. G. Stooke.

JUNE 24.

Emma, fractional, James creek, W. J. Northey.
Golden Eagle, James creek, S. G. Stooke.
Rose, Meyers creek, W. S. Keith.
Grey Eagle, Central camp, F. C. Woods.
Sadie, Central camp, E. M. Corbus.
Climax, Central camp, E. M. Corbus.
Little Gus, Central camp, H. B. Plummer.
Silver Tip, Tripple Lake camp, G. D. Cunningham and W. E. McBoyle.

JUNE 26.

Magnolia, Copper creek, W. Farney
Lottie F., Copper creek, J. J. Feeney.
Copper King, Deer creek, L. Johnson.
Yucon, fraction, Long Lake camp, F. W. Groves.
Bon Ton, Deer creek, E. Colber.
Iron King, West Copper camp, W. Kellen.
Snowflake, Central camp, W. E. Medill.
Ruth, Canyon creek, A. Waddell.
Esther, Cedar creek, H. D. Barnes.
Phoenix, Cedar creek, E. Sutlivan.

CERTIFICATES OF WORK.

JUNE 21.

Massachussetts, A. E. Ashcroft.
Silver Dollar, E. Newman et al.
Irish Boy, T. Wake.

JUNE 22.

Roskey, N.E Peterson and S. Larsen.
Ring, P. A. Lindberg and W. G. McMynn.
Coin, J. Peterson et al.

JUNE 23.

Ran Ka Kee, St, Clair Inkster.
Brandon, J. Marshall.
Ethiopia, British Columbia Goldfields Investment Company.
Timer, fractional, J. B. McArthur.
Joe Dandy, A. Ferguson, (as agent).
Hurcuies, E. L. Tate.
Golden Rule, A. Wenrick and S. G. Stooke.
Maggie S., D. Bryant et al.

JUNE 14.

Mountain View, W. G. McMynn.
Yukon, D. McLean.
Victoria, D. McLean.
Little Dalles, J. McAllister.
May, J. McAllister.

JUNE 26.

Green Mountain, W. J. Hurley.
White Horse, J. B. Singer et al.
Harquahala, G. Riter.
Paramatta, G. Riter.
Pearl, J. Wheatcroft et al.
Golden Fleece, F. M. Groves.
Caledonia, E. Sullivan.
Hunter, O. Mellon.
Magnolia, E. Sullivan.
Young George, A. Poggi.
Queen Bess, W. G. McMynn et al
Bolton, fractional, I. H. Hallett.
Missing Link No. 2, G R. Naden et al.

TRANSFERS.

JUNE 22.

Maze, ⅛ interest, J. C. Reiley to G. M. Bennet.

JUNE 23.

Ontario, ⅛ interest, J. H. McDonald to G. D. Leyson.

JUNE 26.

Caledonia, all inter st, O. Mellon to E Sullivan and A. Wardell.
Queen Bess, ⅛ interest, A. C. McKenzie et al to D. R. Campbell.

JUNE 24.

Woodstock, ¼ interest, J. McAllister to J. Sterrett.
Frederick S., all interest, J. C. Bailey to G. L. Taft.

A Terrible Explosion.

Last Monday the powder magazine at the long tunnel, near Brooklyn on the Columbia and Western railway, exploded, but fortunately no one was hurt. There were about 100 boxes of giant powder on hand and some 200 barrels of black powder, which of course all went off, about five and a half tons in all.

It appears that there was a brush fire running, which was getting dangerously near the powder house, and orders were given to carry the powder up to the railway track. While this was in progress, it was seen that it could not be saved, and the men fled to the safety of the tunnel. The powder magazine first blew up, followed by a second explosion of the enplosives carried to the track.

The explosion demolished the magazine, blew the roof from several cabins and tore the side from the engine house, a short distance away. It also twisted the rails on the track. In Brooklyn, four miles away, the few people left thought the town had been visited by an earthquake, although it was not felt or heard at the other end of the tunnel. It is most fortunate that no more serious damage was done.

The Cavalry Charge.

"Trot! Gallop! Charge!" he yelled.
Forward the lapt,
With ever-gathering might, to crush that wall of steel,
O'er fallen horse and dying men;
Onward they swept.

The guns on the height above
Screamed in their wrath—
Bucked in their gunners' hands, striving to burst their bonds,
Hurled death and hell before,
Cleaving their path.

Next, with a swelling roar,
Small arms belched smoke,
Barking like angry dogs, felling the foe like logs.
Many men slept that day,
Nor one awoke.

Nearer the horsemen surge,
Now reach the slope,
Forward they dash, so free—man to man, knee to knee—
One lift with bridle arm,
One mighty whoop.

Then Death himself comes down,
Smiles on the fray.
One dread, soul-splitting crash—Death can afford to laugh!
Folds his wings over all,
Bears them away.

On Palmer Mountain.

A stupendous undertaking is being successfully carried out near Loomiston, Wash., U. S. A., a few miles to the south of Fairview and across the International boundary line. This is the driving of a tunnel some two miles long through or rather into what is known as Palmer mountain. This is being done by a powerful syndicate which bought up very many mineral claims on the mountain, and which desired a ready means of developing their numerous holdings. Prior to a few days ago eleven ledges had been cut since the tunnel started, and now when the end of the tunnel had reached a vertical depth from the surface of nearly 1000 feet the twelfth vein has been encountered and although the tunnel has penetrated it some twenty feet, yet has not the hanging wall been encountered. The ore is said to be of a concentrating character, and yet is somewhat free milling as in the ore in the face of the tunnel visible gold could readily be distinguished. Although as above stated a dozen veins have been cut by the tunnel the largest veins showing on the property on the surface are still to be penetrated, and therefore what will be disclosed in the next 1000 feet or so it is hard to determine, and what the assets of the Palmer Mountain Gold Mining and Tunnel Company will represent by the time the tunnel is carried one or two miles into the mountain, is useless to conjecture. It is one of the biggest mining undertakings in the north west and so far has been phenoninally successful.

Market for Molybdenite.

The Toronto Telegram says a letter was recently received at the Ontario Bureau of Mines from Mr. Harrison Watson, curator of the Canadian section at the Imperial Institute, intimating that a good market has opened up in England for molybdenite. Mr. Watson writes that a large firm in Liverpool are now anxious to obtain regular supplies of the mineral from Canada, as they are manufacturing a new article, which has opened a consumption for molybdenite, and say that they could take any reasonable quantity, providing it is good and free from silica and gangue. Canadian samples received there have been pretty satisfactory.

A number of deposits of molybenite are known to occur in the eastern parts of the province of Ontario, and it is more than likely British Columbia could furnish some, if attention was paid the question of determining the qualities of some of the metals which at times puzzle the prospectors. Molybdenite in ore resembles galena very much, therefore it is quite possible it has often been mistaken for that metal by the uninitiated. If any body of such ore exists in British Columbia no doubt a good price could be obtained for it in the new market.

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MONDAY, JULY 3, 1899.

WITHOUT MAGISTRATES.

A very strange state of affairs exists at the present time in this district, and we question very much if the same conditions do not prevail throughout the province, viz, that the machinery for the administration of justice is completely at a standstill. This is brought about as a result of the Order-in-Council, which was passed on the 22nd day of May, which provided for the rescission of all appointments of Justices of the Peace on the 30th day of June.

As all appointments of magistrates are created by the issuance of a commission over the signature of the Lieut.-Governor, and as the Lieut.-Governor is at present sojourning in the Atlin Lake district, no commissions have yet been issued, with the result that the appointees cannot qualify by taking the oath of office, thereby offering such a state of affairs as has probably not existed in the province ever before. 'Tis a sad commentary on the manner in which affairs, judicial, are being looked after by the present administration. It is to be hoped that the conditions prevailing will soon be eliminated, so that the confidence of the people can be restored.

THE CRISIS COMING.

The outlook in South Africa is growing dark, and if the people of the Transvaal do not draw back and listen to reason, it will not be long before they are measuring their strength with a mighty power, whose intention is if she once puts her hand to the plow, to not draw back until everything is properly regulated by the erasion of outstanding grievances of years. That matters are drawing to a focus, can easily be discerned by a perusal of a portion of a recent speech delivered by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain before a meeting of Unionists at Birmingham, England, on the 28th of June, when he said among other things: "If the reforms which Lord Ripon proposed in 1894 had been accepted, there would have been no raid and no crisis at present, but the raid tied the hands of the government and prevented the application of pressure."

Mr. Chamberlain said that the government had tried to establish friendly relations with president Kruger, but all its advances had been received with contempt. He then proceeded to eulogize Sir Alfred Milner. The government accepted the responsibility for the actions of that official. As for the counter proposal of Mr Kruger, it did not constitute even a fair instalment of reform. After denouncing in the strongest terms the attitude and action of the Boers, Mr. Chamberlain continued: "The Transvaal's enormous secret service fund has procured it friends and advocates in every country. The way the British subjects there are treated is not only a menace to them, but interferes with our prestige among the natives, who now regard the Boers and not the British, as the paramount power. Besides the breaches of the London convention, the Transvaal is flagrantly violating the equality that convention was intended to secure. Its misgovernment is a festering sore, poisoning the whole atmosphere. The Dutch in Cape Colony and Natal would be in the happiest condition, but so long as the disease of hatred prevails in the Transvaal it is impossible to stop contagion. Four times since independence was granted we have been on the verge of war with the Transvaal. It is erroneous to say that the British government wants war, but it is equally erroneous to say the government will draw back now that it has put its hand to the plough. We hope the efforts that are now being made will lead to an amicable arrangement, for Great Britain only desires justice, but there will come a time when patience can hardly be distinguished from weakness and when moral pressure becomes a farce, that cannot be continued without loss of self-respect. I trust that time may never come in this instance, but if it does, Britons will in their union find the means to secure a result essential to the peace of South Africa."

...on the Peggy, Juno, Lucky Pete and Grubstake claims, owned by Mr. James Sutherland of Greenwood, and located on Canyon creek, near Twin lakes. All these properties carry veins of about three feet in width, the ore bearing an arsenical iron, containing as its metal of value, gold. From the group ore has been taken from which many very encouraging assays have been obtained, thus clearly showing that in these properties the characteristic of arsenical iron ore found in the region round about is retained, viz, that it carries a better gold value than similar ore found in other camps and portions of southern British Columbia.

Another Fatality.

Another shocking accident occurred at the War Eagle mine at Rossland on the 22nd of the past month, when as a result of drilling into a missed hole, and thus exploding it, four men lost their lives. Two of the men were killed instantly, a third one before he could be gotten to the hospital and the fourth soon after reaching the hospital. A fifth man named Charles Coulson, who was standing right over the shot, attending one of the drills, was only slightly injured, and therefore offers a remarkable instance of escape from death, as his comrades, who were working with him were literally torn to pieces by the force of the charge. The men who lost their lives were named Charles Lee, Charles Sturgis, Mike Griffin and Dan Green.

The survivor Charles Coulson says he told the other men that they had better muck away the scattered rock from the last shots to see if any had missed fire, but they neglected to do so and so forfeited their lives.

More Postal Reforms.

Improvement in the Dominion postal service has been the guiding principle in the administration of the Post Office Department under the present Postmaster General. The important improvements which have been made are so numerous that to give a simple list would occupy much space, and they are present in the minds of the people for all have personal experience of their working—the introduction of the postal notes, the establishing of branch dead letter offices, the reductions of postal rates both domestic and foreign are among these, and with these there has been given moreover, a much more efficient general service than ever before. In addition to this and while progress has been so rapid and so real, the cost of administration has been reduced to such a degree that a huge deficit of hundreds of thousands of dollars has been wiped out. Now we hear of yet another reform, the insurance of registered letters, by which senders of valuables by mail will be guaranteed against loss. This is so obviously wise and right that even the Mail Empire approves, for that organ declares, "Mr. Mulock's new proposal will be a convenience to the public. Hitherto the registration, while serving good purpose has not been an absolute safeguard. If a missing letter could be traced to a particular postmaster, the money contained therein might be recovered, but otherwise there was no redress." The new regulation will change all this, and when a man sends off a valuable letter or other article of intrinsic worth, he will know beyond question that it will reach its destination, or if not that he will be fully compensated.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTORS OF LAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that all pre-emptors or purchasers of Crown lands from whom the purchase money remaining unpaid on such lands is over-due, are required to make full payment of such balance, together with interest thereon, if any is due, within twelve months from the date of this notice, failing which their records or agreements concerning such land are liable to cancellation, as provided by section 28 of the "Land Act."

F. CARTER-COTTON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 22nd June, 1899.

MINERAL ACT 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

ORO FINO AND INDEPENDENCE MINERAL CLAIMS.

Situate in the Osoyoos Mining Division of Yale District. Where located: on McCaig's Mountain, Fairview Camp.

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Fleming Robinson, acting as agent for The Oro Fino Mines Company Limited, free miner's certificate No. 35656, 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

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. deBlois Green as agent for W. J. Redlin free miner's certificate No. 3667A and D. R. Boyle, free miner's certificate No. 12085, 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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Looking Well.

The Copper King and No. 5, two claims owned by John Link and his partner, and situated the one between Rock Creek and Crown Point camp, and the other in Crown Point camp, are both looking well, in fact in the No. 5 claim there is a fine showing of copper sulphide ore, in a ledge, the width of which has not as yet been determined, although a shaft has been sunk to a depth of about 20 feet. The owners are still at work in this shaft and as they are greatly encouraged by the showing of ore in which the shaft is being sunk, they may continue development for an indefinite length of time. No assay values can be given of the ore, but from its appearance it undoubtedly will carry well in copper and no doubt will be found to contain a goodly percentage of gold and silver. A very similar class of ore is found in the Copper King, upon which the ledge is several feet wide and very clearly defined.

Different Opinions.

A representative of Reuter's Telegram Company is a visitor to the province. He is Major Albert H. Hadder, F. G. S., special mining commissioner to the above named company.

This gentleman is supposed to have a considerable amount of influence with European capitalists, as his special mission is to visit the several mining countries of the world, and through his agency promulgate his opinion of the countries brought under his observations.

It would seem that the mining conditions in British Columbia are not to his liking, as he has been very freely criticising the mining laws of the province and other features governing the mining industry. Concisely put, Major Hadder objects to the small revenue exacted by the British Columbia government for mining priviledges, claiming no country can foster mining without having command of a big revenue. For instance in the Transvaal the government exacts a revenue of $60 a year from each claim, and as the claims there are only a fourth of the size of a British Columbia claim, if the mines in this province were taxed at the same rate it would mean the payment of $2.20 a year. He considers a fair tax for the government to receive would be not less than $50 a year from each location. He objects to the Alien law also the eight-hour law, and considers that $3.50 a day is too high wages to be paid miners, and he says that it is his opinion that until cheaper labor is introduced to the province, 99 out of every 100 properties in the country will never be worked, and he will point this out to European capitalists.

So much for the view of Major Hidder, F. G. S., who undoubtedly formed his opinions in a very hasty manner, and probably while riding in a vestibule car on the line of the C. P. Railway.

An opposite opinion is that of Mr. C. D. Porter the representative of the Kansas City Smelting Company a gentlemen thoughly acquainted with every foot of mining territory throughout the whole southern portion of British Columbia, and as well very closely posted on the mining laws of the province. This is what Mr. Porter recently said while on a trip to Montreal: "Taking into consideration the extent of the mining country, the abundance of good coke and the railway facilities that it will soon possess, I see no reason why British Columbia should not be the most attractive field for the investment of capital that can be found anywhere, for, in addition to all these things I have mentioned, I consider that British Columbia has the best mining law that I have ever seen.

"I have been all through British Columbia, and know it thoroughly—the southern part, at any rate, from Alberta to the sea. I first went there five years ago for the Kansas City Smelting Company, and it took me two years to go through it, but during that time I visited all the mining camps then known; and after inspecting it carefully and studying it intently, I do not desitate to say that British Columbia is one of the greatest mining countries in the world. For the age of the country and considering the difficulties under which it has been developed, it has more dividend-paying mines today than any country in the world and I thoroughly believe that it is only in its infancy."

As will readily be seen these opinions differ widely, and are delivered in the one instance by a man whose acquaintance with the conditions governing the mining industry of the province was only of a few days duration, while in the other the opinion expressed is the outspoken conviction of one who has spent years among the mines, and closely in touch with the varying conditions under which they have been developed.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered the "The Mammoth Gold Mining Company" as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in the City of Spokane, Spokane County, State of Washington.

The amount of the capital of the Company is $50,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of five cents each.

The head office of the Company in this Province is situate at Camp McKinney, and Thomas Donald, miner whose address is Camp McKinney aforesaid, is the attorney for the Company.

The time of the existence of the Company is fifty years.

The objects for which the Company has been established are :—

To work, operate, buy, sell, lease, locate, acquire, procure, hold, and deal in generally, mines, metals, mineral claims of every kind and description within the United Sates of America and British Columbia ; to carry on and conduct a general mining, smelting, milling and reduction business ; to purchase, acquire, hold, erect, and operate electric light and power plants for the purpose of mining and treating ores, and for the purpose of furnishing lights and creating power for all purposes ; to bond, buy, lease, locate and hold ditches, flumes and water rights ; to construct, lease, buy, sell and operate railroads, ferries, tramways, or other means of transportation, for transporting ore, mining and other materials ; to own, bond, buy, sell, lease, locate, timber and timber claims ; to do and conduct a general mercantile business, and finally, to do anything consistent, proper, and requisite for the carrying out of the objects and purposes aforesaid in their fullest and broadest sense, within the territory aforesaid.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Commissioner Ogilvie in referring to Youkon prospects, recently made the following statement according to the Klonkyke press : "I have reported a great faith in the country, and stated the facts upon which I base my faith, and that faith I still have. As a matter of fact I have asserted, not only as the result of my own observations, but those of men upon whom I can rely, that Bonanza, from sixty below to sixty above, will be good for $30,000,000, that Eldorado will produce the same sum, and that the whole district in the vicinity of Dawson will probably yield $100,000,000.

The Crown Point.

Messrs. John Douglas and James Atwood are putting a force of men to work on their claims the Crown Point, the "No. 2" and "No. 3" all in Crown Point camp. Principally, attention will be directed to the Crown Point claim upon which a considerable amount of work has already been done, a shaft being now down on the property some 50 feet. This shaft will be deepened and then a crosscut drift to cut the vein will be run from it. The vein as shown on the surface is several feet wide, and carries a solid galena ore, which contains a high percentage of silver. It also carries a small percentage of copper and some gold value, and is altogether a fine shipping proposition as soon as the railway which will be built to within easy reach of the claim, approaches it.

A Splendid Showing.

The appearence of the Stemwinder mine at Fairview is improving daily, as a result of the lively pushing ahead of development work. A raise is being made from the 200-foot level at a point about 170 feet west from the foot of the main working shaft, and the ore which is coming out of this raise is said to be some of the best yet encountered in the mine, as it will easily average from $6 to $20 a ton and that too for the whole width of the vein, which at this point is some 20 feet wide. Apart from this raise a crosscut drift is being run to cut the south vein on the property, and this drift too is being cut on the 200-foot level. The end of the drift should now be nearing the vein, and when it is entered it is expected a fine body of ore will be encountered. The amount of development in the mine can be easily conceived when it is stated that the management expect to have in the course of about two months some 100,000 tons of ore blocked out and ready for stoping, an amount of free milling ore not showing it may be conjectured in any other similar property today in the province.

At this mine it is expected that a 40 or 60 stamp mill will soon be erected, and as soon as this starts running, if only the ore will mill up to the expectations of the management or $5 a ton, the Stemwinder will become one of the recognised dividend paying properties of British Columbia. This is what Fairview camp has been waiting for for some time, and the sooner it comes the better.

Shot by a Deputy-Sheriff.

As a result of resisting arrest a man by the name of Jack McDonald met his death near Curlew on the Colville reservation, on Thursday last. It would seem that McDonald has been wanted together with two other men by the United States authorities for for some time past, for some serious crime committed in Montana, or some bordering state, as the deputy sheriff who tried to arrest McDonald, is said to be a Montana detective, who with two other deputy sheriffs had tracked their man after a long chase and extending over a year, to the north half of the Colville reservation. The crime must have been a serious one, as it is said the sheriffs carried warrants for the taking of the men either dead or alive. Those familiar with the incidents of the shooting, say that the deputy sheriff having learned that McDonald, one of the men wanted, was camping near the mouth of Toroda creek, a tributary of Kettle river, he (the detective), in the early part of Thursday morning approached the camp, and seeing McDonalds horse picketed near by, he posted himself in a good position and awaited events. Soon McDonald came for his horse, and as he did so the detective called upon him to throw up his hands, and give himself up. Instead of doing so McDonald tried to reach his revolver, which he kept under his vest on the left side of his chest, the weapon being held in position by a strap passed over the right shoulder. This action cost him his life, as the detective noticing the movement and knowing that his man would show fight, immediately opened fire and shot McDonald three times, twice through the chest and once through the head, killing him instantly. As soon as this happened the other two deputies rode up, and preparations were made for conveying the body to the source from which the warrant for McDonald's arrest issued.

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AND DISTRICT.

, of Greenwood, is at pres- a visit to Vernon.

Tisdall, M. P. P. for Van- me into the district last

Thornton Langley and J. of Rossland, were visitors during the past week.

ond drill for use on the Creek Mining & Milling Co's ow at Mr. D. A. Holbrook's e Greenwood.

ert Hedley, manager of the smelter at Nelson, and very n by many in this district, tly married in England.

oads of mining machinery, n and pipe passed through rks last Friday. Included in s the plant for the Snow- enwood camp.

hie Jackson returned to Mid- riday last, after spending a in the Nicola country. Mr. was agreeably surprised to great change this section has e while he has been away.

Nelson of the "Times", Vic- as in town yesterday. Mr. as been visiting Fairview and cKinney, and is now taking in ndary Creek section. After ver this district he will pro- e by way of the Kootenay

hn Keough, of Colville, Wash., sitor in town on Saturday. ugh is moving around looking many mining interests, which ated on each side of the bound- in the camps of Boundary nd on the Colville reservation.

ng of men engaged in the con- of the Columbia Telephone ween Cascade City and Camp ey are now camped near town, ree or four days the line will at this point. The Midway ll be in charge of Mr. J. A. h at his drug store on Fifth

th regret the statement is t Mr. Castleman of Boundary still very ill. In fact it may is condition is rather serious, acted periods of delerium are by the patient. It is to be ly hoped it will soon be possible a change for the better.

right-of-way question through mb Bros property has been , the C. P. R. and Captain having come to an understand- The railway is now being graded h the property, and now that P. R. is in control of 18 acres, tion grounds may be established land instead of being carried r to the west.

M.K.Graham, of Graham, Texas, sitor to Midway at present, having in a few days ago to look over ining interests, which are situ- in Grahams camp close to the , and upon which he has now, and ad for several months past a force en at work. After spending a days more here Mr. Graham will rn home by way of Spokane.

e importance of the Midway pub- chool demands that more grounds ld be provided, renovations made he building, and matters gener- straightened out around this in- tion. The grounds should be ed, the building painted and every- g made neat and tidy. The gov- ment should provide for this with- delay.

r. H. T. Ceperley, of the firm of srs. Ceperley, McKenzie & Rounse- general agents in British Colum- for the Phoenix Fire Insurance pany, of London, England, was a tor in town during the week. Mr. erley was pleased with the pro- s Midway has made since his last t, and he feels confident that the n has a good future before it.

r. C. W. H. Coles, representing d's Fire Insurance maps, spent a ater portion of last week at Mid- . Mr. Coles sketched the buildings own and took their location for the wing of a map, which will be placed he hands of fire insurance com- ies for future reference. Goad's ps are well known the world over. Coles left for Penticton and the st on Saturday's stage therefore he rticipated in the novel experience of ng held up by stage robbers.

Stage Held up.

he circulation of the news yester- that the Penticton stage had been d up by masked highwaymen, roughly electrified the community. the past three or four years the e has made nearly daily trips over route from Penticton to Grand ks, and up to the commission of recent event, everything has run ng so smoothly that no one con- sidered a hold up as likely to occur. Occur it did, however, on Saturday last, when the stage reached Johnson creek, a point a few miles west of Rock Creek, on the road to Camp McKinney. The stage had only a short time before left Rock Creek, and having changed horses there, was bounding along at a good rate, the time being about eight o'clock in the evening, when just as it reached the foot of the grade on the west side of Johnson creek, after having decended a short grade on the opposite bank and crossed the bridge over the stream, the summons came for a halt. So novel was the experience that Mr. Joe Snodgrass, the driver, a son of the proprietor of the stage line, did not at first comprehend the situation, and so told the party giving the command to get out of the way. Upon receiving a second summons however, he began to understand the state of affairs, and taking a closer observation, he soon discovered that the party giving commands was masked and fortified with two big revolvers held one in each hand. A side glance the next moment also made him aware that there was more than one man engaged in the holdup, for standing on the bank beside the road, about on a level with the passengers on the stage and behind a small tree, was another masked man, and he too was in possession of a couple of ugly looking guns. Strange to say the passengers on the stage were not in any way molested, as the only orders given were to the driver, who was requested to hand out the express box. This order was complied with by the mail sacks being dropped out into the road. As soon as this was done the driver was ordered to move on, which he did. Slowly the stage mounted the grade, and as it did so Mr. Snodgrass turned to look at the robbers, and they noticing this, shouted to him that he had better get a move on, as they "didn't want any rubber necking around there." The driver took the hint and whipping up his horses made for Hoziers, from whence he dispatched a swift messenger to Camp McKinney to notify parties there of what had occurred. The stage having moved on, the robbers commenced to cut open and rifle the mail bags, but in this occupation they were evidently disturbed, as only a portion of the mail was molested. It is therefore difficult to say how much money the robbers secured. Referring to the hold-up, the stage driver affirms that the revolvers used by the robbers were of a 38 calibre while some of the passengers say they were 50 calibre at the least.

The Silver King.

Under the supervision of Mr. John Douglas, a force of men are working on the Silver King claim, which is situated in Skylark camp, and is owned by Spokane parties. The Silver King lies in close proximity to the noted Skylark claim, and as far as work has progressed it is said the property is looking exceedingly well, in fact there is every indication that the shaft which is being sunk is nearing a large body of ore. The Silver King as its name indicates, carries its principal value in the white metal, of which some of the ore shows large quantities in the state known as ruby silver. The vein which was somewhat narrow on the surface is now widening out, and altogether the work done has been attended with very satisfactory results.

Doundary Creek Licence District.

The adjourned meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners for the Boundary Creek Licence District was held at Cascade City on Friday, June 30, when hotel licences were granted as follows :—

Gust Wassholm, Windsor Hotel, Niagara.

John S. Wisner, Wisner's Hotel, Niagara.

Joseph Wm. Shaw, Niagara Hotel, Niagara,

Chas. N. Owen, Oakland Hotel, Midway.

Mrs. Mary A.Meakin, MeakinHouse, Trail.

D. A. Holbrook, Providence Hotel, Boundary City.

Chas. A. Hazelberg, Summit House, Brown Creek.

The application of Peter Arena, International Hotel, North Fork of Kettle river was not granted, the Board considering that this house is not needed for the accommodation of the public.

There was no appearance in support of the application of John A. Munson, Columbia Hotel, Niagara, Adelard Roy, International House, Cascade City; and Wm. C. Haywood, Hotel Summit, Summit camp, so these were not dealt with. Consideration of the application of John Coutts, Scandia House, Niagara, and Wilson and Summers, Big Sheep Creek, Dewdney Trail, were deferred until the next meeting of the Board, which will probably be held in September.

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

Dated this 8th day of June, 1899.

NOTICE.

I CHAS. DeBLOIS GREEN intend 30 days from the date hereof to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Twin Lakes in Township 89 Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

CHAS. DeBLOIS GREEN.

NOTICE.

I WILLIAM HERBERT HIND intend 30 days from thedate hereof to apply to theChief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land near Twin Lakes in Township 89 Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

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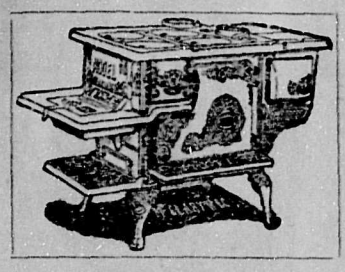
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Crificate of Improvements

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. 18202 A, and Edward J. Goddard, free miner's certificate No. 18247 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 1899.

Certificate of Improvements.

Notice.

EXCELSIOR MINERAL CLAIM.

Situate in Osoyoos Mining Division, of Yale District. Where Located:—About a mile and a half east of Penticton.

TAKE NOTICE that I, J. P. Burnyeat, free miners certificate No. 18961a as agent for Clement Vacher, free miners certificate No. 14338a, Mark Howard, free miner's certificate No. 45203A, 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 25th day of May 1899.

MINERAL ACT, 1896,

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

WEBFOOT MINERAL CLAIM.

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

TAKE NOTICE that I, Chas. DeBlois Green free miners certificate No. 18202a for myself and as agent for J. F. Campbell free miners certificate No. 18262a and H. S. Yeates free miners certificate No. 28189 A, 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 23rd day of May, 1899.

CHAS. DEB. GREEN.

MINERAL ACT, 1896.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

NORTH STAR (FRACTONAL) 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. 369A and Chas L. Thomet free miner's certificate No. 18371A, 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.

MINERAL ACT, 189

Certificate of Improve

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Situate in the Kettle River Mining Division of Yale District. Where loca Graham's camp.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Forbes M. acting as agent for Edwin Smith ham free miner's certificate No. intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to the Mining Recorder for a certific improvements, for the purpose of ob a Crown grant of the above claims.

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

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1899.

FORBES M. KERBY, Ag

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