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Among the Miners

Now that the snow is nearly gone out of the hills. development work is beginning in earnest in all directions, and more and larger forces of men are being constantly put to work on many of the most promising properties in the surrounding hills. Baker and Sutherland creeks are receiving a good deal of attention, and of course the McRae creek claims and those of the Burnt Basin are coming to the front in good shape.

Reports from the Burnt Basin continue to be of a most encouraging character, and development is, in nearly every instance, showing richer and better leads with depth. A big find is reported to have been made in the south end of the Basin by F. Fritz, Jas. Curran and S. W. Seed, which is said to contain plenty of native copper, with gold and silver. It is called the Big Ledge, and seems well named, as the lead is very large and well defined. They are now sinking on the ledge, which shows better with each shot put in. The ground has been camped on and travelled over since 1896.

John Hamill, of Armstrong, B. C., and Donald Graham, M. P., arrived in the Basin last week, and are having the Barrow, which they own, surveyed. This is one of the claims which was reported bonded a couple of weeks since for $20,000, of which 15 per cent. was paid down.

The Pleasures of Hope claim, of which T. G. Elgie is the manager, is said to be in solid ore, and those interested are more than satisfied with the result of the development thus far.

Gold Commissioner Kirkup has dispatched a force of 20 men to the trail between Norway mountain and Burnt Basin, which is to be built at once. It is expected that it will be completed in the course of three weeks or less.

The Jackstraw, located 1500 feet west of Mike Shick's Mother Lode, in the Burnt Basin has a continuous quartz ledge from the No. 1 to the No. 2 post. The ore carries considerable free gold. Messrs. Hunter and Sharp are the owners and are now doing development.

Wm. Forrest visited Gladstone on Monday, and while there did a little panning for placer gold in Canyon creek, which runs through the town. He was rewarded by finding 12 or 15 colors in the pan.

Developing Christina Lake Claims.

S. R. Reid who returned from a prospecting trip through central Idaho last week, now has a force of men at work on the Golden Key group which is located on the north fork of Sutherland creek, about four miles from the Columbia & Western railway. The group consists of three claims, the Golden Key, Pilot-Beacon, and Peacock, and is owned by G. L. Curtis and S. R. Reid, of Cascade, and Charles Knight, of Stanstead, Quebec. A 2½ mile trail, branching off from the Elmore trail, has been completed and interesting developments are expected now that work is progressing. A strong well defined iron capped lead, a contact on granite and porphyry, traverses the entire claims, and is known to continue through the property on the opposite side of the mountain, owned by Messrs. Cameron, Darrow, Good and Forrest.

J. E. Mills and W. I. Paterson, of Rossland, are sinking a shaft on the Prudential, a promising Shamrock mountain claim. It is one of a group of four owned by these gentlemen jointly with S. R. and E. L. Reid. The lead upon which they are now working extends across the property of the Belcher Mining Company, the Corydon and Elmore, and is traceable for two miles. No assays have been made from this lead yet, but tests will be made shortly. The vein is about five feet wide and improves in appearance with depth.

Dave Good is camped on Shamrock mountain and it is reported that the lead is showing up fine on the Crescent, on which he is doing development work.

Walter Staples is working on the Bryant claim, two miles from the Cove on McRae creek.

Peon and Gay are working the Alphonse on Shamrock mountain. The showing on this claim is considered to be quite equal to the now famous Elmore. They are sinking on an eight foot body of ore, lying between perfect walls. The results of the assays have not been made public, but the ore appears to carry more copper than any of the other claims in the immediate vicinity.

J. P. Brooks and Alex. Carson came into town this week from the Pilot Knob, on McRae creek about a mile from the cove. They brought in some fine specimens of ore from the bottom of the shaft, and Brooks has returned to work. The ore carries a large percentage of lead and silver, also gold and copper, in all about $27. W. M. Wolverton and J. P. Brooks are the owners. The ledge is 50 feet wide on the surface.

Frank Hutchinson is still sinking on the shaft on the Chamberlain on McRae creek, from which he got the $229 assay a couple of weeks ago.

Working the Pontifex.

John H. Inkster, the Rossland mining expert, was in town this week superintending the commencement of active development on the property of the Pontifex Gold Mining Company of Spokane. This group of claims lies on Huckleberry mountain, about four miles from Cascade It is a free milling proposition and promises to be a producer. The ledges are easily traceable, one being a porphyretic quartz, and the other solid homogeneous quartz. The former has given good values ranging from traces to $50. The men are doing systematic prospecting now, by making a series of cross-cuts in order to locate the paystreak.

IN AND AROUND CASCADE.

S. W. Bear is finishing up his hotel building opposite the B. C. stables.

Now is the time to plant your garden. You can get a full stock of seeds from the B. C. Syndicate store.

A. Chandler, president of the Cascade Development Co., starts for the east tomorrow called by the illness of his son.

Fred Brown, of the Columbia hotel at Columbia, who formerly conducted a cigar store in Cascade, died on Thursday last of Bright's disease.

Next Monday a meeting of rate payers at the townsite office is requested, to confirm the selection of a new school site by the school trustees.

Dick Porter came in last night from the end of the track, two miles this side of Porcupine. In 10 days the track is expected to reach Gladstone.

Eholt now has a hotel, two stores, two barber shops and a restaurant. Not a lot has been sold yet, and probably will not be for several weeks.

The Redfield & Wilson saw mill at Moodyville, Christina lake, was moved this week to a point on the North Fork, about three miles above Grand Forks.

Chief License Inspector Darraugh has received 45 applications so far, and they are coming in by every mail. The board will meet in Cascade on June 15th at 11 a.m.

TOWN OF REPUBLIC IN ASHES.

Ferry County Capital Was Burned Down This Morning.

Word was received by telephone this morning that the town of Republic was burned down early today, and that nearly the entire business portion of this famous camp is now in ashes.

The fire started in the Speigle block on Clark avenue, at 6:30 a.m., and spread with great rapidity taking in the entire business part of the town. In a short time it was in ashes, scarcely a building was saved, with the exception of the telephone office. The burned district would take the bank, opera house, one or two of the weekly papers and the majority of general stores and saloons.

As there was no water works, there could be but little insurance and the loss will doubtless fall heavily on those burned out.

As the telephone wires were so busy, it was impossible to obtain details further than the above.

CASCADE CLAIM IS RICH

Gateway City's Namesake Was Bonded For $60,000.

LOCATED ON GRANVILLE MOUNTAIN

It Assays $25.17 in Gold on the Surface, and $109.40 at a Depth of 40 Feet—Will be Developed.

Ed. Terzick came in from Granville mountain this week, a couple of miles from Gladstone, and reports a rich strike on the Cascade claim. The property is owned by Mr. Terzick, S. J. Brailo and J. D. Reagh, and was the first location on the mountain. It is developed by a 40-foot shaft on the No. 1 lead, which has a four foot ledge. The bottom is all a white, rich looking honey-combed quartz, from which assays of $109 in gold were obtained; at 15 feet the ore gave $45.60 and on the surface $25.17 in gold values, thus improving fast with depth. On the No. 2 lead, 40 feet from No. 1, only open cuts have been made thus far, with good results.

The Cascade has been bonded to J. B. Ferguson, a capitalist from Vancouver, who will meet Mr. Terzick in this city in a few days to arrange for fuvther development. It cost 21 cents per pound to pack in from Rossland the supplies so far used in the course of development — making pretty expensive bacon and beans.

TOOK OVER THE FLYER STAGE LINE.

Columbia Stage Company Once More has the Monopoly.

The International Flyer, the opposition stage line from Bossburg to Grand Forks, which has been in operation for a month or two, has been taken over by the Columbia Stage Co, who formerly had the only line, and now have it once more. With the line goes 38 head of horses, wagons, buckboards, harness, etc.

Fremont Rogers, manager of the Columbia line, came in town from the Forks last night, and confirmed the news of the transfer, and stated that he is now in sole charge of both lines. It is the intention to continue running the Flyer stage as in the past, but the relay stations will be those of the Columbia line, viz., Cascade, Hall's, and Pete Pierre's.

It appears, from the statement of Mr. Rogers that the Flyer people came to the Columbia people with a proposition to sell, and after some conferences a price was agreed upon, and the formal transfer took place last Thursday. It remains to be seen whether another opposition line will be started.

The boiler of the steamer Myrtle B. has been burned out, and Ben Lavally went to Spokane this week to secure another.

The Man Who Doesn't Advertise.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead
That to himself he hath not said,
"My trade of late is getting bad,
I'll try another 10-inch ad."
If such there be, go mark him well,
For him no bank account shall swell—
No angel watch the golden stair
To welcome home a millionaire.

To such a man the noisy din
Of traffic may not enter in,
For bargain hunters by the score
Shall pass nor heed his dingy door;
For tho' his sign is on the wall
And on some barn-yard gate a scrawl;
No people who have cash and sense
Go prancing round to read the fence.

The man who never asks for trade
By local line or ad displayed
Cares more for rest than worldly gain
And patronage but gives him pain;
Tread lightly, friends, let no rude sound
Disturb his solitude profound.
Here let him live in calm repose
Unsought except by men he owes.

And when he dies, go plant him deep
That naught may break his dreamless sleep,
Where no rude clamor may dispel
The quiet that he loves so well,
And that the world may know its loss
Place on his grave a wreath of moss
And on the stone above, "Here lies
A chump who wouldn't advertise."

—MORTIMER CRANE BROWN.

LIQUOR LICENSES THAT HOLD OVER.

Applicants When Renewing can Send Direct to Chief of Police Hussey.

The following circular has been issued by Attorney-General Martin, to holders of liquor licenses in districts outside of municipalities, which Chief License Inspector Darraugh says applies only to licences that expire between July 15th and December 15th next.

"Your attention is called to the provisions of Chapter 39 of the Acts of last session, the "Liquor Licence Act, 1899," making new provisions with regard to liquor licenses. When your license expires, you may, if you prefer, get from Mr. F. S. Hussey, superintendent of provincial police, Victoria, without advertisement and without inspection, a renewal license expiring on the 31st day of December next. The $10 fee provided by the act will not be charged for this license, and you will only be charged a proportionate license fee. It will be necessary, however, for you to apply under the provisions of the said act to the board of license commissioners which will meet on the 15th of December next, for a new license, commencing on the 1st day of January next. If you prefer, you may at once apply for a new license, commencing on the 1st day of July next, and if this latter course is adopted a proportionate part of the fee paid for your present license will be refunded you."

ALL J. P. COMMISSIONS CANCELLED.

Over 400 New Commissions have been Gazetted.

In last week's British Columbia Gazette appears the official notice of the Lieutenant-Governor that all appointments of justices of the peace heretofore made, are rescinded, to take effect on June 30th. In the same issue also appears the names of 401 appointments as justices of the peace. The list includes many of the old names, and there are some new ones.

For Cascade the new J. P's are Messrs. Paul Rochussen, George C. Rose and Donald John Matheson. In Gladstone the names of William Forest and Angus Cameron are given. Mr. Matheson's name was recommended to the provincial government for appointment by the Cascade Taxpayers Association some months ago.

Value of Newspaper Advertising.

The value of newspaper advertising has received several striking illustrations in New York City during the last year. An observer notes the fact that three or four dry goods houses that went into liquidation there last winter were the only ones of the greater department stores that never advertised in the newspapers. On the other hand the great advertisers are all experiencing great prosperity, one of them whose failure was predicted having made $600,000 and admitting that his success was due to newspaper advertisments in which he invested heavily.

In 1862 there were four twenty-dollar gold pieces coined at the mint which then existed at New Westminister. One of these is in the hands of the B. C. treasury, Mr. Helmcken, of Victoria, holds another, and a third is now in possession of J. C. Tunstall, of Vernon; the whereabouts of the fourth coin is unknown. To numismatists these coins are of much interest, and are naturally increasing in value as time passes.

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IN AND AROUND CASCADE.

A. W. Branson, of the Commercial hotel, Greenwood, spent Tuesday in Cascade.

J. A. McCallum has been appointed city clerk of Columbia, and O. W. Benedict city assessor.

Over 300 free miner's certificates are reported as having been issued at the government office at Midway during May.

It is reported that Grand Forks is to have another paper, to be called the Tribune, with a Toronto man at the helm.

H. A. King has been appointed postmaster at Greenwood, and will assume charge of the office in the course of a few days.

New Westminister store keepers have decided to give their employees Wednesday half holidays during the summer.

The city dads of Grand Forks have decided to locate the mansions of joy in one spot, and have them adorned with a six-foot tight board fence.

Miss Cameron, sister of Postmaster Cameron, and Miss Kate Cameron, is expected to arrive in Cascade tomorrow evening from Toronto.

Grand Forks proposes to raise a fund of $2,000 to celebrate Dominion Day in good style, and the program is already in course of preparation.

Joseph Ward has secured a contract for furnishing 2,000,000 brick and 2500 barrels of lime for the Grandy smelter, to be erected near Grand Forks.

C. K. Milbourne, of the Cascade Water Power Co., and C. A. Wing, who have been spening a week in the upper Boundary country, were in Cascade Sunday night.

A past-master in the art of black jack left Cascade for other fields Sunday morning, and it is said he left some mourners behind, who are now wiser if poorer.

Sneak thieves have been getting in their fine work at Grand Forks and Greenwood lately. At the latter town the chief of police has been given an assistant, and all gambling is to be prohibited.

Jack Stewart, superintendent of construction, returned Wednesday from the end of the track on the new railway, which he states is now just over the high Porcupine creek bridge, about 26 miles from Cascade.

The Cascade public school will be dismissed for the summer holidays, on June 23rd, just three weeks from yesterday. School will begin again the first Monday after the second Sunday in August—which will be August 14th this year. Public examinations will be held the closing day.

W. F. Tye, of Trail, chief engineer of the Columbia & Western railway, spent Wednesday in Cascade. H. T. Wilgress, C. P. R. right of way agent, of Greenwood, was also here that day. Mr. Tye says that is is very difficult to get all the laborers now needed on the new railway

The last Gazette contains notice that Chas. Cumings, E. Spraggett, R. Armstrong and H. S. Cayley, of Grand Forks, have secured permission of the government to clear and remove all obstructions from the north fork of Kettle River, to fix the river for the rafting and driving of logs, timber and lumber.

TWO WOMEN LANDED IN JAIL.

Terrorized the Hamlet of Russell for Some Three hours.

Wednesday evening the little town of Russell was the scene of a fracas that will not soon be forgotten. Two loose women, "Scrap Iron Minnie," [Minnie Popple] and "Rough-Lock Nell," while inebriated, went into the general store of G. P. Persons and acted and talked so outrageously that Mr. Persons shut them out. This only infuriated the women, who first hurled a grindstone through the front window, which demolished everything in it path. They then secured axes from the woodpile and broke all the remaining windows in the house and some of the doors, Mrs. Persons and her sister being afraid of their lives. The windows of Crandall's feed store were treated the same way, and Mr. Crandall showed the women the wrong end of a gun.

They came to Cascade after some three hours of this sort of fun, and Officer Darraugh soon had them safe in jail. In the meantime the authorities at Bossburg were notified of the incipient riot at Russell, and Deputy Sheriff Terry was dispatched to the scene of hostilities, with an assistant, arriving here at 3 a. m. Thursday. Officer Darraugh persuaded the gay damsels to go across the line again, and they fell into the hands of the Stevens county officers, were handcuffed and taken to Bossburg on the first stage. As Russell is in Ferry county, they will probably be tried at Republic, where Sheriff Wiseman is the chief officer. It appears more than likely that these females with the suggestive sobriquets will be given ample time to think over at least one of their recent escapades.

Mr. Persons, in the personal encounter, had two knuckles broken, and one of the women cut her hand in breaking one of the windows.

More than one family has already left Fernie on account of there being no school to which their children could be sent.

Removal Notice

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Smith & McRae	Greenwood
H. A. King & Co	Greenwood
R. F. Petrie	Grand Forks
C. S. Morris	Columbia
John W. Graham & Co.	Spokane, Wash.
Francis & Milne	Cascade
Thomas Walker	Cascade
G. T. Curtis	Cascade
Cascade Drug Co	Cascade

THE TOWNSITING MANIA.

One of the evils of this growing southern British Columbia country is the habit, which has become almost a mania, of platting townsites every few miles. This is not only done along the line of projected railways, but even in remote districts, where there are a few mineral prospects, will be found the townsite boomer, plying his trade, sometimes in more or less questionable ways. In the Boundary country, for instance, each new town, when first started on its troubled existence, is announced as "another Rossland," and the announcements are so ingeniously worded as to convey to the tenderfoot, a couple of thousand miles or so away, the idea that the sun rises and sets, as it were, largely for the benefit of that town alone.

As a result of this mania, there are so many places in the district, that when a stranger travels through them all, and listens patiently to the praises each townsite owner bestows upon his own property, he is puzzled as to the best, or even second or third best, place in which to locate or invest. All have "great natural advantages;" all are "surrounded by rich mines," and all are claimed to be railroad centres and distributing points—that is, according to the promoters. Consequently, all through the mining districts of this section there are a multitude of little towns, few of which amount to much, and every week something new in this line is sprung on an unsuspecting public.

The same amount of capital and energy, if concentrated on a few places, would build up thriving communities, in which all would prosper to a greater degree. As it is, it will, as usual, be a survival of the fittest. But the mania will continue, and it will be still more difficult to pick out places of merit and permanency.

THE EIGHT-HOUR FIGHT.

The legislature saw fit to pass the act, limiting the underground miner to eight hours of work at a time. Why they did not do as much for the hard-worked newspaper man is not clear, but they overlooked it, at any rate. It is of little use at this time to discuss whether the law was called for or not; it is here and will be enforced after June 12th.

The mine-owners, however, have declared in the Kootenays, with a few exceptions, that they will not pay $3.50, the former scale for two hours less work, but are willing to give $3.00. This went into effect on the 1st instant, and many miners simply refuse to accept it, and are leaving the country in gangs.

Thus it apears that a law apparently intended to benefit the working miner, is having the reverse effect, as the majority were satisfied with things as they were, and are anything but satisfied with the present outlook. It will indeed be unfortunate for the industry if a prolonged struggle can be avoided between the miners and mine owners, but apparently the end is far off. It is difficult to see where the usefulness of such legislation comes in.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Many are wondering whether this is the last of winter or the first of fall. Some think this is the summer of our discontent.

The Alaskan boundary question is once more creating a deal of pother through the public prints, but it will not be settled by them.

In Greenwood they are betting on when the steel on the new railway will reach that town. They will have a better idea after it reaches Cascade, some time in July.

The Czar's peace conference is in session at The Hague, and something good should come out of it. So far, however, the leaning is towards arbitration only, as a means to the desired end.

The Kootenay and Yale papers are a god-send to the dailies published at the coast. Otherwise they would have no source from which to filch fresh mining news—the best kind of news in this fast developing province.

Mark Twain always was unique in his humor. His latest is the announcement that he is at work on a book, to be published 100 years after his death, telling the truth about men and women of note that he has met.

If there are any Cascaders who have not yet been upon the waters of Christina lake, they do not know what they have missed. This gem of the mountains is certainly destined to be a most popular resort this summer and in the years to come, for those who enjoy being near to nature's heart.

The Rossland Miner is to be commended for agitating the building of five miles of trail, to connect the Norway mountain trail with Gladstone. Whatever helps the development of the district helps the great majority in it. The government should see to it that this trail is built at once, and probably will do so through Mr. Kirkup. The proposed cut-off on the Dewdney trail, close to this city, by which a couple of miles of detour could be saved, should also be built, and at once.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Inspector of Customs J. S. Clute, of New Westminster, was in town this week.

A regular meeting of the Cascade Taxpayers' Association will be held next Tuesday.

Paymaster Woodman visited the tunnel camp of McLean Bros., near Brooklyn, this week.

Ira Isham, a friend of Head Sawyer Button of the Cascade Sawmill Co., arrived from Michigan yesterday, and expects to locate here.

Jas. M. Martin, M. P., of Rossland, is in town on his return from a trip through the Boundary, inquiring after the needs of the district.

For the second consecutive time the Record is without the mining records this week. They will probably arrive a day late from the Forks, as they did last week.

This week a canvass was begun for subscriptions towards the new Presbyterian church building in Cascade, with encouraging success. It is intended to get the work started as soon as possible.

Owing to the cooler weather, the water in Kettle river has fallen several feet this week. It is now rising slowly, and is expected to go still higher next week if the weather gets warmer.

Last Sunday night the Grand Forks post office was robbed, several mail pouches with registered letters from Cascade being taken. Postmaster Hull has no clue to the thieves, and Inspector Dorman arrived there Thursday to investigate. Mann, Foley Bros. & Larson, Wm. Wolverton and the B. C. Syndicate lost registered letters.

Boundary Creek License District.

Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned persons have made application under the provisions of the "Liquor License Act 1899" for hotel licenses at the places set opposite their respective names:

Benson and Nelson	Niagara
John Coults	Niagara
J. W. Shaw	Niagara
Neal Hardy	Lime Creek
— McLaren	Carson
Wm. Graham	Edwards Ferry
Ira Black	Cascade
J. Devon	Cascade
C. J. Eckstorm	Cascade
J. A. McMaster	Cascade
C. A. May	Cascade
Uno Oleson	Cascade
W. H. Seyler	Cascade
Oscar Stenstrom	Cascade
C. H. Thomas	Cascade
F. Lavally	Christina Lake
T. J. Gorman	English Point
J. A. McMaster	English Point
Thos Flynn	Gladstone
O'Donnell & Kerr	Gladstone
McOrmond & Miller	Gladstone

A meeting of the Board of License Commissioners of the Boundary Creek District will be held to consider such applications at the Provincial Police Office, Cascade, on Thursday the fifteenth day of June, 1899, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

D. J. DARRAUGH,
Chief License Inspector
Boundary Creek District.

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WALTER C. ARCHER.

Rossland, B. C., June 1st, 1899.

Lost.

On April 3rd, an order for $15, signed by Lynch & Earle, and payable to the undersigned. Warning is hereby given that payment on same has been stopped.

FRANK FARRAR.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, publishers of the Cascade Record, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, P. J. O'Reilly retiring. The business will be continued by W. B. Willcox.

W. B. WILLCOX.
P. J. O'REILLY.

Cascade, B. C., June 1st, 1899.

BY THE WAYSIDE

Some persons have an idea that they know exactly how a newspaper should be run, and what should and should not appear in it. This is especially the case if they happen to be broken down preachers, doctors, lawyers or hotel-keepers. They seem to think it is as simple and easy to please every one as it is to read the paper after being turned out in completed form. If the publisher happens to say something, however, that does not please these same pseudo know-it-alls, then there is trouble ahead for the luckless newspaper man—that is, in someone's mind. As a matter of fact, the quill driver will usually consign such egotistical individuals to—well, to a place where there is no need for shovelling snow, and let it go at that.

Enough has been written and printed about the proposed smelter, which it is believed will be erected somewhere in the vicinity of Grand Forks, to build several smelters. There seems to be no doubt that some sort of a smelter will be constructed thereabouts in due time, but its exact location is yet to be settled. As nearly as can be ascertained, no contracts have yet been signed, but probably will be. Mr. McLaren, of McLaren Bros., owners of the townsite of Carson, was in Cascade Thursday, and made the statement that Mr. Graves had bought the entire townsite, and had paid $5,000 in cash thereon sometime since; that he had also bought the Spraggett and other nearby tracts, all of which are on the main Kettle river, and not on the north fork, where the smelter site is supposed to have been selected. Taking it all in all, there is sufficient schemeing being done to keep the residents of the Forks guessing; but that the Granby smelter will be established somewhere in the vicinity seems to be universally admitted.

In a country where all the towns are dependent on the stage lines for transportation, the entire public is interested in any new move that is made. The latest rumor is to the effect that the Columbia Stage Co., is making an effort to buy out the new International Flyer line, its opposition, which has been making such inroads on its business for the last month or more. It is said to be the intention of the Columbia people, if the deal is made, to use the duplicate equipment acquired to operate a stage line to Camp McKinney, where the Columbia people are interested in mines, and which point will not be reached by the railway at least for this year.

Of course, such a purchase would also leave the Columbia again without competition on the Bossburg route for the time being; but knowing ones do not believe the monopoly would be for long. The Flyer, which has just put on a second stage, has undoubtedly been making good money since it started, and would not sell out for a small figure. It now carries all the express matter, having put up a $20,000 bond with the Great Northern Express Co., to secure this business.

The Cascade Giants.

At a meeting held Wednesday evening the Cascade ball twirlers organized by choosing Jack Robertson as manager, B. F. Woodman, captain, F. A. Sinclair, president, W. A. Milne, treasurer, and W. B. Willcox, secretary. The boys will meet for practice on the ball-park at 6:30 each evening and at 2:30 on Sundays. Considerable interest is being taken in the matter, and there are some good players here. The Cascade Giants are preparing for a match game with any nine that will oppose them.

Contract For 20,000 Posts.

Chief Engineer W. F. Tye, when here Thursday, let a contract to E. Hildebrandt for 20,000 cedar posts, for fencing the new line of railway. G. L. Woodard is associated with Mr. Hildebrandt in the contract, and they will employ a dozen men on the contract for a month. Monday they start for the swamp above Gladstone and will pitch camp there. The posts will be 8½ feet long by five inches in diameter, and will be delivered on the right of way.

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VERDICT IN WAR EAGLE ACCIDENT.

Bolt Slipped and Caused the Death of Four Miners.

At 12:30 a. m., May 20th four men were killed in the War Eagle mine at Rossland, by the skip dropping 350 feet.

Coroner Bowes, Mining Inspector McGregor and Gold Commissioner Kirkup were present when the coroner's jury, several days later, gave its verdict, which was as follows:

"1st. We find that the deceased came to their death by the skip falling to the bottom of the shaft, which was caused by the slipping of a bolt out of its position, and that the machinery in question was defective, inasmuch as safety pins should have been inserted in all the bolts to protect the nuts of said bolts.

"2nd. In view of the fact that certain defects took place previous to the present accident we are of the opinion that men should not have been permitted to ride on the skips until such time that the machinery was perfected beyond a reasonable doubt.

"3rd. We are also of the opinion that a daily report should be made by the engineer-in-chief as to the working order of the machinery, and that this rule should be strictly enforced.

"4th We would also strongly recommend that a certified mechanical and electrical engineer should be appointed to examine all mining machinery in operation.

"5th. We would further recommend that the government should appoint several mining inspectors, as in our opinion the duties imposed on the present one are greater than he can perform with satisfaction, and it is further recommended that a resident inspector should be appointed at least for this important mining section.

"6th. That the practice of employing uncertified engineers for technical positions of responsibility in the mines of this province, which has heretofore prevailed, is to be condemned, and that in future the strictest rules should be enforced, and that if the present mining act be insufficient for this purpose it be amended at the next meeting of the legislature."

Hon. J. Fred Hume has agreed to give the city a Union Jack 35 by 18 feet in size, says the Nelson Tribune, but there is a string to the offer as the flag is not to be used until the city secures title to the recreation grounds and erects a suitable pole thereon.

Collector of Customs Sutherland, of Midway, has lost his job, and Mr. Hayward, sub-collector at Grand Forks, sent to take charge of the Midway office.

As will be noticed by their card in another column, Bowen & Van Cleve are now ready to deliver ice to any part of the city.

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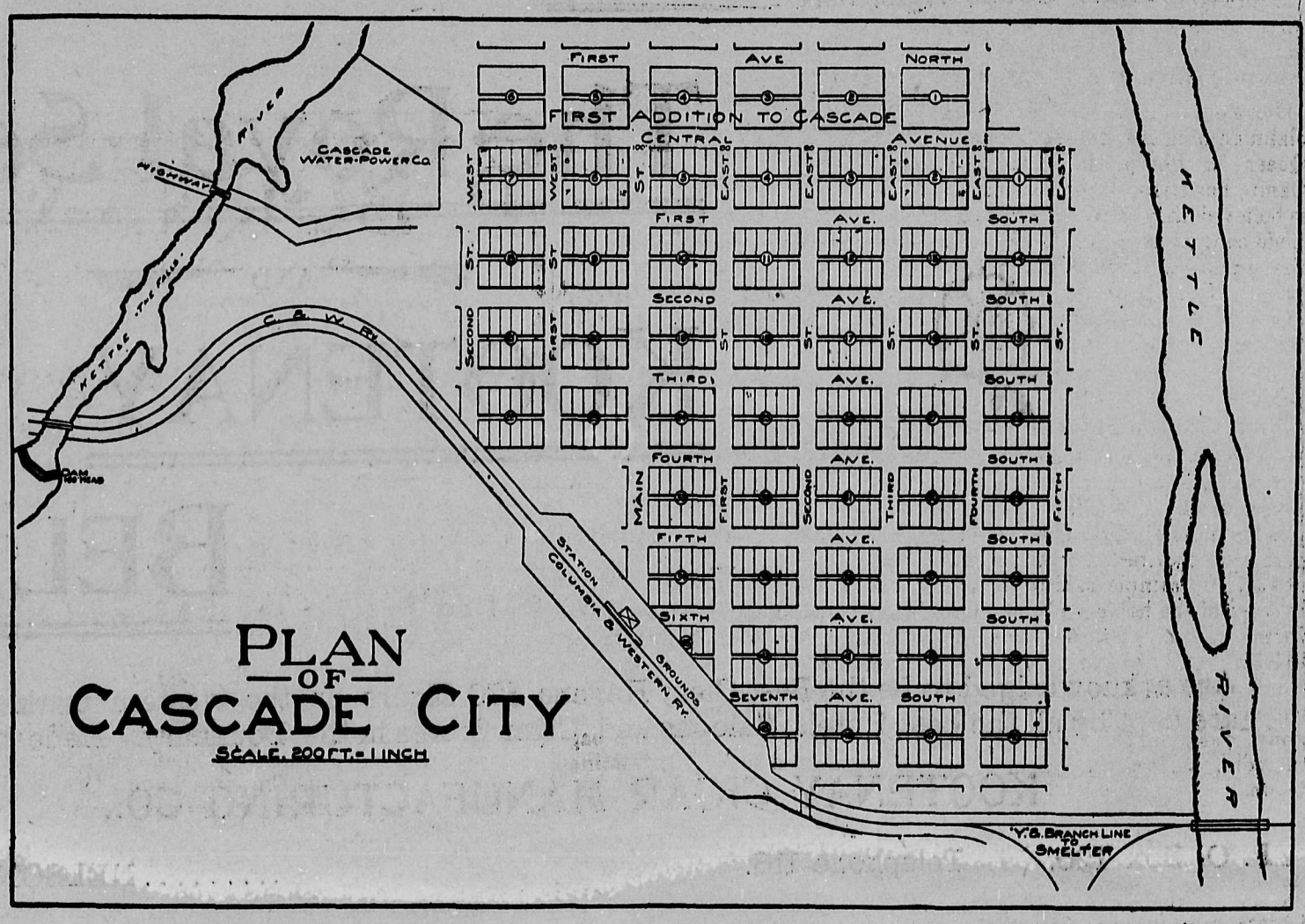

GEO. K. STOCKER, Townsite Agent, Cascade, B. C. Or L. A. HAMILTON, Land Com. C. P. R., Winnipeg, Man.

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MINES AND MINING

It is estimated no less than five stamp mills will be erected in Camp McKinney this year.

The Stemwinder, in Fairview camp, is improving daily. On the 175-level the ledge has widened out to 19 feet of solid quartz.

A recent mill test of Waterloo [Camp McKinney] ore made at Spokane, gave nearly $35 per ton, which is considered very satisfactory.

The Madison group, in the Slocan, owned by J. C. Eaton, formerly of the Whitewater mine, has been sold to an English syndicate for $20,000.

It is said that A. Ross has struck a solid body of chalcopyrite, mixed with grey copper, on the Bismack, near Niagara. This is one of the claims cut by the railway construction last fall.

The ore chute in the Cariboo, Camp McKenney, is increasing in richness, and during the last clean-up several good sized nuggets, some of them weighing half an ounce, were taken from the battery by Superintendent Keen.

The first issue of the Kellar Miner, a readable six-column paper, has come to hand. It is published at the new town of Keller, 45 miles south of Republic. The publisher is too modest to print his name as such.

The five-drill air compressor for the Oro Denoro, in Summit camp, will soon be installed and ready for work. It is expected that the mine will be ready to commence shipping by the time the railway is completed. Ross Thompson is the largest individual stockholder in this company.

A good copper strike has been made in the Red Lion tunnel, at Rock Cut camp, assays running over $80. The mouth of the tunnel is on the stage road between Cascade and Bossburg, about 10 miles from Cascade. A Spokane company owns the claim, and they evidently have a good property.

Development on the Standard claim adjoing the Mother Lode and Queen of Sheba, in Deadwood Camp, has stripped the lead and it is believed they have the Mother Lode contact as the ore is precisely the same as that of the Mother Lode. If this is so the Queen of Sheba will undoubtenly catch the Mother Lode vein and prove one of the best mines of the Boundary country.

From a sample which is said to be an average of a pay streak of one foot in thickness on the Shannon-Dolphin, Camp McKinney, values of 9.8 ounces of silver and $231.52 gold were obtained, a total per ton of $237.10; sample said to be an average of the balance of the vein, three and a half feet wide, ran $15.71. A handful of crushed ore from the bottom of the sack in which the samples were brought down, was assayed and ran $41.34 in gold, no test for silver being made.

Church Service

Divine service will be conducted by Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A. tomorrow (Sunday) at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., Standard Time, in the school-house, Sabbath school at 2:30 p.m. in the same place.

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ALL OVER THE PROVINCE

Silverton now has a miner's union, 62 joining at the organization.

Navigation is open on the Skeena river in the northern part of the province.

The Atlin Claim is the name of a new weekly, issued at the town of the same name. It should find a rich paystreak in that district.

Ymir is having the new water works system put in. The reservoir has 50,000 gallons capacity, and the company is capitalized at $12,000.

Nelson's taxpayers have authorized the expenditure of $60,000 on public works—$30,000 for water, $15,000 for sewers and $15,000 for lighting system.

The Record is the title of a new paper to be issued by the [B. C.] Methodist Conference. The denomination now has a membership of 5,060 in the province.

Rossland's assessment roll for 1899 has just been completed, and shows $1,835,510 as assessable property, of which, $1,305,980 is on realty and $528,530 on improvements.

The American Bankers' association will have an excursion to the Kootenays this month. The association meets in St. Paul on June 21st, and are due in Rossland on Sunday evening, June 25th. They will spend two days there.

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