Provincial Library Victoria

METAL QUOTATIONS. New York Market.	
SILVER—Bar.....	$ 52¼
LEAD—100 lbs.	4.12½
COPPER.....	14.50

THE EAGLE IS MORE WIDELY CIRCULATED THAN ANY OTHER NEWSPAPER IN NORTH KOOTENAY—IT WILL BE FOUND AN EXCELLENT ADVERTISING MEDIUM.

THE LARDEAU EAGLE

IT FILLS THE BILL.

Vol. IV, No 20. Ferguson, B. C., JUNE 26, 1903. $2 a Year

DISASTROUS CLOUD BURST

Heppner, Oregon, Destroyed Instantaneously and 500 People Lose Their Lives.

Five hundred people lost their lives in a cloudburst that almost instantly destroyed the town of Heppner, Oregon, at 6 o'clock June 15. Heppner is the county seat of Morrow county, and had about 1,250 inhabitants.

All the telegraph and telephone wires are down and no accurate information can be had, but the estimated loss of life is based on the most reliable reports received up to 12 o'clock last night. A report from Ione, 11 miles from Heppner, is to the effect that 200 bodies have been recovered. A messenger who arrived at Ione said that a wall of water 20 feet high rushed down into the gulch in which Heppner is situated carrying everything with it.

The flood came suddenly, so suddenly that the inhabitants were unable to seek places of safety and were carried down to death by the awful rush of water. Almost the entire resident portion of the town was destroyed, but some of the business part, which was on higher ground, escaped. Huge boulders weighing a ton were carried down by the current and many people were caught and crushed against the rocky bluff. Early in the afternoon a thunderstorm set many of the streams overflowing their banks in a short time and bridges were swept away like straws. As soon as the flood had subsided the work of relief was begun by the citizens of the town. Dozens of bodies were found lodged along the bend of Willow creek, and in several places they were piled over one another.

A late dispatch from Heppner says:

"Willow creek, which on Sunday wiped out more than half of the town, has shrunk to the size of an innocent brook. About $500,000 worth of property is erased from the wealth of Morrow county.

"A rigid emergency government impresses able-bodied men into the work of saving the town from plague-breeding disease.

"Several thousand persons have arrived from the outside, and an army of men and horses is turning over the debris. Women take charge of the bodies as they are borne out of the wreckage by the men. There is no time for ceremony in the burials. The bodies are shrouded in coarse white clothes, placed in rough boxes, and hurried to the cemeteries on wagons. Medicines are not needed, neither are physicians nor nurses.

"The town must be cleansed to escape pestilence. It must have more men to help in cleaning, and provisions to feed the workers. Many families are entirely destitute, all their worldly possessions having been carried away."

Once a Day.

The following message will explain itself, and readers of the EAGLE will be able to make arrangements accordingly:

BEATON, June 19, 1903.

To E. G. Woodward, Ferguson—From tomorrow boat will leave once a day at 9 a. m., making connection and coming back about 4 p. m.

J. C. MALLOY, Agent.

Jack Smith of Smith & Labeau, has the job to install the portable saw mill for the Great Western Mines, Lt'd.

KING PETER'S PROCLAMATION.

Servia Congratulated But Asked to Mete Out Punishment to Thugs.

The new Servian King telegraphed on the 17th inst. the following message to be proclaimed to his subjects:

"Thanks to the favor of God and the will of the people, I am called to the throne of my ancestors. I submit myself to the popular decision and today ascend to the throne of Servia. I consider it to be my first duty to thank God for the favor accorded me, and I express the hope that the people will hail my succession as an event which will give Servia an era of repose, progress and order. I give my word to respect the right acquired by all. I will be the protector of the legality and well being of the people. I call upon the heads of the church and the military and civil functionaries to retain their functions and execute them conscientiously. I declare that I banish from memory all acts committed during the past 40 years bearing upon me. Every honest Servian will find under my reign protection for his moral and material life. The motto of my dynasty is 'For the sacred cross and cherished liberty.' It is with that motto assured of the attachment of the army and church that I ascend the throne as Peter I, king of Servia."

Following is the Russian note in brief published in the official Gazette:

"The imperial government, while hailing the election of the new monarch, scion of a glorious dynasty, and wishing all success, which he has so well begun, to the supreme head of the Servian people, which is allied to Russia by ties of religion, can nevertheless not refrain from expressing the confident hope that King Peter will be able to give evidence of his sense of justice and firmness of will by adopting measures at the outset to investigate the abominable deed that has been committed and mete out righteous punishment to those traitorous criminals who have stained themselves with the infamy attaching to regicides. Of course, the entire Servian nation or army can not be held responsible for the crime, which revolts public conscience, yet it would be dangerous to Servia's internal peace not to cause expiation of the crimes. Such neglect would inevitably react in an unfavorable manner in the relations of all the states with Servia, and would create for Servia serious difficulties at the very commencement of the reign of King Peter.

"Their Russian coreligionists offer to God supplications for the repose of the souls of King Alexander and his consort, who have met an untimely end, and they invoke the blessings of the Almighty on King Peter for the welfare and prosperity of the Servian people."

THE MOUNTAIN LION CO.

Work on North Property to Be Started.—Manager Greer Coming In.

Hugh Brown, superintendent of the Mountain Lion, was up to the company's Northern property on the 16th and looked it over. He reported to his company that he would take a crew of men in and begin work about July 1st, if he received no orders to the con trary. He got a telegram to go ahead.

Manager J. N. Greer will be in on the 3rd of July, and will thoroughly look over both properties belonging to his company and it will then be decided what development will be undertaken this summer and also if any ore will be shipped. On the south prop property, (the American), Mr. Brown says they are working in 18 inches of solid ore that gives a value of over $100 to the ton.

Mr. Brown will start in on the North property by opening up the vein discovered last season. This has a fine surface showing and ought to turn out well.

Big dance in Ferguson July 1st.

NEWS NOTES ON MINING

The Camp is Getting Active--Work is Being Started--A Busy Summer is Expected.

Manager J. A. McCrossan of the Triune, sent a small force, of men with supplies to the mine Tuesday morning to open the camp and put things in readiness for the larger force that will be put to work about the end of the week. The snow is so nearly gone that it will prove no drawback and it is expected that the Triune will soon be a hummer. The tram will be repaired as quickly as possible, and by the time these repairs are completed everything will be in readiness to resume shipping to the Trail smelter.

GREAT WESTERN AND SILVER CUP.

Thirty-four miners are employed for the present at the Nettie L., mostly on development work. No ore to speak of is being taken out on account of the Lardo branch railway being tied up. It is impossible to say when the trains will run, but it is expected that the bridge gangs will start to work this week. They have been prevented up to this date by the high water. The Silver Cup has a force of about 30 men working on development. The mine is looking good but the company will not likely ship much ore this season on account of building a concentrator near Ferguson to reduce it, and thus save largely in transportation charges.

THE UNION JACK.

Messrs. Carter and Thompson are steadily developing their property on Nettie L. mountain. The results are most encouraging and they hope to crosscut the big lead in less than 30 feet. They will have attained a considerable depth and the owners are hopeful of finding a good showing of ore.

THE OLD GOLD.

Judge Miller is expected in the Lardeau next week to commence the season's work on the Old Gold. It is not known yet what amount of money he proposes to spend this season on the property, but in conversation with an EAGLE reporter last fall he was hopeful of continuing work all through next winter. The property is well spoken of and we look for good reports from it after work is resumed.

SUNRISE GROUP.

Jack Nesbitt and Geo. Monroe were up to Ferguson Saturday last from Rapid creek, 8 miles below Gerrard. They own the Sunrise group of which the EAGLE had mention a fortnight since. These two boys make about the finest pair of mountain hustlers we have seen, both standing 6 feet and strongly built. Their property lies in the new free gold belt, being about the first location to be made. They have six leads and gold is plainly visible on each. They have abiding confidence in Rapid creek camp.

Rhodes' Scholarship.

Harry Bray, son of Mr. M. Bray, assistant deputy commissioner of lands and works, Victoria, has successfully passed his second year's examination at Toronto University, and is now a possible candidate for the Cecil Rhodes' scholarship, 1904. He is expected home for the vacation next week.—Colonist.

The C. P. R. have had Engineer Choate look over the damaged section of the Lardo branch and he reports that he will have the damage repaired in a fortnight.

LaDELL-SCOTT CONCERT.

These Clever Entertainers Pleased a Ferguson Audience.

It was decreed that the annual June rains should be delayed until Sunday and Monday of this week and thus prevent many people from attending the LaDell-Scott entertainment in Eagle hall. Those who did brave the deep mud and the constant downpour of rain were amply rewarded by hearing the best entertainment of the kind that has ever been given in Ferguson.

Without waiting to tell about the many people of quality whom she had entertained in past days, as is customary with most entertainers, Miss LaDell on stepping from her dressing room opened the entertainment by a most clever recital of "The Burial of General Wauchoup." Her next selection was "The Dead Kitten," then "Delsartie." Toward the end of the programme she gave a selectiou called "Laddie" that took her listeners by storm and they showed an eagerness that betokened a unity of interest as word after word flowed from the gifted elocutionists' lips and the sad story was unravelled. Her next selection, entitled "The Old Days and the New," was specially written for her by J. W. Bengough. This number was probably the best thing of the evening, for though the audience was not so affected as previously, they showed great appreciation.

MISS SCOTT.

Miss Emily Frances Scott is a soprano soloist of much merit. She has a fine clear voice which is full of expression. Miss Scott sings after each appearance of Miss LaDell and a varied entertainment is produced that certainly entertains. Miss Scott's first solo, "A Dream," and her second, "Loch Lomon," appeared to be the favorites with her listeners Monday night, although the following were well received: "She Stoops to Conquer," "The Land o' the Leal," "A Little Bit of String," "Honey Stay in You Own Yard," and "Forgotten."

A very enjoyable dance followed the entertainment and next evening several people went to Trout Lake to hear the talented entertainers a second time.

Cardinal Vaughan Dead.

His Eminence, the Most Rev. Herbert Vaughan, Cardinal and Archbishop of Westminster, died at midnight Friday.

Cardinal Vaughan was born April 15, 1832. He became Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster in 1892. He had been ill more than three months. Late in March it was thought he could not survive more than a few days.

The cardinal, who had been sinking for some weeks from heart disease and dropsy died peacefully. His death was not expected so soon. On Friday Cardinal Vaughan was wheeled in a bath chair about the corridors of St. Joseph's college, which he founded. On Thursday he appeared in the college chapel in full cardinal's robes, and made a farewell address to his bishops and priests.

New Stamps for the Dominion.

On Dominion Day the post office department at Ottawa will issue new postage stamps, and those who have had an opportunity of seeing copies of them speak most approvingly, both of the design and workmanship. The stamps bear the likeness of the King, copied from the latest portrait of His Majesty, being the one painted since his accession to the throne and representing him in royal robes of scarlet and ermine and now in York house, the London residence of the Prince of Wales. In each of the upper corners of the stamp is a Tudor crown and in the lower corner a maple leaf, with a numeral indicating the denomination of the stamp. The portrait of the King is a striking and admirable likeness of His Majesty.

NEW LISTS NOW OPEN

Every Citizen Must Register Who Would Vote at the Forthcoming Election.

The new lists for the registration of voters were opened on the 17th instant and any man may register and be therefore entitled to vote who is of the full age of 21 years, is a British subject, has been a resident of the province for the past six months and has been a resident of the electoral district one month immediately preceeding the date on which application is made for registration. Applications may be made before the collector of votes for a riding, a J. P. magistrate, government agent, mining recorder, postmaster or provincial constable.

The application must give full name, initials are not sufficient, the occupation and residence, together with full particulars concerning location of such residence.

Let there be no mistake. The old lists are cancelled and no name goes upon the new provincial lists unless registration is made since the cancellation on the 16th inst.

The following are collectors of votes for B. C. interior ridings:

Cariboo, John Bowron, Barkerville; Lillooet, Caspar Phair, Lillooet; Yale, J. W. Burr, Ashcroft; Kamloops, Edward A. Nash, Kamloops; Okanagan, Leonard Norris, Vernon; Similkameen, C. A. R. Lambly, Fairview; Greenwood, W. G. Mynn, Greenwood; Grand Forks, W. G. Mynn, Greenwood; Revelstoke, W. G. McLaughlin, Revelstoke; Slocan, H. P. Christies, Slocan; Ymir, Thomas Henry Atkinson, Ymir; Nelson city, Harry Wright, Nelson; Rossland city, John Kirkup, Rossland; Kaslo, Alexander Lucas, Kaslo; Columbia, Charles E. Hamilton, Golden; Cranbrook, James F. Armstrong, Fort Steele; Fernie, Lestock R. Forbes, Fernie.

Will Not Be Recognized.

On June 19th, in London, Lord Lansdowne in the house of lords, replying to a question by Lord Camperdown, announced that Great Britain would not acknowledge the new government or the provisional rule of Servia. In doing so the government had yielded to none in its abhorrence of the most atrocious outrages in the annals of history.

The British minister at Belgrade, Sir George Banham, has been instructed to absent himself from Belgrade until some time after the accession of the new monarch.

This attitude has also been assumed by France, Germany and Italy, while Austria and Russia appeared prepared to acknowledge the new king.

While Great Britain could not usefully propose to undertake the task of securing joint action of the powers to secure the punishment of the perpetrators of the massacres, it was not intended to maintain ordinary relations with the powers concerned in the affair.

The Lardo Railway.

A dispatch was received yesterday from the C. P. R. superintendent's office, Nelson, stating that two or three weeks must elapse yet before the company could hope to re-open the Lardo branch railway. One bridge is washed out 12 miles from Gerrard and another is badly shaken, but the water is yet too high to permit of piles being driven. When the water subsides reconstruction will begin.

Lardeau Eagle

Published every Friday at Ferguson, B. C by

E. G. WOODWARD,

to whom all correspondence should be mailed.

Subscription Rates: $2.00 per annum, to any address in America; $1.25 for six months; $2.50 a year to foreign addresses. No pay, no paper.

Advertising Rates: Display ads., $1.00 per single column inch per month. Legal ads., 12 cents per (nonpariel) line for first insertion; 8 cents per line for each additional insertion. Reading notices 10 cents per line each issue. Ninety day legal notices, $10.; sixty days, $7.50; thirty days, $5. No ads. accepted at less than these rates. No room for quack ads.

Four weekly insertions constitutes one month's advertising.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1903.

TAKING THINGS EASY.

There is very little interest being displayed locally in politics. Whether or not the people believe Hon. Robert Green's election in this riding is a certainty we do not profess to know, but anyway there is not the usual interest that we have been accustomed to see follow a dissolution. Of course it may be thought that the time is premature and they are waiting to see what material will be presented by the opposition in the form of a candidate.

In former elections this district was included in the Revelstoke riding, now it is a part of the Kaslo riding and it will naturally take some little time for the electors to adapt themselves to the new order of things. Not until organization is complete and a meeting is held will there be much enthusiasm shown.

In the Revelstoke constituency no less than four names have been mentioned as probable candidates for the seat. First, and seemingly the most popular man, among those whom we have heard mention the matter, is Mr. Thos. Taylor, the member who sat for this combined riding in the last house. Mr. Taylor is, of course, a Conservative, and was one of the three who were elected in the last general election as a party man of the Conservative faith. He has said that he would prefer to drop out of politics for the present, but there is a disposition of the party leaders to press Mr. Taylor to accept nomination.

Another name spoken of by the Conservatives is that of J. M. Scott, president of the Revelstoke association. J. M. Kellie is also mentioned as the probable nominee of the Liberals, and J. W. Bennett will probably enter the contest on the labor or Socialist ticket.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Lillooet, Fraser River and Cariboo Gold Fields, Limited, is in voluntary liquidation and J.V. Armstrong of Revelstoke, B. C., is the representative of the liquidators in British Columbia. The list of properties for sale includes the Alpha group of mineral claims (better known as the "Broadview" group), situated on Great Northern Mountain, above Ferguson, and two blocks of land, viz.: Lot 1144, just west of Ferguson townsite, and lot 2449, about two miles north easterly from Ferguson on the North Fork of the Lardeau river at the foot of Great Northern mountain. Also three blocks of land comprising some 650 acres, situated on Galena Bay, Upper Arrow lake.

The list of properties for sale also includes the Lanark Group, in the Illecillewaet mining division; the "City of Spokane" and "North Star" in Rossland camp; the "Neta" in Browns camp, and the "Queen of Spades" in Central camp, in the Boundary district.

Particulars and conditions of sale and forms of tender may be obtained gratis of the liquidators, College Hill Chambers, College Hill, London, E. C., and J. V. Armstrong, Revelstoke, B. C.

What is our local branch of the B. C. Mining association doing? It was decided when organization took place that it would be made a live, active body to push the interests of this district to a prosperous condition. Come, gentlemen of the executive, let us know what you are doing. We had hoped to see you make things (happen). The season for meditation is past, now is the time for energetic work.

CONSERVATIVE PLATFORM.

[Adopted at Revelstoke, September 13th, 1902.]

1. That this convention reaffirms the policy of the party in matters of provincial roads and trails; the ownership and control of railways and the development of the agricultural resources of the province as laid down in the platform adopted in October, 1899, which is as follows;

"To actively aid in the construction of trails throughout the undeveloped portions of the province and the building of provincial trunk roads of public necessity.

"To adopt the principles of government ownership of railways in so far as the circumstances of the province will admit, and the adoption of the principle that no bonus should be granted to any railway company which does not give the government of the province control of rates over lines bonused, together with the option of purchase.

"To actively assist by state aid in the development of the agricultural resources of the province.

2. That in the meantime and until the railway policy above set forth can be accomplished, a general railway act be passed, giving freedom to construct railways under certain approved regulations, analogous to the system that has resulted in such extensive railway construction in the United States, with so much advantage to trade and commerce.

3. That to encourage the mining industry, the taxation of metalliferous mines should be on a basis of a percentage on the net profits.

4. That the government ownership of telephone systems should be brought about as a first step in the acquisition of public utilities.

5. That a portion of every coal area hereafter to be disposed of should be reserved from sale or lease, so that state owned mines may be easily accessible, if their operation becomes necessary or advisable.

6. That in the pulp land leases provision should be made for reforesting and that steps should be taken for the general preservation of forests by guarding against the wasteful destruction of timber.

7. That the legislature and government of the province should persevere in the efforts to secure the exclusion of Asiatic labor.

8. That the matter of better terms in the way of subsidy and appropriations for the province should be vigorously pressed upon the Dominion government.

9. That the silver-lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the Conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose.

10. That as industrial disputes almost invariably result in great loss and injury both to the parties directly concerned and to the public, legislation should be passed to provide means for an amicable adjustment of such disputes between employers and employees.

11. That it is advisable to foster the manufacture of the raw products of the province within the province as far as practicable by means of taxation on the said raw products, subject to rebate of the same in whole or part when manufactured in British Columbia.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTIONS.

At a meeting of the executive of the Provincial Conservative association, held at Vancouver, the province was divided into five divisions for organization purposes. The Kootenay-Boundary division is made up of the following provincial election districts: Revelstoke, Columbia, Fernie, Cranbrook, Ymir, Kaslo, Slocan, Grand Forks, Greenwood, the City of Rossland, and the City of Nelson. At the same meeting the following resolutions were adopted:

1. That conventions for nominating candidates for members of the legislative assembly be made up of delegates chosen as follows:

(a) In city electoral districts one delegate for every fifty and fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, and if the city is divided into wards, the proportion of delegates for each ward shall be based on the vote polled in each ward at the last municipal election.

(b) In other electoral districts, one delegate for every fifty or fraction of fifty votes polled at the provincial election held in 1900, the delegates to be apportioned to polling places, or as near thereto as will be fair to the voters of the different neighborhoods.

2. The election of delegates shall be at public meetings, held at a designated central place in each polling division, or in each ward in city electoral districts, if the city is divided into wards. At such public meetings only those who pledge themselves to vote for the candidate or candidates selected at the nominating convention shall be entitled to vote for delegates.

3. Two weeks notice shall be given of the public meetings at which delegates are to be elected, and nominating conventions shall be held in city electoral districts two days after the day on which delegates are elected, and in other electoral districts seven days after. All nominations throughout the province to be made at a designated central place in each electoral district, and on the same day.

4. All notices of the date of public meetings for the election of delegates to nominating conventions, the apportionment of delegates, and the place and date of nominating conventions in the several electoral districts shall be prepared by the members of the executive of the division in which the electoral districts are situate, and issued over the names of the president and secretary of the Provincial Conservative association.

A meeting of the provincial executive will be held at Vancouver within a month, and the date for holding district nominating conventions will be then fixed. JOHN HOUSTON,
President of the Provincial Conservative Association.

Nelson, June 8th, 1903.

READ THE EAGLE.

SAY!

How's your Printing? Do you know that the EAGLE Job Department has one of the best equipped plants in North Kootenay and that it is unnecessary to send out of the Lardeau for work?

WE ARE After You

for that order you are sending away out of the district to save a few shillings. Don't be fooled. The EAGLE can give you satisfaction. We carry only the first quality in office stationery, etc.

OUT OF TOWN ORDERS

Receive Our Strict Attention.

THE EAGLE, Ferguson, B. C.

Drugs and Stationery

Prescriptions Carefully and ..Accurately Compounded..

A. F. RANKINE

P. O. BLOCK, FERGUSON, B. C.

For

FURNITURE

Go To

J. O. PIPER, Trout Lake.

There is only one best mining journal. That is

Mines and Minerals.

It has a larger circulation than any two other American mining journals because it is the best. It is the largest, best illustrated and handsomest mining journal in the world. It is a mining paper for mining men. Subscription price $2.00 per year. Send for free sample copy. Address MINES AND MINERALS, Scranton, Pa., U. S. A. Denver offices, Barth Bldg., Denver, Col

The Townsite of

FERGUSON

The Pay-Roll Centre of the Rich Lardeau District.

Buy Lots Now And Get in on the Ground Floor

The Lardeau is the richest known mining district in British Golumbia and the mines, particularly those about Ferguson. contain large quan tities of ore being big as well as rich. Several new properties will ship ore during the coming year and the town is sure to double in size Buy a few lots now before the effect of this year's progress sends them up, mayhap beyond your reach.

Business Lots $150 up.

Residence Lots $75 up.

For Further Information Apply to

Henry Floyd

General Agent,

Revelstoke, B. C.

Elixir of Life.

J. F. Bledsoe, formerly of Alberni, has invented an elixir of life, warranted to prevent the ravages of time in the human system, which he calls "Biodoros," and the formula for which he is reported to have sold for $500,000 to a New York syndicate.—Nanaimo Free Press.

INFANTS THRIVE on cow's milk that is not subject to any change of composition. Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk is always the same in all climates and at all seasons. As a general household milk it is superior and is always available.

International Correspondence Schools, SCRANTON, PA.

Gives instruction by mail in the following subjects: Mechanical engineering, mechanical drawing, Electrical engineering, telegraphy, telephony, sanitary plumbing, heating and ventilation, civil engineering, architecture, architectural drawing, sheet metal pattern drafting, lettering and sign painting, ornamental designs, book keeping, stenography, milling, smelting, metallurgy, hydrometallurgy, electrotherapeutics, French, German, Spanish. Send for free catalogue.

10 per cent discount by cutting out this ad. and enrolling before end of month.

W. H. McDOUGALL, Local Agent;
Nelson, B. C.

LILLOOET, FRASER RIVER & CARIBOO GOLD FIELDS, LIMITED.

In Liquidation.

List of Properties to Be Sold by Private Tender, Pursuant to the Directions of the Liquidators.

Trout Lake Mining Division.

ALPHA GROUP (better known as "Broadview Group"), comprising 9 Crown-granted mineral claims, or fractional claims, situated on Great Northern mountain, above Ferguson, B. C., together with two blocks of land, namely: Lot 1141, situated just west of Ferguson townsite, and lot 2449, situated about 2 miles north easterly from Ferguson on the North Fork of Lardeau river, at the foot of Great Northern mountain.

LANDS situated on Galena Bay, Upper Arrow Lake. Three blocks of land comprising, in all, about 650 acres.

Rossland Camp.

The "CITY OF SPOKANE" and "NORTH STAR" mineral claims, together with the buildings and equipment thereon.

Boundary District.

The "NETA" mineral claim, Crown-granted, situated in what is known as "Brown's Camp," and the "QUEEN OF SPADES" mineral claim, Crown-granted, situated in what is known as "Central Camp."

Illecillewaet Mining Division.

The LANARK GROUP, comprising 15 Crown-granted mineral claims, or Fractional claims, situated on the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway, near Illecillewaet, B. C.

Further particulars and conditions of sale and forms of tender (which are to be sent in not later than the 15th August, 1903,) may be obtained gratis of the Liquidators, College Hill Chambers, College Hill, London, E. C., and J. V. Armstrong, Revelstoke, British Columbia.

Dated 15th June, 1903. July 31,

NOTICE.

The Great Western Mines.

Limited Liability.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of shareholders in this company will be held at their office in Ferguson, B. C., on Wednesday, July 8th, 1903, at 2 p. m., for the transaction of all business connected with the company; and the transfer books of the company will be closed from June 25, 1903.

2t E. G. HADOW, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The Double Eagle Mining & Development Company.

Limited Liability.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of shareholders in this company will be held at their office in Ferguson, B. C., on Wednesday, July 8th, 1903, at 2 p. m., for the transaction of all business connected with the company; and the transfer books of the company will be closed from June 25, 1903.

2t E. G. HADOW, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The Ophir-Lade Mining Syndicate, Limited.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above named syndicate will be held at their office in Ferguson, B. C., on Monday, the 6th day of July, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of the general business of the syndicate. The transfer books of the syndicate will be closed from the 1st until the 6th day of July, 1903, both inclusive.

ROBT. HODGE, Secretary.

June 25, 1903. 2t

Notice to Delinquent Co-Owner.

To S. T. McColl, or whomsoever he may have transferred his interest in the Triune Fraction No. 3 mineral claim, situated on Brown creek, in the Trout Lake Mining Division, West Kootenay District of B. C.

You are hereby notified that I have expended $100 in labor and improvements upon the above mentioned fractional mineral claim since July 1st, 1902, under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within 90 days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of the above mentioned sum, which is now due together with all cost of advertising, your interest in the said claim will become the property of the undersigned under section 4 of the "Mineral Act Amendment Act 1900.

Dated at Ferguson, B. C., this 6th day of April, 1903.

C. O. Woodrow.

PARK HOTEL

4 Miles Below Ferguson on the Ferguson Beaton Road.

REFURNISHED THROUGHOUT

No bell boys or etcetras but a good wholesome meal served at any hour. Lots of fresh milk and eggs.

Saddle and pack horses for hire.

CONTRACTS FOR PACKING.

WM. GLENN, Proprietor.

TAILORING

Smith & Co.

45 Bleury St,

Montreal

Will be represented in Ferguson three or four days each month. Any orders for clothing will receive close attention and we

GUARANTEE A FIT.

Our representative S. A. Scott is a practical tailor and will make clothes fit. Hold your orders for him.

To the Public.

Having to go east for a few months I beg to say that I will return by fall and re-engage in my taxidermist business.

H. W. EDWARDS,
Taxidermist, Revelstoke, B. C.

Time Table.

S. S. ARCHER OR S.S. LARDEAU.

Running between Arrowhead, Beaton and Comaplix, commencing October 14th, 1903, will sail as follows, weather permitting.

Leaving Arrowhead for Beaton and Comaplix, twice daily—10k and 5k.

Leaving Beaton and Comaplix for Arrowhead, twice daily—7:15k and 12;45k. Making close connections with all C. P. R. Steamers and trains.

The owners reserve the right to change times of sailings without notice.

The Fred Robinson Lumber Co. Ltd

The B. C. ASSAY & CHEMICAL SUPPLY CO. Ltd.
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Headquarters for **Assayers, Mining & Mill Supplies.** Sole agents in B. C. for Morgan Crucible Co., Battersea, England; F. W. Braun & Co.'s Patent Cary Furnaces, Burners, etc.; Wm. Ainsworth & Co.'s Fine Balances, etc., etc.

LARDEAU MINES, LTD.

The three claims owned by the company are the "Lardeau Queen," the "Lardeau King" and the "Lardeau Prince," all abutting end to end, through which three leads pass the entire length, situated at the head of Lexington creek, in the Lardeau mining division of West Kootenay, British Columbia.

These three claims are located on the western slope of Goat Mountain. the lines being north-westerly and south-easterly, and form one complete portion of Mineral land of about 156 acres. They lie east less than four miles up from Fish river.

The group lies in the "Sitting Bull" and "Wild West" belts, two of the strongest and best known leads in that district, and work already done on apjacent extentions has given most satisfactory results as to extent of ore bodies and increased values with depth.

The formation is slate and schist, lying in an immense lime dyke, and the croppings of the leads are generally topped with heavy iron capping and quartz, which gives assays from $8 up on the surface.

VEINS AND WORK DONE.

Exploitation consists of two open cuts along the surface for a distance of twenty feet, which exposed a body of argentiferous galena over 8 inches in width. The value of this ore body was $25.60 on the surface, but at a depth of less than three feet it has increased to $40.60. To tap this ore showing and the massive iron capped ledge close to which it lies the present tunnel was commenced and is now in a distance of 82 feet. Another 25 feet of crosscutting should reach this ledge at a depth of about 125 feet. When 61 feet had been driven, an almost solid body of iron ore three feet thick was encountered in the tunnel lying against a wall of slate. A sample at this point assayed $77.60 in gold, silver, copper and lead. At a distance of 14 feet from this lead a fine body of ore has been encountered which, when crossed, proved to be seven and a half feet wide, carrying the finest looking mineral yet found on the property. A third ledge which contains the richest ore and widest surface showing, will be reached about July 1st. This ledge when encountered, will be from 12 to 15 feet wide and great results are expected.

The property has an excellent surface showing. The average assays are most encouraging, considering the great width and continuancy of the leads across the country with such great width and prominence of the surface judging from other properties in the near vicinity, some of which are on the same lead and have developed very rich ore bodies.

In conclusion I would say that the Lardeau Mines are as good as any, if not the best, in the vicinity, and I verily believe with a nominal expenditure, they should be made dividend paying in a short time, and I would strongly recommend extensive development toward that end.

H. O. McClymont, M. E.

For Further information, price of stock, etc., address

LARDEAU MINES, LTD.,
B. Norbert Ouimette, Manager.
Bank of Montreal Bldg., ROSSLAND, B. C.

No Soap, Borax, Soda or Ammonia is needed with

GOLD DUST

With little water and less effort you can clean anything about the house better, easier and cheaper than with Soap or any other cleanser. Once try it, you'll always buy it.

Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
Chicago. New York. Boston. St. Louis. Montreal.

CASH HOUSE FURNISHERS

WE CARRY CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, OILCLOTHS AND CHINA MATTING.
IRON BEDS a Specialty
$5 and up.

Goods can be furnished to any part of Lardeau on very short notice as the service is such that delivery can be made in one day from Nelson.

No Charge for packing

Funeral Directors and Embalmers.
[Graduate of Myer's College of Embalming]

Can attend case at Ferguson at ten hours notice if advised by wire.

D. J. Robertson & Co.

NELSON, B. C.

PRIVATE DINING ROOMS FOR LADIES.

HEADQUARTERS FOR COMMERCIAL AND MINING MEN.

THE

BALMORAL HOTEL

GORDON & SLINGER, Props.

CAFE OPEN DAY AND NIGHT UNDER SAME MANAGEMENT.

SAMPLE ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Ferguson, B. C., Opposite the Postoffice.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA

Capital Authorized, $4,000,000
Capital (paid up) - 2,923,860
Rest - - - - - - 2,485,288

HEAD OFFICE:
Toronto, Ontario.

Branches in the Northwest Territories. Provinces of British Columbia, Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec.

T. R. MERRITT, President. D. R. WILKIE, Vice-Pres. and Gen. Man.
E. HAY, Assistant Gen. Manager. W. MOFFAT, Chief Inspector.

Ferguson, B. C. Branch—A General Banking Business Transacted.
Savings Department—Deposits received and interest allowed.

Drafts Sold available in All parts of Canada, United States and Europe.

Special attention given to collections and Mining Bonds.

W. MACDONALD
Manager

Everybody smokes

Our Special
AND
The Union
CIGAR

They are all Union made and of the best Havana Tobacco money can buy. Try one and satisfy yourself as to their quality.

UNION CIGAR FACTORY, H. A. BROWN, Prop.

Lardeau Hotel

We try to give satisfaction to our guests.

Laughton Bros.
Proprietors.

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

THE
Prospectors' Exchange

ANDERSON & FULMER, Proprietors.
THOMSON'S LANDING, B. C.

TABLES SUPPLIED WITH THE BEST IN THE MARKET

THE CHOICEST OF WINES LIQUORS AND CIGARS

Local and General.

Dave Ferguson returned to town Monday night.

H. J. Moore of Nelson, was in Ferguson Tuesday.

J. H. Doyle of Revelstoke spent Tuesday in Ferguson.

Thos. Russell has moved his family to the cottages at the Nettie L. mine.

J. Archer is on his farm near Kaslo, looking after his fruit trees and garden.

Dad Carruthers of Trout Lake, was up to the dance in Eagle hall Monday night.

Alack Dodds, accompanied by Dave Ferguson, went up to the Triune yesterday.

Donald G. Forbes, manager of the Great Western mines, was out to Revelstoke this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Parisian of Eight-Mile, attended the entertainment and dance Monday night.

Alack Dodds, foreman of the Triune mine, came in Wednesday morning to commence operations.

The EAGLE is in receipt of the Year Book of Canada from the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

The June rains have started at last and Ferguson residents have to remain in doors most of the time.

Dr. Milloy is in from Rossland this week. He is heavily interested in the I. X. L. mining property.

An Odd Fellows' lodge will soon be instituted at Camborne. A dispensation has been applied for.

Mr. J. C. Kirkpatrick paid a business trip to Nelson this week. He returned Thursday, bringing 8 horses over the trail from Lardo.

The Ferguson saw mill has several large orders booked for lumber. The mill is now being run by water power and much better satisfaction is had than by steam.

Mrs. J. Archer and Mrs. J. Smith were of the number of Fergusonites who enjoyed the LaDell entertainment so well that they rode to Trout Lake Tuesday night to hear it a second time.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hoar of Golden, was fatally burned on Monday. The little girl was playing with matches, when they ignited and set fire to her clothes. Medical assistance was forthcoming at once, but the little sufferer died the following day and the funeral was set for 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents who are well known here. Mr. J. Laughton of the Union hotel, brother of Mrs. Hoar, left for Golden today to attend the funeral.—Revelstoke Herald.

Regina Now a City.

At 3 o'clock on June 20th, Regina, N. W. T., passed from its status of a town into the more exalted standing of city. At that hour his honor the lieutenant governor gave the royal assent to the bills passed at the session of the legislative assembly, which has just closed, and one of these bills incorporated Regina as a city.

With the giving of the royal assent the wildest enthusiasm reigned. Flags were everywhere manifest, and many buildings were decorated with bunting. Locomotives and traction engine whistles, bells, horns and hundreds of voices, greeted the new city.

A half holiday had been proclaimed by the mayor and was observed by everybody.

A Profitable Investment.

"There are few investments that pay larger dividends than a newspaper subscription wisely placed. The local newspaper is a factor of great moment in the development of a locality and it should be heartily supported by the people it serves." That is the sort of newspaper the EAGLE is and it is being supported, but it can always do with more support. To the EAGLE add a metropolitan weekly of general excellence, giving the wider news of the world and you have a satisfying combination.

The Free Press, Winnipeg, is a city newspaper of general excellence and is just the kind of paper to be taken in conjunction with the EAGLE.

We will send the EAGLE and the Weekly Free Press clubbed for one year to any address for $2.75.

The splendid pictures given as premiums with the Free Press are alone worth the price of the subscription. We have samples of these attractive premiums at this office and invite your inspection of them at any time.

THE CHURCHES.

Methodist.

Service will be held in Eagle hall every Sunday commencing at 3 p. m., and alternate Sundays at 8 p. m. All are invited to attend.

Next Sunday's service will be held in the evening.

Sunday School every Sunday at 2 p. m. REV. SHARP, Pastor.

Anglican.

Divine service will be held every alternate Sunday in Eagle hall at 3 in the afternoon.

An invitation to attend is extended to everybody. H. A. SOLLY, Curate.

Locals With a Paystreak.

It pays to use the telephone. A trip can often be saved to Trout Lake, Beaton, Arrowhead or Comaplix by using the phone. Office in Cummins & Co.'s store.

Orders for furniture will be filled as quickly and with better results at the wholesale and retail store of D. J. Robinson & Co., Nelson, than anywhere else in the province.

* Smokers: If you want the GENUINE "Union" and "Our Special" CIGAR see that "Union Cigar Factory" is stamped in gilt letters on every box. —H. A. Brown, Revelstoke, B. C.

FOR SALE—A four roomed dwelling house and two lots on one of the best corners in the residence part of Ferguson for sale on easy terms. Apply to Eagle office.

Order a ping-pong set, framed or unframed pictures, picture frames, drawing requisites, books, magazines or anything in this line of goods from the Canada Drug & Book Co., Revelstoke, B. C. Mail orders attended to promptly.

A. M. Craig still conducts the feed, livery and freighting stables at Beaton, and has saddle horses and light and heavy conveyances for hire at all times. His daily stage for Goldfields and Camborne meets the steamboat on its arrival and departure.

Tonsorial Parlors..

MAIN STREET,
FERGUSON, B. C.

Shaving. Shampooing, Hairdressing, Singeing. Dyeing, Baths, hot and cold water.

I have the best appointed shop in the Lardeau. Open from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

ROY E. JAMIESON
Proprietor.

THE
PIONEER LAUNDRY
Wants Your Washing.

Mangling and Ironing.

Workmanship guaranteed to be First Class.

SMITH & REEVE,
Victoria Avenue.

United Hatters of North America

THIS IS THE UNION LABEL of the United Hatters of North America. When you are buying a FUR HAT, either soft or stiff, see to it that the genuine UNION Label is sewed in it. If a retailer has loose labels in his possession and offers to put one in a hat for you, do not patronize him. He has not any right to have loose labels. Loose labels in retail stores are counterfeits. Do not listen to any explanation as to why the hat has no label. The Genuine Union Label is perforated on the four edges exactly the same as a postage stamp. Counterfeits are sometimes perforated on three of the edges, and sometimes only on two. Keep a sharp lookout for the counterfeits. Unprincipled manufacturers are using them in order to get rid of their scab-made hats. The John B. Stetson Co. of Philadelphia, Pa., is non-union concern,

JOHN A. MOFFITT, President,
Orange, N. J.
JOHN PHILLIPS, Secretary,
797 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y

14

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

O. B. N. WILKIE, P. L. S.
Provincial Land Surveyor
Ferguson and Trout Lake.
Surveys made and Crown Grants Obtained.
Office: - - Trout Lake.

WILLIAM A. BAUER,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND SURVEYORS.
Surveys of Mines, Mineral Claims and Crown Lands. Crown Grants Obtained and Assessments Managed for Absentees.
Offices: Camborne and Vancouver

ROBERT HODGE,
BARRISTER, ETC.
Solicitor for The Imperial Bank
Ferguson, B. C.
OFFICE—In the Ophir Lade block.

HARVEY, McCARTER & PINKHAM,
Barristers, Soliciters, etc.
Offices: Revelstoke, Golden, and Ferguson. Solicitors for Imperial Bank of Canada
Geo. S. McCarter. J. A. Harvey. A. M. Pinkham.

FRED C. ELLIOTT,
Barrister, Notary Public etc.
TROUT LAKE CITY B. C., AND FERGUSON, B. C.

FERGUSON
MEAT MARKET

Having purchased the Ferguson Meat Market we are prepared to supply our customers with all kinds of Fresh and cured meats. A good supply of Beef, Pork, Mutton, Sausages, Hams and Bacon always on hand.

P. BURNS & CO.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

WATCHES
I have high grade Waltham, Vanguard, Crescent, Street, C. P. R. Special, Elgin, Father Time, Veritas and B. W. Raymond's.

CLOCKS I have Eight-Day, Gon Strike and Nickle Clocks.

J. V. REEVES,
Jeweler and Optician,
FERGUSON, B. C.

Halcyon Hot Springs Sanitarium . . .
ARROW LAKES, B. C.

Situated midst scenery unrivalled for grandeur. The most complete health resort on the continent of North America.

Its baths cure all Nervous and Muscular diseases. Its waters heal all Kidney, Liver and Stomach ailments.

They are a never failing remedy for all metallic poisons, completely purifying the system.

TERMS—$15 to $18 per week, according to residence in Hotel or Villas.

Spring Clothing
Suits, Overcoats, Rain Coats, Trousers.
Also complete stock of Men's Furnishings.

RUBBERS OF ALL KINDS AND BOOTS
CARPETS, CURTAINS, ETC.

We have a good supply of Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk.

McKinnon & Sutherland

The Post Office Store
NEW GOODS ON DISPLAY
HATS—New lot of Ladies' and Chidren's Hats and a variety of Hat Trimmings.
SHIRTS—Good assortment of Gentlemen's Starched and Negligee Shirts.
BOOTS—A new line of serviceable Prospectors' Boots and a full assortment of Youths' Shoes.
FRESH CARLOAD OF GROCERIES.
G. B. Batho & Co.

THE KING'S HOTEL
Well lighted and heated by hot air furnace. Tables supplied with the best the market affords.
Rates $1.50 Per Day
JAS. CUMMINGS, Prop., Ferguson, B. C.

When you reach Trout Lake City put up at the Queens. Good accommodation ..Best of service .. Choicest wines, liquors and cigars..Fire proof safe..
ABRAHAMSON BROTHERS, PROPRIETORS.
Queens Hotel

Packing and Freighting Ferguson Packing and Transfer Outfit.
Contracts entered into for packing of Mining Supplies, etc., to any point in the district.
Good, prompt service, and any work undertaken guaranteed. Freighting from Thomson's Landing to Ferguson a specialty.
Headquarters at Ferguson, B.C. S. Daney, Prop.

Ferguson Hotel
McDONELL & BLACK.
Proprietors.
FERGUSON, B. C.